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1. Re: Apology to Gary Fiber

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkinsley@raex.com
Message-ID: <886386242.1064960002@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154779

I am among the "silent majority" pleased to see the apology made to Mr. Fiber. His willingness to provide help and assistance on many occasions over a broad spectrum of questions, problems, products and configurations has benefited many of us.

We are fortunate that amateur radio equipment provides among the highest value to dollar ratio of all current day products and commodities. Being in an extremely competitive market with slim margins, the manufacturers' advertising, marketing, announcement and release dates of new products is undoubtedly very critical. No manufacturer wants rumors and half truths swirling around, diluting or damaging their marketing efforts.
Constraints upon employees regarding divulging advance information about new products is common in virtually any business. To hold a gentleman's feet to the fire for not revealing his employer's information in a newsgroup for the whole world to see is ridiculous enough. To then embark upon a character assassination of him over it is even worse.

These newsgroups are for the mutually beneficial exchange of information and ideas. For any of those so inclined to any additional personal attacks or silly agendas, I'd suggest another newsgroup, perhaps:

alt.support.rectal-cranial?

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2. Let's let it die. Was: Smut in news group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Ralph <bigr@slipnet.net>
Message-ID: <34D54FCE.2960@slipnet.net>
Source record: 154780

K2RXY wrote:
>
> Now, if someone will just explain to me what Big Ralph's post has to do
> with...
>
> a.) rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Nothing, obviously.

> b.) Mr. Henry's original, ill-conceived post
Read my post again, K2RXY.

> c.) ANYTHING!
I'm as sick as everyone else of all these off-topic posts. Code vs No
Code, American vs Japanese cars (other NGs), ad nauseam. But I'll admit,
my comments should have gone directly to Dave, via email.
>
> ...I can die a happy man. (Maybe we should rename this newsgroup
> rec.whatever.ax-to-grind)
RIP, but don't go too soon, okay? :-)

3. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnult <dnult@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <34D5378F.1A35@concentric.net>
Source record: 154781

The FT-51 is the nicer rig, but more expensive. Why are you limiting your choices to these two radios? How about the ICOM W32A?

I also agree that an HT is not a good choice for a first rig. For no other reason than - HTs break under heavy mobile use (phone jacks for instance). Also you'll annoy the hell out of folks while you QRP the repeater.

73s de KI5XW

Wb9bxy wrote:
>
> Shaun,
>
> Congrats on getting ur license. I don't understand why the previous comment so
> strongly urged you not to have only an HT for starters.
>
> I have an FT-50RD and use it for mobile, base, and 1200 baud packet ops. Never
> a problem in over a year. Regarding the 50 versus the 51, I can't really
> comment. You'll have to watch for other responses.
>
> Also, think about HF ops. They can be fun. Used radios abound and with a
> patient shopping attitude, you can find a used Heathkit for about $150.
>
> Good Luck.

4. 19" Rack/shelf mounting cabinets.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Hix <lhix@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6b3dbg$j1g$3@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 154782

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New Surplus Standard 19 inch equipment enclosures.
Mounting space: 19" width x 70" height x 24" depth.
Good for many types of rack/shelf mounting applications
such as; test equipment, cellular and paging equipment,
data com/server equipment, and other applications.
These are very well built Enclosures (cabinets) with
several features, compare our prices. Go to
http://www.flash.net/~lhix for more information.
Very reasonable shipping to over 60 airports.
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5. Re: Yaesu FT-8100 or FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6b3dicbdd1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 154783

Have you seen the 8500?

ALL of the controls are on the mike. All of them.

Only one knob on the front panel. I guess Yaesu made these for
people who's arms can't reach the dash?. Guess what a replacement
mike will cost?

Mike Pender Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
Steam@megsinet.net or N9IVO@Amsat.org
Fax: 708-795-7003
Amateur Radio Call: N9IVO W.A.S. DXCC 10X-66444
A.M.A 529703
I.B.E.W. Local 9 Lineman 17 years.

6. WTB: TS-570D HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Dinkel <jdinkel@mum.edu>
Message-ID: <34D53377.6E71@mum.edu>
Source record: 154784

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Will also trade my TS-690SAT with 6 mtr for your TS-570D
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7. Want - Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Snodgrass <donsno@texas.net>
Message-ID: <6b3gkksro1@news3.texas.net>
Source record: 154785

Want to purchase an ICOM IC-756 transceiver.

Don
KM5IC
>>

Don Snodgrass
8606 Connemara Drive
Fair Oaks Ranch, Texas 78015
(830) 981-2437
donsno@texas.net
http://lonestar.texas.net/~donsno

Director of Technical Support
Automated Legal Systems Inc.
tech@prodoc.com
http://www.prodoc.com

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8. Alpha Delta VRC ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Kerlin <kerlin@ligtel.com>
Message-ID: <34d54842.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 154786

I am considering the purchase of the AD vrc...I would appreciate any info, positive or negative regarding this piece of equipment. Thank you for you response.

Ron/KB9LSH
email: kerlin@ligtel.com

9. Heathkit SB 220 KIT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Stepherson <wb5mjq@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6b3h6t$jt8$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 154787

FOR SALE: Heathkit SB220 amp... KIT...complete. 800 plus shipping...
email thanks jim.

10. Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: EFS <nvrpc@s2.sonnet.com>
Message-ID: <34D55A0C.1BF5@s2.sonnet.com>
Source record: 154788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,cmh.forsale,osu.for-sale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Is there a homepage where HAMS can distribute their call signs and post their homepage for all the HAMS to review?

Please e-mail me the homepage URL

Thanks

11. Re: Squelch on IC-28H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <ep3#oo6L9GA.276@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 154789

No squelch adjustment problem on most older radios is caused by a bad squelch pot, but since yours goes out when the rig warms up you might have a cracked solder joint somewhere in the IF section. Find a connector (on one of the main boards) that squelch pot is attached to, and ohm it when the radio fails WHILE turning the pot. Make sure the unit is off!!! If you don't see any change you have a bad pot, they are still available from Icom. If not, the IF is to blame, it could even be the FET that actually mutes the audio.

Adnan, Icom service tech

Keith Brewster wrote in message <6b3239$4dr@mercury.galstar.com>...
>
>I have an ICOM 2m mobile rig, IC-28H, that's developed a problem with
>the squelch. After the rig has warmed up the muting of audio under
>squelch fails, the green T/R light acts normally. If I turn
>the rig off for a few minutes, then back on it works OK but
>only for a couple mins. Any ideas? CPU reset was no help.
>
>Thanks!
>
>-Keith
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>Keith Brewster, n0iaw
>kbrews@galstar.com

12. Mailing list?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmadison@eng.ua.EDU
Message-ID: <34D50A80.4C8A@eng.ua.edu>
Source record: 154790

Dear Sir,
I would like to be on your mailing list. My Email Is ed216@hotmail.com
My street address is 6790 Charlie Shirley Rd. Northport, AL. 35473
Thank you
Edwar L. Carden

13. 150 MHz FM receiver for POCSAG pager needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ecn@bis.bg
Message-ID: <01BD2F66.EC074130@HOME>
Source record: 154791

Hi All,

My name is Evgeni Nikolov. Currently I'm working as an AS/400 programmer for Deloitte & Touche. In my free time I use to do some programming on PIC16F84 microcontroller (http://www.microchip.com/10/Datasheet/PICmicros/PIC16F8X/PIC16F84.htm) . Now I am working on a project witch combines PIC16 and a FM receiver. Together they can receive and decode POCSAG-coded paging messages from national service provider (in Bulgaria there are several). The digital part of the device is almost ready. But I have very litt
le experience with RF devices, so I need help very much.

The module I'm looking for is RF receiver and FM demodulator for 150.175 MHz. I prefer to be able to tune to different frequencies. The step is 20 kHz and deviation is 4 kHz. I2C protocol is preferable but any other is OK. I found many pager receiver chips, but they are rather complicated (have more than 10 coils) and don't have any tuning capability.

After some research I have found two chips from Phillips (TSA6057 and TEA6100 http://www-us.semiconductors.philips.com/cgi-bin/newsearch/pip?typenr=TSA6057&search=TSA6057 and http://www-us.semiconductors.philips.com/cgi-bin/newsearch/pip?typenr=TEA6100&search=TEA6100). But as far as I can understand they need extra elements and I don't know how to connect each other. So - that is. Help!

Of course after (if) I finish this project I will publish it in my web page ((http://www.bis.bg/~ecn) for free and everybody will have it.

Thanx in advance.

Evgeni

14. FS: QRP Classic Argonaut 515

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "harp7@peak.org" <harp7@mail.peak.org>
Message-ID: <34D53BA9.46D7@mail.peak.org>
Source record: 154792

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For Sale:

Nice Ten-Tec Argonaut 515 that I have owned for 15 years. Looks and
works
excellent. $450

Thanks,
Jerry
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15. FS YAESU 767

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond Tompkins <raymond.tompkins@snet.net>
Message-ID: <34D4939A.2BF92437@snet.net>
Source record: 154793

IT HAS FT-S-8 CTSS AUTO ANT TUNER NEW HAND MIKE AND NEW DESK MIKE MDIC-8
EXT SP-767 SPEAKER MODULES 2 METER AND NEW 6 METER AND NEW 440 B
MODULES OPERATING AND SERVICE MANULAS. $ 1400.OO NICE CLEAN RADIO . GOT
A FT-1000-MP FOR XMAS. TNX FOR READING K1RAY

16. (no subjecmo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.W." <vsw1@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <34D54474.2D3E@mwci.net>
Source record: 154794

I am look for other tech who want to trade monitor schematics and

tech tips .I have many good schematics to trade CTX PB AOC IBM &

others! CW fax at815-2331994 or vsw1@mwci.net

17. YAESU Schematic needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.W." <vsw1@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <34D57311.6E19@mwci.net>
Source record: 154795

I need schematic or service manual for Yaesu FT-208R will pay
reasonable copy fee or trade for other schematics I have
. CLARENCE WILKEN N9WSN FAX 815-2331994
E mail vsw1@mwci.net

18. Re: Center frequencies (and decoders)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lar01@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <34d4ab0c.12012369@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 154796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 31 Jan 1998 12:50:33 GMT, kvenl@dds.nl (Kees) wrote:

>
>Hi all!
>
>If you (have) use(d) a decoder for util stations or other dig signals,
>what is the center freqeuncy you use?
>Just inquiry (curious)...
>
>Thanks!
>
>Kees van Engelen
>
>The Netherlands
>
>
>

When I was trying to operate hf packet, serveral years ago, I found two things helped me. (1) tune in the signal so it sounds good (that you will get used to) (2) using most of todays tnc's, which have led tuning devices, adjust the indicator untill you get an even mark and space signal, eg both are about the same intensity and at each end of the scale.
Larry ve3fxq

19. FS Yaesu HF Station - 707 Series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f3e833955a9692b9896a1@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 154829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,tor.forsale,tor.forsale.misc,ont.forsale

Yaesu HF Station for sale

FT-707 - 10-80 metre transceiver
FP-707 - Matching power supply with speaker built in
FC-707 - Matching antenna coupler/matcher - 10 to 250 ohms
VF-707DM - Matching Digital VFO

Good working order with manuals.
Asking $600 Canadian ($430 USD), reasonable offers may be considered.

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banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
remove the NOSPAM from e-mail address

20. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6b2doj$6lj$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 154830

Wb9bxy wrote:
>

> Congrats on getting ur license. I don't understand why the previous comment so
> strongly urged you not to have only an HT for starters.

This previous piece of advice was an excellent one.

An HT, while certainly filling a valid purpose, is a poor first radio,
and an exceptionally poor mobile radio in most cases.

Many people try using HT's from inside the car on a rubber ducky. You
may be heard this way, but I suspect most people listening will tire
quickly of the usually scatchy and otherwise inconsistent signal quality
into all but the closest repeater. Even with an outside antenna, an HT
does not have a power output level sufficient to guarantee reliable
communications in the mobile environment. Bad choice.

The same generally holds for fixed station use -- the issue is power
out. You may hit your favorite repeater -- but you won't hit much.

A mobile (read that as 25-40 watt class) radio eliminates these
problems. It can be moved from the car to the house to the back yard on
a battery if you wish. No, you can't easily ham from the bus, or attach
it to a head mounted ducky and walk around your local hamfest. But how
often do you really want to do that anyway?

If you can buy both, the HT is a fine, casual/emergency use,
supplemental radio. If not, the HT should not be a priority.

One opinion -- FWIW, maybe something under 2 cents :-)

Grant/NQ5T
nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

21. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tubbs <piperbill@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34d4bada.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 154831

>No, AFAIK, the ADMS software does *not* provide "a way to reset the
>squelch to proper factory settings".
>
>Once you have ruined the settings, you need test gear and the service
>manual to put back the *proper* settings. R-T Systems have provided
>some settings which should get the radio going again but they may not be
>the exact settings for your particular handie.

Gee, why would we need the RT software to reset it when it can be done on the rig itself? I've reset mine twice after fooling around with the ADMS stuff and it works great.

Bill, WK6A

22. F.S. Unidyne Dynamic Mike $100.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201181601.NAA25730@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154832

Have 2 Unidyne Dynamic Microphones,Very clean Cond. (NICE)
Model 55S SHURE
$100. Ea. +Shp.
Ken WN9N (815-478-5109) Or (kcoin@aol.com)

23. Re: Grounding Question, Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@reno.quik.com
Message-ID: <34d7b889.6302596@news.quik.com>
Source record: 154833

Get a copy of the excellent book, "Everything You Forgot to Ask About
HF MOBILEERING" by DK "Don" Johnson, W6AAQ. It'll cost u abt 9 bux and
is worth every penny. His web page is:
http://www.mother.com/~w6aaq/
de Buzz KD7BZ swap buzzer for nospam for reply

>On Thu, 29 Jan 1998 15:20:51 -1000, "Lawrence M. Koga" <crshi@aloha.net> wrote:
>
>>Hi All, well it's that time to re-ask the age old question. Everytime
>>I ask the question the answer seems to change. But, I really want to
>>understand this.
>>
>>What I have: Automobile, 12V battery seperate from auto battery, HF
>>radio, external vertical antenna(not mounted on auto)
>>
>>Scenerio 1: 12V battery ground connected to auto chassis, radio chassis
>>connected to auto chassis, antenna has radials NOT connected to auto
>>chassis.
>>
>>Scenerio 2: 12V battery ground connected to auto chassis, radio chassis
>>NOT connect to auto chassis, (-)lead connected directly to 12V battery.
>>Antenna radials connected to auto chassis.
>>
>>Scenerio 3: 12V battery NOT connected to auto chassis, radio chassis
>>connected to auto chassis, (-)lead connected directly to 12V battery.
>>Antenna radials not connected to auto chassis.
>>
>>There are other combinations or battery, ground, auto chassis, radio
>>chassis, antenna ground too numerous to mention.
>>
>>Is there a correct configuration? I just want to know if these different
>>configurations make a difference. If I run high power do I run the risk
>>of RF shock when I touch the car? The car engine will not be running,
>>but if the engine was running will connecting everything to chassis
>>ground create problems? Noise? I know the diffence between power
>>ground and RF ground? Should the two never ever meet?
>>
>>Thanks,(I am wearing my flamesuit, if this has been asked too often)
>>
>>Lawrence NH6NJ

24. Re: DXLOG-PAYL software???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron <nospam@wanted.com>
Message-ID: <6b2eoj$m09$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 154834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Here is DXLog's WebPage:

http://www.whisperingwoods.org/radio.html

Try it, I have gotten through via the e-mail address which is there.

Ron

Reply to group - my address is twisted

25. F.S. Yaesu VFO FV-101B $115.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201183301.NAA28254@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154835

Yaesu VFO Model FV-101B Excell Cond.
Plastic on Front No Marks (Collector Quality) Manual/Cable
$115. + Shp.
(Ken.) WN9N (815-478-5109) or(kcoin@aol.com)

26. Re: Apology to Gary Fiber

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Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6b2fch$mb3$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 154836

steve wrote:
>

> I hope Gary accepts my apology and continues helping out the people on
> the Newgroups.
> Sincerely, NS1R Steve Hershman

Sounds like probable (and valid) threats of legal action have worked wonders.

The apology post should be required to be refreshed once a day for the next 360 days, and once a week thereafter for life. Nothing like a good dose of ever-so-humble pie :-)

27. Wanted: Info/mods on the Cherokee AH-50 6 meter HT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6b2fj5$9eo$1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 154837

I wanted to know if there are any mods/info on the Cherokee AH-50
that may open up RX a little bit. If there is please post them here or E-Mail
them to me at the bellow address. Thanks ahead of time.

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73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John Alley

28. FS Kenwood TS820 HF Tranciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael J. Sears" <MJSears@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b2grk$ik3@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154838

For Sale: Kenwood TS-820 HF Tranciever

160, 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 meters.
Solid state except for tube final power amp.
CW, SSB, and FSK.
Featuring Vox and Speech Processor.
includes the optional Digital Frequency Display and CW filter.
Kenwood MC-50 Microphone.
Complete Operator and Service Manuals.
Very good condition.
This model is the big brother of the popular TS-520.

$400 plus S&H.

Send inquiries to mjsears@worldnet.att.net.

I live in the St. Louis, MO area.

29. Re: Yaesu FT-2400 Display garbled

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f3e911b951ac6ea9896a4@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 154839

In article <6b2dkgpai1@garnet.mint.net>, cmcmahan@mint.net says...
> Anybody else had a problem with the display?
>
> All of sudden without warning, it has gone to garbled non-sense.
>
> As far as I can tell the radio is still working correctly, with a little
> guess work and recollection of button sequences and so forth I can get on to
> the preprogrammed frequencies, but the display is totally scrambled, no it
> is not just some of the LCD elements not working, it is just scrambled up?
>
> Anybody seen this before, cheap or expensive fix???
> Thanks
> Chuck
> KB1CDA
>

Hi Chuck,
This has happened to me a couple of times during the past few years. You
will have to "reset" the radio (Page 35 of the manual). Try the soft
reset first (to factory defaults). I forget exactly what I had to do.
Whatever, you will have to program all your memory channels again.
Bob (VA3RH)
--
banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
remove the NOSPAM from e-mail address

30. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6b2hbr$gb7$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 154840

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: One opinion -- FWIW, maybe something under 2 cents :-)

: Grant/NQ5T
: nq5t@gte.net
: http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

There is another option in some cases-a amplifier will allow satisfactory
base or mobile use in many cases.

31. Re: Anyone Have Specs for the Yaesu FT-757 GX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rkbauer@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <#buRmi0L9GA.326@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 154841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:

>A friend is thinking of buying a used FT-757 GX. He's looking for feedback
>as to their value, quality, features, etc.
>I am not familiar with the Yaesu rigs, so I couldn't help him.
>He likes the Kenwood TS-440S, TS-440SAT, and Icom IC-735 (but is having
>trouble finding one in his price range).
>Is the Yaesu FT-757 GX in the same class as these rigs?
>--

Hi David,

I bought my 757GX many years ago and went through the same analysis
your buddy seems to be doing. In very many respoects the 757GX is in
the same 'class' as the TS-440 and IC-735. In fact those were the
three radios that made my final list. I chose the 757 primarily
because I do a lot (at least I did then) of rtty/amtor etc and the 757
has a 100% duty cycle defined as full power, key down for 30 minutes.
At least that's how I remember it. About the only thing I don't like
is the tuning increments. It can take forever to tune large segments
of the band but that is really more of a convenience than anything
else. I didn't lilke the front panel of the 735...the plastic cover
is too easily scratched (seeing IC-735 units at hamfests bears me out
on this). As I recall the 440 was somewhat more expensive than the
757 at the time although, as I said, the primary reason was the duty
cycle of the 757. I still have the owners manual. Is there something
I can look up for you/him?

Richard K. Bauer
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rkbauer@compuserve.com

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rkbauer@compuserve.com

32. Re: Smut in news group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: K2RXY <K2RXY@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b2l8h$956@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154842

Now, if someone will just explain to me what Big Ralph's post has to do with...

a.) rec.radio.amateur.equipment
b.) Mr. Henry's original, ill-conceived post
c.) ANYTHING!

...I can die a happy man. (Maybe we should rename this newsgroup rec.whatever.ax-to-grind)

Big Ralph <bigr@slipnet.net> wrote in article <34D4206A.5D5C@slipnet.net>...
> dave henry wrote:
> >
> > What in the world is wrong with you people? The last few weeks have
> > produced sex and smut referrals in your transmittals (i.e. fri,30 jan
> > 98 volume 98 issue 113).
> > THis CRAP comes into peoples homes and may be picked up by CHILDREN!
> > I am no prude BUT, this is entirely inappropriate for anyone to do and
> > is also illegal.
>
> <snip>
>
> Dave, you may not be a trolling atheist/agnostic, but you sure sound
> like one. If you are earnest, be assured you aren't helping anything.
>
> My seven cents worth.
>
> Ralph
>
>

33. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6b2mqf$fgr@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154843

In <34D4B051.7C99@ix.netcom.com> steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:

>
>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
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>> In <qdjv3eAv8C10Ewlk@g4udt.demon.co.uk> Yves Remedios
>> <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk> writes:
>> >
>>
>> >
>> >Sounds like this Gary Fiber is just a plain idiot!
>> >--
>> >Yves Remedios
>> >When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word
>> demon.
>>
>> No Yves, Steve Hershman is the idiot. Gary Fibre is employed but
Icom
>> America as, I believe, head of the service department. If he quotes
a
>> price it certainly represents MSRP as set by his employer.
>>
>> Double 0 Hershman is an egocentric little schmuck who reads the
>> Japaneese home pages for the various manufacturers then reveals his
>> findings as the results of "interogations of various individuals."
>>
>> The results of Hershman's harassment of Gary may well be that we
loose
>> a valuable source of technical information on Icom products. If you
>> would like a little more insight into Mr. Hershman's character,
check
>> his postings in Dejanews, look particularly at the ones from the
>> alt.sex.prostitution newsgroup.
>>
>> 73 Jerry
>I hope Jerry goes back and crawls back under the rock from which he
just
>emerged.
> 73's Steve

Sorry, but your unwarrented personal attack on Gary Fiber, who is
really a good guy, was totally repugnant and drove me to post. I
thought the newsgroup deserved an intimate look into your character
after your little performance. Those that care(I assume a very small
number) can have a little giggle at your expense.

Where is the IC-708?

34. Re: DXLOG-PAYL software???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nx7u@primenet.com
Message-ID: <34d4e3c7.2015747@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 154844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Thanks man!

On Sun, 1 Feb 1998 12:15:22 -0600, "Ron" <nospam@wanted.com> wrote:

>Here is DXLog's WebPage:
>
>http://www.whisperingwoods.org/radio.html
>
>Try it, I have gotten through via the e-mail address which is there.
>
>Ron
>
>Reply to group - my address is twisted
>
>
>

35. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb9bxy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201210800.QAA03314@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154845

Grant makes excellent points. I was not thinking of all the conditions that could occur given your possible environment. And certainly, a good antenna and power help overcome distance issues.

For my situation, I live in the midwest, relatively flat terrain, great repeater in town and in adjacent cities. I have a J-pole antenna on the roof, a mobile antenna on the car. With my FT-50, I work simplex anywhere in town and with the outside antenna, can work repeaters 30 miles away on the 5 watts. Mobile has never been an issue within 25 miles of a good repeater. Sig reports have been FB in these cases.

So, my situation is a more ideal case where a good antenna and low power get the job done.

Ditto on Grant's comments on the Rubber duck antenna, it is only good for short distance work, totally agree.

Bottom line, in my situation, and maybe yours, the HT is a good trade-off. If you have other conditions, then Grant is right on.

Good luck.

36. FT-51 dial button

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rok Zevnik <zevnik@medvet-pu.s-gim.kr.edus.si>
Message-ID: <34D4E73E.E1526191@medvet-pu.s-gim.kr.edus.si>
Source record: 154846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

On Tuesday I sent a message regarding lost dial button on my FT-51R.
I also got one reply, but it seems that it isn't on my server anymore.

Can someone please send me the part number for rubber dial button again?

I apologize for the inconvinience.

Thanks,
Rok Zevnik

37. Re: FS: Eimac 3-500Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Watson <jwatson@mail.cde.com>
Message-ID: <34D4A2BF.E257766E@mail.cde.com>
Source record: 154847

Thanks to everyone who replied to my tube for sale message, I have sold the tube!!

John Watson KC4TBH

John Watson wrote:

> I have a new in the box, as in never used, Eimac 3-500Z tube. I paid
> over $150.00, but will take $100.00. or trade for what have you, if i'm
> interested.
>
> John Watson KC4TBH

38. WTB: ICOM FL-223 Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: GBENKO@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <01bd2f59$22591460$2022edcc@default>
Source record: 154848

Wanted: I am looking for an ICOM FL-223 narrow SSB filter for the IC-706.
Please email condition and asking price to:

GBENKO@Prodigy.net

73, George
K8BRW

39. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim McGhee <jmcghee@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <34D4EBF3.5876@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 154849

Hi all,
First, the ADMS software is only one of the ways to loose the squelch settings. Not holding the orange button long enough when you turn it on will do it too. I get so tired of seeing uninformed people putting down RT systems. Its NOT their bug. It IS yaesu's bug.
Second, I used the squelch reset procedure and it worked fine for my VX-1R.

Jim

Yves Remedios wrote:
>
> In article <6an1th$l2p$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>, Ingra-Beton <Ingra-
> Beton@t-online.de> writes
> >KILO5JOE wrote:
> >>
> >> The Squelch problem that the ADMS-1d software causes
> >> can be fixed by going to the RT Systems home page and
> >> scrolling down to the Squelch Fix article. It is a manuel
> >> 25 function fix that you do to the radio that will set it back
> >> to the factory specs. I just had to do it last week....My radio
> >> would not squelch on 800 meg...
> >> K5JOE
> >>
> >The SQ settings (you may have noticed = similar as the FT50)
> >are unique for every VX1R (as for the FT50).
> >
> >SO, THE FIRST THING TO DO, when you get a new VX1R is to
> >write them down (the best is on the last page from the manual)
> >
> >
> >They are adjusted at the YAESU Factory, and I thing no
> >dealer have the equipment and knoledge to readjust them.
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> >
> >If things go wrong, you should correct them from the
> >previous settings (that you have written down).
> >
> >
> >The "SQ Reset Procedure" from RT Systems and YAESU is
> >nothing else then some aproximate values for the settings.
> >
> >BUT they are NOT OPTIMAL for YOUR VX1R.
>
> At last someone with some common sense has arrived - well done Ingra!

> --
> Yves Remedios
> When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

40. Re: Yaesu FT-8100 or FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34d4ee22.24671118@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154850

On Sat, 31 Jan 1998 20:33:36 GMT, phennessey@ncweb.com (Patrick M. Hennessey) wrote:
>I will soon take the technician exam and I am thinking about buying
>either the Yaesu FT-8100 or the FT-8500. Is there any place on the
>net that I can read reviews on these radios? I have seen some
>comments in the usenet group about the 8100, but none of them good. I
>have not seen anything about the 8500. Any help would be greatly
>appreciated, but please remember "this radio sucks" will be of little
>help.

I own a FT-8500. The radio doesn't suck, but its user interface does. If you limit yourself to just flipping among memory channels, it is acceptable. But if you do more than that, you'll keep the owner's manual *very* close at hand, and you won't be doing anything fancy while driving because this radio needs your undivided attention when doing anything remotely out of the ordinary.

I bought it to solve a particular mounting problem, and it does that, but I won't buy another. There has got to be a radio with a better user interface than this. (And indeed almost anything else is better, but making them fit a certain way is problematic.)

So, bottom line, the radio is Ok as far as receiving and transmitting are concerned, and if you don't frequently need to flip reverse or anything else other than step through memory channels, you can live with the user interface. But if you do, consider something (anything) else.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

41. Re: Apology to Gary Fiber

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D4EAE9.23B8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154851

Grant Youngman wrote:
>
> steve wrote:
> >
>
> > I hope Gary accepts my apology and continues helping out the people on
> > the Newgroups.
> > Sincerely, NS1R Steve Hershman
>
> Sounds like probable (and valid) threats of legal action have worked
> wonders.
>
> The apology post should be required to be refreshed once a day for the
> next 360 days, and once a week thereafter for life. Nothing like a good
> dose of ever-so-humble pie :-)

I didn't have any Legal or physical threats etc. I still stand by my
original post but it was worded in an attack type form which was not
fair to Gary who is the only Manufacture Rep to get on the Newsgroup on
a Daily manner and answer questions.

73's Steve NS1R
P.S. I will be out of town for this week but will answer all Email on
Friday/ Saturday.

42. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D4EC84.15CE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154852

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
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> In <34D4B051.7C99@ix.netcom.com> steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:
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> >
> >Gerald Schmitt wrote:
> >>
> >> In <qdjv3eAv8C10Ewlk@g4udt.demon.co.uk> Yves Remedios
> >> <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk> writes:
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> >> >
> >> >Sounds like this Gary Fiber is just a plain idiot!
> >> >--
> >> >Yves Remedios
> >> >When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word
> >> demon.
> >>
> >> No Yves, Steve Hershman is the idiot. Gary Fibre is employed but
> Icom
> >> America as, I believe, head of the service department. If he quotes
> a
> >> price it certainly represents MSRP as set by his employer.
> >>
> >> Double 0 Hershman is an egocentric little schmuck who reads the
> >> Japaneese home pages for the various manufacturers then reveals his
> >> findings as the results of "interogations of various individuals."
> >>
> >> The results of Hershman's harassment of Gary may well be that we
> loose
> >> a valuable source of technical information on Icom products. If you
> >> would like a little more insight into Mr. Hershman's character,
> check
> >> his postings in Dejanews, look particularly at the ones from the
> >> alt.sex.prostitution newsgroup.
> >>
> >> 73 Jerry
> >I hope Jerry goes back and crawls back under the rock from which he
> just
> >emerged.
> > 73's Steve
>
> Sorry, but your unwarrented personal attack on Gary Fiber, who is
> really a good guy, was totally repugnant and drove me to post. I

> thought the newsgroup deserved an intimate look into your character
> after your little performance. Those that care(I assume a very small
> number) can have a little giggle at your expense.
>
> Where is the IC-708?

Since you asked..... the only improvement to the IC-706 MK II is to add 440 MHZ to it like the Yaesu FT-847. This is just my opinion and I have no information from ICOM about the next model. When I do, I will post the info for everyone to see. I found "WATERS and STANTON" in England to be a great source of info on his Web Page. I then make calls to my contacts in Japan to verify.

Steve NS1R

43. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34D4F037.36B7@onramp.net>
Source record: 154853

marc_k wrote:
>
> Grant Youngman (nq5t@gte.net) wrote:
> : Wb9bxy wrote:
> : >
>
> : > Congrats on getting ur license. I don't understand why the previous comment so
> : > strongly urged you not to have only an HT for starters.
>
> : This previous piece of advice was an excellent one.
>
> : An HT, while certainly filling a valid purpose, is a poor first radio,
> : and an exceptionally poor mobile radio in most cases.
>
> : Many people try using HT's from inside the car on a rubber ducky. You
> : may be heard this way, but I suspect most people listening will tire
> : quickly of the usually scatchy and otherwise inconsistent signal quality
> : into all but the closest repeater. Even with an outside antenna, an HT
> : does not have a power output level sufficient to guarantee reliable
> : communications in the mobile environment. Bad choice.
>
> : The same generally holds for fixed station use -- the issue is power
> : out. You may hit your favorite repeater -- but you won't hit much.
>
> : A mobile (read that as 25-40 watt class) radio eliminates these
> : problems. It can be moved from the car to the house to the back yard on
> : a battery if you wish. No, you can't easily ham from the bus, or attach
> : it to a head mounted ducky and walk around your local hamfest. But how
> : often do you really want to do that anyway?
>
> : If you can buy both, the HT is a fine, casual/emergency use,
> : supplemental radio. If not, the HT should not be a priority.
>
> : One opinion -- FWIW, maybe something under 2 cents :-)
>
> : Grant/NQ5T
> : nq5t@gte.net
> : http://home1.gte.net/nq5t
>
> There is another option in some cases-a amplifier will allow satisfactory
> base or mobile use in many cases.

And now the other shoe drops. An amplifier will allow the talkie to
perform like a mobile. While in the house you need a power supply for it

(which could power a mobile). And you get to move the amp and radio back and forth. Next, cost, a 50w mobile sells for less than $300(2M) a talkie less than $200 but add $100 for the amp and $75 for the power supply. Plus you need a dc cord for the car, $25, and a speaker mike so the talkie isn't flailed all over the place another $35-45. we are ignoring the antennas at both locations that both radios need.

Lets see, Less than $300 plus a power supply for the house, total $375.

vs $200 + $100 + $75 + $25 + $35 total $435 and that is with only 1 battery(original) and a wall wart(slow charger). everybody has to have a spare battery $75 plus a fast charger $75.

Is it starting to soak in that a talkie is a poor and EXPENSIVE first radio.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

44. Re: Mosley Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sid Ashen-Brenner <sashen@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <34D4F218.A05@midusa.net>
Source record: 154854

Nhn1zlp wrote:
>
> Any one know where Mosley Electronics is now operation from. The last known
> address that I have is Bridgeton, Missouri. I have a TA33 jr. that needs some
> insulators, any help would be appreciated . Thanks

As far as I know, they are still operating in the St.Louis area ... just
not at the old Lindberg Blvd address. I know that I've seen a newer one
around somewhere, but can't lay my hands on the address at the moment.
You might try one of the search engines??
73 de Sid n0obm

--
Sid Ashen-Brenner Salina, Kansas
Internet : sashen@midusa.net
AX-25 : n0obm @ n0obm.#ncks.ks.usa.noam

45. FS: cable for ts830/vfo230/240

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <6b2rejrhi1@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 154855

Factory cable for the above. $15 shipped.

cheers, Paul
ve7cqk
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

46. ALPHA/DAS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harv Shore <af006@lafn.org>
Message-ID: <01bd2f5c$211409e0$120fa8c0@af006.lafn.org>
Source record: 154856

78A owners. This DAS has never been used. My requirements have changed
and this beauty must be sold.
Best offer over $325 gets it -- check out the new price!
af006@lafn.org

47. Yaesu FT-900CAT Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <karate8@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <6b2tercc1@nntp0.milwaukee.wi.ameritech.net>
Source record: 154857

Hello,

I'am considering purchasing a Yaesu FT-900CAT.
Any comments from owners good or bad.

Thanks,
Robert WD9IDV

Please email :
karate8@ameritech.net

48. Re: Mosley Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201223800.RAA06019@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154858

>>
>> Any one know where Mosley Electronics is now operation from.

Their address is: 10812 Ambassador Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63132
(800) 325-4016
(314) 994-7872 (technical)

49. Re: Yaesu FT-8100 or FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <postmaster@fbi.gov>
Message-ID: <6b2tlp$3qp$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 154859

Gary Coffman wrote in message <34d4ee22.24671118@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...

>I own a FT-8500. The radio doesn't suck, but its user interface does.
>If you limit yourself to just flipping among memory channels, it is
>acceptable. But if you do more than that, you'll keep the owner's
>manual *very* close at hand, and you won't be doing anything
>fancy while driving because this radio needs your undivided
>attention when doing anything remotely out of the ordinary.
>

I have owned an FT-8500 for some time. Overall, it is as good or better than most dual band mobile rigs. It has many useful features, but if you don't have the FC-10 "potato head" controller, it can be a hassle to use most of them, as Gary has pointed out. With the right controller, it is a piece of cake to perform most any function without ever having to look at the radio. The FC-10 puts every function right in your hand, and after a short while you don't even need to look at the mike, you just do it by "feel".

However, managing the memory banks is best done by the optional computer control software. You can do it from the FC-10, but it's much faster and you have better overall control of the programming via software.

73,

Dan K Nelson
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50. FS. watt meter/rtty decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34D4F840.38AA@hotmail.com>
Source record: 154860

The following items are for sale.

Daiwa NS-660 watt meter and SWR Bridge. Late model unit has ranges, 3-30, 30-300, and 300-3000 watts in the HF range unit accurate to 40 MHZ. This meter is new never used and still has original box and warantee card. Unit has remote reading capabilities and has dual meters readout so you can read swr and power at the same glance. Unit has grey cabinet with white meter face. a great buy at $110.00 and I will pay shipping to lower 48 states.

HAL RTTY decoder for sale, this is a older unit that is used but in good shape. model number is ST-6... asking $75.00 plus shipping or will trade for hand held two meter rig....present me with offer and describtion of what you have.

Also have CW key, surplus J-44 straight key....price is $45.00 I will ship at my cost to lower 48.

Thanks,
Lee / AB7ON

Lee / AB7ON

51. FS- 4-1000 Power tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34D4FA18.62C1@hotmail.com>
Source record: 154861

RCA 4-1000 tube with very few hours on it.
$80.00 plus shipping. No chimney's or other parts available at this time.

Lee / AB7ON

52. Re: Anyone Have Specs for the Yaesu FT-757 GX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James A. Cummings" <kt4mm@mail.atl.bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34D3085A.7806@mail.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154862
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Richard K. Bauer wrote:
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> "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
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> on this). As I recall the 440 was somewhat more expensive than the
> 757 at the time although, as I said, the primary reason was the duty
> cycle of the 757. I still have the owners manual. Is there something
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the FT900. The FT757 GX is a good rig for moblie or home use. The
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73s
KT4MM

53. IC-275H ALL MODE FOR SALE $1.000 BEST N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6b2uts$5c8$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154863

FOR SALE IC-275H ALL MODE GOOD CONDITION $1.000 or best offer call gabe at
1-401-434-2606 or e-mail at n1hhf@110.net

54. Suggested Filters for CW and SSB??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Message-ID: <6b2vfe$r92$1@news1.norlight.net>
Source record: 154864

I plan on installing 2 filters in myIcom 706Mk-II and was looking for suggestions on which filters to buy. I planned on using one for CW and the other for SSB. Also, does anyone know what bandwidth the radio receives in normally in both CW and USB/LSB modes. Thanks for your help.
Please reply via email.
73's de Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
--
"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.
Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, any
and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is construed
as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.

55. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6b2jc9$q37$1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 154865

Bill Tubbs wrote:
>
> >No, AFAIK, the ADMS software does *not* provide "a way to reset the
> >squelch to proper factory settings".
> >
> >Once you have ruined the settings, you need test gear and the service
> >manual to put back the *proper* settings. R-T Systems have provided
> >some settings which should get the radio going again but they may not be
> >the exact settings for your particular handie.
>
> Gee, why would we need the RT software to reset it when it can be done on
> the rig itself?

It is not possible to reset it with the RT software, he just ment that
RT Systems have provided some settings ... of course it must be done
manually.

> I've reset mine twice after fooling around with the ADMS
> stuff and it works great.
>
> Bill, WK6A

Yes yes , it "works great", but it is under "reasonable douth"
that it will meet the advertised specifications now.

Just take a look at the RT Systems web and read this very carefull:

... snip ...
> This malfunction is easily corrected by reseting the Squelch settings
> of the radio to factory settings. These factory settings should work
> for most radios. If the squelch of the VX-1 is functioning as it should,
> DO NOT perform the reset.
... snip ...

Yes, yes , for most radios, hmmmm, but still a good advice "DO NOT ..."

If you ask around people to tell you their settings, you will notice
that NOT ONE have thouse FACTORY settings, it is a very small chance
that thouse settings are Optimized for your VX1R.

Sorry disapointing you, If you have not written your ORIGINAL
settings down before the messup, well, bad luck.

There is no way to correct that , I guess that if you send your
VX1R back to you dealer, he will only make the SQ Reset
Procedure :(, and maybe change some settings a little bit
so it looks like .... :)

Greetings, ...

56. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6b2rgs$ua1$1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 154866

Jim McGhee wrote:
>
> Hi all,
> First, the ADMS software is only one of the ways to loose the squelch
> settings. Not holding the orange button long enough when you turn it on
> will do it too. I get so tired of seeing uninformed people putting down
> RT systems. Its NOT their bug. It IS yaesu's bug.

Right 100%, it is a bug in the VX1R firmware. I never menshioned
RT Systems in this matter. No one is putting them down or theyre
Software, after all they are doing a great job and with the release
of theyre SQ reset settings they only try to help.

I thing the only mistake is that YAESU have not menshioned
these settings in the manual. They should have warned us,
that it is possible that under certain cercumstances the
VX1 can lose these settings, so everybody could write them
down on time.

> Second, I used the squelch reset procedure and it worked fine for my
> VX-1R.
>
> Jim

You can also change some capacitor +- 50% or some resistor,
it will "work fine" again.

"worked fine" is a very wide term, as I said: if you have not
written down YOUR original settings, bad luck.

But if you thing your VX1R is "working fine" now and you are
happy, then enjoy.

Greetings, ...

57. Re: IC-275H ALL MODE FOR SALE $1.000 BEST N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6b306r$t68$1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 154867

I think it's $1,000.00. :)

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58. Re: Anyone Have Specs for the Yaesu FT-757 GX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Miller <bmiller@calweb.com>
Message-ID: <34D5086C.10E4CA34@calweb.com>
Source record: 154868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

hi
Have had the 757GXII for 6 years (50th birthday present) Solid radio,
survived many Field Days and only criticism is the Gas Plasma display is nearly
worthless when used outside in bright sunlight.
Bob, KE6F

James A. Cummings wrote:

> Richard K. Bauer wrote:
> >
> > "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
> >
> > >A friend is thinking of buying a used FT-757 GX. He's looking for feedback
> > >as to their value, quality, features, etc.
> > >I am not familiar with the Yaesu rigs, so I couldn't help him.
> > >He likes the Kenwood TS-440S, TS-440SAT, and Icom IC-735 (but is having
> > >trouble finding one in his price range).
> > >Is the Yaesu FT-757 GX in the same class as these rigs?
> > >--
> >
> > Hi David,
> >
> > I bought my 757GX many years ago and went through the same analysis
> > your buddy seems to be doing. In very many respoects the 757GX is in
> > the same 'class' as the TS-440 and IC-735. In fact those were the
> > three radios that made my final list. I chose the 757 primarily
> > because I do a lot (at least I did then) of rtty/amtor etc and the 757
> > has a 100% duty cycle defined as full power, key down for 30 minutes.
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> like the TS450SAT. A co-worker of mine has the FT757GXII installed on
> his sail boat and can work the world. Good luck in your friends quest.
> 73s
> KT4MM

59. Re: Yeasu FT8100 and computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim (N8XYN)" <jim.n8xyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b31p2$7gd@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154869

You must be really holding back a big load of ^%$$ to be as uptight as you are! By the way piss off!

>>> Can anyone tell me if the 8100 can interface with a PC, and if so where
>>can
>>> I find the software? I have a friend with that radio and If I can find
>>the
>>> software for him I might be able to talk him into building an interface
>>for
>>> my IC820 at the same time ;)
>>>
>>> TNX
>>>
>>>
>>>
>>>
>
>

60. Squelch on IC-28H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kbrews@galstar.com
Message-ID: <6b3239$4dr@mercury.galstar.com>
Source record: 154870

I have an ICOM 2m mobile rig, IC-28H, that's developed a problem with
the squelch. After the rig has warmed up the muting of audio under
squelch fails, the green T/R light acts normally. If I turn
the rig off for a few minutes, then back on it works OK but
only for a couple mins. Any ideas? CPU reset was no help.

Thanks!

-Keith

Keith Brewster, n0iaw
kbrews@galstar.com

61. WTB= COM-5 SERIAL BUS MOUSE CARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <6b331s$ksv@andromeda.peganet.net>
Source record: 154871

NEED TO FREE UP MY ONE AND ONLY SERIAL PORT= WOULD LIKE TO FIND A COM-5 BUS CARD MADE BY MOUSE SYSTEMS = OR.... WILL CONSIDER ANY OTHER BUS CARD IF ACCOMPANIED WITH A MATCHING MOUSE.

PAUL ki4xz@peganet.com ki4xz@kf4hfr 941-637-0179

62. Re: Anyone Have Specs for the Yaesu FT-757 GX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <6b368f$lac@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 154872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In <34D3085A.7806@mail.atl.bellsouth.net> "James A. Cummings"
<kt4mm@mail.atl.bellsouth.net> writes:

>Price range is most likely in the 500 to 600 dollars. Yes the 757 is
>similar to the TS440. The 757 does not have a built-in antenna tuner

I have never owned a 757, but have owned the 890 (nice little radio).
I also have owned two TS 440S/AT's. I find the 440 in a different
"class" in the sense that you can put substantially more filtering
in line for heavy QRM work. I believe the 735 allows the same. For
example, the 440 comes stock with simple ceramic filter for the 455 kHz
IF. The 890 comes with the same quality ceramic filter for its 8.9 MHz
IF. Here is where the 440 allows more: you can cascade filters in the
8.8 MHz IF with that stock filter in the 455 kHz IF. You can get two
filters in line at the same time, more stop band attenuation and better
skirts. The 890 only allows one single filter in the main IF line
and while you can go buy an optional crystal or mechanical version (which
is pretty good), you cannot cascade additional filtering for the better
skirts and stuff.

The other difference is that the TS 440S/AT is very, very convenient
with the AT on board. It works very well.

Overall, if you are going to use the rig for simple SSB communication
and don't expect to deal with major QRM, the differences are small.
Best of luck, you won't go wrong with any of these radios.

Clark
WA3JPG

63. FS: Mirage B108 2-Meter Linear Amp (Seattle area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Jennings" <markjenn@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <6b35vh$s1p$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 154873

I bought this unit new in 1979 and used it extensively for a year, then packed it away. Here are the specs:

80 watts output (on 5-15 watts input)
144-148 MHz
FM, SSB, and CW
10 dB receive preamp
Requires 13.6 VDC at 10-12 amps (great for a mobile)
5-3/8 inch x 3 inch x 8 inch
3-lb weight

It is in "as new" condition, but electically and cosmetically. I have the original "owners manual" (four pages of typewritten paper and a schematic).

Best offer. I'm in the Seattle area. Please email if interested.

- Mark (markjenn@halcyon.com)

64. FS: TS520S, Heath SB200 Amp (Seattle area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Jennings" <markjenn@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <6b35ihsvr1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 154874

After not being active on the HF bands for over ten years, it is probably time to sell my HF rig:

Kenwood TS520S HF Transceiver (tube final)
Original factory shipping carton, owner's manual, and parts/service manual
Kenwood MC-50 Microphone
Factory Speaker (forget number)
Heathkit SB200 1KW HF Amplifier
Owners/Assembly Manual

Both units are in excellent condition, work perfectly, and look great cosmetically (no scratches or dings).

Best offer. Please email directly to me. I'm in the Seattle area. Thx,

- Mark (markjenn@halcyon.com)

65. Diode Therapy for Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <34D4A015.5A0C@icss.net>
Source record: 154875

About a year ago there were were a number of posts about replacing
diodes in amateur receivers for improved reception. Could someone point
me in the right direction on the subject?
Thanks, Brian/N0iMD

66. Re: ICOM T2A MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <34D49CFD.9CC@icss.net>
Source record: 154876

Ron Gallimore wrote:
>
> I am looking for a mod that will extend the TX range of the T2A.
>
> Thanks
> Ron Gallimore
> ICQ#: 2522310
> remove no.spam. from address to reply

Ron, I highly suggest an external antenna, either at home or mobile. It has made a world of difference with my handi-talkie. 73, Brian/N0iMD

67. FS-Radiola 24

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34D525DF.391A@hotmail.com>
Source record: 154877

For sale Radiola 24 AM radio receiver vintage 1915 .... radio front panel is in very good condition but suitcase leather covering is in real bad condition and infact missing in some places. Internally radio is complete and in good condition. With suitcase front cover removed radio looks great for display in the livig room or den .... Asking $125.00 plus shipping.

Lee / AB7ON

68. EMPLOYMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34D5297A.6229@hotmail.com>
Source record: 154878

I you know of any company looking for a engineering technician with 25 years experience please let me know. I specialize in RF and instrumentation and have all FCC licenses, both amateur and commercial. Will relocate to any west coast location and live in the Seattle area at this time. e-mail me at revcon78@hotmail.com I can email resume plain text to aonyone or company who may be interested.

Regards,
Lee / AB7ON

69. Wanted: Precision 10-12 & 10-15 Manuals (Tube charts, Repair & Calibration)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6b0f25$690$3@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 154881

I have a Precision 10-12 (in good working order) and a 10-15 needing repair/calibration.

I am seeking to swap for supplementary tube spec manuals (like the Hickoks have) for old tubes, foreign tubes and new tubes. Would also like to find a service manual that provides calibration and repair info.

I have copies of manuals of various sorts to swap that may prove useful to anyone who has TV-7's, some Hickoks, etc. Also have a copy of a 1937 RCA tube manual, etc.

If anyone is out there who has the above, let's talk.

Thankyou,

70. Mosley Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nhn1zlp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201012201.UAA18909@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154882

Any one know where Mosley Electronics is now operation from. The last known address that I have is Bridgeton, Missouri. I have a TA33 jr. that needs some insulators, any help would be appreciated . Thanks

71. FS/FT: Misc Items, working address this time

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <6b0js2$ai6$1@guysmiley.blarg.net>
Source record: 154883
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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Remove the second, anti-spamming N from the end of
tdragon in my address to respond,
tdragonn@blarg.net

I have the following items for sale or for trade.
I'm interested in HT equipment, mics, batteries, etc. I'm
also interested in radio scanners. Anyone got a Pro-42? I'd
perfer to sell this stuff for cash. Make me an offer on
what I have.
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• 99 call Caller ID box. Shows time, date, caller's name, and caller's number all simultaneously. And, when not in use, shows current time and date. Comes in origional box and with batteries.
• Two 14.4 external fax modems. Both are in working condition and come with the needed powersupply. One is a USRobotics Courier with manual, and the other is a Motorola Fastalk without the manual.
• Red security telephones. These are the wall hanging phones used in airports and larger hotels. they have no means of dialing out, but are otherwise fully functional. they'd be great for use in the garage so you don't have to run through the house to answer a call, or in the kids room. I have two of them.
• Fone Flasher 2. This is RS's origional. Has a strobe light that flashes when the phone rings, and a built in ringer. You can have one of the two, or both simultaneously when the phone rings. Great out in the shack for when you don't want to be disturbed by additional sounds.
• Composite computer monitor. This is a left over from the days of the apple IIc computer. It's monochrome green and has no internal speaker. It would be great for an on-site display for video work, amateur video applications, and for video editing.
• 12v 2Ah Sealed Lead Battery. GE Part number 1CVA156.
• Helium neon laser tube and power supply. 1 milliwatt output. mostly a fun little toy, great for parties.
• Compaq 286/LTE laptop. Backlight display, 1.44meg floppy drive, internal 2400 modem, modified to run off of ni-cad C batteries instead of proprietary battery pack, and fully MS-DOS 6.22 compatible. Batteries not included.
• 82mb 3.5" IDE Hard Drives. Tested and none have bad spots. I have two Maxtor, and one Western Digital.

• 125mb 3.5" IDE Maxtor Hard Drive. Tested and has no bad spots. These hard drives would be great for adding space to an existing system, or keeping the kids' homework and games on a separate drive.
• As a side-note, yes, everything works.

72. Teletype Model 28 Manuals - on eBay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bsutter@dreamscape.com
Message-ID: <6b0o2b$t04$2@news.dreamscape.com>
Source record: 154884

>http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5319255

73. RADAR DETECTOR - $30 SHIPPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Natony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6b0o2q$7lp@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 154885

Hello. I have a Cobra Trapshooter 3 Radar Detector for sale. The price is $30 shipped. It's in excellent condition and has only been used slightly. E-mail if interested. Will consider trades for radio gear. Here's all of it's features:

-Signal Strength Lights
-Mute Button
-Dim(mer) Button
-City Feature
-Volume Control
-Built In Speaker
-Detects K, Ka, and X Band Radar
-Alerts You With Lights And Sirens
-Windshield Mounting Bracket
-Cigarette Lighter Power Cord
-Photocopy Of Owners Manual
-Hams: Can be used to test 10 GHz equipment

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net

74. Lot of 3, 4X150A Tubes - on eBay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bsutter@dreamscape.com
Message-ID: <6b0ov8$44$2@news.dreamscape.com>
Source record: 154886

>http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5255826

75. Re: FREE IC-706 MK II DSP !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2gt@qsl.net
Message-ID: <34d3efb6.3732640@news2.2xtreme.net>
Source record: 154887

steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I have tried to get a price on the Yaesu FT-847 for the USA but all
>the people at Yaesu are on to me from all my postings on the Newsgroup.
The price for the FT 847 is listed on the ROSS Distributing web page
as $2299.00 list and their price is $2000.

76. Re: FREE IC-706 MK II DSP !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <34d40072.7188793@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 154888

On Sat, 31 Jan 1998 16:53:36 -0500, steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Phil Wheeler wrote:
>>
>> Check this web site.
>>
>> http://www.icomamerica.com/amateur/hf/dsp.html
>>
>> Phil
>Maybe Icom did this because of my apology to Gary Fiber.
>Just kidding. I saw the IC-706 Mk II for $1244 (including coupon) at
>3-4 USA Dealers. The sep cable plus free DSP is incredible.
>The Yaesu FT-847 price should be announced any day. Perhaps the FT-847
>is priced closer than we think to the IC-706 MKII and Icom wants to hold
>its market share??
> Steve NS1R

apology ?
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

Gary

77. Re: FREE IC-706 MK II DSP !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <34d6015b.7421924@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 154889

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wrote:

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>> http://www.icomamerica.com/amateur/hf/dsp.html
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Gary

78. FS: Icom IC-820H VHF/UHF all mode transceiver w/MFJ1278B data controller, mic, vox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Mc Kie <mjmckie@mail.frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34D40105.4E8A@mail.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154890

FS: Icom IC-820H, vox, sm-6 mic, Astron 20A power supply, MFJ 1278B data controller, 2 meter swr meter, misc. All for $950 or might trade for Drake R8a, R8b, or other QUALITY SW radio in excellent condition. Shipping extra. Contact via email if interested-

Jack Mc Kie KC2BBW

mjmckie@frontiernet.net

79. WTB reel tape dipole...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lml <lml@mnsinc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2ed4$7c5176e0$9968efce@ibm.ibm.net>
Source record: 154891

Looking for a reel tape portable dipole for 10 thru 80 mts.
lml@mnsinc.com

80. Re: Test Equipment List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech Guy <nospam@sprint.com>
Message-ID: <6b184j$788$1@newsfep3.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 154892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

Do these products come free of ground water damage and/or with a
dosimeter?

Tech Guy
/\/\/\/\/\/\/\/\
"keeping things working right"

RHUNT wrote in message <34CF4FE8.49A9@prodigy.net>...
:Great deals on used test and measurement equipment, oscilloscopes,
:spectrum analyzers, signal generators, power supplies and lots more!!!
:E-Mail me for a list.
:rhunt@Prodigy.net

81. Wanted AM transmitter for 75 meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D42661.785B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154893

Does anyone have or know of anyone who might have an AM tranmitter that
they might want to part with?
The bigger the better. I prefer something in South Florida but I will
drive 1000 miles for the right anchor. 73 Chris

82. Timewave 59+ DSP $160 MINT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201083901.DAA07910@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154894

Hello,

I have a Timewave 59+ DSP for sale.... I have had the unit for less then a month but ICOM has come out with a DSP built for my 706MKII.

The Timewave 59+ works and looks as new...

$160 + Shipping I want it to move =)

Jason S. Hulet/KC8FXE
141 West Harbor Highway
Maple City, MI 49664
616-228-7972

83. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201093801.EAA22183@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154895

Hello all,

I am wondering... how difficult is it to self install the new DSP for the MKII? Has anyone done it them selves? On the bottom of the information on the UT-106 DSP is says that ICOM strongly recommends that an authorised dealer install the DSP unit...but on the web page is also says that it is easy to install and requires no soldering...? What is the "real" deal??? I would rather not have to submit my 706MkII to days off bouncing around with UPS if I could help it...

What are your thoughts people??

73 Jason Hulet/KC8FXE

84. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <qdjv3eAv8C10Ewlk@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154896

In article <34CDDF1C.1DEC@ix.netcom.com>, steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes
>Well Gary, I call a spade a spade. You are good for answering questions
>about current and past equipment but not new stuff on the Icom Japan
>Page. You have said many times on the newsgroup that just because it is
>on the Japan Icom Page doesn't mean it will be selling here. You have
>been wrong 99% of the time. If it shows up on the Japan page simply add
>6 months and you will see it in the USA. Also, you denied the Icom 706
>Mk II was coming out to replace the Ic-706 original model. THe day
>before the Ic-706 MKII was to be on the Icom USA Web page You sent me a
>E-MAil(which I still have for proof). that said:"So are you going to buy
>one?" Remember?? You also said in messages to the Newsgroup that the
>DSP and NR or NT on the Ic-706 MK II Display (not lit up.. you have to
>look at the display at a off angle) was not for DSP as many radios
>share the same display. What a "crock". I called my sources at Icom and
>was told straight out :"the Ic-706 MK II was supposed to have the DSP
>option but that the DSP unit created "birdies" on the two meter band and
>they had to resolve it before the DSP unit went public. I was told this
>by a "friend of yours at Icom USA"!!! You knew this and "LIED" to the
>Newsgroup!! You are a LIER! You should simply resign from your position
>at Icom or send a public appology for you lies. You Sir are the one not
>acting your age. Yes, I recieved a lot of Email In SUPPORT OF ME about
>this. Many people appreciate my candor on the Newsgroup. Oh, the price
>of the UT-106 is 9800 Yen converted to USA Dollars is $75 -$95 depending
>on the exchange rate for the day. Grow up Fiber!!!!!
> Sincerly, NS1R Steve

Sounds like this Gary Fiber is just a plain idiot!
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Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

85. Help, Regarding FT51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1 Games <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2ef6$06365b20$5d0148ca@default>
Source record: 154897

Anybody hv this experience that after changing of soft-mod (i.e. Simultaneously press the 2 Volume keys and the Call buttons while powering on and change one of the article such as MOD L ... etc), the handheld cannot receive any signal in the band which you hv modified (i.e. if you stand in the VHF band and do above mod) but you still hv transmission in the TX side.

My HT default as flw:

Band 7
IF NO 0
S FULL B0
S 1 3E
SQL TH73
SQD TI5C
MOD L 26
MOD H 27

But I know that some body hv difference setting:

Band 1
IF NO 0
S FULL 84 <-----
S 1 19 <----
SQL TH64 <----
SQL TI4E <----
MOD L 25 <----
MOD H 27

Thus, How can I change it especially I cannot change for S FULL B0, S 1 3E, SQL TH73, SQL TI5C to other setting.

Anybody can help me to make my HT resume normal. Thanks a lot

73
VR2XST

Rgds

86. LCD display on DX-390

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin@scican.net
Message-ID: <886328092.1007353868@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154898

The LCD display on my Radio Shack DX-390 SW receiver has quit. No clock displays, no frequency display; it's totally blank. Does anyone have a "quick-fix" solution, or something I can try? Radio Shack can get me a new display, but they weren't sure that would fix the problem. Thanks.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

87. Pointer to Oscilloscope.FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0102980523360001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 154899

Oscilloscope.FAQ is located on
my home page.

You need a frames capable browser
to see it.

If you'd like an Email version
sent to you as an attached text
file (60 k), send an Email with
SCOPE FAQ on the SUBJECT LINE.

Best regards,

John Seney
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
Oscilloscope.FAQ

88. FS: NOS JAN 5751 GE, $3.50 each

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Harlan <sales@emodus.com>
Message-ID: <6b1ioe$25h$1@ha1.rdc1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 154900

NOS Tubes, large quantities of each available.

FS: NOS 6AZ8 Philips, $3.25 each
FS: NOS JAN 12AT7WC, $4.50 each
FS: NOS JAN 5751 GE, $3.50 each
FS: NOS JAN 6922(E88CC, 6DJ8) Philips, $3.25 each
FS: NOS 7062 (E180CC) Amperex,$4.00 each
6186W (6AG5WA) Phillips $15.00 per box of 100 tubes

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USED UNTESTED TUBES, PULLED FROM TEST EQUIPMENT,
SOLD "AS IS"

FS: 12AT7, $1.25 each
FS: 12AU7A, $1.40 each
FS: 12AX7, $2.00 each
FS: 12AX7A, $2.00 each
****

Free Shipping in the USA on all of the above, on orders of
$25.00 or over. Orders under $25.00 add $4.00 for shipping & handling.
For shipping cost outside of USA , e-mail your address and items
you are interested in and we will provide a quotation.

All prices are in US $, No minimum order.

Prices valid until 2-15-98 or while supply lasts.

To reserve any of the above items, e-mail "sales@emodus.com"

Emodus, PO Box 6117, Laguna Niguel, CA, 92607-6117, USA

89. Need Schematic - Allied SX-190

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimdavey@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201124201.HAA17110@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154901

Anyone out there have one of these receivers who could make me a copy of the schematic???. Will gladly reimburse all copy/postage costs. Please email me direct: jimdavey@aol.com. Thanks.

90. ICOM CR-64 and the 275H/475H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1SWR <fleet@mbl.edu>
Message-ID: <34D47169.6B16@mbl.edu>
Source record: 154902

Has anyone installed the crystal osc. for the aove radios? If so was it
worth the cost/effort and what was needed to do the job.
tnx, Barry K1SWR

91. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34D47321.1211@stc.net>
Source record: 154903

Yves Remedios wrote:
>
> In article <34CDDF1C.1DEC@ix.netcom.com>, steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> writes
> >Well Gary, I call a spade a spade. You are good for answering questions
> >about current and past equipment but not new stuff on the Icom Japan
> >Page. You have said many times on the newsgroup that just because it is
> >on the Japan Icom Page doesn't mean it will be selling here. You have
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> >6 months and you will see it in the USA. Also, you denied the Icom 706
> >Mk II was coming out to replace the Ic-706 original model. THe day
> >before the Ic-706 MKII was to be on the Icom USA Web page You sent me a
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> >was told straight out :"the Ic-706 MK II was supposed to have the DSP
> >option but that the DSP unit created "birdies" on the two meter band and
> >they had to resolve it before the DSP unit went public. I was told this
> >by a "friend of yours at Icom USA"!!! You knew this and "LIED" to the
> >Newsgroup!! You are a LIER! You should simply resign from your position
> >at Icom or send a public appology for you lies. You Sir are the one not
> >acting your age. Yes, I recieved a lot of Email In SUPPORT OF ME about
> >this. Many people appreciate my candor on the Newsgroup. Oh, the price
> >of the UT-106 is 9800 Yen converted to USA Dollars is $75 -$95 depending
> >on the exchange rate for the day. Grow up Fiber!!!!!
> > Sincerly, NS1R Steve
>
> Sounds like this Gary Fiber is just a plain idiot!
> --
> Yves Remedios
> When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.
WHO CARES!!!!

92. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Mete <ke4qjk@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <01bd2f12$b6c32100$caa216cf@ke4qjk>
Source record: 154904

The DSP unit for the IC-706MKII sounds interesting. Does anybody know how much it costs? Has anyone heard the difference it makes? Is it a worth while upgrade?

73 / Vic
KE4QJK

93. FS: Eimac 3-500Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Watson <jwatson@mail.cde.com>
Message-ID: <34D433AE.DD384605@mail.cde.com>
Source record: 154905

I have a new in the box, as in never used, Eimac 3-500Z tube. I paid over $150.00, but will take $100.00. or trade for what have you, if i'm interested.

John Watson KC4TBH

94. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D481F8.ED1FC63C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154906

So far as I know no one has the DSP add-in yet; Icom America web site says April availability.

My guess is that if you are comfortable installing an optional crystal filter or a CTCSS board, you will be able to do this yourself. I know I will do it myself (but then I build qrp kits, which has to be a bit more challenging).

I think the "authorized dealer" recommendation is standard prose to cover themselves in case of trouble.

Phil

95. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D47F96.49C3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154907

Victor Mete wrote:
>
> The DSP unit for the IC-706MKII sounds interesting. Does anybody
> know how much it costs? Has anyone heard the difference it
> makes? Is it a worth while upgrade?
>
> 73 / Vic
> KE4QJK
The price is $130 at HRO (Ham Radio Outlet). However it is free with
a new IC-706 Mk II purchased from Feb 1st till ?.
I think you have to send in a coupon etc and Icom will send the Sep
cable and DSP to your house. I suspect you may have to wait a month
or so since there will be great demand. I think it is a great deal
and you all know how demanding I am! The only feature the DSP doesn't
have is the "BRICK WALL" filters. You have to rely on the optional
crystal filters to make the passband more narrow. Still, for $130 not
to shabby and Free to the new purchasers of the Ic-706 Mk II.
Steve NS1R

96. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D48373.71C85DE2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154908

I've seen prices stated all the way from $98 to $199, with the former from a yen conversion based on price in Japan and the latter likely list.

Anywhere in that price range, it's got to be worth having.

The nominal availability date is April. But we may hear from people with it in NEW 706MkII's much sooner. Since ICOM has announced (I'm told) that it will be free in new radios, no one will now buy one new without it. So, if they have made this announcement, the radios with DSP must be available for sale now -- or they will have a sudden drop in sales, until it is available.

Phil

97. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D4811D.884@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154909

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> says April availability.
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> filter or a CTCSS board, you will be able to do this yourself. I know I
> will do it myself (but then I build qrp kits, which has to be a bit more
> challenging).
>
> I think the "authorized dealer" recommendation is standard prose to
> cover themselves in case of trouble.
>
> Phil

I have seen the IC-706 Mk II guts in detail as I was doing the wideband
TX. On the bottom of the radio you will see a simple white connector on
the PCB board. There is another connector somewhere else that you have
to connect a thin ribbon cable. I think it is simple (no soldering etc).
Icom says you may want a Dealer to do it to cover their ass from people
who don't know what they are doing. I am a Field Engineer and you would
be shocked at what I have seen. Perhaps I will write a book someday. I
bet 99% of peple will have zero problem.
Steve NS1R

98. What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ace <spm@itsnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2f1d$5f82b300$285b29c0@spm.itsnet.com>
Source record: 154910

I am preparing for my first radio purchase. From a perspective of someone who is trying to learn, but is also fairly technical, which radio do I buy first? There are so many to choose from!

If I had to choose between a Yaesu HT 50 or a 51, which would be better?

Any help would be appreciated. I really want to get on the air.

Shaun McCabe
KC7VYF

99. Re: FREE IC-706 MK II DSP !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmuddx@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2f27$fe84fbc0$0aa4cacc@dad>
Source record: 154911

This is what the internet is for. Go to the Icom home page. Find their list of dealers.
Most have a web site. Send each one email asking their price including shipping.

I did this about 2 months ago and found that Juns and R&L had the best prices at that time. My local HRO met the price when I showed them my email responses. That saved me the shipping...

...love this radio...

Paul Unterweiser <Xmind_games@earthlink.net> wrote in article <34D3BF68.4FE5@earthlink.net>...
> Any advice on where to check for the best price on the 706 mk II?
>
> --
>
> To reply, remove "x" from address.
> Visit our webpage at:
> http://home.earthlink.net/~mind_games/
>

100. Re: Smut and censorhsip...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201155501.KAA16605@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154912

I understand this whole thing started when someone posted a
"COLLINS R-390 FOR SALE" on a smut newsgroup.

101. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7p5raQAEuG10EwkX@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154913

In article <6am42s$b2u@camel18.mindspring.com>, Donald D. Davis, Jr.
<dddavis@atl.mindspring.com> writes
>I have the ADMS sofware for the FT-50, FT-51, and the VX-1R. In my
>opnion, it works just great. I have not heard or read of this software
>hurting anyone's radio. If anything, it sometimes increases the
>functionality of what you can do with the radio beyond what is
>available by "front panel" programming. If I am not mistaken, the
>squelch problem you are referring to is a bug in the radio's firmware.
>The ADMS software provides a way to reset the squelch to proper
>factory settings without the need to send it back to Yaesu. If I am
>right about that, it is worth it just for that In any case, you should
>look again at the software. It is not a problem in my experience, and
>it makes the radio much more convenient to program and use.

No, AFAIK, the ADMS software does *not* provide "a way to reset the
squelch to proper factory settings".

Once you have ruined the settings, you need test gear and the service
manual to put back the *proper* settings. R-T Systems have provided
some settings which should get the radio going again but they may not be
the exact settings for your particular handie.

If you are going to play around with ADMS on your VX1, you would be
adviced to go through the settings on your handie first and note thm
down on a sheet of paper. Then if the software buggers your handie's
settings, you can put back the *original* settings.
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Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

102. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <k5OsuVAZwG10Ewnh@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154914

In article <6an1th$l2p$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>, Ingra-Beton <Ingra-Beton@t-online.de> writes
>KILO5JOE wrote:
>>
>> The Squelch problem that the ADMS-1d software causes
>> can be fixed by going to the RT Systems home page and
>> scrolling down to the Squelch Fix article. It is a manuel
>> 25 function fix that you do to the radio that will set it back
>> to the factory specs. I just had to do it last week....My radio
>> would not squelch on 800 meg...
>> K5JOE
>
>The SQ settings (you may have noticed = similar as the FT50)
>are unique for every VX1R (as for the FT50).
>
>SO, THE FIRST THING TO DO, when you get a new VX1R is to
>write them down (the best is on the last page from the manual)
>
>
>They are adjusted at the YAESU Factory, and I thing no
>dealer have the equipment and knoledge to readjust them.
>
>
>If things go wrong, you should correct them from the
>previous settings (that you have written down).
>
>
>The "SQ Reset Procedure" from RT Systems and YAESU is
>nothing else then some aproximate values for the settings.
>
>BUT they are NOT OPTIMAL for YOUR VX1R.

At last someone with some common sense has arrived - well done Ingra!
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

103. Hardcover Handbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcrusoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201160600.LAA06539@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154915

For a couple of years after I got into amateur radio, the Handbook was in Hardcover. I would like to see a hardcover edition every 3 or 4 years I think, even if the cost was a bit more. The soft cover leaves something to be desired when it comes to durability, and the information will still be of value 20 or 30 years from now, so durability seems to me to be an issue.

Most of what little I know about tube circuitry is from a copy of the '65 edition given to me a few years ago. It is falling apart, and I really wish it was a properly bound hardcover edition, because it is interesting from a historical standpoint and older technology is presented in enough detail to duplicate. New hams in 2030 will probably be saying the same thing about old-fashioned discrete transistor circuits.

The handbook would be an excellent archive for the generations to come if properly bound to last. CDRom is great, but who is to say that the format will or won't go the way of the 8-track tape or the Edison Talking Machine cylinder 20 years from now? A book can always be "manually read".

I don't see a need to have a hardcover edition every year, as there is relatively little new information from one year to the next, so evry 3rd or 4th year should be sufficient for a decent archive collection.

Anybody with me on this? I would like to see an informal straw poll before going to the editorial staff with it.

73 EVRBDY DE AB5VH (Robinson)
From the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
In the Great State of TEXAS
dit diddy-dit dit.....

104. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6b268p$hhr@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154916

In <qdjv3eAv8C10Ewlk@g4udt.demon.co.uk> Yves Remedios
<yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk> writes:
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>Sounds like this Gary Fiber is just a plain idiot!
>--
>Yves Remedios
>When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word
demon.

No Yves, Steve Hershman is the idiot. Gary Fibre is employed but Icom America as, I believe, head of the service department. If he quotes a price it certainly represents MSRP as set by his employer.

Double 0 Hershman is an egocentric little schmuck who reads the Japaneese home pages for the various manufacturers then reveals his findings as the results of "interogations of various individuals."

The results of Hershman's harassment of Gary may well be that we loose a valuable source of technical information on Icom products. If you would like a little more insight into Mr. Hershman's character, check his postings in Dejanews, look particularly at the ones from the alt.sex.prostitution newsgroup.

73 Jerry

105. WTB: Old VHF magazines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6b280v$c2n@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154917

HI,
I am looking for copies of the following VHF periodicals:

Lunar Letter

Eimac Moonbounce Notes (can't remember correct title)

others......

Thanks,
tim

106. Re: Apology to Gary Fiber

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdonimi@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201163701.LAA10950@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154918

I know Gary - have met him personally. I both like him and appreciate his competence. There are "less than knowledgable" employees at Icom, but Gary more than cancels out the bad taste they leave.

However, on the subject of issuing denials of new products, it is one thing to deny something when someone gets in your face and asks a direct question. It's another to pop into a conversation and issue an unsolicited denial.

I propose that Gary avoid doing the latter, especially if the rumor MIGHT be true, to avoid loss of credibility.

Jeremy W7YG

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>record, I got 45 flames and 30 positive comments for my recent posts.
> 73's To all , NS1R Steve Hershman
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107. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34D4A4C5.495A@onramp.net>
Source record: 154919

Ace wrote:
>
> I am preparing for my first radio purchase. From a perspective of someone
> who is trying to learn, but is also fairly technical, which radio do I buy
> first? There are so many to choose from!
>
> If I had to choose between a Yaesu HT 50 or a 51, which would be better?
>
> Any help would be appreciated. I really want to get on the air.
>
> Shaun McCabe
> KC7VYF

Never, ever, have a handy talkie as an only radio, only as a backup to a
mobile or base unit.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

108. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb9bxy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201170100.MAA14349@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154920

Shaun,

Congrats on getting ur license. I don't understand why the previous comment so strongly urged you not to have only an HT for starters.

I have an FT-50RD and use it for mobile, base, and 1200 baud packet ops. Never a problem in over a year. Regarding the 50 versus the 51, I can't really comment. You'll have to watch for other responses.

Also, think about HF ops. They can be fun. Used radios abound and with a patient shopping attitude, you can find a used Heathkit for about $150.

Good Luck.

109. Re: FREE IC-706 MK II DSP !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D4AE87.A2C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154921

Rick Mudd wrote:
>
> This is what the internet is for. Go to the Icom home page. Find their
> list of dealers.
> Most have a web site. Send each one email asking their price including
> shipping.
>
> I did this about 2 months ago and found that Juns and R&L had the best
> prices at that time. My local HRO met the price when I showed them my
> email responses. That saved me the shipping...
>
> ...love this radio...
>
> Paul Unterweiser <Xmind_games@earthlink.net> wrote in article
> <34D3BF68.4FE5@earthlink.net>...
> > Any advice on where to check for the best price on the 706 mk II?
> >
> > --
> >
> > To reply, remove "x" from address.
> > Visit our webpage at:
> > http://home.earthlink.net/~mind_games/
> >
I also found : Hooper Electronics, Associated Radio, Maryland Amatuer
Radio, Texas Towers to have very reasonable prices. Oh yes, Ross
Distributing is good to. I don't have any personal favorites.

110. Re: NEW ! IC-706 MK II DSP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D4ADF5.59A6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154922

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> In <qdjv3eAv8C10Ewlk@g4udt.demon.co.uk> Yves Remedios
> <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk> writes:
> >
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> >
> >Sounds like this Gary Fiber is just a plain idiot!
> >--
> >Yves Remedios
> >When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word
> demon.
>
> No Yves, Steve Hershman is the idiot. Gary Fibre is employed but Icom
> America as, I believe, head of the service department. If he quotes a
> price it certainly represents MSRP as set by his employer.
>
> Double 0 Hershman is an egocentric little schmuck who reads the
> Japaneese home pages for the various manufacturers then reveals his
> findings as the results of "interogations of various individuals."
>
> The results of Hershman's harassment of Gary may well be that we loose
> a valuable source of technical information on Icom products. If you
> would like a little more insight into Mr. Hershman's character, check
> his postings in Dejanews, look particularly at the ones from the
> alt.sex.prostitution newsgroup.
>
> 73 Jerry
Well..look what the Cat draged in... Gerald Schmitt. I was wondering
when you would surface from the weeds. Everyone out reading this go do a
DejA News search of Jerry and you will see that all he does is harass
people on the Newsgroups (including me). I really enjoyed the last few
months not hearing from Jerry. Unfortunately Jerry has returned like the
Black Plague.
73's NS1R Steve Hershman

111. F.S. SSB. Filters FT-940S $125.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201174300.MAA02308@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154923

(NEW) Fox-Tango 2.1 Khz. Matched Pair SSB Filters for Kenwood TS-940S
These filters will sharpen the SSB selectivity of the TS-940S significantly and
will allow the -6db passband to be set as low as 300hz. for CW operation.
$125. Ship (48)
Ken 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com
WN9N

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Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D4B051.7C99@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154924

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
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> In <qdjv3eAv8C10Ewlk@g4udt.demon.co.uk> Yves Remedios
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> would like a little more insight into Mr. Hershman's character, check
> his postings in Dejanews, look particularly at the ones from the
> alt.sex.prostitution newsgroup.
>
> 73 Jerry
I hope Jerry goes back and crawls back under the rock from which he just
emerged.
73's Steve

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D4B00D.3D5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154925

Jdonimi wrote:
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> competence. There are "less than knowledgable" employees at Icom, but Gary
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> >record, I got 45 flames and 30 positive comments for my recent posts.
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> >
Once again.. I think I may have jumped all over Gary and Apologize to
him and the Newsgroup. I felt funny being in the same position as Gary
with a customer asking me about a product that was under developement to
be releases in 8 months and not being able to confirm or deney it. If I
said anything about the product and it got back to my company I would be
ina lot of trouble. I personally perfer not to be told about new models
until a month or two when they are unveiled to the General Public. That
way I am telling the truth to the customers when I say:" I am not aware

of any new models coming out to replace the current one."
I hope Gary accepts my apology and continues helping out the people on the Newgroups.
Sincerely, NS1R Steve Hershman

114. WTB: transcieve cable for TR-7/R-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201175400.MAA22377@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154926

I have the schematic but wonder if anybody has a completed cable for sale.
Thanks.

Evan

115. F.S. Yaesu FL-101 Transmitter $225.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980201180300.NAA23777@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154927

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Yaesu Transmitter FL-101
Very Clean / Plastic on front w/manual & box
$225. + Shp.
Ken ( WN9N) 815-478-5109 0r( kcoin@aol.com )
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116. Mod needed: IC-2710 open tx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6b5vmp$b66@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 154680

Hi...

I need the mod to open up transmit on the IC-2710H... i've checked all
the usual places, only think i've found is the 2700h...

thanks :)
bill
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---William J. Petrisko (WP5)----------------------bill@primenet.net---
---GlobalCenter/Primenet, Manager, Network Engineering---------------

117. FT900 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpoulin@honk.org
Message-ID: <886479026.301531150@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154681

I have a question concerning an FT900.

Is anyone having problems with their noiseblanker when using
frequencies above 21 MHz?

It seems that the NB does pretty much nothing on the higher freqs. When
the radio is using 20,40,80,160 is works fine. Has anyone noticed this ?
... If so, is there a remedy for this ?

Also, I noticed that there is continuity on the ANT connection on the
back.

Is this normal ?

73's

James Poulin
VA3JPX

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

118. FS: Kenwood TS 450Sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886479868.367591435@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Very nice unit with Mic and manual in good 9 condition. perfect inside with all things functioning well. About 125 out $750.oo and I ship. Trade UP but not down. Thanks Murray Neece

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119. FS: Kenwood TS:450Sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886480099.367329296@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice unit as from factory with mic and maual, auto tune wjorks perfectly as does everything else. Will trade UP but probably not down. $750. ship-it to your door conus. Thanks Murray Neece Take credit card if you need to.

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120. WTB: 6M ssb radios working/nonworking

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b61s1$1p0$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

wanted 6m ssb radio i.e. swan, drake for a restoration project
rcf@crosslink.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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121. WTD: CB SSB \10M radio's nonworking\working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b624v$1pd$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154685
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Want to restore some classic radios while its still cold out. I am looking for cb ssb base stations and old classic tube am basestations. ALso used working and nonworking 10M ssb equipment. Both solid state and tube.
rcf@crosslink.net

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b6269$1pe$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154686
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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rcf@crosslink.net

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123. For Sale: TS 530 S with filters and MC 50 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886480718.389480468@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a fine working and decent looking rig. A few small flaws on the top keep it from being SUPER nice but its and 8.5 anyway. Works just like new, has both added CW and SSB filter, full output on the finals and an MC 50 mic that gives it that "Kenwood Audio" sound!! Will ship and insure it to your door for $475 bux and youll have a great radio without paying and extra 150 bux for the add ons. Trade up but probably not down! These radios work and sound and recieve fantastic. Thanks Murray

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124. FS: Dentron amp at 50 cents a watt!! 2400 keydown!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886481125.431947779@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.,boatanchors

This is a Dentron DTR 2000L uses an 8877 tube for about 2300 to 2400 watts out. Could be raised with new transformer if thats not enough. hi hi. Amp face in excellent shape case is too, in side some goo but not to bad!! Its been around but its here to stay.+ I will sell this beast for $1200, and we will talk about shipping it at your expense. It s a desk top but heavy. Trades considered, need newer radidios! Dont need any boat anchors etc. Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Texas

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125. FS: Yaesu FT 840 with matching out board tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886481364.432144393@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Perfectly clean and operable rig with mic manual and the external matching tuner. Makes a great mobile or base rig! Nearly new, looks it, and affordable with mic and manual will ship conus for $750. Its a bargain, beter hurry. Thanks Murray in Odessa, texas

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126. Amplifier For Sale: Amp Supply LK 550 NTC !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886481907.454754308@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154690
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A CADILLAC ! 3 @ 3-500Zs, no tune, 160-10, in great shape inside and out, just checked and allingned at Omega! In excess of 2000 watts out, in a 2 piece amp with peter dahl transformer in one and A super smooth nice RF deck in the other. Why worry about new tubes> use the easily available 3-500 AND still have plenty of power. It will ship, but it will cost a bit! Probably 50 bux or so to ship and my price is $1750.oo fob Odessa, Texas. They are hard to find, and if you always wanted one, here it is. Gauranteed!! IF my Alpha sell first, Im keepin it, if it sells first, Im keepin my Alpha 374 A+1 Cant keep em both. Thanks Murray RR

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127. FS: Pro 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: DON LARSEN <SPEEDDEMON@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6b6a3o$29g0$1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Pro 43 for sale.
It is in good condition and has the cell band mod.
Includes the factory service manual, a case that is too big, (it's the case
for the HTX-202) and a telescoping antenna, along with the original antenna.

+ACQ-250

Don Larson
(406)388-1997 hm
(800)595-8903 wk
speeddemon+AEA-prodigy.net

128. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34D6AB72.425@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

AC wrote:
>
> Brian Carling wrote in message <34d5b868.5301686@news.mnsinc.com>...
> >For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 07:59:44 -0700, Gary Wood
> ><docky@earthlink.net> wrote:
> >
> >>lots of ham stuff for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky Heathkit
> >>Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more
> >>including a TWOER
> >
> >And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)
> >
> Like you don't know that means TOWER.......

Actually, sine it says "collector site", maybe they do mean Twoer,
as in a Heathkit TWOER 2 meter radio..

Steve - WA6GSD

129. Re: Info onTen Tec transv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lionel Booth <lbooth@comm.net>
Message-ID: <6b8gamhnl1@fox.comm.net>
Source record: 154693

Just saw your post. I'm building one and testing it as I go along. Nice kit, good manual and so far no problems. I am about half through it and have about 10 hours or so in the project, and I'm slow. I fired up the rx portion of the transverter over the weekend and it aligned fb using an R4C as the 14mhz IF and a URM25D signal generator. Noise source such as a diode noise generator would probably be better. A frequency counter is a plus although not essential.

It'll be on the air in a few weeks. I just don't have much time to spend on it. But it is interesting.

R.A. wrote in message <34C98AF7.4F65@megspo.megsinet.net>...
>Would like to fine out if any one has had luck with it, How to build,
>time, any spec. equipment needed .
>any help woould be great .Do they sell it built, no response from ten
>tec. thanks. e-mail to caveman@megsinet.net

130. FS: Motorola CB Base Radio CM-550

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: meadowcomm <meadowcomm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2ff1$f6e3f400$f8c4accf@default>
Source record: 154729
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Motorola CB Radio (Model CM550) with Sams CB Radio Service Data Book (CB-292). This is a base unit 40 channel AM rig with built in clock/alarm, Mic Gain, Volume, Squelch, RF Gain, PA, ANL, and Mute buttons. The unit is in excellent working condition and looks great!

This is a great collector's piece too! The best offer will be accepted. Then I'll ship COD/insured via UPS.

Thanks for reading this post.

Sincerely,
Chris

131. Re: ADMS Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod <rod@rtsars.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2ff2$88071ac0$729493d0@rts.hiwaay.net>
Source record: 154730

http://www.rtsars.com
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RT Systems
Amateur Radio Supply
8207 Stephanie Dr
Huntsville AL 35802
Sales 1-800-723-6922 Tech Support 1-205-880-3093

ThankYou <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<01bd2fb4$629cbda0$cb0148ca@nelson>...
> Anybody know the Web Site of RT Systems (home page)
>
> Thanks a lot
>
> Rgds
>

132. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1ist@netcom.com
Message-ID: <n1istEnrD7F.1o8@netcom.com>
Source record: 154731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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In article <6b4j1n$545$1@news1-alterdial.UU.NET> "AC" <username@REMOVE.writeme.com>
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->>Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more
->>including a TWOER
->
->And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)
-Like you don't know that means TOWER.......

No, he means TWOER.

It's a portable 2M AM radio.

/mike

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\|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@netcom.com \|/
-*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc === -*-
/|\ or send "info barc-list" to listserv@majordomonetcom.com /|\
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133. FS: New 1296 cavity amp on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0nno <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <6b4ush$15b$1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 154732
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

New 1296 Cavity amp for Sale. Can be seen at:

http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5245061

Thank you

134. KB8UYZ FTP SERVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <DanielH@dhcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D5ED07.21D@dhcom.com>
Source record: 154733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

rec.radio.amateur.misc...
rec.radio.amateur.policy...
rec.radio.amateur.equipment...

The new KB8UYZ Amateur Radio FTP Server is now online! We have thousands of files online, including radio mods, frequencies, satellite tracking
software, logging programs, morse code programs, and much more! We also plan on updating the archive at least once a week, so visit again for new files!

If you have any files to contribute to our archive, let us know about them. We will then send you instructions on how, and where, you can upload the files.

The FTP Server can be accessed via the following ways:

WWW: http://megaman.dhcom.com/hamradio
FTP: ftp://megaman.dhcom.com/hamradio

In time, we expect to have an index for each directory on the server, to help you better find files that you need.

73's
Dan KB8UYZ
dan@kb8uyz.com

135. REVIEW: QSTView - QST Magazine on CD-RO, ARRL, 1997

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mc@shore.net
Message-ID: <6b4rmi$4mm@northshore.shore.net>
Source record: 154734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

REVIEW: QST VIEW - QST on CD-ROM, American Radio Relay League

For many years the American Radio Relay League, aka the ARRL, has shown little interest in my favorite equipment - tube-based radio communication gear. A few years ago a couple of articles were published in QST about the resurgence in interest in this subset of the hobby. It must have resulted in much favorable comment from readers and members because the League has apparently taken notice of we who love the vintage stuff and our interests.

Recently the ARRL began to release some of their documentary material including QST on CD-ROM. For those of you who are not familiar with this, Compact Discs hold 650 Megabytes of information or 74 minutes of audio. Most records are now released on CD. They are digital of course and are read by an optical reader connected to your sound system for audio and play just like a vinyl record except there's no wear and tear on the disc. Just about all computers sold these days have a CD drive to read data stored on CDs and almost all software comes on this media. The ROM means Read-Only Memory but this is somewhat of a misnomer because in reality its Read-Only Storage. So essentially the CD is a storage device that holds a LOT of stuff - the average page of text requires 2 Kilobytes of storage space so do the math and figure out how many pages can be stored on a 650 Megabyte CD. The current Handbook is available on CD as well as the Callbook which is no longer available in paper form. There is also a trip planning program that will also include and highlight the VHF/UHF repeaters along the route.

Back to the League and its QST CD project. Recently they began to offer the back issues of QST on CD working backwards from the 1990s. We are the main beneficiaries of their quest to eventually have all issues of QST available on CD-ROM. It's a fine way for the League to recognize the incredible interest in the older equipment we all love so much. I am very pleased to see that QST is now available from 1940 to 1996 in the following libraries:

1940 - 1949

1950 - 1959

1960 - 1964

1965 - 1969

The rest of the collection is sold in five year increments to 1994 inclusive. 1995 and 1996 are available by the year as part of a compilation of the three ARRL periodicals; the other two being QEX for experimenters and NCJ for contesters. Price is $39.95 for each library. The annual periodical 1995

and 1996 compilations are $19.95 each. (plus $4.00 shipping). The ARRL's toll-free order line and Web site are listed further down the page.

I took a good look at the 1950-59, 1960-64 and 1965-69 libraries and here's what I found.

Virtually every page containing articles, columns, ads and covers have been included in the collection, even the classified "Ham Ads". Each library comes with a program called QST View that manages the indexing and data. When installed QST View builds its own index database. Should you add an additional library set later you will be given the option of reinstalling everything or just updating the index database. This installation can take anywhere from five minutes on a Pentium 90 to 30 minutes on a 386. Your computer must be running Windows (3.x or 95) to be able to use QST View.

Once installed and the index constructed you can search for information by article, column, author's name/call, year or month or just browse issue by issue. The search query form will support the use of some DOS "wildcards such as *, <, >, etc. QST View has two windows - the Index and the Document Viewing Window. Once you have located an article you can close the Index window and the Document Viewing window takes the whole screen. You can also fit the image to the viewing window, pan and scroll the article, even print it out if you wish.

As far as content is concerned I found that the libraries I examined are full of information on tube-based equipment and I imagine that the libraries into the mid-1970s will be as well. I hope to take a close look at the 1970 to 1974 library shortly to see if this collection fits into our area of interest as well as the earlier libraries as they are made available. In short I found QST View and its' associated libraries a very useful reference source especially the earlier issues. The rich history and lore of Amateur Radio was well chronicled in the pages of QST which is the official journal of the ARRL as well as a technical publication and makes for very interesting reading. I am especially looking forward to seeing the libraries from the 1920s, 1930s and 1940 and hope that the ARRL will see a good enough response to the earlier libraries it now has available to encourage them sufficiently to produce the earlier QSTs on CD as soon as possible.

For more information you can contact the ARRL either by phone at 1-888-277-5289 or via the Web at www.arrl.org/catalog

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Michael Crestohl, W1RC
Cambridge Vermont, USA
mc@shore.net

136. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D5F966.539A46AA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Michael L. Ardai wrote:

> No, he means TWOER.
>
> It's a portable 2M AM radio.
>

Also known as a Heathkit Lunch box.......They had a 10, 6, and 2 meter version.

The 10 meter version was my first mobile back in the early sixties when I was 14. I had one mounted to the handlebars of my bike with a car battery mounted on the back of the bike. The radio fed a 98 inch whip attached to the rear wheel axle.....

73
Mark
WA0DCA

137. FS Test Equpment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b4v80$f4e@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154736

There are the have for sale.
If Interested Please Contact us at our Office.
AS IS CONDITION
HP) 853A Spectrum Analyzer Display ....$ 1150.00
HP) 8672A Synthesizer Signal Generator..............$ 6300.00
Weinschel Engineering) VM-24/1 Signal Generator Calibrator
Frequency & Power Meter (With Seneor)
Weinschel Engineering) VM-24/2 Tracking Local Oscillator

Weinschel Engineering VM24/1 . VM24/2 .... $ 3800.00

138. FS IC900 w/ 2m 50w, 220, & 440 $790

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmcghee@cyberramp.net
Message-ID: <886439168.564985860@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi all, I have an IC900 with the 2 meter hi power, the 220, and the 440 modules for sale. It has the remote mounting with the optical cable and everything so you can stack up to 6 modules in your trunk and mount the display on you sun visor. It also has the optional tone unit and the manual. I'll throw in a speaker. It works fine. The buttons on the console look a little used but everything else looks new. I would like to have $790 plus shipping to the lower 48. Or make me an offer. The worst I'll do is laugh. ;-)

Thanks for your interest,
Jim McGhee N5FZT

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

139. Re: alinco dr-610t for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <junB.40392$RR2.8987261@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 154738

Has anyone bought this radio??? I have tried numerous time to contact him
with no luck.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

AC6JA wrote in message <19980131152301.KAA20699@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>i have for sale an alinco dr-610t in mint condition. also installed is the
>optional CTCSS tone decode board and the extended tx/rx mods. radio comes
with
>all original boxes, manual, bracket, etc. radio is 1200/9600 baud packet
>ready.
>am asking $400.00 OBO and will ship.
>let me know if interested.
>thanks!
>
>Mike AC6JA

140. FS: Icom IC-735 and MFJ-949E.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <1MnB.190$vh1.3800622@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 154739

Icom IC-735 HF all mode in perfect working order. Serial number is 07674. No filter. Receives and transmits from 100 khz to 30 mhz. Comes with hand microphone, power cable, instruction manual, and original box. Appearance 9 out of 10.
Shipped insured to your door for $600.00 U.S.
Also MFJ-949E antenna tuner in perfect condition. Comes with original box, instruction manual and original bill of sale. Shipped insured to your door for $100.00 U.S.
Will not sell the tuner before the Icom is sold.
.
73 de VE2CJW
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

141. A word of caution about DENVER RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: onines@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202180401.NAA07752@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154740

Ordered some radios from DENVER RADIO this last week off their internet site. Received a polite e-mail a few days later from a Tom Youngberg of that store explaining to me that the price list quoted on the web was incorrect, they wanted to charge $40 more per radio (almost 17% increase). The explanation offered was that the posted price was several months old and the service provider is slow in updating the site.
This warning is not an attempt to whine or snivel, I'm a big boy and can get over it. It is, however, important for others to know so you don't waste your time ordering something from this firm that they will not honor. Steve (AC6FR)

142. Re: Yaesu FT-900CAT Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6b525l$gro@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 154741

I also am thinking of the 900CAT (waiting to see the new 2, 440, 6 & hf first).

Do you give up much for the mobil ability. That is - what does a regular base have that the 900CAT does not? Being a smaller radio can it tolerate extended use? Does it overheat?

Thanks

=TOM=

Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net> wrote:
> I've had it over a year and love it, both /M and fixed. The optional
> filters are necessary as it overloads easily with strong adjacent
> stations.

> --
> 73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ

> Robert wrote:

> > Hello,
> >
> > I'am considering purchasing a Yaesu FT-900CAT.
> > Any comments from owners good or bad.
> >
> > Thanks,
> > Robert WD9IDV
> >
> > Please email :
> > karate8@ameritech.net

143. CQ AA5NI re: cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <6b52in$2q1$1@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 154742

Ron,

I have tried to respond to your flash.net address but it keeps
bouncing.

cheers, Paul
ve7cqk
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

144. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@REMOVETHIS.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <34d613c8.13235278@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 154743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 09:50:46 -0700, M Johnson
<silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>The 10 meter version was my first mobile back in the early sixties when I was
>14. I had one mounted to the handlebars of my bike with a car battery
>mounted on the back of the bike. The radio fed a 98 inch whip attached to
>the rear wheel axle.....

Now THAT is REAL RADIO folks!!!!

A Benton Harbor Lunch Box on your bike handelbars...

Much better than cruising the neighborhood with a loud set of
speakers booming out meaningless RAP beat, you flew through with the
Lunchbox squawking out ham calls!

145. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34d61585.76399704@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154744

On 1 Feb 1998 22:04:11 GMT, Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton) wrote:
>"worked fine" is a very wide term, as I said: if you have not
>written down YOUR original settings, bad luck.

Ok, I'll play straight man. How do I access these settings so
I can write them down *before* they become corrupted?

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

146. Re: Apology to Gary Fiber

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D614CB.F0C0A8CF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154745

I vote with you; enough personal attacks, already!

Phil

147. Re: operating in the United Arab Emirates - for an expat??????? UAE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34d61645.76591610@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154746
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 31 Jan 1998 13:09:35 -0600, Mike Morrow <mmorrow@companet.net> wrote:
>Gary responded to:
>
>>Hi Paul -- OH2MCN has a page devoted to information on licensing abroad
>>for radio amateurs at URL:
>>http://www.clinet.fi/~jukka/license.html
>>
>>73
>>Rod in San Diego
>
>With the following:
>
>>Rod, it would have been more responsive to answer his question.
>>And the answer is, only a national of the UAE can be granted an
>>amateur station license. You can get permission to operate as a
>>guest at the station of a national, however.
>
>Rod's information was of more *general* usefulness to the NG, and I
>suspect, to Paul also (Teach a man to fish, etc.).
>
> Mike, KK5F

Consider those who only have email access to the group. Pointing them to one of Rod's web pages is useless to them. Giving a succinct answer is not. I suppose seeing Rod answer questions day after day with only a pointer to his web pages finally set me off. What I'd consider a good answer would be to briefly address the substance of the question, then, if appropriate, point to a web page where more information might be found by those with browser access.

Now it is true that Rod has a wealth of information on his pages, but the way he answers questions appears to be just an advertisement for those pages, apparently intended to run up his hit count. At least that's the way it comes across even though that probably isn't his intent. I'd like to see him actually type in some original content to his posts from time to time rather than always acting like an autoresponder message from a spammer.

Note, I'm not calling Rod a spammer, it is only that his replies appear to resemble some of the stuff propagated by spammers trying to lure you to their web sites. I'm sure Rod is a good guy just trying to help. Blah Blah Blah But it doesn't *look* that way to someone on his fifth cup of coffee and already in a bad mood.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

148. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stefan Kowal <100627.3426@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eYxL3mAM9GA.76@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 154747

Can anyone please supply the web page details of RT Systems?

Thanks,

Stefan Kowal
G0BJW

149. Re: yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bd300d$24ca7cc0$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 154748

> I've tested the air band frequency and got a
> 'loud and clear' from an aircraft 5 miles away.

Unless I'm missing something, you're transmitting FM and he's receiving AM. It works because of "slope detection"; as your FM signal deviates in and out of the receiver's passband it yields a somewhat amplitude modulated signal in the receiver's IF. However, trying to do it this way severely limits the range, quality and usefulness of the setup. You really need an AM transmitter.

Mike, N4PDY

150. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <34D61AB2.996@umich.edu>
Source record: 154749

Clif wrote:
>
>
> And now the other shoe drops. An amplifier will allow the talkie to
> perform like a mobile. While in the house you need a power supply for it
> (which could power a mobile). And you get to move the amp and radio back
> and forth. Next, cost, a 50w mobile sells for less than $300(2M) a
> talkie less than $200 but add $100 for the amp and $75 for the power
> supply. Plus you need a dc cord for the car, $25, and a speaker mike so
> the talkie isn't flailed all over the place another $35-45. we are
> ignoring the antennas at both locations that both radios need.
>
> Lets see, Less than $300 plus a power supply for the house, total $375.
>
> vs $200 + $100 + $75 + $25 + $35 total $435 and that is with only 1
> battery(original) and a wall wart(slow charger). everybody has to have a
> spare battery $75 plus a fast charger $75.
>
> Is it starting to soak in that a talkie is a poor and EXPENSIVE first
> radio.
> --

Well, obviously this subject brings out some strong opinions.
I'm sure Clif's choice in a radio suits his operating needs,
but my own needs and experiences are quite different.

I operate from home, car and on foot using an HT, and for me,
that's the best low-cost solution. I spent $150 on a radio
(HTX-202 - not sexy, but works fine), put a home-built 8-el yagi
on my house and a 5/8-wave vert on my car. Power supply in
my home (when needed) cost me about $30. I can hit several
repeaters full quieting with just the rubber duck, and more
than 25 with the yagi, most at full quieting. No amp. I have
a $20 speaker-mike and a $15 1/2 wave telescopic ant (rarely
used). Total is $225 - much less than your average mobile rig.
(like you, Clif, I didn't count the fixed antennas)

With an HT, I can operate from either of my cars, from anywhere
in my home or neighborhood, from hotel rooms (I travel a fair
amount). Any car I happen to be riding in can be a base of
operations (I have a home-built 1/4 wave magmount if it's ever
needed). I can operate while hiking or boating or skiing or
biking (my kids are also licensed and have an HTX). I can hit
several local repeaters handheld from my office, or climb the
stairs to the top of the building to get a few more. Can't do

that with a mobile. Heck, I've even worked from up in trees.

Granted, the loose HT in the car is a hassle. I've not found the perfect way to mount it, but the cup holder works fairly well. I dunno, Clif - your argument just doesn't work for me. I think an HT is a cheap, versatile way to get into VHF work, and the mobile should be the second choice. Depends on what you want to be able to do, I s'pose.

73 de Bob, KI8AB

151. FS MFJ 940B ant tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34D56FBB.5BC5@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 154750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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MFJ Ant tuner for sale $50 can be seen at
http://home.earthkink.net/~docky
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152. Re: 5 MHz steps in UHF on FT8000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6b57d9$gg@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 154751

dddavis@atl.mindspring.com writes:
>The Yaesu FT-8000 allows 5 MHz steps on the VHF side, but only goes
>down to 10 MHz steps on UHF. Is there a mod or work-around which would
>allow 5 MHz steps on UHF on this radio?

It's probably not changeable. Things like minimum tuning step size
are a function of the particular way the digital division ratios are
set up in the PLL that controls the VCO. It's quite possible that the
UHF VCO has an extra divide-by-two stage that the VHF VCO does not,
and that would make the step size twice as large.

For example, the FT-51 handheld will receive VHF on the UHF "side" of
the radio, using the UHF PLL and an extra divider. It works, but some
step sizes are not available.

Dave

153. Re: A word of caution about DENVER RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmuddx@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3019$65dc6460$32a4cacc@dad>
Source record: 154752

Order somewhere else...This tactic they use is called bait and switch. It is illegal.

Onines <onines@aol.com> wrote in article <19980202180401.NAA07752@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Ordered some radios from DENVER RADIO this last week off their internet site.
> Received a polite e-mail a few days later from a Tom Youngberg of that store
> explaining to me that the price list quoted on the web was incorrect, they
> wanted to charge $40 more per radio (almost 17% increase). The explanation
> offered was that the posted price was several months old and the service
> provider is slow in updating the site.
> This warning is not an attempt to whine or snivel, I'm a big boy and can get
> over it. It is, however, important for others to know so you don't waste your
> time ordering something from this firm that they will not honor. Steve
> (AC6FR)
>
>

154. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@JUNO.COM
Message-ID: <886450956.1137967117@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Gary Wood wrote:

> >>lots of ham stuff for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky Heathkit
> >>Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more
> >>including a TWOER

Brian Carling, in a bit of a daze, then said:

> >And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)

"AC" (Aintgotta Clue) responds:

> Like you don't know that means TOWER.......

Nope, I think he *did* mean TWOER (as in Benton Harbor Lunchbox).
Also in this series were the TENER and SIXER. These were 1960's era
portable radios for 2, 6, and 10 meters.

73, de Hans, K0HB/4ID

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

155. Re: Yaesu FT-8100 or FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulc@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6b5c9c$3ie@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 154754

Re: Gary and Dan's posts...

I have an FT8500 with the "potato head" mike. While I believe it could have been made less gimicky and more straightforward to operate, it does succeed reasonably well at giving you "no look", one button fingertip control of scanning, memory selection (of course you need to check the display for feedback), band selection, transmit band selection, and reverse. There is a learning curve associated with this mike, so make sure you're geeky enough to appreciate it :-).

It's not perfect. I think they tried too hard to be clever, in some cases. The menu system is reasonable, but I wouldn't call it great. It sort of equalizes everything: there's nothing particularly easy or particularly hard to access. Case in point: DTMF auto-dial. I can't leave this set, because it's too hard to change it while driving. So, in case I have to dial a number not in memory, I must leave the radio in non-autodial mode. Too bad no one thought of using the ENT key or something to temporarily put it in autodial mode.

Intermod resistance is good. I very, very rarely hear any squawks on the radio, even in high-intermod areas.

The radio has lots of features and is wire remote controllable (from a PC for example). It does not have one-way repeat or radio remote control capability or DCS, but seems to have most other features.

I suspect it was a bit far out for most people, as the later Yaesu models have not followed its lead.

I have no regrets whatsoever buying it. I have not had a bit of trouble with it in 2 years. If it matches your user profile, it will work well for you.

-Paul C. KG0CZ

156. Re: A word of caution about DENVER RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcrusoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202210800.QAA01477@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154755

In article <19980202180401.NAA07752@ladder02.news.aol.com>, onines@aol.com (Onines) writes:

>
Ordered some radios from DENVER RADIO this last week off their internet
>site.
Received a polite e-mail a few days later from a Tom Youngberg of that
>store
explaining to me that the price list quoted on the web was incorrect,
>they
wanted to charge $40 more per radio (almost 17% increase). The
>explanation
offered was that the posted price was several months old and the
>service
provider is slow in updating the site.
This warning is not an attempt
>to whine or snivel, I'm a big boy and can get
over it. It is, however,
>important for others to know so you don't waste your
time ordering something
>from this firm that they will not honor. Steve
(AC6FR)

I have heard of this from other firms as well, and so I think it is imperative that prices be verified by e-mail or voice before actually placing an order.

Usually there is a disclaimer that they are not responsible for typos, or that prices are subject to change.

In fairness, it is indeed pretty tough to keep everything up-to-date on a really massive website. Still, a company that wants MY business will make a pretty good effort, and maybe even honor a price that is not current. A strong case can be made that a company that cannot keep prices up-to-date and will not honor prices advertised on a web page, really ought to think about whether they want a web page at all.

Personally, I am more likely to order from a firm when I see their prices advertised for what I want. I am equally likely to not order when I am told that the price has gone up since press time or post date. And I am CERTAIN to verify price by e-mail or phone. But that's just me.

73 EVRBDY DE AB5VH (Robinson)
From the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
In the Great State of TEXAS
dit diddy-dit dit.....

157. FT-Manager V1.5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laurent LABOURIE <llabourie@nordnet.fr>
Message-ID: <6b5b5qfec1@news.nordnet.fr>
Source record: 154756

The new version of FT-Manager is now running with the FT-980 and early firmware versions of FT-990 & FT-1000 (ROM1.2).

Of course FT-Manager is running with FT-990/890/840/900/1000D/1000MP/920

To see at http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/f6dex

F6DEX - Laurent

158. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulc@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6b5ddu$3ie@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 154757

Clif (avvid@onramp.net) wrote:

: Is it starting to soak in that a talkie is a poor and EXPENSIVE first
: radio.

Guess I'm beating this to death, but I wouldn't be so dogmatic about it. If your primary purpose is to take it hiking, bike riding, skiing, keeping in contact with the wife/husband or kids, or any "personal mobile" use, then obviously a mobile is not a choice at all, unless you can afford to buy two radios.

An HT can be made to work reasonably well in a car. At the bare minimum you need a good cartop antenna and a 5 watt power adapter. Rubber-duck inside the car really doesn't work unless you have a high up, close by repeater.

I completely agree that a mobile is a much, much better choice for car use, though. HT disadvantages for car use include: too many wires to mess with, wear and tear on connectors from repeated connections/disconnections, low output power, higher "intermod" (this can really be a problem), low audio, spilling things on it, no place to put it, need a remote mic, etc. Once you get a mobile for your car, you'll realize what you've been missing.

That said, I lived just fine for two years going HT car-mobile with a (bought used) 50 watt amplifier. I wouldn't want to go back to that, though...

Bottom line: how are you going to use it? How much money do you want to spend?

-Paul C. KG0CZ

159. WTB Yaesu FT-70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: R <rdieterich@racom.com>
Message-ID: <34D63B82.6670@racom.com>
Source record: 154758

Does anyone have an FT-70 for sale. State please condition and functionality.

Thanks,

R

160. Re: yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulc@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6b5dof$3ie@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 154759

I don't understand...aircraft radios transmit AM. I very much doubt
that the FT50 transmits AM under any circumstances. You could probably
detune the AM receiver slightly to detect the FM signal, sort of.
Obviously, an iffy proposition...

-Paul C. KG0CZ

161. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6b5h4k$a8r$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 154760

Stefan Kowal (100627.3426@CompuServe.COM) wrote:
: Can anyone please supply the web page details of RT Systems?
:
: Thanks,
:
: Stefan Kowal
: G0BJW
RT Systems URL:
http://www.rtsars.com

162. WTB: Icom 575

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Anderson <n1mhh@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34D64A58.5B932FA4@ma.ultranet.com>
Source record: 154761

Hi posting for a friend, he is looking for a Icom 575 the low power
verision. if you have one please send a reply to me with your info. plus
a phone # and a time to call and will
pass it on. 73 tnx for your time. Ron.

163. WTB 8Pin Din for Kenwood950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202225400.RAA15520@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154762

I am looking for an 8 Pin Din cable to go from a kenwood 950 sd to an SM-230 monitor scope.

Thanks
John

164. FS: AT-50 Ant. Tuner for TS-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbohner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202225900.RAA27552@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154763

For Sale:
Kenwood AT-50 Antenna tuner, New Price @ AES=$329 -- Asking $245.

The AT-50 was used only about 30 minutes at home with my Cushcraft vertical (never mobile). I ended up using the TS-50 on my boat with an SGC antenna tuner that is designed for that type of antenna and shared with my ICOM marine SSB. The AT-50 has been in a storage cabinet in my house ever since. It is literally like new. The TS-50 has been sold.
Send email to:
GBohner@aol.com
Guy, W6LJL
St. Petersburg, FL

165. Re: Suggested Filters for CW and SSB??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1zpk9halo.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 154764

"Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com> writes:

> I plan on installing 2 filters in myIcom 706Mk-II and was looking for =
> suggestions on which filters to buy. I planned on using one for CW and =
> the other for SSB. Also, does anyone know what bandwidth the radio =
> receives in normally in both CW and USB/LSB modes.
>
> 73's de Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com

I have an ICOM 706 Mark II with an AT-180 Auto Tuner, and I have recently been pondering the exact same filter question. Just to make the issue even more interesting, it turns out the 706 Mark II already has two stock narrow(er) filters installed, one usable on SSB and one usable on CW. That information is in the user manual. But, like Eric, I haven't yet figured out what the default (not narrowed) pass bands are for CW and SSB. Anyone?

I assume we would want the narrowest CW filter we can get to screen out the most noise (QRM and QRN). For the ICOM 706 Classic and Mark II the 250 Hz filter is the narrowest available for the 706 Mark II. Likewise, I assume the 1.9 kHz SSB filter would be the most desirable, again on the theory that when conditions are bad (QRM, QRN) we would want to knock out as much of the SSB passband as possible to reduce noise while still retaining intelligibility.

I suspect the ICOM 706 Mark II with the optional 250 Hz CW filter, the optional 1.9 kHz SSB filter, and the new optional internal DSP might be a very nice mobile unit indeed. It would have all the noise reduction features directly controllable from the detached front panel and all fit into once small box without a rat's nest of cables running all over the passenger compartment.

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Marc Illsley Clarke, KB0YDL, KB0YDL@N0MPI.#NECO.CO.USA.NOAM
marcclarke@unforgettable.com
4857 North Sheridan Avenue, Loveland, Colorado 80538-1767 USA
(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

166. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6b5ava$i5$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 154765

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On 1 Feb 1998 22:04:11 GMT, Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton) wrote:
> >"worked fine" is a very wide term, as I said: if you have not
> >written down YOUR original settings, bad luck.
>
> Ok, I'll play straight man. How do I access these settings so
> I can write them down *before* they become corrupted?

Press and hold VOL+FW+MONITOR at powering on.

Go throu the settings with the UP and DOWN buttons.

Notice that there are 2 values for each setting.
One for Bands 0-4 and one for 5-8, change the
Band with the BAND button.

You will have 2*7 = 14 Nummbers to write down.

You can chnage (restore) them with the dial button.

Save with the F button (hold 1 second)

Greetings, ...

167. Re: ADMS Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6b5cr5$1m2$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 154766

Rod wrote:
>
> http://www.rtsars.com
> --
> RT Systems

Hi Rod,

can you help us in the Subjekt SQ and S-meter Settings ?

What do you thing about this discussion we are having.
You are the most authorised and respected person in this
Subject.

Can you provide some information about what the settings
are and how they are adjusted ?

Is there any way (command) to download the complete EEPROM
24C32 and upload it later if it is nescessary? This way
the SQ settings could be backuped. It would be a nice
feauture to implemend in your Software.

Thank you in advance and

Greetings, ...

168. Re: yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kelly Johnson <kellyj@corel.com>
Message-ID: <34D6517B.50E3C303@corel.com>
Source record: 154767

Boy, am I confused! I have been looking for just such a radio, but have
been told by everyone I ask, including the Yaesu technicians that the
FT-50 only has an FM transmitter and can't transmit AM. If your mod
really works, then a lot of people, including Yaesu techs are wrong. I
would be most interested in such a mod for the FT-51RD. I had abandoned
all hope, but if you're right, then I may have to start believing again.

--Kelly

Lee810 wrote:

> I found a thread on this subject on DejaNews and thought it was worth
> resurrecting. The question was whether or not it would be possible to
> transmit
> on the airband (118-135Mhz) with a modified FT50. Most of the
> responses were
> quite negative.
>
> Well, I've thought about it...and I've tested it. I am a ham/pilot
> and I feel
> there would be nothing more useful in the cockpit for emergencies than
> a radio
> that could transmit and receive on Ham, CAP, and Airband frequencies.
> Ideally,
> it would be a radio I'm familiar with, and with batteries in a known
> good
> condition (i.e. one that I use regularly).
>
> You can do the freeband mod with the AMDS software and a hex editor on
> the
> FT50, no soldering required. I've tested the air band frequency and
> got a
> 'loud and clear' from an aircraft 5 miles away. (This was not with the
> rubber
> duck, but with a dipole antenna cut for the airband frequency range.)
>
> I'd personally be very interested in owning a certified airband/ham
> handheld
> transceiver, and I suspect that the other 14,000 ham/pilots would be
> too.
>
> Lee Devlin, N3IWP
> LongEZ 36MX

169. ANyone used Grove's Max High Gain 800 MHz Portable Antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam-dog-nospam@usa.net
Message-ID: <sam-dog-nospam-ya02408000R0202981905100001@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 154768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is this the description from the websight.

High Gain 800 MHz Portable Antenna

Receive better clarity in the 800 MHz range!
ANT 22 The Max Systems antenna will make a tremendous improvement in the 806-960 MHz reception over the whip provided with your hand-held or desktop scanner! (Not usable in other frequency ranges.)

ANyones used this?

Can you hook up 2 antennas at one time, like this one plus one with full range coverage?

170. Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam-dog-nospam@usa.net
Message-ID: <sam-dog-nospam-ya02408000R0202981904470001@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 154769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For example one designed for 800 mhz and one that's full range?

would you use just a bnc t- connector?

171. WTD: Manual Konigsberg KR132C/64 and Sonar Challenger 62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian D Heaton <bheaton@txdirect.net>
Message-ID: <6b5pbj$jg2$1@eclipse.sat.txdirect.net>
Source record: 154770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Picked up a couple old marine SSB rigs for a restoration project. Have already checked the usual suspects for manuals. Looking for docs for the following:

Konigsberg KR132C/32

Konigsberg Electronics, In
So. San Francisco, Calif, USA

(possibly still in business, but selling med gear)

Sonar "Challenger 62"

Sonar Radio Corp. (no addl. info found)

THX, N5VFF

172. Trade - Kenwood TS430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: K9GCO <howerter@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6b5v3k$t0d$1@news.tbcnet.com>
Source record: 154771

Would like to trade a Kenwood TS430S for a good laptop or camcorder.
TS430 in excellent condition with FM module and widband AM filter

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K9GCO

173. FS: Harris RF401 VHF FM base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b5r76uoi1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Harris RF401 VHF fm base radio. RF output 80W. crystal contolled 12 channel,frequecy range 134-178 MHZ simplex or duplex. Five new spare fianls, manual and microphone.
rcf@crosslink.net
n2xqm

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

174. FS: Harris RF401 VHF FM base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b5r84uom1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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175. FS: Harris RF401 VHF FM base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b5r8ouon1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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176. FS: Icom IC21A and DV21VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b5rieuqv1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Icom IC21A 2m fm base station very good condition,matchin vfo DV21 not working
best offer
rcf@crosslink.net
n2xqm

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

177. Re: yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b5t96$eds@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154776

The Yaesu techs are not wrong. It would take an entire second modulator system in order to transmit AM. They DO NOT transmit AM period. Some AM radios can detect the FM audio, a little slope detection may go a long way, but more often than not, the audio will be unrecognizable. I have a VX1 and it is the same thing.

Kelly Johnson wrote:
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> FT-50 only has an FM transmitter and can't transmit AM. If your mod
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> --Kelly
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> > quite negative.
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> > 'loud and clear' from an aircraft 5 miles away. (This was not with the
> > rubber
> > duck, but with a dipole antenna cut for the airband frequency range.)
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> > I'd personally be very interested in owning a certified airband/ham
> > handheld
> > transceiver, and I suspect that the other 14,000 ham/pilots would be
> > too.
> >
> > Lee Devlin, N3IWP
> > LongEZ 36MX

178. Swap my FT-980 for your...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry & Robin Lempicki <lempicki@psych.umass.edu>
Message-ID: <34D6A36A.4509@psych.umass.edu>
Source record: 154777

Hi! I have an FT-980 in excellent condition...100 watt, 10-160 meter HF all mode rig, with Fox Tango CW filters. Would like to trade for Optoelectronics Xplorer (unblocked of course!)
--
Gerry KA1STZ Robin KA1YJR

179. Ham Radio in Russia?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Elena Nesvetaeva <lenka1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b5uit$pav@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154778

Folks,

Does anyone have any experience with ham radio ("radiolyubitel'stvo") in Russia?

How does one go about getting a license? If you can give me phone numbers or addresses of related organizations in St. Petersburg, Russia, it would be especially helpful.

What is the approximate price of equipment in Russia for voice communications with the outside world (and what equipment is needed)?

Thanks,

Elena

180. Standard C558A CTCSS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kbrews@galstar.com
Message-ID: <6b32r6$4dr@mercury.galstar.com>
Source record: 154797

If its not one thing its another...
I have a dualband HT, Standard C558A, which I bought used recently.
It works great using repeaters with no PL, but it seems to act
as if there is no CTCSS capability. How can I check that the CTCSS
unit (CTN160) is installed (preferably without opening the case) as
stated by the seller? It does have the 100 channel memory
unit (CMU161). I have set Mute=off (tried with On also, the
manual contradicts itself on that one).

-Keith

Keith Brewster
n0iaw

181. Re: Change in Size of ARRL Handbooks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <6b34c8$6vl$3@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 154798

In article <34D37AF2.57F@sprintmail.com>, halwaite@sprintmail.com wrote:
>Sometime between 1978 and 1982 the ARRRL Handbook changed to a larger
>format. Can anyone tell me when the last small format Handbook was
>published. Thanks.
>
>73 de Hal K3AB/7

You could get an accurate answer by emailing the ARRL.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
==
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==

182. F.S. Heathkit HF & VHF Dual Wattmeters $85.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202005000.TAA08855@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154799

Heathkit VHF Dual Wattmeter Model HM-2141
50-175 Mhz. 30-300 Watts PEP 100 Watts Reflected W/manual
$85. + Shp. Excell. Cond.

Heathkit HF Dual Wattmeter Model HM-2140
1.8-30 Mhz. 200-2000 PEP 500 Watts Reflected W/manual
$85. +Shp, Excell. Cond.

Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 or (kcoin@aol.com)

183. Heath HM-9 QRP Wattmeter "Mint" & Unused on eBay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bsutter@dreamscape.com
Message-ID: <6b35fj$o8$2@news.dreamscape.com>
Source record: 154800

>http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5390060

184. F.S. Drake AC/4 $95. MS-4 $50.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202010301.UAA11058@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154801

Drake Spk. MS-4 Excell. Cond orig.
$50. + Shp.

Drake AC/4 Power Supply Excell. Cond.
$95. + Shp.

Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 or (kcoin@aol.com)

185. Chicago Area Amateur Radio Souce Listing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cal Kutemeier <ckuter@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6b3abg$d2j@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154802

As a new ham in the Chicago area, I spent time learning the various resources available to the amateur radio community. The following is a listing which I compiled.

Chicago Amateur Radio Sources

Morse Code Training Transmissions

Tuesdays and Thursdays - 7:00 pm 146.970
Thursdays - 8:00 pm 442.275
Thursdays - 8:00 pm 144.630
Thursdays - 8:00 pm 145.230

Radio Nets

Sundays - 8:00 pm 145.390 Wheaton Amateur Radio Club
Sundays - 8:00 pm 147.285 NAPS
Mondays - 8:00 pm 147.420 York Radio Club (simplex)
Tuesdays - 8:00 pm 146.670 WAFAR (includes produced radio segments)
Tuesdays - 8:00 pm 442.975 FISHFAR
Wednesdays - 8:00 pm 442.875 York Radio Club

If you have any corrections or additions, please send them to me via e-mail (ckuter@ix.netcom.com) for future updates.

186. Need info on IC229H, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu
Message-ID: <EnqB13.Fuv@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 154803

Looking for IRCI Icom Newsletters with info on the IC229; might
be issues #123 and 124, or #124 and 125. Also need Service/Tech
manual for the radio. Clean copies A-OK. Please Email if you can
help. Thanks!
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There's no point taking life too seriously;
you'll never get out of it alive anyway...

187. yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee810@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202030400.WAA20200@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154804

I found a thread on this subject on DejaNews and thought it was worth resurrecting. The question was whether or not it would be possible to transmit on the airband (118-135Mhz) with a modified FT50. Most of the responses were quite negative.

Well, I've thought about it...and I've tested it. I am a ham/pilot and I feel there would be nothing more useful in the cockpit for emergencies than a radio that could transmit and receive on Ham, CAP, and Airband frequencies. Ideally, it would be a radio I'm familiar with, and with batteries in a known good condition (i.e. one that I use regularly).

You can do the freeband mod with the AMDS software and a hex editor on the FT50, no soldering required. I've tested the air band frequency and got a 'loud and clear' from an aircraft 5 miles away. (This was not with the rubber duck, but with a dipole antenna cut for the airband frequency range.)

I'd personally be very interested in owning a certified airband/ham handheld transceiver, and I suspect that the other 14,000 ham/pilots would be too.

Lee Devlin, N3IWP
LongEZ 36MX

188. manual for Collins HF200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: admd@inforamp.net
Message-ID: <6b3e33$hnn@news.inforamp.net>
Source record: 154805

I have used transceiver "COLLINS HF 200" and have to make some modification to it.
I would like to buy manual and schematics for this radio. I would appreciate answer
from anyone who knows this transceiver.
Please send email to: <Andrew> awfqisto@yesic.com
Tnx, 73

189. Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34D5DF60.2E62@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154806
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

lots of ham stuff for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky Heathkit Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more including a TWOER

190. 5 MHz steps in UHF on FT8000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6b3dkj$dht@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 154807

The Yaesu FT-8000 allows 5 MHz steps on the VHF side, but only goes down to 10 MHz steps on UHF. Is there a mod or work-around which would allow 5 MHz steps on UHF on this radio?

I have the ADMS-2 software for this radio, and I tried changing the yaesu.ini file by adding AllowAnyFrequency = 1. I hoped that perhaps the software would then allow me to program these frequencies by computer. Unfortunately, the software continues to tell me that the frequencies I am trying to program are not valid. The frequencies of interest at 436.805, 436.795, and 436.785.

Any help / advice appreciated.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

191. Re: FT-51 dial button

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ThankYou <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2f8d$684098c0$a80148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

No. is (310) 404-2700

Rok Zevnik <zevnik@medvet-pu.s-gim.kr.edus.si> wrote in article
<34D4E73E.E1526191@medvet-pu.s-gim.kr.edus.si>...
> On Tuesday I sent a message regarding lost dial button on my FT-51R.
> I also got one reply, but it seems that it isn't on my server anymore.
>
> Can someone please send me the part number for rubber dial button again?
>
>
> I apologize for the inconvinience.
>
> Thanks,
> Rok Zevnik
>

192. Re: sneaky/slinky Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcrusoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202070000.CAA23356@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154809

In article <Pine.BSI.3.96.980131144512.8821A-100000@malasada.lava.net>, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net> writes:

>
Army Mars Members here in Honolulu have come up with a novel little Ant that
>seems to really work well in Condos and confined areas.
Take a 8ft length of
>2 1/2" pvc pipe. Cut the pipe so that you can wedge it between the ceiling
>and floor of your Apt. Drill a 1/4" hole at the top and bottom of the pipe so
>that 1/4" wood dowels can be inserted through the pipe to anchor the slinky
>to. Buy a regular "original" slinky toy. This is the large (about 2 3/4"
>Diameter) size and slide the slinky over the pipe. Secure it at both ends
>to the dowels. Take a "gator" clip and connect to a wire then to the center
>conductor of your coax feedline. Attach another piece of wire to the shield
>of your coax line and ground it to the nearest water pipe, or make it long
>enough to throw out of your balcony and let it hang (if you have enough
>height where you live). This will serve as a ground/plane in lieu of a water
>pipe. The approx spot to connect the gator clip to feed your slinky ant is
>about 1" up from the bottom of the slinky coil for 7mhz. Or about 10" up for
>4mhz. You can use an antenna analyzer to get the best tap point for minimum
>swr before keydown tuning. The slinky is available at many toy stores like
>"Toys R Us" etc. They also make a smaller diameter one that would be useful
>if creating a sneaky slinky for VHF use. Remember the tap feedpoinnt >will
vary greatly depending on how much you have to stretch out the

slinky to
>match your floor to ceiling space. Dont hold key
down for more than a few
>seconds at a time till you get the SWR
down to nil or you could damage your
>Xmtr output stages. A
antenna tuner would be a great asset in making these
>adjustments
until you find the right coil tap. Credit for this idea goes
to
>ABM6BT here in Honolulu.
Joe/KH6JF/ABM6JF

>**********
*
>jfenn@lava.net *
* Ham KH6JF (since
>'37) *
* MARS (AARS) ABM6JF (since '40) *
>
* WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *

>**********

Heh heh! Yeah, Slinky antennas of one stripe or another have been around quite a while. Can you imagine the grin on the face of the first ham to see one and click to the possibilities?

I made a slinky dipole once. Hard to get a good match and keep it, due to mechanical instability, but it sure was little. I could have used a good antenna analyzer when I was messing around with this idea.

73 EVRBDY DE AB5VH (Robinson)
From the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
In the Great State of TEXAS
dit diddy-dit dit.....

193. Wanted - Yaesu ADMS-1C kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ThankYou <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2fab$a8876300$4c0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154810

I would like to buy this Kit with software.
Pls contact email: neltang@hotmail.com

73

Rgds

194. Re: Yaesu FT-900CAT Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <34D57740.F73481F3@netnet.net>
Source record: 154811

I've had it over a year and love it, both /M and fixed. The optional filters are necessary as it overloads easily with strong adjacent stations.

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73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ

Robert wrote:

> Hello,
>
> I'am considering purchasing a Yaesu FT-900CAT.
> Any comments from owners good or bad.
>
> Thanks,
> Robert WD9IDV
>
> Please email :
> karate8@ameritech.net

195. Re: ADMS for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ThankYou <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2fb1$ea3e24e0$cb0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154812

Do sombody can re-post this, due to my file was cancelled in my server.

thanks a lot

73

196. ADMS Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ThankYou <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2fb4$629cbda0$cb0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154813

Anybody know the Web Site of RT Systems (home page)

Thanks a lot

Rgds

197. Ham stuff for sale cheap(er)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc7zwg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202084301.DAA11427@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154814

http://members.aol.com/kc7zwg/hamshack.html

198. FS: Kenwood 870 / Ameritron AL1500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980202090501.EAA01153@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154815

I have for sale a Kenwood TS870--Ecellent Condition---Comes with an Astron RS35A 12 volt power supply.If bought new it would cost $2,600.00. Selling for $2,000.00.

Also have an Ameritron AL 1500. Newer 8877 final tube. EC----$1,900.00.

Contact me at n8wgm@cyberdrive.net or at n8wgm@AOL.net

199. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@REMOVETHIS.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <34d5b868.5301686@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 154816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 07:59:44 -0700, Gary Wood
<docky@earthlink.net> wrote:

>lots of ham stuff for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky Heathkit
>Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more
>including a TWOER

And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)

200. Manual Needed: Dovetron MPC-1000 CR/T II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: nx7u@primenet.com
Message-ID: <34d5bfb6.660528@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 154817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital,alt.ham-radio.rtty

Need operating manual to Dovetron MPC-1000 CR/T. Will pay
copying/postage or ???
Would also appreciate any hints, suggestions, etc., as to sources.
Would like to get it on the air!
Thanks in advance,

Scott Townley
Gilbert, AZ
nx7u@primenet.com

201. Icom IC-735 for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <wnjB.175$vh1.3633190@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 154818

Icom IC-735 HF all mode in perfect working order. Serial number is 07674. No filter. Receives and transmits from 100 khz to 30 mhz. Comes with hand microphone, power cable, instruction manual, and original box. Appearance 9 out of 10.
Shipped insured to your door for $600.00 U.S.
Also MFJ-949E antenna tuner in perfect condition. Comes with original box, instruction manual and original bill of sale. Shipped insured to your door for $100.00 U.S.
Will not sell the tuner before the Icom is sold.
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73 de VE2CJW
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

202. Brand new Icom IC-T2A for sale .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <1qjB.176$vh1.3634699@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 154819

BRAND NEW Icom IC-T2A 2 meter ht with HM-46 external microphone, comes with original box, instruction manual and 8 rechargeable nicads. This combination is worth $215.00 U.S. , I am asking $150.00 U.S. shipped insured to your door.
73 de VE2CJW
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

203. Need an article for your club newsletter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerryc@airmail.net
Message-ID: <02BB11A7DEF464B2.2E3D1189F10BC43D.5012387ECACCCE4B@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 154820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.packet

Hi,
Name here is Gerry (WD4BIS) and I have been writing a column for our club newsletter called "New Ham Partner". With the influx of No Code Technicians on the repeater, asking the same kinds of questions I asked 20 years ago, I have been trying to answer them. Some of the articles are technical, some of them are general information, but they all address subjects that our new friends are struggling with.

I have set up a web page for these articles. On this page, I have placed the columns I have already published in past issues of our newsletter.

Doing this on a web page has advantages, the big one being that the articles wont expire in a newsgroup, I can edit or update old ones and add new columns as write them, and I wont have to send re-posts.

The Cost..I will ask that you do not edit the articles (except for the normal formating to fit you newsletters), and use my by-line. If you use them, send me an E-mail and let me know when and where. If you have a spare stamp mail me a copy of your newsletter to Garland Amateur Radio Club (K5QHD). The address for the GARC is on the web page. I really do understand how tight a club postage budget can be.

Where... http://web2.airmail.net/gerryc/newham.html

I am posting this every six months or so to the newsgroups.Four new articles just added bring the total up to 21.

BTW the address for GARC webpage is http://web2.airmail.net/gerryc/garc.html and my personal web page is http://web2.airmail.net/gerryc

73's

Gerry Crenshaw

204. Re: yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewart@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <34D59242.5A12@sccoast.net>
Source record: 154821

> lee810@aol.com (Lee810) wrote...
>
> I found a thread on this subject on DejaNews and thought it was worth
> resurrecting. The question was whether or not it would be possible
> to transmit on the airband (118-135Mhz) with a modified FT50. Most
> of the responses were quite negative.
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> You can do the freeband mod with the AMDS software and a hex editor
> on the FT50, no soldering required. I've tested the air band
> frequency and got a 'loud and clear' from an aircraft 5 miles away.
> (This was not with the rubber duck, but with a dipole antenna cut
> for the airband frequency range.)

REPLY...

Yes Lee, you can modify the the FT-50 to transmit on the aircraft bands (I'm not saying it is legal to do so, only that it can be done).

However, the software modification you describe not longer works with the new models (FT-50RD). These models require solder jumpers, and resisters, to be removed for the modification. Instructions can be found on the internet.

Disclaimer: kiddies, if you're reading this message, don't mess with the aircraft frequencies - there are severe things that can happen to you if you interfere with a commercial aircraft's transmissions. If someone gets hurt, you won't see daylight for many decades.

Dwight Stewart (KF4URZ)

205. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC <username@REMOVE.writeme.com>
Message-ID: <6b4j1n$545$1@news1-alterdial.UU.NET>
Source record: 154822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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Brian Carling wrote in message <34d5b868.5301686@news.mnsinc.com>...
>For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 07:59:44 -0700, Gary Wood
><docky@earthlink.net> wrote:
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>>lots of ham stuff for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky Heathkit
>>Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more
>>including a TWOER
>
>And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)
>
Like you don't know that means TOWER.......
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206. Re: Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242 and etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Little <little@galileo.galilei.com>
Message-ID: <34D5BD85.51F6@galileo.galilei.com>
Source record: 154823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Cutie Boy,

She's probably using a 49 MHz portable phone and the 3rd harmonic is 147 MHz.

Wait for a sale and buy her a 900 MHz cordless phone -- I've seen them for $50! Just explain the situation to her politely. It's probably the the best thing to do for your neighborly relationship.

Keith Little
KC0CPN

David Richardson wrote:
>
> "K.Klevesahl" <slipbit@spnt.com> wrote:
>
> >Cutie Boy wrote:
> >>
> >> Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242
> >> and Pro-26. Pro-2045 receives a little bit, but not much.
> >>
> >> Should I complain about this to my neighbour ? Should she stop
> >> using it ?
> >>
> >> It's getting crazy when I scan for the repeater and suddenly I stop
> >> for cordless which I am not interested in listening to.
> >>
> > I would talk to her. The fact that her conversations can be herd by
> >someone else maybe motivation enough for her to by a cheap 900mhz
> >cordless. You might also mention that anyone with a scanner can hear
> >too.
> > good luck, kevin
>
> 1. First you cannot ask her to stop using the cordless phone.
>
> 2.Hearing the cordless around 147 MHz, is a ghost image usually 2 time
> the IF frequency of your scanner
>
> 3. tough luck

207. ATTN:I need any info regarding ASCOM mobile type of radios.!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: vr100@rosey.com
Message-ID: <6b4j86$8a8@sdrn.zippo.com>
Source record: 154824

Please if anyone knows anything about ASCOM mobile type of radios (switzerland made) and have some software needed to programm it please contact me at: vr100@rosey.com THANX

208. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmuddx@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2fea$0adc3ba0$06a4cacc@dad>
Source record: 154825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

He means twoer. It is a particular model of 2 meter heathkit. Go take a
look. It's a classic.

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> >And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)
> >
> Like you don't know that means TOWER.......
>
>
>

209. Yaesu FT-727R squelch problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlco@jps.net
Message-ID: <34d5e08f.169850197@news.jps.net>
Source record: 154826

Thanks for reading... My FT-727R HT's squelch is now open all the time (turning the knob has no effect) - I did a software "reset" that didn't help. Any suggestions?

Thanks in advance,

Jeff KN6GI

210. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC <username@REMOVE.writeme.com>
Message-ID: <6b4o0b$801$1@news1-alterdial.UU.NET>
Source record: 154827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Rick Mudd wrote in message <01bd2fea$0adc3ba0$06a4cacc@dad>...
>He means twoer. It is a particular model of 2 meter heathkit. Go take a
>look. It's a classic.

Apologies from me....didn't read the post that well....

211. FS: Motorola Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: meadowcomm <meadowcomm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd2fef$9abcde00$f8c4accf@default>
Source record: 154828
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio,att.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have two chargers for sale:

1) Motorola Overnight Desktop Battery Charger (NTN1174A) with power supply.

2) Motorola Rapid Charger (NTN1171A) with power supply (2580162R01).

Both have battery spacer for different size batteries. Both in excellent
condition. Best offer takes either one or both.
Will ship UPS.

Sincerely,
Chris
meadowcomm@erols.com
201-896-8770

212. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Bent <jbent@netcomuk.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6b857oipf1@taliesin.netcom.net.uk>
Source record: 154580
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

N1rsq wrote in message <01bd30f5$bab53340$111871ce@default>...
>GO TO THE SEARCH ENGINES, YELLOW PAGES, OR TRY ASKING A HAM IN PERSON.
> most of the people who post on n/g are just bored with no knowlege of of
>anything asked.
>
>case in point. i asked for opinions on the ft-8100r. bert was the only
>email i got that stated the experience he and his friends had. the other
>27 emails said either
> "a piece of S%^t " or " dont have one but i like the &*^^%$ i have"
>
>so that means 2 in 29 people have a brain.
>And considering this i think me and bert have better things to do.
>
>P.S. what happened to AMOR.

does he mean AMTOR or free love?

213. WTB: Astron SS-30

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203225900.RAA24670@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154581

Want to buy a switching power supply. With or without meters but must be mint.
Please let me know what you have.

73,
K-K

214. Need DX-35 or DX-40 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwilson@REMOVEflex.net
Message-ID: <34d7a34f.0@news.flex.net>
Source record: 154582

As I mentioned in another thread, I am working on a screen-grid modulation mod for the Kenwood TS-830s which uses two 6146B finals.

I understand that the Heathkit DX-35 and DX-40 rigs each used a single 6146 tube, and did use screen grid modulation. I am interested to find out the components that were used in the screen circuits of these rigs.

Can someone help me with a copy of one of these Heath diagrams?

Please contact me at mwilson at flex.net.

.........Monty N5NVM.

215. Re: Problem w/ Knwd TS430s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <34D7C08A.639A@frii.com>
Source record: 154583

Scott,

I understand there was a factory update that possibly might be associated with your problem. The PCB trace that connects the power output transistor's bases to the base resistors involves soldering a heavy wire to bypass the traces. Evidentally, those traces are not good enough to handle the current.

Dave - W0MAY

Scott Dickson wrote:
> I am having an intermittant problem with my Kenwood TS-430s
> (serial # 4011115) that has me puzzled.
>
> The output power will occasionally fall to nothing while transmitting
> on the 10 meter band, both in CW and SSB modes. I have a MFJ
> SWR/POWER meter in-line, so I see the power fall from 75-100 watts to
> less than 10. It may only last a few seconds, or it may last several
> minutes.
>
> When this happens, I have switched immediately to 15 meters and 40
> meters -- the rig seems to be working fine there -- but back on 10
> meters, it is anyone's guess as to when the power will come back up.
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> --Scott Dickson
> --KD5CAS**spamhater**@iamerica.net
> --E-mail address is: CALLSIGN@iamerica.net

216. FS: AT11 Automatic HF Antenna Coupler Kits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6b8f0u$7ud$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154584
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

This kit is brand new,sealed. The tuner works with any radio at power levels
to 100w continious, 150w at 50% duty cycle. The kit is described in QST
janurary 95.
It is from LDG electronics. The present LDG cost new is $158.00 with shipping.
More information on the kit is availble at http://www.radix.net/~ldg.
asking $100.00 or B.O. shipped.
I do not have the LDG enclosure.
rcf@crosslink.net

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

217. I need INFO about ASCOM mobile radios (Swiss made) PleaSEE Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: vr100@rosey.com
Message-ID: <6b8bp0$ifd@sdrn.zippo.com>
Source record: 154585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Please if anyone have any info regarding ASCOM mobile radios or Programming software and interconnecting pin-outs contact me at vr100@rosey.com Thanx

218. Down east Transverters???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34D7BF2E.F42AC3B4@total.net>
Source record: 154586

Does anyone use the Downeast Transverters from 10m to 2m ? I almost purchased the Tentec 1210 transverter but was told to check out downeast. There pricing is a little more but seem to be a better transverter.

Any comments greatly appreciated...

Lou Roppoli

219. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry <btuttleman@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b8ei8$j7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

mark: i think you should have had that twoer powered off of the bicycle
(wheel) generator for some qrp action.
barry
carson city, nevada

220. Re: Denver Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <34D7E862.6EBF@1st.net>
Source record: 154588

everyone has a breaking point. i would like to see the whole exchange
before passing judgement. there are circumstances were Tom would be
out of line with the below comments, there are also circumstances
were he would have the perfect right to say the below statements.

do not know what passed between the 2, but i will continue to do
business with Denver Radio as long as i am treated well.

duane wm8n

Jon10101 wrote:
>
> I cannot believe that an outfit such as denver radio would act so stupid
> replying to the customer as they have. I have purchased 2 radios and some other
> equipment without a problem. But the reply Tom of Denver Radio gave to one
> customer has changed my attitude. I would never purchase another radio from
> this outfit. I am embarrased for Denver Radio. They must think they are the
> only dealer out there. No matter who was at fault (the customer or the dealer)
> it is shocking to see this retailer talk this way to a customer. As I said no
> matter the outcome I have made my last purchase from Denver Radio. (Best of
> luck to you Tom) (you would almost think this was written by a 7 year old
> crybaby)
>
> Below is the reply Tom of Denver Radio sent to one of it's customers:
>
> <<>Steven,
> > Why don't retransmit this message. At least everyone would knnow the
> > truth.
> > You ordered 1(one) radio not some.
> > If you are not a snibbler than grow up.
> > There is a message at the top of the page that states the PRICES ARE
> > SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.
> > You may gladly take your business elsewhere.
> > Tom

221. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <34D7C0C3.48DC@navix.net>
Source record: 154589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

The TWOER was my first 2 meter rig too. I was net control station for awhile back in 1965 for our local 2 meter ARES net. I was in high school at the time and the twoer was all I could afford. Just the thought of running a 2 meter net on AM brings back all sorts of fond memories, but not any I would want to live through again.

222. Re: Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242 and etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donnie V. Savage" <dsavage@employees.org>
Message-ID: <34D7CB88.BF5D5F89@employees.org>
Source record: 154590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Code Sucker wrote:
>
> On Mon, 02 Feb 1998 04:35:17 -0800, Keith Little
> <little@galileo.galilei.com> wrote:
>
> >She's probably using a 49 MHz portable phone and the 3rd harmonic is 147
> >MHz.
> >
> >Wait for a sale and buy her a 900 MHz cordless phone -- I've seen them
> >for $50! Just explain the situation to her politely. It's probably the
> >the best thing to do for your neighborly relationship.
> >
> >Keith Little
> >KC0CPN
>
> Hi. I am myself looking for 900 MHz cordless, but it's too expensive
> to get one here in Canada.
>
> The cheapest I saw was around $200 CAN last Saturday.

Dont know about the cost in Can, but you might check with radio shack.
They
have (had?) them on sale for $89 last week. Nothing special, but works
great.

-donnie

223. Help for Landwehr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Merk <mmerk@scott.net>
Message-ID: <34D7CDF8.690127D8@scott.net>
Source record: 154591

Anybody have a source for parts for a Landwehr 2M mast mounted pre-amp?
I need the amplifier transistor.

Thanks

Mike Merk W4ALA
mmerk@scott.net

224. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Merk <mmerk@scott.net>
Message-ID: <34D7CF7D.27AE8494@scott.net>
Source record: 154592

If I could have only one radio, it would be a 20 meter CW only QRP rig with a real good receiver.

Ace wrote:

> I am preparing for my first radio purchase. From a perspective of someone
> who is trying to learn, but is also fairly technical, which radio do I buy
> first? There are so many to choose from!
>
> If I had to choose between a Yaesu HT 50 or a 51, which would be better?
>
> Any help would be appreciated. I really want to get on the air.
>
> Shaun McCabe
> KC7VYF

225. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mondoray <mondoray@netway1.mdc.net>
Message-ID: <34D7D1DA.121CC193@netway1.mdc.net>
Source record: 154593
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

To no one who wanted an answer...

One of the oddest things we do on news groups is expect a straight answer.

Go here to a n.g., ask a question, and an reply will be forthcoming with the absolute best answer to the question we asked.

Great if it were true.

No one owes anyone a straight answer. Never have. Western civilization then has been declining since the ancient Greeks.

What's the best rig? What's the best antenna? - just tell me so I don't have to waste my time like the people who's experience, effort and money spent I'm relying upon, to tell me what's right from wrong.

All the answers start with the coil of a 1934 Ford model A. And some wire.

[Flame me! I love it! Make me write bad checks! Ooooh, I can hardly wait because I'll be blamed for not solving your problems!].

OK, I'm sorry, spend all of your money on a FT-1000D and a 200' tower, and move to a salt marsh, and win the lottery, and, really serious, Floss! damn it, every single day!

73,
N1XNC

PS - I built a Vertical out of floss and W.A.S. back in 1962. But then they floridated the water... :-(I blame the ARRL for this and the sun spot cycle.

So what's with the FT-920? I think it's worth a try now. Everything after the August [7H] serial # seems to be cool.

226. FS: TS-690SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Dinkel <jdinkel@mum.edu>
Message-ID: <34D7DCEF.4104@mum.edu>
Source record: 154594

cherry condition, S/n 60100045, stock unit, second owner for only one month, used very little by orig. owner, great radio but I have bought another radio a notch up.

227. RE: WTB: TS-590D HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Dinkel <jdinkel@mum.edu>
Message-ID: <34D7DC52.1555@mum.edu>
Source record: 154595

I have bought a TS-570S

Thanks

228. IC-R8500, best price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6b8ofp$7oj$1@news9.ispnews.com>
Source record: 154596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Where is the best deal on the Icom IC-R8500 receiver? I realize Icom has a $300.00 instant coupon rebate right now, but are any of it's dealers discounting the price itself beyond that? It seems there's a lot of price fixing going on in the industry lately! Everybody is advertising the same price, almost to the penny. I though that was illegal?

Thanks,
Bill Crocker

229. FS: Yaesu 411E 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: humv@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <886544136.758644742@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Yaesu 411E 2M HT
RX 138-174
TX 140-148
backlit keypad,beltclip
CTCSS encode
40 channels w/ scanning
dtmf paging
box and manual

Larson rubber duck
1- 1100ma 5W battery
1-600ma 2.5W battery
1-AA case
1-12v car adapter
2 wall chagers
1-worn out 2.5W battery(needs new Ni-cads inside)
ask $150.00 Bill,KB9MMR

-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet
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230. FT-50R: setting memory 'unused'?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjbjr@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6b8osh$lqu@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 154598

I need to clean up my memory assignments, and wish to clear some and mark them as unused. I haven't figured out how to do this. Anyone know how to do this?

Thanx
--
- Martin J. Brown, Jr. -

mjbjr@primenet.com
PGP public key available via finger

231. Re: TS570D Expanded Xmit-Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <gary@cwnet.com>
Message-ID: <34D7E7B2.F299B6B3@cwnet.com>
Source record: 154599

I sure would like a look at that copy - I opened up my 570 to check out the possibility of removing - what is it, R41 on the processor board? - and what I *think* was it,

Cmjk2og wrote:

> I went to the HRO store that I purchased the radio from showed them my Mars
> license and they gave me a zerox of the information that you desire. Suggest
> you do the same.
>
> C. Jespersen K2OG/AAR2JE Cmjk2og wrote:

> I went to the HRO store that I purchased the radio from showed them my Mars
> license and they gave me a zerox of the information that you desire. Suggest
> you do the same.
>
> C. Jespersen K2OG/AAR2JE

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Gary - KJ6Q
====================
"society may be corrupt... if that is
true, we are all finished anyway".
-- Bill Clinton

232. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: J&J Mac <jmacd@cds1.net>
Message-ID: <34D7E6B6.9CCABD52@cds1.net>
Source record: 154600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Amen... I had the Six'er
What a blast.. If only we could get that type of kit today..

Jim..

Mike white wrote:

> > > Now THAT is REAL RADIO folks!!!!... A Benton Harbor Lunch Box on your
> bike handelbars...
>
> Boy, you've got *my* respect!!!
>
> > The Twoer was my first 2-mtr rig, when I was 14...
>
> Me too! I had a coaxial antenna stuck up in the top of a pine tree, fed
> with RG-8 that looked like it was left over from the Crimean War! It's a
> wonder that I got out at all. Ahhh..... memories.
>
> Mike, N4PDY

233. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <gary@cwnet.com>
Message-ID: <34D7E5C5.91377613@cwnet.com>
Source record: 154601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

ALWAYS fun to confuse the "younger generation" of hams - I built a couple of Heath Twoers in my day (early 60's) they were a lot of fun, cheap and effective - until the repeaters came on the scene, and with the Heath's WIDE regen receiver - there went the band!

wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com wrote:

> AC wrote:
> >
> > Brian Carling wrote in message <34d5b868.5301686@news.mnsinc.com>...
> > >For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 07:59:44 -0700, Gary Wood
> > ><docky@earthlink.net> wrote:
> > >
> > >>lots of ham stuff for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky Heathkit
> > >>Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more
> > >>including a TWOER
> > >
> > >And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)
> > >
> > Like you don't know that means TOWER.......
>
> Actually, sine it says "collector site", maybe they do mean Twoer,
> as in a Heathkit TWOER 2 meter radio..
>
> Steve - WA6GSD

--
Gary - KJ6Q
====================
"society may be corrupt... if that is
true, we are all finished anyway".
-- Bill Clinton

234. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: markem@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6b8qit$mje@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 154602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <34D7E6B6.9CCABD52@cds1.net>, J&J Mac <jmacd@cds1.net> wrote:
>Amen... I had the Six'er
>What a blast.. If only we could get that type of kit today..
>
> Jim..
>

I'm not sure you can't. TenTec sells some really nice 6M & 2M FM xcvr kits as well as some really decent 2M & 6M transverter kits...great quality at a decent price. For HF rigs there are several choices for great kits, most (all?) QRP...Wilderness, OHR, TenTec, Small Wonder Labs. There's also an outfit getting ready to market a CW/SSB xcvr kit that looks real good...can't remember the details offhand but I'm sure some others will know. I miss Heathkit too, but there are alternatives.

You're right about the Sixer, tho. Mine still works, too...

73... Mark AA7TA

235. Re: Down east Transverters???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Sjolin <sjolin@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34D8022D.28AB@swbell.net>
Source record: 154603

Lou R. wrote:
>
> Does anyone use the Downeast Transverters from 10m to 2m ? I almost
> purchased the Tentec 1210 transverter but was told to check out
> downeast. There pricing is a little more but seem to be a better
> transverter.
>
> Any comments greatly appreciated...

Hi Lou:

I have the DEM 144-28 transverter that you were asking about. Its a great piece of gear. More sensitive than my old multi-mode transceiver but at same time it is very hard to overload its front end. I can operate 5 khz away from very strong signals and not know they are there.

It's easy to interface with an HF rig. DEM even offers pre-made interface cables for certain transverters and have seemed amenable to doing custom cables when necessary. Service and support is great.

I can also list a few things that may be drawbacks to you.

1) The price is several hundred dollars more than the Tentec unit. I believe the assembled units go for about $400. They are available as kit for less.

2) The transverter does not have the commercial appearance that you have come to expect from the likes of Kenwood, Icom, Yaesu, or Ten Tec. In truth, it looks homebrew and I would have been happier if it had been painted.

If you get a DEM transverter you should be very pleased. DEM has a web site if you are interested. You can download a catalog, interfacing hints, and unit specifications from the following:
http://www.downeastmicrowave.com

73 de Dave, N0IT

236. Can anybody recommend a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rollins <rollins@island.net>
Message-ID: <6b90qa$d68$1@frasier.island.net>
Source record: 154604

Hello, im planning on buying a scanner. Funding is the problem. Can anyone recommend a "cheap", as in under $200 scanner that is pretty good? I don't have a clue whats good/not. All help would be thankful.

237. FS: Pro 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: DON LARSON <SPEEDDEMON@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6b90tt$19lg$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154605
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Pro 43 for sale.
It is in good condition and has the cell band mod.
Includes the factory service manual, users manual, a case that is too big,
(it's the case
for the HTX-202) and a telescoping antenna, along with the original antenna.

Apparently something is wrong with my newsreader software because I posted
the price but people still want to know the price. +ACQ-250 (two hundred and
fifty dollars).

Don Larson
(406)388-1997 hm
(800)595-8903 wk
speeddemon+AEA-prodigy.net

238. FT-102, FV-102DM, FT101 series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dick Sharp"
Message-ID: <6b8vt3$rm7@sdrn.zippo.com>
Source record: 154606

I have an FT-102 with the FV-102DM and manuals. The FT is clean, very clean but does need some tune up. I am asking $300+s&h for both units. I also have the Maintenance service manual for the FT-101 series (E,EE,EX). I am asking $25+s&h for the manual.
richard@communityonline.net

239. Re: FT-50R: setting memory 'unused'?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6b95s6$6cv@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 154607

mjbjr@primenet.com (Martin Brown) writes:
>I need to clean up my memory assignments, and wish to clear some and mark
>them as unused. I haven't figured out how to do this. Anyone know how to
>do this?

I don't think you can return a single memory to the "unused" state by using the radio's controls. You can mask a memory so it does not appear as you sequence through them, but that's not quite the same as "unused" status.

You can clear all memories to unused at once with a particular power-on sequence, but that's fairly drastic.

The best way to manage memories is with the ADMS software. It will let you play with the memory contents to your heart's content. When you've made up your mind, it downloads a new copy of *all* of the memories to the radio. That should let you make a memory unused again, though I haven't explicitly tried that yet.

Dave

240. Re: ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Sterry <richard@No_Spam.waveg.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ant032331bc8z*cL@waveg.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <G.Milligan-ya023080000302981742320001@bignews.shef.ac.uk>,
Greg Milligan <URL:mailto:G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk> wrote:

> Apparently to convert a FT747GX to provide continuous transmit capabilities
> between 1.5MHz - 30MHz you cut a wire and dial up a certain frequency,
> switch off the radio and then switch it back on again and hey presto you
> have general coverage TX/RX. The details for this modification seems to be
> widely available.
>
> However I am interested in reversing this modification, back to its correct
> HAM band / General coverage RX configuration. Has anybody successfully
> tried it?
>
> Is it just a question of reconnecting the cut wire?
>
> I thought I would just ask before I damaged anything whilst attempting to
> reverse the mod.

Hi Greg.

I know this might sound a bit obvious, but have you asked Yaesu UK? The
last phone number I had for them was 0181-814-2001, and their web page
is at <http://www.yaesu.com>.

Good hunting!

Rick

IMPORTANT: when replying, please remove "No_Spam." from the address.
--
Richard Sterry G4BLT
Honda VFR750FP web site - <http://www.waveg.demon.co.uk/>

241. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: robjohn@chesco.com
Message-ID: <6b63uh$t4r@netaxs.com>
Source record: 154609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Michael L. Ardai wrote:

>> No, he means TWOER.
>>
>> It's a portable 2M AM radio.
>>

>Also known as a Heathkit Lunch box.......They had a 10, 6, and 2 meter
>version.

>The 10 meter version was my first mobile back in the early sixties when I was
>14. I had one mounted to the handlebars of my bike with a car battery
>mounted on the back of the bike. The radio fed a 98 inch whip attached to
>the rear wheel axle.....

>73
>Mark
>WA0DCA

Forget it Mark, these kids know more than we do. They think ham gear
was invented in Japan.

Cheers, Greg K3EWZ

242. WTB : OLD DEC BOARDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty Paulins <mpaulins@frognet.net>
Message-ID: <34D741D4.1F56@frognet.net>
Source record: 154610

BUYING OLD DEC BOARDS Q-BUS, PDP 11/73 , FALCON, LSI-11, ETC.
ALSO SIGMA / EMULEX / DILOG

MARTY PAULINS 740-592-6890

243. Re: Yaesu FT-900CAT Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <34D6DF61.E05C7F76@netnet.net>
Source record: 154630

Tom Nicastri wrote:

> I also am thinking of the 900CAT (waiting to see the new 2, 440, 6 & hf
> first).
>
> Do you give up much for the mobil ability. That is - what does a regular
> base have that the 900CAT does not? Being a smaller radio can it tolerate
> extended use? Does it overheat?

snip!

Hi Tom,Don't really know what a "regular base" is in your perception! I use it as my base as well, as I only have one HF rig. Did have the opportunity to use it side-by-side with a friends TS-940SAT for a couple of weeks. I never heard a signal on the 940 that I couldn't hear on the 900 as well. Must admit that the quality of receive audio, and the ability to separate strong signals on SSB was better on the 940. That could have been that I don't have a ssb filter in the 900 and the 940 did. There wasn't that much difference that, that if given the opportunity, would swap it for a 940.

Never had any over-heating problems and use it in all-modes including RTTY and Pactor but mostly CW.

In addition, before purchasing it, I had the opportunity to make a side-by-side comparison with the IC-706 and TS-50. VHF wasn't, and still isn't on my list of priorities, so I don't regret my decision.

Dwight W9YQ

244. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <34D6E1BB.11BC44F0@netnet.net>
Source record: 154631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Brian Carling wrote:

> For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 09:50:46 -0700, M Johnson
> <silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> >The 10 meter version was my first mobile back in the early sixties when I was
> >14. I had one mounted to the handlebars of my bike with a car battery
> >mounted on the back of the bike. The radio fed a 98 inch whip attached to
> >the rear wheel axle.....
>
> Now THAT is REAL RADIO folks!!!!
>
> A Benton Harbor Lunch Box on your bike handelbars...
>
> Much better than cruising the neighborhood with a loud set of
> speakers booming out meaningless RAP beat, you flew through with the
> Lunchbox squawking out ham calls!

The Twoer was my first 2-mtr rig, when I was 14, back in the sixties as well. Had the Tower and a Sixer in my first car, a '53 Merc, when I turned 16., along with one of those halo-style antennas. :-)

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73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ ex WA9BLH

245. ICOM IC-710 Marine Tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: vk6vd@networx.net.au
Message-ID: <6b6p6p$4ok$1@yeppa.connect.com.au>
Source record: 154632

Could anyone advise me if it is possible ot modify the above mentioned radio
for general TX.

Regards
Allen Coxe
vk6vd@networx.net.au

246. Re: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam-dog-nospam@usa.net
Message-ID: <sam-dog-nospam-ya02408000R0302980652460001@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 154633

In article <19980203041501.XAA24932@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
radiomatt@aol.com (Radiomatt) wrote:

> >Subject: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?
>
> >For example one designed for 800 mhz and one that's full range?
> >
> >would you use just a bnc t- connector?
>
> No...the two radios would interact seriously, since most radios contain
> multiple mini-transmitters (oscillators).
>

Actually I wanted to use 2 antennas, each covering a different range on 1
scanner

247. Re: Need help with VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Dalton <Joe@wildwest.com>
Message-ID: <6b727aaci1@cadmium.aware.nl>
Source record: 154634
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jon, W4ABC heeft geschreven in bericht <6aeu0igul1@gte2.gte.net>...
>Insofar as an upgrade ....
>Jon Pearl W4ABC
>
>
>jim wrote in message <34C782E3.67C2@eaglecomputing.net>...
>>Go to
>>http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/
>>VX-1R Mod Page (it'll show how to un-mod the radio too!)
>>
>>Michael J. Smith wrote:

Can you tell me what your experieces are regarding the receiving
capabilities of the VX-1R.
I once tested it for a short time in a shop and there it performed not well,
especially in wide FM mode. Is it still worth buying?

73's, Bouke PE1RCQ

m.vd.b@tip.nl

248. KENWOOD TS-440SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203131501.IAA26728@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154635

Hi Gang, Fotunetly I have found a mint FT-990AC that I have just bought, an assumed upgrade (I hope) HI HI.......Anyhow this is the reason for selling, if you would like a nice clean TS-440SAT you will be happy with this one. I have priced it to sell shipped to your door for $650.00. If interested, please e-mail me DIRECT..Thanks 73 LOU

249. Re: operating in the United Arab Emirates - for an expat??????? UAE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D71B69.3D2B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154636
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sat, 31 Jan 1998 13:09:35 -0600, Mike Morrow <mmorrow@companet.net> wrote:
> >Gary responded to:
> >
> >>Hi Paul -- OH2MCN has a page devoted to information on licensing abroad
> >>for radio amateurs at URL:
> >>http://www.clinet.fi/~jukka/license.html
> >>
> >>73
> >>Rod in San Diego
> >
> >With the following:
> >
> >>Rod, it would have been more responsive to answer his question.
> >>And the answer is, only a national of the UAE can be granted an
> >>amateur station license. You can get permission to operate as a
> >>guest at the station of a national, however.
> >
> >Rod's information was of more *general* usefulness to the NG, and I
> >suspect, to Paul also (Teach a man to fish, etc.).
> >
> > Mike, KK5F
>
> Consider those who only have email access to the group. Pointing them
> to one of Rod's web pages is useless to them. Giving a succinct answer
> is not. I suppose seeing Rod answer questions day after day with only
> a pointer to his web pages finally set me off. What I'd consider a good
> answer would be to briefly address the substance of the question,
> then, if appropriate, point to a web page where more information might
> be found by those with browser access.
>
> Now it is true that Rod has a wealth of information on his pages, but
> the way he answers questions appears to be just an advertisement for
> those pages, apparently intended to run up his hit count. At least that's
> the way it comes across even though that probably isn't his intent. I'd like
> to see him actually type in some original content to his posts from time to
> time rather than always acting like an autoresponder message from a
> spammer.
>
> Note, I'm not calling Rod a spammer, it is only that his replies appear to
> resemble some of the stuff propagated by spammers trying to lure you
> to their web sites. I'm sure Rod is a good guy just trying to help. Blah

> Blah Blah But it doesn't *look* that way to someone on his fifth cup of
> coffee and already in a bad mood.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman

Hi Gary, Mike, Paul et. al.
Gee Golly Whiz -- All I did was answer the question. Oh Well.
BTW Gary -- coffee does anger the blood -- see URL:
http://www.wral-tv.com/features/healthteam/1997/0731-caffeine/

73
Rod The Spammer

250. TV-7/U tester WEB page UPDATED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "JOSE V. GAVILA - EB5AGV/EC5AAU" <eb5agv@ctv.es>
Message-ID: <886512935.1350696964@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154637
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,es.rec.radio.amateur,uk.radio.amateur

Hello!

I've recently updated my TV-7/U tube tester pages, including an extensive new list of tube settings and also some additional info about them, as published documents.

Please, feel free to take a loot at my WEB page at:

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/6992/

Look at the TV-7 page (and, of course, whatever you want :-) !)

Hope you enjoy it. Any feedback welcomed!.

Best regards.

73 JOSE V. GAVILA - EB5AGV/EC5AAU
Benetusser - Valencia
SPAIN

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

251. FS: Kantronics KAM $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Frederick <kk5nn@iamerica.net>
Message-ID: <34D72530.4258BBB@iamerica.net>
Source record: 154638

For Sale: Kantronics KAM
About 4 years old.

With original box and HostMaster II plus software. All manuals for KAM
and software.
All Mode: Packet, RTTY, AMTOR, NAVTEX, CW, PBBS (Packet and AMTOR).
Host, Gateway, KA-NODE, Wefax, KISS, Remote Access.

$125 +shipping or you pick up in Winnfield, LA.

Les Frederick
KK5NN
Winnfield, LA
318-628-1516

252. Re: an interesting twist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Allbright <jan.allbright.NOSPAM@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34D726D7.E4044567@usa.net>
Source record: 154639

This is the same Tom Youngblood from Denver Radio??
Man - no "I'm sorry for the price change" - just "Prices are subject to change without notice"
and "take your business elsewhere" ...

must be nice to have all the customers you can use...
and to think I almost was going to buy some stuff from these guys....

Onines wrote:

> >Steven,
> > Why don't retransmit this message. At least everyone would knnow the
> > truth.
> > You ordered 1(one) radio not some.
> > If you are not a snibbler than grow up.
> > There is a message at the top of the page that states the PRICES ARE
> > SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.
> > You may gladly take your business elsewhere.
> > Tom
> >
> Now that's interesting Tom, I distinctly remember ordering two FT-11's and a
> battery holder for my VX1-R. I think the one of us that is in need of growing
> up will be apparent to others that read this. The reason for posting on the
> net is to alert others to what I feel is an unethical practice. BTW, do they
> have spell check where you come from? Steve (AC6FR)

--
Jan Allbright - "14-91" - Calhan Volunteer Fire Department
-- KC0BUY -- 146.970(-) <100hzPL> -- Colorado Springs --
real mail response needs to remove NOSPAM from email

253. WTB: Kenwood TS130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203144001.JAA04745@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154640

Looking for a "nice" Kenwood TS130, either the "S" or "V" series. If you have one for sale please drop me a line at <rut@mcrut.mv.com>

Thanks & 73-- Phil (K1HS)

254. Kenwood TMV-7 Voice chip good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6b7a5l$ben@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 154641

Like my TM-V7 but am not sure what the voice chip will do for me.
Anyone using it? Do you like it?

Thanks
=TOM=
tnic@idt.net

255. FS: Icom IC-735 and MFJ-949E tuner special.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <s4GB.227$vh1.4364916@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 154642

For sale complete hf station in perfect condition. Icom IC-735 all mode
covers 160 m. to 10 m. in receive and transmit. Comes with HM-12 microphone,
instruction manual and original packaging. Appearance is 9 out of 10 and
works perfectly. Also a MFJ-949E tuner brand new with manual and original
box. The whole bundle shipped insured to your door for $600.00 U.S.
Inquiries by email please.
73 de VE2CJW
Quebec, Canada.
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

256. marine and ham band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lab Assistant <gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1>
Message-ID: <34D73EC1.2838@prism1.gatech1.edu1>
Source record: 154643

Has anyone ever tried modifying a marine band radio to work on the
2m band? I they may have gotten me by their advertising, but the marine
radios
seem to be built to take more punishment than a typical HT or even
a "MIL-810" version (I have never owned one though). Some claim
waterproofness even in a saltwater
environment. It seems like they would be a good choice for hiking,
emergency or a radio that needs to stand up to the elements.
It would also seem to get around the problem of using a ham radio
outside
of the ham bands, you would then be using a marine radio on the ham
bands, which should be OK. Along these lines is it possible to use an
aircraft band radio on the ham bands (is there 2m AM? or is it
modifiable to SSB or some form of FM?
Has anyone ever tried any of this?
KS4TY, Eddie
reply to: gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove 1's from address)

257. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bd30b0$37d31680$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 154644
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

> > Now THAT is REAL RADIO folks!!!!... A Benton Harbor Lunch Box on your bike handelbars...

Boy, you've got *my* respect!!!

> The Twoer was my first 2-mtr rig, when I was 14...

Me too! I had a coaxial antenna stuck up in the top of a pine tree, fed with RG-8 that looked like it was left over from the Crimean War! It's a wonder that I got out at all. Ahhh..... memories.

Mike, N4PDY

258. FS: ICOM 730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Schwartz <Dave.Schwartz@Waterloo.NCR.COM>
Message-ID: <OW$OcJLM9GA.144@rpc1285.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 154645

All solid state HF, triple conversion, 80-10 meters with WARC, ham bands only. 100W SSB, 40W AM/CW. Hand mic, optional passband tuning filter, box, manual and copy of service manual. Electrically and cosmetically 100%.

$Cdn400 (=$US280) Shipping negosh

--

.............Dave

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Other: davenpat@kw.igs.net (personal stuff, DoD#=66)
va3dgs@kwarc.org (amateur radio stuff, callsign=VA3DGS)

259. Re: an interesting twist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203151601.KAA19720@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154646

> >Steven,
> > Why don't retransmit this message. At least everyone would knnow the
> > truth.
> > You ordered 1(one) radio not some.
> > If you are not a snibbler than grow up.
> > There is a message at the top of the page that states the PRICES ARE
> > SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.
> > You may gladly take your business elsewhere.
> > Tom

What ever happened to "The customer is allways right"? I am quite surprised that Denver Radio or any other retailer would ever want a response like the above posted. As someone else said, they must have all the business they need. I am in the market for a VX1 and the last place I would ever go for that or any other hardware is Denver Radio. Good Luck Tom

260. FS Autek CW,SB,AM filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34D7DB25.279A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.baotanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Autek filter for sale 110AC very good price canbe seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

261. Heathkit Cap tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34D7DBFB.5FB1@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.baotanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Heathkit cap tester for sale...no manual but everything you need to know
to test caps is on the front panel (you all know a little about
electronics?) good price can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

262. Re: operating in the United Arab Emirates - for an expat??????? UAE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34d743fd.136892470@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154649
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 03 Feb 1998 05:28:09 -0800, AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>Hi Gary, Mike, Paul et. al.
>Gee Golly Whiz -- All I did was answer the question. Oh Well.
>BTW Gary -- coffee does anger the blood -- see URL:
>http://www.wral-tv.com/features/healthteam/1997/0731-caffeine/
>
>73
>Rod The Spammer

See, I knew you could do more than just give a URL. :-)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

263. Re: 9600bps from a HTX-202?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulveyr@frontiernet.net
Message-ID: <6b7g87$1n8m$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

wrote:
: Just wondering if someone _knows_ if it's possible to push a HTX-202
: into 9600bps using the VOX interface (soundcard audio out -> HTX-202 Mic
: input). I know 1200 is all that's recommended because of the high
: output needed by the soundcard, but what risk do I run if I try to push
: 9600? A fried soundcard, fried interface, or fried HT? Thanks for any
: info.
:

A HTX-202 will certainly do 9600bps, after modification. The
9600bps node in my basement is proof of that.

On the other hand, you simply cannot do 9600bps through the mic and
speaker ports, period. Why? Because the audio pre-emphasis and
de-emphasis circuitry, among other things, distort the signal into
unusability. If you want 9600, you need to tap the discriminator. It
took me about 20 minutes to locate the appropriate taps and to make the
cable.

As for possible damage - you won't hurt anything. Just because
you're trying to generate higher data rates doesn't mean that you're
putting out more power. Whoever told you that it does, was highly
mistaken.

- Rich

264. Mirage/KLM B-1030G 300 Watt 2 Meter Amp.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dxr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203162900.LAA17248@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154651

Very low usage. 10 watts in for 300 out. All mode w/preamp. Needs 50 amp power supply for full output but can be used at reduced output on a smaller supply. Cost $650 new. Asking $405 shipped. Please email me if interested.

Mark - K5DXR

265. REVIEW: QSTView - QST on CD-ROM, American Radio Relay League

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mc@shore.net
Message-ID: <6b7h9t$o1@northshore.shore.net>
Source record: 154652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

REVIEW: QST VIEW - QST on CD-ROM, American Radio Relay League

For many years the American Radio Relay League, aka the ARRL, has shown little interest in my favorite equipment - tube-based radio communication gear. A few years ago a couple of articles were published in QST about the resurgence in interest in this subset of the hobby. It must have resulted in much favorable comment from readers and members because the League has apparently taken notice of we who love the vintage stuff and our interests.

Recently the ARRL began to release some of their documentary material including QST on CD-ROM. For those of you who are not familiar with this, Compact Discs hold 650 Megabytes of information or 74 minutes of audio. Most records are now released on CD. They are digital of course and are read by an optical reader connected to your sound system for audio and play just like a vinyl record except there's no wear and tear on the disc. Just about all computers sold these days have a CD drive to read data stored on CDs and almost all software comes on this media. The ROM means Read-Only Memory but this is somewhat of a misnomer because in reality its Read-Only Storage. So essentially the CD is a storage device that holds a LOT of stuff - the average page of ASCII text requires 2 Kilobytes of storage space. A scanned page with pictures will require more, in some cases over 100 times as much space. The current Handbook is available on CD as well as the Callbook which is no longer available in paper form. There is also a trip planning program that will also include and highlight the VHF/UHF repeaters along the route.

Back to the League and its QST CD project. Recently they began to offer the back issues of QST on CD working backwards from the 1990s. We are the main beneficiaries of their quest to eventually have all issues of QST available on CD-ROM. It's a fine way for the League to recognize the incredible interest in the older equipment we all love so much. I am very pleased to see that QST is now available from 1940 to 1996 in the following libraries:

1940 - 1949

1950 - 1959

1960 - 1964

1965 - 1969

The rest of the collection is sold in five year increments to 1994 inclusive. 1995 and 1996 are available by the year as part of a compilation of the three ARRL periodicals; the other two being QEX for experimenters and NCJ for

contesters. Price is $39.95 for each library. The annual periodical 1995 and 1996 compilations are $19.95 each. (plus $4.00 shipping). The ARRL's toll-free order line and Web site are listed further down the page.

I took a good look at the 1950-59, 1960-64 and 1965-69 libraries and here's what I found.

Virtually every page containing articles, columns, ads and covers have been included in the collection, even the classified "Ham Ads". Each library comes with a program called QST View that manages the indexing and data. When installed QST View builds its own index database. Should you add an additional library set later you will be given the option of reinstalling everything or just updating the index database. This installation can take anywhere from five minutes on a Pentium 90 to 30 minutes on a 386. Your computer must be running Windows (3.x or 95) to be able to use QST View.

Once installed and the index constructed you can search for information by article, column, author's name/call, year or month or just browse issue by issue. The search query form will support the use of some DOS "wildcards such as *, <, >, etc. QST View has two windows - the Index and the Document Viewing Window. Once you have located an article you can close the Index window and the Document Viewing window takes the whole screen. You can also fit the image to the viewing window, pan and scroll the article, even print it out if you wish.

As far as content is concerned I found that the libraries I examined are full of information on tube-based equipment and I imagine that the libraries into the mid-1970s will be as well. I hope to take a close look at the 1970 to 1974 library shortly to see if this collection fits into our area of interest as well as the earlier libraries as they are made available. In short I found QST View and its' associated libraries a very useful reference source especially the earlier issues. The rich history and lore of Amateur Radio was well chronicled in the pages of QST which is the official journal of the ARRL as well as a technical publication and makes for very interesting reading. I am especially looking forward to seeing the libraries from the 1920s, 1930s and 1940 and hope that the ARRL will see a good enough response to the earlier libraries it now has available to encourage them sufficiently to produce the earlier QSTs on CD as soon as possible.

For more information you can contact the ARRL either by phone at 1-888-277-5289 or via the Web at www.arrl.org/catalog

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Michael Crestohl, W1RC
Cambridge Vermont, USA
mc@shore.net

266. Re: TS570D Expanded Xmit-Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203163601.LAA29268@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154653

I went to the HRO store that I purchased the radio from showed them my Mars license and they gave me a zerox of the information that you desire. Suggest you do the same.

C. Jespersen K2OG/AAR2JE

267. Uniden 6 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dxr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203163801.LAA18343@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154654

Uniden Force model AML 500C business radio converted to 6 meter use. Has eight channel diode matrix capability with 4 channels installed. Current frequencies are 52.49, 52.51, 52.525 simplex and 52.47(t)/53.47(r) duplex. Output is 45 watts. Works fine. Includes mobile microphone and mounting bracket. Asking $125 shipped. Please email me if interested.

Mark - K5DXR

268. Re: 9600bps from a HTX-202?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34D74C4A.DD94687B@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 154655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> A HTX-202 will certainly do 9600bps, after modification. The
> 9600bps node in my basement is proof of that.

Just curious, but did you happen to document the needed mods? I solder and probe with the finesse of an elephant on things shrunk to that size. If I thought the mod was clean enough, I may would try it instead of a data radio to play with 9600bps.

Thanks,

David

269. Re: limited tx range of DJ-S11T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johan Hansson <johan@tpcom.se>
Message-ID: <34d779d3.0@nntp.se.dataphone.net>
Source record: 154656

Just the way to go IT WORKS but be careful !!!

/Johan
SunFun skrev i meddelandet <34BC71F5.56C1@frontiernet.net>...
>Hey daniel...
>
>Im not a radio tech, but im a little bit wanna be tech.
>
>I purchased a UHF DJ-S41T from Tech America and had the same "mod".
>The transmit opened a little, but stopped short. too short.
>My friend's early model is WIDE OPEN!!!
>
>A commercial radio tech looked at the schematic, and suggested opening
>"loosen" a coil. Where is uncertain.
>
>Here is my observation... open up the radio and set upon its face.
>Looking at the upper level RF board (TOP) there is a small tin box
>soldered on the RF board. There is a small hole approx 3mm small where
>there appears to be coil covered by hot glue.
>What if you insert a small heated hot pin/needle and spread the coil?
>The hot pin should melt the glue, and wedge between the coils.
>What do you think? Just do a little at a time ?
>
>Is this similiar to your mod? But no dissmantle required!!!
>
> John in Roch NY

270. Re: MFJ-259 Alignment-help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203170200.MAA02589@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154657

Gus, the manual that comes with the MFJ-68, the upgrade kit for 249>259, says
to ony adjust the one pot installed, otherwise return
to MFJ for recalibration.
They seem to be a good outfit to deal with, why not inquire as to
cost of factory recalibration? Then you can be sure of it.
73, George, K1RBS

271. Re: Suggested Filters for CW and SSB??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34d75052.140050418@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154658

On Tue, 03 Feb 1998 02:11:52 GMT, desmith@telalink.net (Doug Smith) wrote:
>"Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote:
>>I plan on installing 2 filters in myIcom 706Mk-II and was looking for =
>>suggestions on which filters to buy. I planned on using one for CW and =
>>the other for SSB.
>
>My personal opinion is that 250Hz is too narrow. (unless you plan on
>some very weak-signal VHF operation, like EME or meteor scatter) If
>stations answer your CQs too far off frequency, you won't even know
>they're there. I think 400-500Hz is a much better choice for most
>operation.
>
>Don't work enough SSB to have a good opinion. I have 2.1KHz SSB
>filters in my rig & am happy with them.

I agree with Doug. The 500 Hz filter is the best all around narrow filter choice. It will pass RTTY and Clover II and PACTOR as well as being suitable for CW. I don't operate much SSB, but the stock filter is Ok for the casual operating that I do on voice. You can shift it around to eliminate a lot of interference.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

272. Re: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6b7j29arl1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 154659

~~SamDog`&#65533;' (sam-dog-nospam@usa.net) wrote:
: In article <19980203041501.XAA24932@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
: radiomatt@aol.com (Radiomatt) wrote:

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: > >Subject: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?
: >
: > >For example one designed for 800 mhz and one that's full range?
: > >
: > >would you use just a bnc t- connector?
: >
: > No...the two radios would interact seriously, since most radios contain
: > multiple mini-transmitters (oscillators).
: >

: Actually I wanted to use 2 antennas, each covering a different range on 1
: scanner

You can, but using a simple T will louse things up-the antennas in
paralell will not match, impeadance wise.
A spliter/combiner(in this case, used as a combiner) is the correct way.
One with a amp might be needed if the loss in the combiner causes
problems.
I've never heard of a a combiner that is intended for your exact use...a
frequency selective unit would have less loss than a simple broad-band
one.

Either way, that's how it's done.
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273. Re: TS570D Expanded Xmit-Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6b7jk9arl2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 154660

Cmjk2og (cmjk2og@aol.com) wrote:
: I went to the HRO store that I purchased the radio from showed them my Mars
: license and they gave me a zerox of the information that you desire. Suggest
: you do the same.

: C. Jespersen K2OG/AAR2JE

I realize that you may not like to deal with this:but you don't need to be
a MARS op to legally mod a transmitter.
USING it out-of-band, OTOH is a different matter.
Of course, in a real emergency, out-of-band operation is not only legal,
but very clearly stated as much in part 97.

You can bet that the poster will get the info anyway-probably a simple
search, using any search engine will find the data within 15 minutes.

BTW, I've been a HAM for enough years to know the rules.

274. TS830S mod for s.g. mod AM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwilson@REMOVEflex.net
Message-ID: <34d75370.0@news.flex.net>
Source record: 154661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello all.

I am interested in applying screen grid modulation to the TS830S in order to AM the transmitter. I'm only interested in using it on 160m and above 29 MHz on 10m.

My first test was to take the output from the screen grid modulator tube in a TR-4C and connect it to the wire which feeds reduced screen voltage to the finals in "TUNE" mode on the Kenwood. This wire I disconnected from the "TUN" terminal on the rectifier board and connected to an audio cable to the TR-4C.

This first test had mixed results. The voltage output from the Drake was +60v at rest and peaked around +220v. This resulted in readings on my average-reading wattmeter of 30w and 60w, respectively, coming out of the Kenwood's transmitter. Of course, I could reduce the "carrier" control to get values less than this. But the audio from the Drake's mike cannot be heard on the signal. The level of the carrier comes up, but no audio could be heard on it.

This led me to the suspicion that there was too much parallel capacitance and series inductance in the circuit, so the screen grids were only being modulated at sub-audio frequencies. So I replaced the .01 screen bypass caps with 100 pF, and moved the cap and inductor at point PD2 on the rectifier board to a point that is in the circuit for CW/USB/LSB but switched out at the "TUNE" position.

The result of this second test is that a little audio can be heard on the carrier. But still a very low level and only low bassy tones of voice. This leads me to believe I am heading in the right direction.

With the cap and inductor at PD2 out of the circuit, I am running out of components to change. It looks like the next steps are (1) to disconnect the Drake screen modulator from its own final circuits, so it is feeding only the Kenwood, and (2) reduce the inductance of the Kenwood's screen grid inductor. This second one makes me nervous because this change, like the reduction of the screen bypass caps, would be in the circuit full-time, even when I'm running CW or SSB. That means all bands, not just 10m and 160m would have to be checked out completely to make sure no oscillations are going to happen.

If this works, I want to build an external modulator based on the Drake circuitry, sourced from the Kenwood's own supply. Then I will have to be very careful about bypassing screen RF to ground in the modulator circuit.

Have any of you ever done this before? I checked Deja News and came up empty. I would like to hear from others who have done something similar. Please write me at mwilson at flex.net.

Thanks,
.......Monty N5NVM.

275. ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk
Message-ID: <G.Milligan-ya023080000302981742320001@bignews.shef.ac.uk>
Source record: 154662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Apparently to convert a FT747GX to provide continuous transmit capabilities between 1.5MHz - 30MHz you cut a wire and dial up a certain frequency, switch off the radio and then switch it back on again and hey presto you have general coverage TX/RX. The details for this modification seems to be widely available.

However I am interested in reversing this modification, back to its correct HAM band / General coverage RX configuration. Has anybody successfully tried it?

Is it just a question of reconnecting the cut wire?

I thought I would just ask before I damaged anything whilst attempting to reverse the mod.

Thanks.
Greg.
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EMail:G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk

276. Re: an interesting twist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0302980927190001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 154663

In article <19980203151601.KAA19720@ladder03.news.aol.com>, manous@aol.com (MANOUS) wrote:

>> >Steven,
>> > Why don't retransmit this message. At least everyone would knnow the
>> > truth.
>> > You ordered 1(one) radio not some.
>> > If you are not a snibbler than grow up.
>> > There is a message at the top of the page that states the PRICES ARE
>> > SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.
>> > You may gladly take your business elsewhere.
>> > Tom
>
>What ever happened to "The customer is allways right"? I am quite surprised
>that Denver Radio or any other retailer would ever want a response like the
>above posted. As someone else said, they must have all the business they need.
>I am in the market for a VX1 and the last place I would ever go for that or any
>other hardware is Denver Radio. Good Luck Tom

I agree. I think it's time I took their link off my web sites.

73, Dick
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

277. How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6b7n7s$3db@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 154664

I'm starting to look for my first mobile rig, having owned only a pair of handhelds until now (FT-50 and FT-51). I want it primarily for base station use now, but could see transferring it to a car later. Because my car is small (Honda Civic), I see the ability to remote-mount the radio faceplate as a definite asset. I use both the 2 m and 70 cm bands, so want a radio that covers both.

The one obvious class of radio to look at is the standard dual-band ones. The Kenwood TM-V7A, Yaesu FT-8100, and Icom IC-2710H are representative of this class, and all have most of the same features. All will receive two frequencies at once, or operate full-duplex cross-band, or act as a cross-band repeater. The Kenwood seems to have the best collection of features for the money, including simultaneous alphanumeric and frequency identification of channels, DTMF and CTCSS decoders built in, and a large display to show all this. The others require (expensive!) add-on boards to get DTMF and CTCSS decoding. (The Yaesu FT-8500 is in a higher price class, and I don't like its human interface design anyway. So I'm not considering it.)

However, there is also the Icom IC-207H. It covers both bands, but with just a single transceiver. You can't listen to two frequencies at once, operate full duplex, or cross-band repeat with it. CTCSS decoding is included, but DTMF decoding does not seem to be possible. And it is about $200 CDN less expensive than the Kenwood, about $300 cheaper than the Icom and Yaesu with their CTCSS decoder options. It has similar power output to all the others. Also, like the 2710, almost everything on the radio can be controlled by the microphone. It even has a "9600 baud packet" interface jack that the 2710 lacks.

As you can probably tell, I'm tempted by the 207. I haven't found the single-receiver design of the FT-50 to be much of a disadvantage compared to the dual-receiver FT-51. Am I likely to miss dual receive in a base/ mobile radio? Enough to be worth $200-$300 extra?

Dave

278. FS: Astron RS-35M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <drooney@wwn.net>
Message-ID: <01bd30d5$fd88a500$aa028ed0@dan>
Source record: 154665

I have a clean Astron 35 amp supply with meters.
$110 + shipping

73 Dan KG0AQ

279. FS: TenTec Omni-D HF Transceiver $395

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6pv@sfo.com
Message-ID: <6b7qj7$r1d@ramona.sfo.com>
Source record: 154666

For sale: TenTec Omni-D. $395. Perfect electrically and mechanically. Case slightly shopworn - hardly noticeable - no dings or dents. Owner's manual. PTO recently rebuilt. Loaded. Optional internal circuit breaker; all xtal filters: 2.4, 1.8, 0.5 kHz; Brand new 30 meter kit; power cable with special TenTec plug; microphone. A real DX machine.

JD ac6pv@sfo.com (415) 431-6564

280. WTB: Yaesu FT990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6pv@sfo.com
Message-ID: <6b7qug$rcu@ramona.sfo.com>
Source record: 154667

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Wanted to buy Yaesu FT990 - non-smoker only, please.
73
JD ac6pv@sfo.com (415) 431-6564
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281. WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd30f5$bab53340$111871ce@default>
Source record: 154668
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

GO TO THE SEARCH ENGINES, YELLOW PAGES, OR TRY ASKING A HAM IN PERSON.
most of the people who post on n/g are just bored with no knowlege of of
anything asked.

case in point. i asked for opinions on the ft-8100r. bert was the only
email i got that stated the experience he and his friends had. the other
27 emails said either
"a piece of S%^t " or " dont have one but i like the &*^^%$ i have"

so that means 2 in 29 people have a brain.
And considering this i think me and bert have better things to do.

P.S. what happened to AMOR.

282. Collins crystal pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronfisher1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203200500.PAA26500@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154669

Hi all , I've got a Collins crystal pack complete with puller that came in the pack.
Its in good shape with 139 crystals. $150 Shipped

73, Ron

283. Re: FS: Pro 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: caj@urth.autarch.com
Message-ID: <6b7t2k$pdd@urth.autarch.com>
Source record: 154670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6b6a3o$29g0$1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>,
DON LARSEN <SPEEDDEMON@prodigy.net> wrote:
>I have a Pro 43 for sale.
>It is in good condition and has the cell band mod.
>Includes the factory service manual, a case that is too big, (it's the case
>for the HTX-202) and a telescoping antenna, along with the original antenna.
>

Umm, so what do you want for it? You should know that people
respond to an ad without at least a ballpark price MUCH less
frequently.

>+ACQ-250
>
>Don Larson
>(406)388-1997 hm
>(800)595-8903 wk
>speeddemon+AEA-prodigy.net
>

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The pen is mightier than the sword... outside of arm's reach.
(modify radius accordingly for rifle.)

284. Re: How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4frp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203203800.PAA20395@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154671

Do you want cross band repeat?? If so that radio will not work for you. I have a FT-530, Yeasau daul and love the dual recieve. Mainly, you have to ask yourself the questions, what will you use the radio for and what do you need. The 9600 packet hook up is a good idea. More radios need that for packet to start being more efficent and used regularly.

Hope I can be for some help,
Brian, kf4frp

285. Re: REVIEW: QSTView - QST on CD-ROM, American Radio Relay League

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOamradioSPAM@thebizlink.com
Message-ID: <NOamradioSPAM-0302981623300001@207-172-131-238.s47.as16.col.erols.com>
Source record: 154672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Now, if they would only make readable on other platforms/OS's (e.g., Mac, UNIX, etc).

In article <6b7h9t$o1@northshore.shore.net>, mc@shore.net (Michael Crestohl) wrote:

> REVIEW: QST VIEW - QST on CD-ROM, American Radio Relay League
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>
> For many years the American Radio Relay League, aka the ARRL, has shown
> little interest in my favorite equipment - tube-based radio communication
> gear. A few years ago a couple of articles were published in QST about
> the resurgence in interest in this subset of the hobby. It must have
> resulted in much favorable comment from readers and members because the
> League has apparently taken notice of we who love the vintage stuff and
> our interests.
>
> Recently the ARRL began to release some of their documentary material
> including QST on CD-ROM. For those of you who are not familiar with this,
> Compact Discs hold 650 Megabytes of information or 74 minutes of audio.
> Most records are now released on CD. They are digital of course and are read
> by an optical reader connected to your sound system for audio and play just
> like a vinyl record except there's no wear and tear on the disc. Just about
> all computers sold these days have a CD drive to read data stored on CDs and
> almost all software comes on this media. The ROM means Read-Only Memory but
> this is somewhat of a misnomer because in reality its Read-Only Storage. So
> essentially the CD is a storage device that holds a LOT of stuff - the
> average page of ASCII text requires 2 Kilobytes of storage space. A
> scanned page with pictures will require more, in some cases over 100 times
> as much space. The current Handbook is available on CD as well as the
> Callbook which is no longer available in paper form. There is also a trip
> planning program that will also include and highlight the VHF/UHF
> repeaters along the route.
>
> Back to the League and its QST CD project. Recently they began to offer
> the back issues of QST on CD working backwards from the 1990s. We are the
> main beneficiaries of their quest to eventually have all issues of QST
> available on CD-ROM. It's a fine way for the League to recognize the
> incredible interest in the older equipment we all love so much. I am very
> pleased to see that QST is now available from 1940 to 1996 in the following
> libraries:
>
> 1940 - 1949
>

> 1950 - 1959
>
> 1960 - 1964
>
> 1965 - 1969
>
> The rest of the collection is sold in five year increments to 1994 inclusive.
> 1995 and 1996 are available by the year as part of a compilation of the three
> ARRL periodicals; the other two being QEX for experimenters and NCJ for
> contesters. Price is $39.95 for each library. The annual periodical 1995
> and 1996 compilations are $19.95 each. (plus $4.00 shipping). The ARRL's
> toll-free order line and Web site are listed further down the page.
>
> I took a good look at the 1950-59, 1960-64 and 1965-69 libraries and here's
> what I found.
>
> Virtually every page containing articles, columns, ads and covers have
> been included in the collection, even the classified "Ham Ads". Each library
> comes with a program called QST View that manages the indexing and data.
> When installed QST View builds its own index database. Should you add an
> additional library set later you will be given the option of reinstalling
> everything or just updating the index database. This installation can take
> anywhere from five minutes on a Pentium 90 to 30 minutes on a 386. Your
> computer must be running Windows (3.x or 95) to be able to use QST View.
>
> Once installed and the index constructed you can search for information
> by article, column, author's name/call, year or month or just browse
> issue by issue. The search query form will support the use of some DOS
> "wildcards such as *, <, >, etc. QST View has two windows - the Index and
> the Document Viewing Window. Once you have located an article you can close
> the Index window and the Document Viewing window takes the whole screen.
> You can also fit the image to the viewing window, pan and scroll the
> article, even print it out if you wish.
>
> As far as content is concerned I found that the libraries I examined are
> full of information on tube-based equipment and I imagine that the libraries
> into the mid-1970s will be as well. I hope to take a close look at the 1970
> to 1974 library shortly to see if this collection fits into our area of
> interest as well as the earlier libraries as they are made available. In
> short I found QST View and its' associated libraries a very useful reference
> source especially the earlier issues. The rich history and lore of Amateur
> Radio was well chronicled in the pages of QST which is the official journal
> of the ARRL as well as a technical publication and makes for very interesting
> reading. I am especially looking forward to seeing the libraries from the
> 1920s, 1930s and 1940 and hope that the ARRL will see a good enough response
> to the earlier libraries it now has available to encourage them sufficiently
> to produce the earlier QSTs on CD as soon as possible.
>
> For more information you can contact the ARRL either by phone at
> 1-888-277-5289 or via the Web at www.arrl.org/catalog

>
> (C) 1998
> Michael Crestohl, W1RC
> Cambridge Vermont, USA
> mc@shore.net

286. Re: TS570D Expanded Xmit-Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203205901.PAA23471@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154673

The man asked how to get Mars mods. I told him how.

C Jespersen K2OG/AAR2JE

287. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203210500.QAA24439@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154674

I guess I must be different. I have answered requests for info on at least 10 different occasions and even received replies from those I responded to thanking me.

When I see a request for copies of programs that I paid good money for I am tempted to give them snide replies but instead, I just ignore them. My conscience is clear.

C. Jespersen K2OG

288. FS: Simpson 360 VOM for repair or parts $20 or b/o

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6b7vt1$2qo$16@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 154675

SIMPSON 360 DIGITAL VOLT-OHM-MILLIAMMETER. Bought it and found I could not test it, because it uses a three prong unique sized Simpson extension cord that appears to be no longer available from Simpson (I tried to buy it). It has a battery compartment for battery powered field use, but one of the metal contacts need replacing so I could not test it that way. The point is I don't wish to put any money into it if I can't buy a power cord for it. I wanted it for bench use. I would guess that it does not run, but maybe it does? Probably good for someone who wants a back up parts unit for their Simpson 360. It's a shame, because the thing is a super unit in nice physical condition. Do not have leads or manual. $20 or best offer.

Plus Shipping costs which are not much. I'll pack it free.

-OR- Will take old running complete decent VTVM in trade.

289. Yaesu VX1R Problem.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: yc0ftd@yc0ftd.ampr.ORG
Message-ID: <369@yc0ftd.ampr.org>
Source record: 154676

Hello all
Tks for reading this e-mail.
Btw, I've a problem with my Yaesu VX1R HT.
The frequency on display is not same with
the working frequency. Example :
Display : 145.310 MHz Working : 145.320 MHz
Display : 431.200 MHz Working : 431.240 MHz

So, do u have any idea to solve it ?
I've done hard reset for afew times but nothing!

Also I need the tel & fax number of the Yaesu
Musen, Co Ltd Japan, bcz there's no Yaesu dealer
or service centre at my country.

73 de Wisnu - yc0ftd@yc0ftd.ampr.org - 44.132.24.5

290. Re: 9600bps from a HTX-202?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6b82ev$21e$1@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 154677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <34D74C4A.DD94687B@eos.ncsu.edu>, David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:
>> A HTX-202 will certainly do 9600bps, after modification. The
>> 9600bps node in my basement is proof of that.
>
>Just curious, but did you happen to document the needed mods? I solder and
>probe with the finesse of an elephant on things shrunk to that size. If I
>thought the mod was clean enough, I may would try it instead of a data radio
>to play with 9600bps.
>
>Thanks,
>
>David

I'd like to see documentation too, I may want to give it a go!

73,
Tom

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Dutchess county,N.Y. Join us!
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

291. icom tv adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ted1920@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203215201.QAA13100@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154678

icomT V R7000 no longer available
ted1920
1920

292. Not even a newbie help...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kris Cross <kriscross@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6b857m$fdm@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154679

I will be going for my novice in a while, and I was wondering what would be a good first radio.
I would like to get a hand held unit (that would make it easyer to switch between vehicles) mabye with a vehicle charger and a house charger... that is not important.

Thanks

293. Re: Transmit from 30000 ft high

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdr@world.std.com
Message-ID: <Ens0Bt.23C@world.std.com>
Source record: 154694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> replied (mildly, given the provocation)
to John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>, who lead with
this red flag:

> >The above is one point of view. Another point of view ...

All points of view are equal? Rarely.

> >never seen a scientifically-controlled test that has EVER conclusively

I guess you missed the cover article on IEEE Spectrum a couple years
ago (1996) which reviewed the literature and explained the theory in
good EE theory not just maybes and howsas but with dBd & dBm's.
It was the cover article, so you should find it with no problem at
any good library.

John should also that his not having seen it doesn't mean it isn't
there.

> I am content to stand by the conclusions reached by the FAA and NTSB

I'm much happier standing by their conclusions after I read the IEEE
Spectrum article.

BILL

--
Bill Ricker N1VUX wdr@world.std.com "The freedom of the press belongs
http://world.std.com/~wdr to those who own one."--A.J.Liebling

294. WTD: HP Cable #10506B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <34d65dd6.3840461@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 154695

Looking for HP cable, P/N 10506B, used to service Plug-ins
outside of 5245L Counter. Anyone have one they will part
with ??
Tnx, Dick, W1KSZ

295. FS AEA PK900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Wicker <ronwick@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3048$1f121820$83421ed1@default>
Source record: 154696

I have a AEA PK900 TNC with 7.0 firmware
$250.00 plus shipping

296. Re: Suggested Filters for CW and SSB??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <6b5n2e$hjr@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 154697

"Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote:
>I plan on installing 2 filters in myIcom 706Mk-II and was looking for =
>suggestions on which filters to buy. I planned on using one for CW and =
>the other for SSB.

My personal opinion is that 250Hz is too narrow. (unless you plan on some very weak-signal VHF operation, like EME or meteor scatter) If stations answer your CQs too far off frequency, you won't even know they're there. I think 400-500Hz is a much better choice for most operation.

Don't work enough SSB to have a good opinion. I have 2.1KHz SSB filters in my rig & am happy with them.

73 DOug

297. Re: NEEDED: Diode - UM9401

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: thomas.g.booth@den.mmc.com
Message-ID: <thomas.g.booth-020298170430@ls-bootht-c.ast.lmco.com>
Source record: 154698

In article <34D40027.73DC@xnet.com>, wwest@xnet.com wrote:

> I am in search of an UM9401 diode to repair my Alinco DR-600.
> That little puppy sure does get hot and many long winded Q's
> have take a toll on that diode. The diode sits between the RF
> power transistor and antenna connector.I have looked through
> a couple of mail order parts catalogs and could not find the
> part.

> If you can help either e-mail me direct of post via newgroup.

> Thanks,
> Wayne N9OGE

Wayne, the UM9401 was originally made by Unitrode, now Microsemi Watertown division. Microsemi's 1998 catalog still lists the part; you might try http://www.microsemi.com or contacting Watertown division at (617) 926-0404 to find the Microsemi distributor nearest you. And it should be the right part for your application, since the UM9401 is a PIN diode "...specifically designed and characterized for solid state antenna switches in commercial two-way radios (Microsemi's words, not mine)."

Good luck -

TGB

\\ The opinions expressed herein are my own. //

298. manual for Collins HF200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: admd@inforamp.net
Message-ID: <6b5ovc$s64@news.inforamp.net>
Source record: 154699

I have used transceiver "COLLINS HF 200" and have to make some modification to it.
I would like to buy manual and schematics for this radio. I would appreciate answer
from anyone who knows this transceiver.
Please send email to: <Andrew> awfqisto@yesic.com
Tnx, 73

299. WTD info Antique Motorola 2 way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cnord@snet.net
Message-ID: <34d65fb4.886007@news.snet.net>
Source record: 154700

Hello All
A coworker offered me a radio from his grandfathers house. He told me it was a Motorola and his grandfather used to be a volunteer fireman. Expecting an old VHF BA, I was very surprised at the small box he brought in. It has an unusual red Motorola logo and says transmitter T-69-20A on it.

Opening it upI found several tubes including an 807 and a 6L6 a 7.997 MHz crystal and 3 small transformers. In addition the coils in it are obviously not VHF !
Looks like a H.F. xmtr of some sort w/ a modulator. Anyone know anything about it ? If I am correct I would love to get it onto 40 meters.
Can anyone help ?
Thanks and 73

Carl H. Nord
WA1KPD --&#65533; Looking for A Hallicrafters HT-6 or HT-9&#65533; --
Visit us at http://pages.cthome.net/nord/index.html

300. FS: KENWOOD SP520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug and Cindy Deutsch <cindyd1@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <34D66411.9A2D47B0@ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 154701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Greetings,

I have a Kenwood SP520 for sale in very good condition.

Price is $60.00.

If interested please respond by Email.

Thanks,

Doug WB3IIY

301. FS Electron Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd303b$ad355840$b7dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 154702

Hi, this is Dwight, WA9EUN, and wanted to know of you received my
advertisement that I sent you yesterday on the above subject...I don't see
it listed...Please advise if I am doing something incorrect...
D Raddatz 970-626-5111

Thank you very much! You sure do a nice service for everyone!!

Dwight

302. Has anyone ever used the MFJ SuperLoop?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203004400.TAA05316@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154703

Just wanted to find out if anyone out there has used the MFJ super Hi-Q loop antenna. I live in an apartment and I was interested in placing it on the terrace. I will be using it for 10-30 mhz. Any used ones out there?

Any help would be appreciated.

John

303. Re: Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242 and etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: code_sucks@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34d66cf4.548350@news.total.net>
Source record: 154704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 02 Feb 1998 04:35:17 -0800, Keith Little
<little@galileo.galilei.com> wrote:

>She's probably using a 49 MHz portable phone and the 3rd harmonic is 147
>MHz.
>
>Wait for a sale and buy her a 900 MHz cordless phone -- I've seen them
>for $50! Just explain the situation to her politely. It's probably the
>the best thing to do for your neighborly relationship.
>
>Keith Little
>KC0CPN

Hi. I am myself looking for 900 MHz cordless, but it's too expensive
to get one here in Canada.

The cheapest I saw was around $200 CAN last Saturday.

Code Sucker (�galement connu comme Joli Gar�on & M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: code_sucks@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

304. FS: TenTec Argosy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Mc Kie <mjmckie@mail.frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34D66BC6.6AA1@mail.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: TenTec Argosy 525 with 937 power supply, 215P microphone, 226 crystal Calibrator, 219 250hz CW filter, 223 noise blanker, 224 audio CW filter, 1125 DC circuit breaker, Manual, box, MFJ949E antenna tuner. $450.00 firm.

Reply via e-mail to:

Jack Mc Kie

mjmckie@frontiernet.net

305. F.S. HTX-404 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dxr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203020800.VAA01443@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154706

This is listed for a friend. Contact Sherri at 501-524-4797 if interested.
Please do not reply to me.

Includes original box and manual, 2 nicd packs, 1 dry cell pack, speaker mic,
protective case. Asking $125 shipped.

306. ft-8100 tuning diagram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd305a$13fed6a0$031871ce@default>
Source record: 154707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

does anyone have the tuning diagram for this radio. my power output is not centered properly on the UHF band. also what do you think of the radio. i picked one up 2 weeks ago and love it. BUT, i see a bunch of complaints on the ng's about bugs in the radio.
thanks DON
kimo9nospam@idt.net

307. USED HAM GEAR _ EXCELLENT CONDITION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc7zwg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203021600.VAA21727@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154708

JUST UPDATED SITE!!

LOTS OF EQUIP.

http://members.aol.com/kc7zwg/hamshack.html

308. Re: ADMS Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ThankYou <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd304c$556b8740$630148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154709

REGARDING SETTING:
I ALSO NEED MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS, WOULD YOU PLS SEND ME THIS ?

AGAIN, I HV BOUGHT MODEL ADMS-1C, BUT I JUST AWARE THAT THE NEW VERSION
(1D) WAS PRODUCED, THUS HOW CAN I UPGRADE MY SOFTWARE FROM 1C TO 1D ?
PLS ADV.

THANKS A LOT

73
+++

Ingra-Beton <Ingra-Beton@t-online.de> wrote in article
<6b5cr5$1m2$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>...
> Rod wrote:
> >
> > http://www.rtsars.com
> > --
> > RT Systems
>
>
> Hi Rod,
>
>
> can you help us in the Subjekt SQ and S-meter Settings ?
>
> What do you thing about this discussion we are having.
> You are the most authorised and respected person in this
> Subject.
>
>
> Can you provide some information about what the settings
> are and how they are adjusted ?
>
>
> Is there any way (command) to download the complete EEPROM
> 24C32 and upload it later if it is nescessary? This way
> the SQ settings could be backuped. It would be a nice
> feauture to implemend in your Software.
>
>
>
> Thank you in advance and
>
>

>
> Greetings, ...
>

309. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd304f$3987e980$630148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154710

http://www.rtsars.com

Stefan Kowal <100627.3426@CompuServe.COM> wrote in article
<eYxL3mAM9GA.76@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>...
> Can anyone please supply the web page details of RT Systems?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Stefan Kowal
> G0BJW
>

310. TS570D Expanded Xmit-Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JDM <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3050$225a44a0$89e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 154711

I have a Kenwood TS570D HF rig I am wanting to do the MARS mod on. Can someone point me precisely where R41 is located on the control board? According to the schematics it is connected to IC 5, however the resistors are not labeled like the capacitors I received the MARS mod info from QRZ. If anyone who has done this mod can point me in the right direction, I'd greatly appreciate it, thanks.

311. Re: WTD: Manual Konigsberg KR132C/64 and Sonar Challenger 62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: davew@cruzio.com
Message-ID: <6b6019$pju@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 154712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <6b5pbj$jg2$1@eclipse.sat.txdirect.net>,
"Brian D Heaton" <bheaton@txdirect.net> wrote:
>Picked up a couple old marine SSB rigs for a restoration project. Have
>already checked the usual suspects for manuals. Looking for docs for the
>following:
>
>Konigsberg KR132C/32
>
>Konigsberg Electronics, In
>So. San Francisco, Calif, USA
>
>(possibly still in business, but selling med gear)

Konigsberg was bought by Narco decades ago and re-named Konel. It was bought
by Furuno in the late 70's. All the manuals for the Konel stuff went with
Narco and were probably destroyed a long time ago.

Dave

David Wells KD6TO (KD6 Teletype Operator)
FCC GROL with Radar and GMDSS Maintainers License
NMEA Certified
INTERNET: davew@cruzio.com
OPINIONS EXPRESSED ARE MY PERSONAL ONES AND
DO NOT REPRESENT THOSE OF MY EMPLOYER

312. fs-Drake T-4XC & MS-4 spkr!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203033200.WAA05862@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154713

Hi Guys;
I have for SALE:

Drake T-4XC transmitter, manual, exc. condx and working, no Power supply because my friend got it. no wear, tight, front panel is mint. Price is $175 plus shipping.

Drake MS-4 Spkr, exc. condx. $50 Plus shipping

Shipping from 11758 cannot be too expensive as they are kind of light.
Thanks es 73....Rich WA2RQY (1961)
RLUCCH2098@aol.com
"Keep those heaters on"

313. fs- Heathkit HW-16 xcvr $90-

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203033800.WAA18027@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154714

Hi All;
For SALE:
HeathKit HW-16 transceiver, 80/40/15 meters. 40 to 60 watts out depending on band, manual, front panel is almost mint, cabinet is exc. except the top rear left corner. The cover is bent down a bit but can be straightened. Cannot notice from sitting in front unless you know it's there. I cannot say that its within specs but it plays, puts out power and I've made contacts with it. Most want to "fiddle" around with thier stuff anyway!

Thanks es 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@aol.com

314. FT-101E Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephen-b@usa.net
Message-ID: <hnwB.11$RE.300414@reader1.cleveland.iagnet.net>
Source record: 154715

Looking for any info on modifying the Yaesu FT-101E for WARC bands.
Need to figure out how to enable transmit on the WWV and 11 meter band
positions to allow 30 meter and 12 meter operation. I already have the
proper crystal installed for 12 meter operation.

Thanks for your help.

Steve - N9SB

315. an interesting twist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: onines@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203040601.XAA23161@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154716

>Steven,
> Why don't retransmit this message. At least everyone would knnow the
> truth.
> You ordered 1(one) radio not some.
> If you are not a snibbler than grow up.
> There is a message at the top of the page that states the PRICES ARE
> SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.
> You may gladly take your business elsewhere.
> Tom
>
Now that's interesting Tom, I distinctly remember ordering two FT-11's and a battery holder for my VX1-R. I think the one of us that is in need of growing up will be apparent to others that read this. The reason for posting on the net is to alert others to what I feel is an unethical practice. BTW, do they have spell check where you come from? Steve (AC6FR)

316. NRD-515 Receiver FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203040900.XAA23820@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154717

Good condition NRD515; scratches on top. Superb performing radio.
$700. Set up for RTTY with expanded Delta-tune multi-turn pot installed by
Universal Radio. Manual copy included. This is much quiter (less digital
"hash") than even the Watkins-Johnson HF-1000. If you are in a REALLY quiet
location, you'll appreciate this radio even more. Covers 150 kHz to 30 MHz. AM,
SSB CW RTTY. Has 2.4 and 6.0 kHz filters...I will provide new CW filter to
purchaser who takes set with the memory unit

Price $700 + shipping and insurance
Or buy with NEW (in box) NDH518 memory add-on, $825 for everything.
Near NYC.

317. Re: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203041501.XAA24932@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154718

>Subject: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

>For example one designed for 800 mhz and one that's full range?
>
>would you use just a bnc t- connector?

No...the two radios would interact seriously, since most radios contain
multiple mini-transmitters (oscillators).

A power divider followed by an amplifier to
a) make up for lost gain (in the divider)
2) provide isolation between outputs

is called a receiver multicoupler. They're avalable from Grove Enterprises or
Universal-Radio

318. Problem w/ Knwd TS430s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sdickson@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <34d6983f.517351821@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 154719

I am having an intermittant problem with my Kenwood TS-430s
(serial # 4011115) that has me puzzled.

The output power will occasionally fall to nothing while transmitting
on the 10 meter band, both in CW and SSB modes. I have a MFJ
SWR/POWER meter in-line, so I see the power fall from 75-100 watts to
less than 10. It may only last a few seconds, or it may last several
minutes.

When this happens, I have switched immediately to 15 meters and 40
meters -- the rig seems to be working fine there -- but back on 10
meters, it is anyone's guess as to when the power will come back up.

Any help would be appreciated.

--Scott Dickson
--KD5CAS**spamhater**@iamerica.net
--E-mail address is: CALLSIGN@iamerica.net

319. 9600bps from a HTX-202?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Balcerski <jeffab@engin.umich.edu>
Message-ID: <34D69C9D.7E220559@engin.umich.edu>
Source record: 154720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Just wondering if someone _knows_ if it's possible to push a HTX-202 into 9600bps using the VOX interface (soundcard audio out -> HTX-202 Mic input). I know 1200 is all that's recommended because of the high output needed by the soundcard, but what risk do I run if I try to push 9600? A fried soundcard, fried interface, or fried HT? Thanks for any info.

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320. FS Heathkit TWOER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34D743C6.5A7C@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit Twoer works fine and looks good can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky PRICE REDUCED

321. Used Police Radar Guns Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6b69dfidg5@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 154722

I would like to buy used police radar guns, working or not. I prefer handheld models but will buy all types. Please reply by E Mail with model for prompt reply. Thanks. hartmans@inlink.com

322. WTB Dualband mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <0YxB.21$Js6.191694@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 154723

Want to buy a dualband mobile radio. Prefer a Yaesu or Kenwood.

--

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

323. WTB: NOS 304TL and 100TL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tube999@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203060200.BAA11502@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154724

Like it sez. Please email description, box type brand, price etc.
HAve NOS Amperex factory sealed box to trade

324. Re: yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee810@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203064701.BAA05665@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154725

In my posting I did not mean to imply that I was able to transmit in AM, just that what I was able to transmit was readable on an aviation receiver. First I tested in with another aviation handheld a few hundred feet away and then by transmitting to an aircraft 5 miles away. Since I was doing the transmitting, I don't know how generous the receiving pilot was in giving me a 'loud and clear'. However, in an emergency with aircraft flying overhead, you only need to transmit less than a mile to achieve the desired result.

I still think that a dual mode transmitter would be a great product for ham/pilots and could be a enabling step to transition the aviation band to FM at some future date.

Lee Devlin, N3IWP
LongEZ 36MX

>The Yaesu techs are not wrong. It would take an entire second modulator
>system in order to transmit AM. They DO NOT transmit AM period. Some AM
>radios can detect the FM audio, a little slope detection may go a long
>way, but more often than not, the audio will be unrecognizable. I have a
>VX1 and it is the same thing.
>
>

325. Re: yaesu ft-50 and aircraft-band txing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6b6emknrl2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 154726

Lee810 (lee810@aol.com) wrote:
: In my posting I did not mean to imply that I was able to transmit in AM, just
: that what I was able to transmit was readable on an aviation receiver. First I
: tested in with another aviation handheld a few hundred feet away and then by
: transmitting to an aircraft 5 miles away. Since I was doing the
: transmitting, I don't know how generous the receiving pilot was in giving me a
: 'loud and clear'. However, in an emergency with aircraft flying overhead, you
: only need to transmit less than a mile to achieve the desired result.

Yes, a FT-50 will tx on air freqs.
No, it will not tx a properly modulated signal-as the 50 is NFM tx only-of
course, air is AM.
While a avaiation radio MIGHT be able to produce a readable output from a
NFM signal, by slope detection, I sure as HELL would not want to COUNT on
it!!
I guess in a emergency, you do whatever has to be done.

: I still think that a dual mode transmitter would be a great product for
: ham/pilots and could be a enabling step to transition the aviation band to FM
: at some future date.

I agree that a dual-mode radio for ham/pilots, or for that matter for
business band/pilots would be a interesting idea, and one that would sell
well.

: Lee Devlin, N3IWP
: LongEZ 36MX

: >The Yaesu techs are not wrong. It would take an entire second modulator
: >system in order to transmit AM. They DO NOT transmit AM period. Some AM
: >radios can detect the FM audio, a little slope detection may go a long
: >way, but more often than not, the audio will be unrecognizable. I have a
: >VX1 and it is the same thing.
: >
: >

326. Re: Swap my FT-980 for your...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980203074501.CAA10589@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154727

Would you like to sell your 980? IF so, please
email with price and any acessories you have for
the 980.
Thanks
K5JOE

327. MFJ-259 Alignment-help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4zo@sccoast.net
Message-ID: <34d6a618.178677@news.sccoast.net>
Source record: 154728

Anyone have the service manual who can tell me how to align the
MFJ-259? There are four pots for adjustment and they interact making
adjustment difficult.
Thanks,
Gus
n4zo@sccoast.net

328. FS:Icom IC-W2A Dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34D92188.562CFAF7@compuserve.com>
Source record: 154431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

Icom IC-W2A dualband handheld.

Includes: BP-84 1000mah, BP-83H 800mah, handmike, rubber duck,
cigarette lighter plug, DC charger, battery charger adapter, box &
manual.
Rig is in near mint condition, not a scratch on it.

Will ship in CONUS for $250.

Jim K2NAX

329. FS D104 SILVER EAGLE MIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben <bsisneroz@vitts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd31b6$4e0066e0$240110ac@ben.vitts.net>
Source record: 154432

I have a president hr-2600 10-11 meter radio for sale with d104 mic, stock mic, technical manuel, instruction book, power cord, mfj antenna tuner, and mobile mounting bracket for $250 shipped to anywhere in the u.s.a. Email me back if you are interested in buying the radio. you can also email me at bens@xtdl.com

thanks
ben

330. FS HR-2600 RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben <bsisneroz@vitts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd31b5$9b60dce0$240110ac@ben.vitts.net>
Source record: 154433

I have a president hr-2600 10-11 meter radio for sale with d104 mic, stock mic, technical manuel, instruction book, power cord, mfj antenna tuner, and mobile mounting bracket for $250 shipped to anywhere in the u.s.a. Email me back if you are interested in buying the radio. you can also email me at bens@xtdl.com

thanks
ben

331. WTB: Pair of Mastr II Mobiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ifr@dlcwest.com
Message-ID: <34d8f586.68905966@news.dlcwest.com>
Source record: 154434
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for a pair of lo-bandsplit vhf (138-150.8 mhz) G.E. Mastr II mobiles for a repeater project. Second and third last digits of model number are 56 which denotes this bandsplit (atleast on US versions....not sure on Canuck ones). Would prefer to buy Canadian to stay away from that nasty old exchange-rate....but will surely consider all replies. Also needed is a compete service manual.

Tnx. 73 de Garnet, VE5ARC
ifr@dlcwest.com

Webmaster, Moose Jaw Amateur Radio Club, Chartered 1921
http://www.dlcwest.com/~ifr/

332. IC-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Helmuth Fleck-Kaicher <elka0001@uni-sb.de>
Message-ID: <01bd3192$ce0ebae0$LocalHost@elka0001>
Source record: 154481

IC-735 mit Netzteil DAIWA PS 30XM II, IC-SM 6, ETMC 5c nur wenige Stunden gebraucht. Antennen-Tuner Leader LAC 895. Zusammen: DM 2000.-

Kontakt: elka0001@stud.uni-sb.de

333. Re: Yaesu FT-416 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bandit@domain.com
Message-ID: <34d8ba67.2656268@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154482

Unfortunately, no. The best place I have found is "www.qrz.com" to
find the most popular ones.

Thanks,
Chris

On Thu, 29 Jan 1998 18:36:15 -0600, mwm@reidnet.com wrote:

>I> Hello everyone,
>> I have searched the web everywhere trying to find the mods for the
>> Yaesu FT-416. I have found mods for every other Yaesu radio made I
>> think. Is there a modification for this handheld? I recently joined
>> the Civil Air Patrol and I need to be able to transmit out of the ham
>> band. Any information would be greatly appreciated.
>>
>> Chris,and All Others
> In finding all these yaesu mods did you come across
>on for the FT-8100R. If so can you give me directions on where to find it.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Al
>KF4IBV
>mwm@reidnet.com
>
>----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

334. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bae2l$1v60$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mike. At the top of your price range you get a nice used Kenwood TS850 or Yaesu FT990. Both these rigs are top notch performers that are a definite step above what you are considering. I have seen both of these rigs with internal antenna tuner listed on this newsgroup for $1000 or maybe even a little less! The Yaesu FT990 comes in two versions. The cheaper one would be the FT990DC model which has no built in power supply or otional 500hz cw filter. I personally own and prefer the TS850, but either one would be a great rig for you that would probably satisfy your needs for quite a while.
---- Steve N9ROU
Mike Banz wrote in message <34D88808.1A09@ix.netcom.com>...
>Hi All:
>
>I'm considering buying a used Kenwood TS-450S/AT as my first HF rig.
>I'm also considering IC-735 and IC-706.
>
>Any comments about differences in functionality between the 3 models, or
>suggestions for alternatives in the $500-1000 price range would be
>greatly appreciated.
>
>Please email as well as posting.
>
>Thanks in advance for the assistance
>Mike Banz

335. Re: Advice on Icom 229H and T21A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bandit@domain.com
Message-ID: <34d8bb40.2873689@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154484

David,
The information you gave me is very helpful. Thank you. It looks
like the person who owned my T-21A took VERY good care of it. I like
it a lot. It has a soft case, 1100 MaH battery he purchased for it,
all the books, already modified for out of band. I guess I can't
complain.

The person selling the 299H wants around $200.00 for it. That's
too much. Heck, I could almost buy a new one for $220.00

Thanks for all the comments,
Chris
KC4VTT

On Fri, 30 Jan 1998 08:52:57 GMT, nospamdtse@nospam.inorbit.com (David
Tse) wrote:

>bandit@nospam.com (Bandit) wrote:
>
>>Hello everyone,
>> I just purchased a used (like new condition) Icom T-21A for
>>$175.00. Is this a good price? How does it compare to the T-22A? Is
>>it built to mil-specs?
>
>It was on sale in 1997 at Ham Radio Outlet for $180. I did an order
>for 4 units, one for myself, and three for new members for their first
>radio. I have sold mine later to a ham who has just moved here
>without any radios. (and I have too many anyway). It was the cheapest
>radios around (new) and has a 440MHz receive to boot as a bonus. Any
>dual band is a bit more for the new members who are students.
>
>The most interesting part of the radio is that it allows FULL DUPLEX
>operation with TX on 2m and RX on 70cm at the same time. 800MHz
>reception is next to deaf. The second most interesting feature is
>that it has the FASTEST scanning speed (of memory channels) that I
>have ever seen (ironic that IC-R10 is SO slow). RX audio suffers the
>long scratching sound at the end of a tail, just like some other
>models around that time.
>
>It feels good in hand, but not MIL-SPEC. It stands well on flat
>surface. My friends dropped them a lot, and one battery's plastic
>latch broke, plus an internal wire to battery terminal. The SMA
>antenna it comes with is fragile, but small. Easily bent out of shape
>after dropping with radio. The LCD viewing angle is wierd, I can only
>view it from the bottom angle, but not on the top angle, no matter how

>I adjust the contrast control in the setup. It makes it hard to see
>in some situation. The alarm clock feature is neat, the timer can
>turn the radio on automatically at a set time.
>
>At that time, I figure that even it can't transmit on 70cm, at least
>it can receive, so my friends can tune to some 70cm repeaters
>including ours. At $180. it was a very good price, and I made HRO to
>throw in BNC-SMA adaptors for free :).
>
>For the price you paid for a used unit, it might be a bit overpriced
>if it doesn't have any extra accessories. It might be more reasonable
>if it has drop in charger, soft case, extra batteries, speaker-mic
>that kind of stuff.
>
>The T22A is a totally different approach. It is made very thin and
>has a different design. I have not tried it.
>
>> I saw an Icom 229H 2 meter mobile transceiver for sale today for
>>$190.00. It looks like a good price for it, but it is the beginning
>>bid of an auction. How much would you pay for this radio at the most?
>>I don't know much about the monetary value of these rigs, so any
>>information would be helpful.
>
>Also not tried it, but I heard the IC-28H is the best bet for intermod
>rejection among those years.
>
>>Thanks,
>>Chris
>>KC4VTT
>>bandit@nospam.avana.net
>
>David Tse, VE7MDT
>University of British Columbia Amateur Radio Society, VE7UBC
>www.ars.ams.ubc.ca or www.ve7ubc.ampr.org
>
>>remove "nospam" when replying privately.
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> In real life: David Tse In ham radio: VE7MDT
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> Alternative e-mail: dtse@rflab.ee.ubc.ca, dtse@ve7ubc.ampr.org
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336. Re: Icom 706 Mark II to D-104 Wiring Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: cartercook@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204193801.OAA09885@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154485

>I would like the wiring pin-outs for connecting a standard Astatic
>D-104 to Icom's RJ-45 8 pin microphone connector.

If you've got the standard "squeeze" type PTT base on the D-104, the pin out to the terminal strip goes like this: connection "a"- the ground lug- is a black wire connected to one side of the mike AND to the shell of the mike housing; connection "b"- the next in line- has a green wire from the mike and a white/green wire going to the normally closed side of the "squeeze" switch; connection "c"has a yellow wire to the normally open side of the "squeeze" switch.

Are you using a pre-amp to make a better impedance match and sig boost for the D104 to a modern transmitter? Will probably be necessary.

Let me know if I can be of further assistance. If necessary, I can provide a drawing of the D104 connections.

The PTT on most ICOM mikes just need to connect pin 5 to pin 6 . Mike input goes to pin 1; mike ground to pin 7; and you can get 8vdc from pin 2 to power your preamp.

337. Need Icom IC-T8 mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon-Harald Br&#65533;then <jhb@online.no>
Message-ID: <01bd31a7$1d436f20$e8424382@hjemme>
Source record: 154486

Can anyone help me with the extended TX mod for the IC-T8. I need it fast.
Thanks in advance for any help i may get.

LA2NJA, Jon-Harald

338. CHINA HAM NEWS 2/4/97: BY1QH EME Schedule

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Xiaopeng Rick Niu <xn6@columbia.edu>
Message-ID: <6bahg0$ha1$3@apakabar.cc.columbia.edu>
Source record: 154487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,slac.rec.ham_radio,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

CHINA HAM NEWS 2/4/97: BY1QH EME Schedule

Courtesy of Lasse (BY/)SM0KAK & David BZ1BM
Tsinghua University Amateur Radio Club, Beijing, China

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To members and friends of BY1QH.

You are all most welcome to participate in the following activity!
Please contact David BZ1BM or Lasse SM0KAK if you plan to show up.
Note that our cances of making a EME QSO before 1630 UTC (0430
local time Sunday morning) are not too good due to local QRM.

BY1QH WILL BE QRV ON 144 MHz ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7
This is the first time we are QRV in a EU window except for last
ARRL contest. Make sure you are the first in your DXCC to work BY
on EME! So far only SM, W and VE have been worked from BY.

UTC
1130-1230 EME random.
1230-1300 TEP sked SSB 144.136 MHz with VK6XLR
1300-1330 EME sked with PE1LCH, PA2CHR tail end. QRG unknown NW.
1330-1600 EME random
1600-1630 EME sked with PE1LCH, PA2CHR tail end. QRG unknown NW.
1630-1800 EME random. From 1700 our local QRM is less bad!
1800-1830 EME sked with PA2CHR. QRG unknown NW.
1830-2035 EME random
2130-2230 CQ DX 1827 kHz +/- QRM, 400 W & dipole at 30 magl

During these hours we will be QRV on +86-10-90854674.

We will not accept more skeds (PE1LCH and PA2CHR have lent/donated
major parts of the station). On the other hand you are welcome to
send an e-mail to era.sm0kak@memo.ericsson.se telling that you
will be calling us, and what time periode you plan to be QRV. This
might help us to pick up your call sign. Will anybody be able to
be QRV in the first hour (1130-1230 UTC)? The moon will be below
the horizon in most parts of EU and NA then.

All RANDOM EME is on 144.136 MHz, using 2 minute timing, BY1QH
transmits in the "first" period. Please spread out +/- 1 kHz!!
(We will not move our TX)

We have lots of birdies and local noise. The QRM situation is also
not stable. If you spread out it makes it much more likely that
one of you picks a clear QRG! If you hear us and call us, please
do NOT give up even if we give no sign of copying anything! Keep
on calling. This goes for all stations, even if you run several kW
and lots of aluminium! Suddenly the QRM drops and we can copy you.
Stations like W5UN KB8RQ and VE7BQH have been totally impossible
to detect, and then after hours of calling and listening the noise
goes down. Also average size stations have a chance if you can
copy us. During the ARRL contest we copied 4 yagi stations
running 1.5 kW.

Station improvements since 1997 are:
Improved elevation readout at low elevation angles
New RX filter 250 Hz (500 Hz B4), and new PA.

Other equipment same as before:
IC-706 Mk2
SSB electronics pre-amp 0.8 dB NF in mast head
4x9 el Vargarda, total gain 17.7 dB
Stacking loss 0.5 dB, feeder loss 0.7 dB
QTH: LOC ON80DA
Tsinghua University in Beijing
73 ES CU VIA EME
Lasse (BY/)SM0KAK & David BZ1BM

http://www.horizon.nl/~tdekkers/by1qh/index.html.

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CHINA HAM NEWS is available for unlimited, appropriate distribution.

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339. ADI AT600 MODS WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6bajhh$4ji@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154488

Looking for mods for the ADI AT- 600 ht dual bander
swtempo@worldnet.att.net

340. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba Jenkins <bjenks@aol.com>
Message-ID: <34D8EDBD.133E@aol.com>
Source record: 154489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

Large cross post reduced...

Jan Allbright wrote:

> Untrue...
> I have found that (in most cases) you get the answer you deserve..
> Ask a dumb question - you get (lots) of dumb(er) answers.

I disagree, Jan. Sometimes earnest questions receive smart aleck replies. Sometimes a troll creates a thread that lasts for weeks by posting controversial questions. But what disturbs me most is the well-meaning folks who post misinformation in reply to honest questions. This is really evident in the rec.autos.* hierarchy. Some of the so-called advice is useless, some downright ridiculous, or worse. Would that all who are eager to provide information would carefully VERIFY it first.

My advice to anyone seeking advice in the newsgroups is to take most of it with a grain of salt. At the very least, one should filter it carefully. Even mine :-)

Just my two cents worth.

Bubba

/Jenk's Place -Don't call us unless you are really serious/

341. FT-1000mp RX rf amp operation Q:?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kirby.nesbitt@velocity.bc.ca
Message-ID: <886625749@velocity.bc.ca>
Source record: 154490

Experimenting with the receive rf amplifier selections via the menu on a new 1000MP, had a question..
When the "TUNED" amplifier is selected, I notice a 2-3 S - unit rise in noise AND signal strength on 24, and 28 mhz. However, on bands below 40 mtrs. there is a 2-3 S-Unit drop in signal strength (along with a reduction of aprox 3 Db in noise. My question is, given the fact the manual states that when in the tuned-rf amp mode, two specific tuned front-end amplifiers are switched in at 1.9-7.0 Mhz, and 24-29 mhz, why am I seeing a drop in sensitivity on the low bands (<7.0 mhz), when the "tuned" stage is engaged? The flat amp seems to give me better overall sensitivity, granted there is quite a reduction (close to 2-3 s-units on 28.5 mhz), in sensitivity on the 24 and 28 mhz bands.
Is this normal? Can anyone confirm the operation of these amps on another 1000MP (D?).
Possibly, the tuned stage has been engineered for reduced noise on the low bands at the expense of overall gain.
Appreciate any comments. Nice radio otherwise.

Best 73!

Kirb Nesbitt VE4NU/7
<knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>

342. FT-1000MP RX rf amp operation Q?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kirby.nesbitt@velocity.bc.ca
Message-ID: <886625258@velocity.bc.ca>
Source record: 154491

Experimenting with the receive rf amplifier selections via the menu on a new 1000MP, had a question..
When the "TUNED" amplifier is selected, I notice a 2-3 S - unit rise in noise AND signal strength on 24, and 28 mhz. However, on bands below 40 mtrs. there is a 2-3 S-Unit drop in signal strength (along with a reduction of aprox 3 Db in noise. My question is, given the fact the manual states that when in the tuned-rf amp mode, two specific tuned front-end amplifiers are switched in at 1.9-7.0 Mhz, and 24-29 mhz, why am I seeing a drop in sensitivity on the low bands (<7.0 mhz), when the "tuned" stage is engaged? The flat amp seems to give me better overall sensitivity, granted there is quite a reduction (close to 2-3 s-units on 28.5 mhz), in sensitivity on the 24 and 28 mhz bands.
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Appreciate any comments. Nice radio otherwise.
Best 73!

Kirb Nesbitt VE4NU/7
<knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>

343. FS:IC706 w/AT-180

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Woloszyn <woloszm@diebold.com>
Message-ID: <34D8D583.50DA@diebold.com>
Source record: 154492

Hello,have for sale an IC706 about 6 months old in mint condition. Comes with all cables,box,manual. Also in this package deal is a 3 week old AT-180 auto tuner with the control cable also in mint condition. Priced as a package only for :$1225 Price breakdown:$825 for IC706 and $400 for AT-180 tuner. Can call anytime and leave voicemail at (330)489-4225 or email to woloszm@diebold.com

344. WTB GP-15 50/144/440 MHz vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Turcotte <fnturcot@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <34d8ddd2.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 154493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I am looking for a triband GP-15 from Comet Antennas. It covers 50, 144, and 440 MHz. I will pay all shipping boxes included. New or used send me some info please. I will pay good for this antenna.
73
KB9MGS
KB9MGS@hotmail.com
fnturcot@accessus.net

345. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <34D8DD7D.A58@netdoor.com>
Source record: 154494
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

IF YOU HADDA JUST WAITED YOU WUDDA HAD A BUNCH MORE'N 29!! I DID, HAD
44 RESPONDERS. FUGGIN JERKZ!

Butch KF5DE

346. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6bam0f$l26$3@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 154495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I've had my Kenwood 450s for over a year and love it. No problems at all.
IT's a great rig as far as I'm concerned. I'm also thinking of getting the
Icom 706 Mark II as well for the 6 meter/2 meter SSB capability. I've heard
nothing but good things about it.

73,
Tom

In article <6ba8o7$17o_001@news.iquest.net>, mai@iquest.net (Patrick Croft)
wrote:
>
>
>Mike,
>
>The IC735 is an EXCELLENT rig, and having owned these as well as the other
>units, well, I still have three Icom IC735's for mobile/portable/backup use.
>
>The 706 MARK II has worthwhile improvements over the original 706.
>
>The 450's are a nice little rig, although some problems/design errors were
>made and have been well documented - see QRZ mod lists.
>
>All three units you mention are reasonable rigs for this price range.
>Suggest you find someone with the units that will allow you to tune around and
> see if the bells and whistles of one beats the other for your interests.
>
>Bests
>
>Patrick
>W9GTA
>Greater Things Ahead

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Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

347. Re: Heathkit Cap tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@nospam.itl.net>
Message-ID: <34D8A801.CE234D74@nospam.itl.net>
Source record: 154496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.baotanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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Gary Wood wrote:
>
> Heathkit cap tester for sale...no manual but everything you need to know
> to test caps is on the front panel (you all know a little about
> electronics?) good price can be seen at
> http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

This guy is getting as bad as the guy who kept posting the 6 meter
filter junk.........
Post after post......
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348. Howdy all,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f427f8d5bf1b489989682@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Howdy all, name is Pat and I've got a Kenwood UT-50s 6 mtr module for sale. Works in the Kenwood 641, 741, 642, 742 series radios. List is $369.00 AES price $329.00. I'll let it go for $275.00.+ shipping CONUS.

I am looking for a Kenwood UT-220s 220 module. Will trade the UT-50s even up. Will pay up to $275.00 + shipping CONUS. Drop a reply if interested.
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Happy Trails es 73 de Pat KK6PD
To send E-Mail, be sure to remove the XNoSpamX from the return address.!!!

349. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6bao59$kkc@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 154498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <34D88808.1A09@ix.netcom.com>, mikebanz@ix.netcom.com says...
>
>I'm considering buying a used Kenwood TS-450S/AT as my first HF rig.
>I'm also considering IC-735 and IC-706.
>Any comments about differences in functionality between the 3 models, or
>suggestions for alternatives in the $500-1000 price range would be
>greatly appreciated.

Mike,

Someone else suggested that, for a price around the top of your range, you could buy a Kenwood TS-850S/AT. I whole-heartedly endorse that suggestion! As a former owner of a TS-850, I can say without any hesitation that it's head and shoulders better than the other rigs you're considering, and you WON'T be sorry. The '850 offers superb receiver performance (you can't work 'em if you can't hear 'em!). The automatic antenna tuner also works VERY well, and it's fast and quiet with band setting memories. The TS-850S/AT is truly a great rig with contest-grade performance.

I have one negative comment on the IC-735. A few years ago, at our club's Field Day operation, we had three HF rigs going: an IC-735, a Kenwood TS-430S, and a Kenwood TS-130S. The two Kenwoods worked just fine; although we had minimal interference and blocking, those two stations never missed a QSO. The IC-735, on the other hand, had an awful time dealing with the front end overload from the two Kenwoods, and we eventually shut it down and abandoned it, and ran only the two Kenwood rigs. This was, of course, the ultimate in punishment for a receiver, the "acid test", so I'm not sure how or if this would affect your day-to-day usage. In any event, the two Kenwoods held up wonderfully.

The IC-706, while a good performer in the Mark II version, is not intended for mainly fixed-station use, and doesn't offer the big performance and many features of something like the TS-850S/AT.

If you're really interested in a small mobile-type rig for HF, I'd recommend the Alinco DX-70T. They got for around $700 used. I've owned and used one and liked it very much for casual use. It's not a contest-grade rig, fur sure, but a good performer for normal use.

73,

Dean, K5DH

350. Heathkit Site Lots of pictures(color)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34D8408D.3D36@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 154499
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Look at a slice of history Heathkit, Heathkit Collector Site
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky relive the old days

351. Re: ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4bh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204222000.RAA22043@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154500
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>From: Mike Banz I'm considering buying a used IC-706 vs. a new 706-MkII.

>Any comments about differences in functionality between the 2 models

>would be greatly appreciated.

Mike,
I own a MKII and am well pleased with it. I have never compared it side-to-side with a 706 but if you can get a copy of Jan'98 QST, there is a complete write up on the MKII with some comparisons to the older model. The newer version has many refinements over the older model making it, in my opinion, worth the extra cost. Plus you get a warranty and don't have to worry about "buying somebody elses problem".

73's
Ken
KK4BH

352. Re: ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russell Baker <rbaker@csoft.prestel.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6baqvbbme1@svr-c-01.core.theplanet.net>
Source record: 154501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I think that instead of bandpass filters the output uses lowpass filters for each band. Either that or the bandwidth is wide enough to let a range of frequencies through.

Russell G4ZRZ

Tim Hynde wrote in message <34D8AB77.E7EE23D6@flash.net>...
>
>
>Richard Sterry wrote:
>
>> In article <G.Milligan-ya023080000302981742320001@bignews.shef.ac.uk>,
>> Greg Milligan <URL:mailto:G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk> wrote:
>>
>> > Apparently to convert a FT747GX to provide continuous transmit
capabilities
>> > between 1.5MHz - 30MHz you cut a wire and dial up a certain frequency,
>> > switch off the radio and then switch it back on again and hey presto
you
>> > have general coverage TX/RX. The details for this modification seems to
be
>> > widely available.
>> >
>> > However I am interested in reversing this modification, back to its
correct
>> > HAM band / General coverage RX configuration. Has anybody successfully
>> > tried it?
>> >
>> > Is it just a question of reconnecting the cut wire?
>> >
>> > I thought I would just ask before I damaged anything whilst attempting
to
>> > reverse the mod.
>>
>> Hi Greg.
>>
>> I know this might sound a bit obvious, but have you asked Yaesu UK? The
>> last phone number I had for them was 0181-814-2001, and their web page
>> is at <http://www.yaesu.com>.
>
>I realize your reversing the mod but this is interesting. While the final
is
>solid state and no doubt using broadband transformers isn't their still
>individual bandpass filters for each amateur band? The question is, even if

you
>converted for 1-30MHz transmit wouldn't you still have a problem if
operating on
>5MHz for example 1/2 way between 3.5 and 7MHz? Wouldn't one of the bandpass
>filters have to be in line or am I just out of my tree?
>
>Tim
>

353. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01bd31b4$70590b40$8c60b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 154502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>
> The IC-706, while a good performer in the Mark II version, is not
> intended for mainly fixed-station use, and doesn't offer the big
> performance and many features of something like the TS-850S/AT.

Really? Gosh, I hope whoever developed the 850 did not come up with their
web site.....yikes, what an obfuscated mess.
I just wish the IC-706MKII had the DSP they now have come out with (sigh).
A notch filter would have been nice on it.

> If you're really interested in a small mobile-type rig for HF, I'd
> recommend the Alinco DX-70T. They got for around $700 used. I've
> owned and used one and liked it very much for casual use. It's not
> a contest-grade rig, fur sure, but a good performer for normal use.

You like the DX-70T better the IC-706MKII? Is it really better?

73's

Christopher Cox
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354. IC-730 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steve G." <sgideon@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <01bd31c1$d852dc00$508548a6@default>
Source record: 154503

I am considering buying the IC-730. Does this rig have a good front end? I've not seen a used one advertised with a built in autotuner. Did this come as an option? What's a good price for the IC-730, or preferablly IC-730/AT ??

Thanks.

355. RE: FS:TS690SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Dinkel <jdinkel@mum.edu>
Message-ID: <34D8E989.412E@mum.edu>
Source record: 154504

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price is $950 plus ship
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356. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: geomac@hop-uky.campus.mci.net
Message-ID: <geomac-0402981717450001@s18-pm08.snaustel.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 154505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

> The Twoer was my first 2-mtr rig, when I was 14, back in the sixties as
well. Had
> the Tower and a Sixer in my first car, a '53 Merc, when I turned 16.,
along with
> one of those halo-style antennas. :-)
>
> --
> 73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ ex WA9BLH

I hear that :)

Also my first two meter rig in 1964... spent a week building it, used a TV antenna with its 300 ohm twinlead
rigged to the RCA jack used fo r the antenna connector (what did I know?) Actually it worked ok... from my suburban philadelphia location I worked out about 20 miles. Later went uptown and got a 3 element Hi Gain
and some old RG-58 (wonder what the loss was?) and worked stations over 50 miles away. Upgraded to an 8 element and a rotor plus RG-8 actually worked DX (New York NNJ and Connecticut).

Eventually used it in my fathers car with a Squalo on the roof and a vibrater supply. Finally traded it straight up for a Knight T-60. I think back then almost everyone had a Twoer.

73
George
W3GEO

357. Re: FT-1000MP RX rf amp operation Q?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bat5l$q5u$1@newssvr08-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154506

Kirby - The tuned preamp is doing exactly what it is supposed to do. Yaesu made the assumption that most of the time you would be dealing with strong signals on 40/75 meters and that a little less sensitivity could be desireable in exchange for better dynamic range. I leave mine in the flat setting most of the time unless I need a little more gain on 10 meters. A front panel switch would have been nice for this function though. Glad you are enjoying the radio. --- Steve N9ROU

Kirby Nesbitt wrote in message <886625258@velocity.bc.ca>...
>Experimenting with the receive rf amplifier selections via the menu on a
>new 1000MP, had a question..
>When the "TUNED" amplifier is selected, I notice a 2-3 S - unit rise in
>noise AND signal strength on 24, and 28 mhz. However, on bands below 40
>mtrs. there is a 2-3 S-Unit drop in signal strength (along with a
>reduction of aprox 3 Db in noise. My question is, given the fact the
>manual states that when in the tuned-rf amp mode, two specific tuned
>front-end amplifiers are switched in at 1.9-7.0 Mhz, and 24-29 mhz, why
>am I seeing a drop in sensitivity on the low bands (<7.0 mhz), when the
>"tuned" stage is engaged? The flat amp seems to give me better overall
>sensitivity, granted there is quite a reduction (close to 2-3 s-units on
>28.5 mhz), in sensitivity on the 24 and 28 mhz bands.
>Is this normal? Can anyone confirm the operation of these amps on
>another 1000MP (D?).
>Possibly, the tuned stage has been engineered for reduced noise on the
>low bands at the expense of overall gain.
>Appreciate any comments. Nice radio otherwise.
>Best 73!
>
>Kirb Nesbitt VE4NU/7
><knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>
>

358. Re: ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nitz@clark.net
Message-ID: <6basis$5pr@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 154507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mike:

I have a 706 Mark II. Was a bit to early and missed the free DSP offer.
It's a great rig...I think you would do well to spend the extra money, get
the warranty, the 20 watts on 2 meters instead of 10, the bigger speaker...the
free DSP kit, etc. etc.

look at last January's QST for a write-up on the Mark II and comparison with
the original 706.

This is one radio that will knock your socks off. Be glad to answer any
question you might have.

73,

Jim Nitzberg WX3B

In article <34D886FE.1F2E@ix.netcom.com>, mikebanz@ix.netcom.com says...
>
>Hi All:
>
>I'm considering buying a used IC-706 vs. a new 706-MkII. Used prices
>are ~ $800-850. New Mk-II's are available at ~$1200 with free
>separation kit and DSP filter.
>
>Any comments about differences in functionality between the 2 models
>would be greatly appreciated.
>
>Please email as well as posting.
>
>Thanks in advance for the assistance
>Mike Banz

359. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: lkilgore@Ex.mission.com
Message-ID: <34d9ff30.1770598@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 154508
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

On Wed, 04 Feb 1998 07:24:45 -0700, Jan Allbright
<jan.allbright.NOSPAM@usa.net> wrote:

>
>
>Mondoray wrote:
>
>> To no one who wanted an answer...
>>
>> <<<<<snippage>>>>
>
>Untrue...
>I have found that (in most cases) you get the answer you deserve..
>Ask a dumb question - you get (lots) of dumb(er) answers.
>
>
>
There is only one "dumb" question, the one that
does not get asked. Don't believe me? Ask any
"good" teacher.

360. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stefan Kowal <100627.3426@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#cpzVHcM9GA.316@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 154509

thanks for the info.

Stefan Kowal

361. FS: ICOM 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34d902c0.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 154510

FOR SALE ICOM 756, 6 MONTHS OLD HARDLY USED NEW IN BOX WITH ALL MANUALS AND ACCESORIES.

$2500.00 CANADIAN DOLLARS.....

362. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nitz@clark.net
Message-ID: <6basmd$5pr@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 154511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Mike:

You can't go wrong with that 450...it's a nice rig. I owned a 440 and an 850
for several years.

If you're going to buy one rig, however, and you like the idea of 2 and 6 meter
operation...you just can't beat the versatility of the 706

73,

Jim Nitzberg WX3B

In article <34D88808.1A09@ix.netcom.com>, mikebanz@ix.netcom.com says...
>
>Hi All:
>
>I'm considering buying a used Kenwood TS-450S/AT as my first HF rig.
>I'm also considering IC-735 and IC-706.
>
>Any comments about differences in functionality between the 3 models, or
>suggestions for alternatives in the $500-1000 price range would be
>greatly appreciated.
>
>Please email as well as posting.
>
>Thanks in advance for the assistance
>Mike Banz

363. Re: ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1sopyhopb.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 154512

Mike Banz <mikebanz@ix.netcom.com> writes:

> Hi All:
>
> I'm considering buying a used IC-706 vs. a new 706-MkII. Used prices
> are ~ $800-850. New Mk-II's are available at ~$1200 with free
> separation kit and DSP filter.
>
> Any comments about differences in functionality between the 2 models
> would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Please email as well as posting.
>
> Thanks in advance for the assistance
> Mike Banz

This subject has been previously beaten to death on this
group. You will find a complete discussion in at

http://www.dejanews.com

under the rec.radio.amateur.equipment group. Hint, hint, hint. :-)
:-) :-)

In brief, compared to the IC-706 classic, the new IC-706 Mark
II:

1) has a better VHF receiver (though still poor, subject to intermod,
and pretty deaf outside the 2m band);
2) has a better HF receiver;
3) has 2 internal slots for optional filters instead of just one;
4) can accept a soon-to-appear internal DSP unit;
5) outputs 20W on 2m instead of 10W;
6) has direct band-switching buttons on the front panel instead of
requiring you to push buttons and turn the tuning knob;
7) has a thermostatically controlled fan which runs only as needed
instead of one which runs continuously.

My personal conclusion? I used a borrowed 706 classic with an
AT-180 for 6 months and then bought a Mark II and an AT-180. Now I am
looking for some sort of all-band mobile HF+6m antenna which does not
require me to stop the vehicle and fiddle with a clip or wire. Hmmm.

--
Marc Illsley Clarke, KB0YDL, KB0YDL@N0MPI.#NECO.CO.USA.NOAM
marcclarke@unforgettable.com
4857 North Sheridan Avenue, Loveland, Colorado 80538-1767 USA

(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of
any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

364. FS: pro 43 w cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: DON LARSON <SPEEDDEMON@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bb2js$2avc$1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Pro 43 for sale.
It is in good condition and has the cell band mod.
Includes the factory service manual, users manual, a case that is too big,
(it's the case
for the HTX-202) and a telescoping antenna, along with the original antenna.

Apparently something is wrong with my newsreader software because I posted
the price but people still want to know the price. +ACQ-250 (two hundred and
fifty dollars).

OK, new price+ADs- 240

Don Larson
(406)388-1997 hm
(800)595-8903 wk
speeddemon+AEA-prodigy.net

365. FSK w/ TS-450 or TS-850(?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Daniel <danielg@avana.net>
Message-ID: <34d92166.0@news.avana.net>
Source record: 154514

I have a borrowed Kenwood TS-850. It is wired for AFSK on the rear ACC2 connector. To be able to run the rig in FSK with the KAM TNC, or any other multimode, is a connection made from the TNC FSK line to the mic. input line on ACC2? The TS-850 manual only addresses using old RTTY rigs with the rig and not a newer TNC. Thanks for your reply.

73 and God bless,
George, AB4KN

366. FS: Drake TR3 +AC4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bba2k$lf1$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Drake TR3 and AC4 P.S. the radio is a 8 of 10. Note: has low output power
Best Offer

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

367. FS: Drake TR4C +AC4+MS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bba73lgr1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

This radio is a 9 out of 10. Full output.
Best Offer

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

368. FS: Drake R4 +MS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bbabb$li2$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154517
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

This radio is 8.5 out of 10. Has additional crystals for the shortwave listening.
Best Offer

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369. Re: Can anybody recommend a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6bb6fr$ma7$1@news4.ispnews.com>
Source record: 154518

Rollins:

Radio Shack has their PRO-67 hand-held on sale right now... regular $299.95,
for $149.95... hard to beat!

Bill Crocker

p.s. No, it won't do cellular.

Rollins wrote in message <6b90qa$d68$1@frasier.island.net>...
>Hello, im planning on buying a scanner. Funding is the problem. Can anyone
>recommend a "cheap", as in under $200 scanner that is pretty good? I don't
>have a clue whats good/not. All help would be thankful.
>
>
>

370. Re: ICOM IC-710 Marine Tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <34D913B2.3D98@icss.net>
Source record: 154519

Allen Coxe wrote:
>
> Could anyone advise me if it is possible ot modify the above mentioned radio
> for general TX.
>
> Regards
> Allen Coxe
> vk6vd@networx.net.au

Have you tried to xmit out of band? My ICOM M-700 marine HF transceiver
transmits 1.6 - 24 MHz w/o modifications. It and the matching MN-100
no-tune, all band antenna are for sale.
73, Brian/N0iMD

371. radioshack radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wart@radix.net
Message-ID: <34D94F57.7655@radix.net>
Source record: 154520

Hi I am retired and disabled and can't spend a lot of money.I get most of my fun on the computer and recieving shortwave.I have a heathkit gr-43A reciever that my wife built back in the sixties that spent its life on my boat that no longer works.I am looking at a radio in the Radioshack catalog on page 75 thats called a portable that tunes everything cat.# 12-649.Can anyone tell me anything about this radio,is it any good?
Thanks
wart

372. Kenwood TM-V7A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tim J. Neff" <magician@logancounty.com>
Message-ID: <6bb5jekou1@gestalt.direcpc.com>
Source record: 154521

I would like to know of mods available for the Kenwood TM-V7A.
I have heard that there is a audio over deviation mod for the microphone. I would like info on this and any other mods available.

Tim KU8F

373. FS: Drake R4 +MS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bbaa3$li1$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

This radio is 8.5 out of 10. Has additional crystals for the shortwave listening.
Best Offer

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374. Re: KENWOOD TM-733 A 144/440 MHZ FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Wheatcraft <n0wze@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34D932E5.D58@swbell.net>
Source record: 154523

Gabriel G melo wrote:
>
> FOR SALE KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BANDER LIKE NEW HAVE BOX AND BOOKS $475.00
> OR BEST OFFER CALL GABE
> AT 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT.
>
> n1hhf@110.net
Perhaps You MIGHT want to reconsider your asking price...NEW TM-V7 $469
DELIVERED!!!!

375. FS: Drake SPR4 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bbafu$li5$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

This radio is a 9.5 out of 10.
Best Offer

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

376. FS: SWAN 350 +matching PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bbdabmuo1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The unit is in excellant condition. Brand new GE 6HF5 finals . A spare set of tubes for the radio. Best offer
rcf@crosslink.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

377. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <demoman@address.below.com>
Message-ID: <34D94282.3849@address.below.com>
Source record: 154526
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

Richard Sterry wrote:
>
> In article <01bd30f5$bab53340$111871ce@default>, N1rsq
> <URL:mailto:kimo9@idt.net> wrote:
> > GO TO THE SEARCH ENGINES, YELLOW PAGES, OR TRY ASKING A HAM IN PERSON.
> > most of the people who post on n/g are just bored with no knowlege of of
> > anything asked.
> >
> > case in point. i asked for opinions on the ft-8100r. bert was the only
> > email i got that stated the experience he and his friends had. the other
> > 27 emails said either
> > "a piece of S%^t " or " dont have one but i like the &*^^%$ i have"
> >
> > so that means 2 in 29 people have a brain.
> > And considering this i think me and bert have better things to do.
>
> ...like find out what happened to your SHIFT key! ;-)
>
> Rick
>
could be like me and lost most of the dexterity in his hands after being
shot up in the gulf war. you just never know =]
-notice the smiley sans shift-
--
A.C.Curtis
KB0WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman/

378. FS:Icom AT-500 Autotuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34D9212B.376F8443@compuserve.com>
Source record: 154527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

IC-AT500 autotuner, handles 500w.
In excellent condition.

Will ship in CONUS for $350.

Jim K2NAX

379. FS:Icom BC-72 Desk Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34D921BC.D97261B0@compuserve.com>
Source record: 154528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

Icom BC-72 desk charger for BP80-84 series batteries.
In excellent condition with 110v power adapter.

Will ship CONUS for $60 or partial trade for W32A version.

Jim K2NAX

380. FS:Icom IC-W32A Dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34D925DE.2770F1D0@compuserve.com>
Source record: 154529
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:

Icom IC-W32A dualband HT
In excellent condition with duck,
battery and strap.
$265 and I ship to you in CONUS.

Jim K2NAX
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381. WTB: KPC-9612 or KPC-4 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3128$706bae80$db438cd1@dano>
Source record: 154530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi All,

We're in desperate need of a used Kantronics KPC-4 or KPC-9612.
Please contact Jon, KC7HUB at 801-798-0831. Don't care how they are
cosmetically, just so long as it works and has the manual!
Many thanks in advance!

73 Dan

382. Re:Reply to: A word of caution about DENVER RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: B ill <billrk@desupernet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3117$45cb4480$0554f6cd@hp-customer>
Source record: 154531

Hello all

This message is in response to Steve AC6FR"s message

I have bought ALL of my equipment off of Tom at Denver Radio and have found him to be very honest and trustworthy. I have never had any problems with Warranty work or returns.

I have talked to Tom today and asked him about Steve's Problem and he said the same thing that Steve said. He told me that he has contacted the firm that handles his web page.and was assured that it would not happen again.

In closing I would like to ask Steve if this is not whining or sniveling that why did you not post Tom's message that he sent back to you? And if you did not want a "Polite E-mail" Than what did you want? The way you are acting might be the way to do things in Cotati Ca.but here in Pa we still give a person a fare chance.

As Steve put it "It is however for others to Know" That Tom is a decent and Honest Man. If he was so bad why does Kenwood,Icom,Yaseu and more deal with him?

73 to all

N3PZA Bill Kirkner

Onines <onines@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980202180401.NAA07752@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Ordered some radios from DENVER RADIO this last week off their internet site.
> Received a polite e-mail a few days later from a Tom Youngberg of that store
> explaining to me that the price list quoted on the web was incorrect, they
> wanted to charge $40 more per radio (almost 17% increase). The explanation
> offered was that the posted price was several months old and the service
> provider is slow in updating the site.
> This warning is not an attempt to whine or snivel, I'm a big boy and can get
> over it. It is, however, important for others to know so you don't waste your
> time ordering something from this firm that they will not honor. Steve
> (AC6FR)
>
>

383. WTB: Looking for any TR-751A Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddestafeno@proaxis.com
Message-ID: <6b8u0v$s6p$2@usenet11.supernews.com>
Source record: 154532

Hello,
I am looking for any accessories like the MU-1, TU-7, VS-1, MB-10, or
the CD-10. I you have one or more of these please send me a description with
the cost per item. I have two TR-751A so I'm looking for two of each.

Please send reply directly to ddestafeno@proaxis.com Thanks David (KD6VLR)

384. FS Yaesu FT230R 2 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34D7FA16.5C7D@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 154533

Yaesu FT230R 2 meter rig. 10 memory, dual vfo, 25 watt FM rig. With microphone and manual. $175.00 including postage.

385. Re: marine and ham band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcrusoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204061101.BAA08905@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154534

In article <34D73EC1.2838@prism1.gatech1.edu1>, Lab Assistant
<gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1> writes:

>
Has anyone ever tried modifying a marine band radio to work on the
2m band?
>I they may have gotten me by their advertising, but the marine
radios
seem to
>be built to take more punishment than a typical HT or even
a "MIL-810"
>version (I have never owned one though). Some claim
waterproofness even in a
>saltwater
environment. It seems like they would be a good choice for
>hiking,
emergency or a radio that needs to stand up to the elements.
It
>would also seem to get around the problem of using a ham radio
outside
of the
>ham bands, you would then be using a marine radio on the ham
bands, which
>should be OK. Along these lines is it possible to use an
aircraft band radio
>on the ham bands (is there 2m AM? or is it
modifiable to SSB or some form of
>FM?
Has anyone ever tried any of this?
KS4TY, Eddie
reply to:
>gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove 1's from address)

Most marine VHF HTs are a lot bulkier than the latest generation ham HTs. for Hiking, etc, if I wanted to do VHF, I think I would be asking all the FT-50RD owners how their radios have stood up. The ads certainly talk the talk, but do the rigs walk the walk? If so, that's the way I would go.

Note that your marine VHF would no longer be type accepted for marine use. I think it is illegal to convert it back to marine use and actually use it unless it was done by the holder of at least a General Radiotelephone license. But then, who needs to know, if you do it correctly?

The offset for marine VHF duplex channels is 600 KHz, and channel spacing is 25 KHz. Some channels are simplex, and some are either simplex or duplex

depending on whether you are using US or International mode. It will take a bit of ingenuity to set your radio up to have a significant number of useful ham channels with a modified VHF. Most VHF marine HTs don't have a lot of the bells and whistles (DTMF, CTSS, memories, etc) that ham VHFers take for granted, so depending on intended use, you may have to cram some more stuff in there.

On the plus side of your idea, marine VHF HTs are pretty cheap. and the circuit boards are not as "busy" as the typical ham HT.

Good luck. I think your project is a little more ambitious than the old 11 to 10 meter mod, but it should be do-able.

73 EVRBDY DE AB5VH (Robinson)
From the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
In the Great State of TEXAS
dit diddy-dit dit.....

386. The Heath "Twoer" Thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6b8vug$s05@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 154535
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

<wdmilner@ns.auracom.com> wrote:
>"AC" <username@REMOVE.writeme.com> wrote:
>>Brian Carling wrote in message <34d5b868.5301686@news.mnsinc.com>...

>>>And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)

>>Like you don't know that means TOWER.......

>No, he means a TWOER, just like my SIXER only for 2 metres :))
>Dean, VE1CBF VE1CBF@qsl.net

Hi Gang - Please accept this gentle reminder of the following item that appears in the rec.radio.swap FAQ/charter:

"PLEASE DO NOT POST DISCUSSION ARTICLES TO THIS GROUP. If you really must post, please do so to the appropriate discussion group. Use email whenever possible, especially if you feel someone has committed a breach of etiquette."

(The full FAQ is posted by myself on the 15th of each month.)

Take care,
Jeff KH2PZ (custodian of the rec.radio.swap FAQ/charter)

387. Alpha 76A and WARC bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Shirley <rshirley@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3133$ce31b860$9b23e3c7@gate.net.gate.net>
Source record: 154536

Is anyone familiar with the WARC problems I'm having with a 76A?

Loading on 10mhz (14mhz position) causes a large blue RF arc on the bandswitch to ground, even at the 100-150 watt level!!

I have also heard that there is a problem with plate choke resonance on 24mhz so I didn't even try that.

388. Re: Yaesu FT-727R squelch problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34D82E25.4DB@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154537

Jeff Lillard wrote:
>
> Thanks for reading... My FT-727R HT's squelch is now open all the time
> (turning the knob has no effect) - I did a software "reset" that
> didn't help. Any suggestions?
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Jeff KN6GI

This happened to one of my other syntisized radios. I figured that the squelch "pot" was bad, so I jumped my own internal "pot" inside the radio upon the center squelch pin & the outer squelch pin.
Schematic strongly recommended, due to the compactness of the 727 radio.

John Kf2VW

389. Yaesu727 dual HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34D82FBD.22AF@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154538

I am offering my Yeasu 727 dual band HT for sale...

It is VHF 144-156mhz
UHF 440-470mhz

2 batteries & dropin charger/power supply.
mobil cig adaptor & motorola mic. Pl tone also.

$190.00 john (716) 352 8713
KF2VW

390. Motorola MCX100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34D83062.1B18@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154539

For sale, Motorola MCX100 synthisisized mobil radio (VHF)

9 freqs, approx 45 watts, remote control head & cable.
PL tone & scan.
$100. john 716.352.8713

KF2VW

391. Mod & Cap for Icom IC-746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3138$f6e87140$af0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154540

Anybody know the hardware / software mod & cap for Icom IC-746 ?

Tks a lot

Rgds

392. DEARG - West Memphis Akansas Amateur Radio Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: pfarris <pfarris@cbu.edu>
Message-ID: <34d8086e.0@mjolnir>
Source record: 154541

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The Driven Elements Amateur Radio Group website.
Great info, links, and up coming events.
http://www.media-two.com/DEARG
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393. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcrusoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204083200.DAA20953@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154542

In article <34D7CF7D.27AE8494@scott.net>, Mike Merk <mmerk@scott.net> writes:

>
If I could have only one radio, it would be a 20 meter CW only QRP rig with
>a
real good receiver.

Nice choice for a General class licensee, Mike, but if the guy is a tech or Novice, he might be happier with 15 or 40, the choice depending on what time of day he would be wanting to operate, and how much the 7100 KHz and up BCST stations would bother him. Also, since Shaun mentioned HTs, he might be a no-code tech, and so 40/15 are not such great choices either.

A nice new MFJ-9020 would be a great incentive to upgrade, though...

73 EVRBDY DE AB5VH (Robinson)
From the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
In the Great State of TEXAS
dit diddy-dit dit.....

394. Re: FS: Russian Submarine 12 kW PA - full legal power at SWR 5:1...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcrusoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204083200.DAA09838@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154543

In article <34D82CA0.5B07@netvigator.com>, NRC <nrc@netvigator.com> writes:

>
Hello everybody,

There is the most powerfull and rear amplifier on
>sale.

Russian submarine 100 % military BRAND new Transmitter : exiter
>and

Amplifier. " PLAMIA" brand.

Output power up to 12 kW in CW/AM
>mode.

Band 1.5-25 MHz

Power supply 380V /3 phase

Input 10 watt in from
>exiter

Driver 1xGU84B Russian tube

Final 8xGU84B Russian tube

2 free
>GU84B extra

Automatic tune with memory.

SWR protection , power drops down
>to 1.5 kW (Full legal power) if SWR is

more than 1:5 !

Dimensions:
>Amplifier 180x80x100 cm , exiter 80x50x60 cm.

Total weight 500 kg

Item
>were NEVER used - military supply. Is sold because of the general

military
>situation .

The price is VERY reasonable : just 2500 USD in Moscow.

Can
>deliver to USA. Shipment extra payed.

Can swope on HF transceivers, what
>you have.

The last stock from old Block. Great collectors item.

If
>interested, please E mail to nrc@netvigator.com

73, Igor UA3QJC/KC5VFV

Hey Drew, here's a REALLY powerful CB for ya! Only needs 10 watts for the
exciter!

73 EVRBDY DE AB5VH (Robinson)
From the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
In the Great State of TEXAS
dit diddy-dit dit.....

395. WTD: wilson model MH-200 chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bohica@i-link-2.net
Message-ID: <34D82DE1.1A3D@i-link-2.net>
Source record: 154544

I have several wilson handie talkies model #MH 200. These are 2 watt
6 freq vhf portable radios. Radios are 4 3/4 inches tall and 2 1/4
wide. I need either several desk top chargers
or one gang charger (if such an item ever existed).

396. F.S. TS870+ACC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahmd@netrover.com
Message-ID: <N.020498.051939.65@LOCALNAME>
Source record: 154545

ts870s 70mill ser# digital recorder + ts60mic

4months old $1800.00 u.s. shipped in c.u.s..a.

905-836-0052 or e-mail

graham dyer va3gjb
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397. Re: FS: Russian Submarine 12 kW PA - full legal power at SWR 5:1...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <34D7F951.5ED5@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 154546

NRC wrote:

> There is the most powerfull and rear amplifier on sale.
>
> Russian submarine 100 % military BRAND new Transmitter : exiter and
>
> Amplifier. " PLAMIA" brand.
>
> Output power up to 12 kW in CW/AM mode.

Crikey! You could boil water with that thing, like the whole Black Sea!

Will White

398. Portable Antenna Tester (Covers 7Mhz to 510Mhz) VHF & UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rte@NOSPAM.ilink.nis.za
Message-ID: <6b9l5dlsj1@ilink3.nis.za>
Source record: 154547
Cross-posted to: za.ads.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Brand New Portable Antenna Analyzers for sale.

Active VSWR meter giving direct readings of both
VSWR and % reflected RF power. It is designed to
check the exact resonent freq. of any antenna, HF,
VHF & UHF.
It has a 4 digit freq. counter and an analogue
meter, with a switch for 2 freq. ranges and 2
knobs for freq. adjustments, Fine & Coarse.
It has major advantages over a standard VSWR meter
in that it sees the antenna system exactly as the
Transmitter sees it, plus the frequency is swept
to see where its resonating. Makes trimming so
much quicker and easier !

For further info E-mail RTE
at rte@nis.za
or call (011) 882-9182 or 882-0762
or Fax 882-9182
Johannesburg.

RTE also buys, supplies, rents and repairs Comms.
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Linear Amps also available ! NEW 2 - 35 W

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http://www.nis.za/~rte/rtehome.htm

399. FS: Icom IC-735 and MFJ-949E reduced.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <fRZB.261$vh1.4994658@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 154548

For sale complete hf station in perfect condition. Icom IC-735 all mode
covers 160 m. to 10 m. in receive and transmit. Comes with HM-12 microphone,
instruction manual and original packaging. Appearance is 9 out of 10 and
works perfectly. Serial number is 07674. Asking $500. U.S.

Also a MFJ-949E tuner brand new with manual and original
box. Asking $100. U.S.
Prices include shipping and insurance.

73 de VE2CJW
Quebec, Canada.
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

400. Re: IC-R8500, best price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6b9pn4$88g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154549
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I bought one before christmas at Texas Towers for $1549. After making
all the calls to all the dealers, they were about $200 less than the
next best price, and these prices included that coupon deal from Icom.
At the time I bought mine though, they had only one or two left at that
price.

Tom

Bill Crocker wrote:
>
> Where is the best deal on the Icom IC-R8500 receiver? I realize Icom has a
> $300.00 instant coupon rebate right now, but are any of it's dealers
> discounting the price itself beyond that? It seems there's a lot of price
> fixing going on in the industry lately! Everybody is advertising the same
> price, almost to the penny. I though that was illegal?
>
> Thanks,
> Bill Crocker

401. Read FS 6 meter low pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204135901.IAA02784@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154550

For Sale Low Pass Filter
It is better to install a Low Pass Filter before you meet
and talk with neighbors about your ham radio.
Designed / Built By JR KB5MER
6 Meter Low Pass Filter Models:
Model#1 Harmonic down 38 dB @ 75 MHZ
52 dB @ 100 MHz
58 dB @ 120 MHz
Handles up to 250 watts PEP $39.00
Model #2 Harmonic down 68 dB through 900 MHz.
Handles up to 2 KW PEP $60.00
* Insertion loss less than one (1) dB
*All part as built to with stand a 4 to 1 SWR
*All test were made into 50 ohm load
* Test made by Austin Radio Lab
Price plus $5.00 shipping & handling Con US.
kb5mer@aol.com
Thanks JR

402. Trade: Mot R1100A for RACAL 6790 Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <34D8730D.D06@hnvr.com>
Source record: 154551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Trade: Motorola R1100A code synthesizer (no manual) for RACAL 6790,
6790G/M, 6793 or 1792 parts chassis.

The 1100A is basically a paging code (tone) generator for testing and
the RACAL 6790 is a professional HF receiver.

Ken - WB0QNA
ken@hnvr.com
(day) 314-241-1188 Ext.203

403. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Allbright <jan.allbright.NOSPAM@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34D87A2C.7F170DBC@usa.net>
Source record: 154552
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

Mondoray wrote:

> To no one who wanted an answer...
>
> <<<<<snippage>>>>

Untrue...
I have found that (in most cases) you get the answer you deserve..
Ask a dumb question - you get (lots) of dumb(er) answers.

404. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204143201.JAA24453@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154553

Great stuff but I would point out as one who owned one that the last Model A was built in 1931 or 1932. Mine was a Model B. The only difference was a fuel pump rather than gravity feed. Just though you would like to know.

405. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Sterry <richard@No_Spam.waveg.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ant0414311cbz*cL@waveg.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154554
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

In article <01bd30f5$bab53340$111871ce@default>, N1rsq
<URL:mailto:kimo9@idt.net> wrote:
> GO TO THE SEARCH ENGINES, YELLOW PAGES, OR TRY ASKING A HAM IN PERSON.
> most of the people who post on n/g are just bored with no knowlege of of
> anything asked.
>
> case in point. i asked for opinions on the ft-8100r. bert was the only
> email i got that stated the experience he and his friends had. the other
> 27 emails said either
> "a piece of S%^t " or " dont have one but i like the &*^^%$ i have"
>
> so that means 2 in 29 people have a brain.
> And considering this i think me and bert have better things to do.

...like find out what happened to your SHIFT key! ;-)

Rick

IMPORTANT: when replying, please remove "No_Spam." from the address.
--
Richard Sterry G4BLT
Honda VFR750FP web site - <http://www.waveg.demon.co.uk/>

406. Re: Not even a newbie help...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Allbright <jan.allbright.NOSPAM@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34D87C51.BE8C873C@usa.net>
Source record: 154555

My money is on the AT-600-HP
Dual band - 5W output - takes external power - and reasonably priced

Kris Cross wrote:

> I will be going for my novice in a while, and I was wondering what would
> be a good first radio.
> I would like to get a hand held unit (that would make it easyer to
> switch between vehicles) mabye with a vehicle charger and a house
> charger... that is not important.
>
> Thanks

--
Jan Allbright - "14-91" - Calhan Volunteer Fire Department
-- KC0BUY -- 146.970(-) <100hzPL> -- Colorado Springs --
real mail response needs to remove NOSPAM from email

407. KENWOOD TM-733 A 144/440 MHZ FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6b9v0s$gn4$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154556

FOR SALE KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BANDER LIKE NEW HAVE BOX AND BOOKS $475.00
OR BEST OFFER CALL GABE
AT 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT.

n1hhf@110.net

408. KENWOOD TM-733 A 144/440 MHZ FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6b9ush$gr9$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154557

FOR SALE KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BANDER LIKE NEW HAVE BOX AND BOOKS $475.00
OR BEST OFFER CALL GABE
AT 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT.

n1hhf@110.net

409. WTB: Heath DX 40 parts set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfbike <gfbike@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <34D886FF.7D26@millcomm.com>
Source record: 154558

I need a Heathkit DX 40 cabinet, knobs and meter for a project. rest of set cna be defunct or missing.

Gary
W0SY

gfbike@millcomm.com

410. Complete QST Collection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhal1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204153201.KAA00231@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154559

FOR SALE: Complete QST magazine collection in excellent shape. Dec.1915 thru
Dec 1985 all in binders, earlier years professionally bound in hard binders.
Will not seperate, goes as collection only.
If interested please email me at DHAL1@aol.com

73
KA1W

411. WTB: MB-5 Mobile mounting bracket for IC735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiofreq0@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204155201.KAA13630@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154560

I am loking for the mobile mounting bracket for the Icom 735. Model # MB-5, I believe.
email me your best price
tnx
jeff

412. Re: Down east Transverters???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34D890C9.4D08321F@total.net>
Source record: 154561

Dave thank you for your consice description. How does the Transverter perform on FM repeaters and FM simplex, as I would be using mainly for that as well as weak signal SSB.. I own a Icom 756 and love it. I want all mode 2m but dont want to trade 756 for the new 746 as the 756 offers better HF.....

Thanks again Dave for your time...

Lou Roppoli

Dave Sjolin wrote:

> Lou R. wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone use the Downeast Transverters from 10m to 2m ? I almost
> > purchased the Tentec 1210 transverter but was told to check out
> > downeast. There pricing is a little more but seem to be a better
> > transverter.
> >
> > Any comments greatly appreciated...
>
> Hi Lou:
>
> I have the DEM 144-28 transverter that you were asking about. Its a
> great piece of gear. More sensitive than my old multi-mode transceiver
> but at same time it is very hard to overload its front end. I can
> operate 5 khz away from very strong signals and not know they are there.
>
> It's easy to interface with an HF rig. DEM even offers pre-made
> interface cables for certain transverters and have seemed amenable to
> doing custom cables when necessary. Service and support is great.
>
> I can also list a few things that may be drawbacks to you.
>
> 1) The price is several hundred dollars more than the Tentec unit. I
> believe the assembled units go for about $400. They are available as kit
> for less.
>
> 2) The transverter does not have the commercial appearance that you have
> come to expect from the likes of Kenwood, Icom, Yaesu, or Ten Tec. In
> truth, it looks homebrew and I would have been happier if it had been
> painted.
>
> If you get a DEM transverter you should be very pleased. DEM has a web
> site if you are interested. You can download a catalog, interfacing

> hints, and unit specifications from the following:
> http://www.downeastmicrowave.com
>
> 73 de Dave, N0IT

413. ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Banz <mikebanz@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D886FE.1F2E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi All:

I'm considering buying a used IC-706 vs. a new 706-MkII. Used prices are ~ $800-850. New Mk-II's are available at ~$1200 with free separation kit and DSP filter.

Any comments about differences in functionality between the 2 models would be greatly appreciated.

Please email as well as posting.

Thanks in advance for the assistance
Mike Banz

414. Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Banz <mikebanz@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D88808.1A09@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi All:

I'm considering buying a used Kenwood TS-450S/AT as my first HF rig.
I'm also considering IC-735 and IC-706.

Any comments about differences in functionality between the 3 models, or
suggestions for alternatives in the $500-1000 price range would be
greatly appreciated.

Please email as well as posting.

Thanks in advance for the assistance
Mike Banz

415. Re: FS: Pro 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: caj@urth.autarch.com
Message-ID: <6ba38r$rh7@urth.autarch.com>
Source record: 154564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6b90tt$19lg$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>,
DON LARSON <SPEEDDEMON@prodigy.net> wrote:
>I have a Pro 43 for sale.
>It is in good condition and has the cell band mod.
>Includes the factory service manual, users manual, a case that is too big,
>(it's the case
>for the HTX-202) and a telescoping antenna, along with the original antenna.
>
>Apparently something is wrong with my newsreader software because I posted
>the price but people still want to know the price. +ACQ-250 (two hundred and

This is coming out as +ACQ-250 -- is this some artifact of the
character codes you're using, or is it some abbreviation I'm not
familiar with?

regards,
Craig

416. Re: How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6ba3pv$1or$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 154565

In article <6b7n7s$3db@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>,
davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:
>I'm starting to look for my first mobile rig, having owned only a pair of
>handhelds until now (FT-50 and FT-51). I want it primarily for base
>station use now, but could see transferring it to a car later. Because
>my car is small (Honda Civic), I see the ability to remote-mount the
>radio faceplate as a definite asset. I use both the 2 m and 70 cm
>bands, so want a radio that covers both.
>
>The one obvious class of radio to look at is the standard dual-band ones.
>The Kenwood TM-V7A, Yaesu FT-8100, and Icom IC-2710H are representative
>of this class, and all have most of the same features. All will receive
>two frequencies at once, or operate full-duplex cross-band, or act as
>a cross-band repeater. The Kenwood seems to have the best collection
>of features for the money, including simultaneous alphanumeric and frequency
>identification of channels, DTMF and CTCSS decoders built in, and a large
>display to show all this. The others require (expensive!) add-on boards
>to get DTMF and CTCSS decoding. (The Yaesu FT-8500 is in a higher
>price class, and I don't like its human interface design anyway.
>So I'm not considering it.)
>
>However, there is also the Icom IC-207H. It covers both bands, but with
>just a single transceiver. You can't listen to two frequencies at once,
>operate full duplex, or cross-band repeat with it. CTCSS decoding is
>included, but DTMF decoding does not seem to be possible. And it is
>about $200 CDN less expensive than the Kenwood, about $300 cheaper than
>the Icom and Yaesu with their CTCSS decoder options. It has similar
>power output to all the others. Also, like the 2710, almost everything
>on the radio can be controlled by the microphone. It even has a "9600
>baud packet" interface jack that the 2710 lacks.
>
>As you can probably tell, I'm tempted by the 207. I haven't found the
>single-receiver design of the FT-50 to be much of a disadvantage compared
>to the dual-receiver FT-51. Am I likely to miss dual receive in a base/
>mobile radio? Enough to be worth $200-$300 extra?
>
> Dave

---------- I am at that same point you are. Price is an important factor
and had to first decide if I even needed a dual-bander. I have decided to go
for dual-band and thus the price is already increased.

The other response posted comes to the crux of the matter: assess your needs
vs. flash-splash features you don't really need or use or do so with such
infrequency as to not count for much. When you have decided this you will be

more easily drawn to the lowest priced unit that meets your needs. Features you don't use makes the extra cost a waste of money. Get what you need and what you can reasonably expect to grow into.

I have pretty well decided to go for the ICOM 207 but want the particulars of different mics which are not well documented in the stnadard cataloges (HRO/AES).

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

417. WTB Ranger AR-3500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.B. Hansford" <dbh@sb.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3188$79e4e840$3b5c8fd0@default>
Source record: 154566

Please quote condition and price.
Thanks, D. B. Hansford.
dbh@sb.net

418. Standard C150 mod ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: park@cascade.kriss.re.kr
Message-ID: <6ba4c4$d4h$1@usenet.kreonet.re.kr>
Source record: 154567

Hello ?

I have recently acquired a Standard C150 HT from a friend.
When I got it, it was configured to received much wider
frequency range than 144-146MHz. With no manual, I accidentally
reset it and now it can only receive/transmit that 144-146MHz.

How can I modify/program this HT for wider frequency range ?

Any pointer to mod web page will also be appreciated.

Thanks.

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419. Re: Problem w/ Knwd TS430s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Hushak <chushak@fallschurch.esys.com>
Message-ID: <34D89210.5FFF@fallschurch.esys.com>
Source record: 154568

I had one of these little beasties a while ago myself. What is
happening is that it is switching into a 'transverter' mode and reducing
power output.

The fix is easy! Use a paperclip as a probe (turn rig off, first!!!)
and insert into the transverter jack on the rear panel. There is a
switch that is recessed inside one of the jack pins that gets toggled
when a transverter is plugged in. (Sorry, I forget the pin number).
Use the probe to toggle the switch several times. This cleans the
contacts and restores normal operation.

Of course, you can also open the radio and try to access it from the
inside and give it a really good cleaning using contact cleaner. By the
way, my rig was used by a smoker prior to me owning it, so ALL switches
were a little flaky. It's just this one was never used like the front
panel ones were.

Hope this helps,

Chris, wa1zxx
>
> Scott,
>
> I understand there was a factory update that possibly might be
> associated with your problem. The PCB trace that connects the power
> output transistor's bases to the base resistors involves soldering a
> heavy wire to bypass the traces. Evidentally, those traces are not good
> enough to handle the current.
>
> Dave - W0MAY
>
> Scott Dickson wrote:
> >
> > I am having an intermittant problem with my Kenwood TS-430s
> > (serial # 4011115) that has me puzzled.
> >
> > The output power will occasionally fall to nothing while transmitting
> > on the 10 meter band, both in CW and SSB modes. I have a MFJ
> > SWR/POWER meter in-line, so I see the power fall from 75-100 watts to
> > less than 10. It may only last a few seconds, or it may last several
> > minutes.
> >
> > When this happens, I have switched immediately to 15 meters and 40
> > meters -- the rig seems to be working fine there -- but back on 10
> > meters, it is anyone's guess as to when the power will come back up.

> >
> > Any help would be appreciated.
> >
> > --Scott Dickson
> > --KD5CAS**spamhater**@iamerica.net
> > --E-mail address is: CALLSIGN@iamerica.net

420. WTB: Junker Icom 701

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <34D8C08E.840@iglou.com>
Source record: 154569

Wanted: Junker Icom IC-701 for parts. Specifically need a good PLL unit.
Cosmetic condition unimportant. E-mail Mark KB4AEP crslex@iglou.com

421. ? Need Manual FT209RH ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <01bd317f$b2370600$39aa3bc6@hotel.intranet.asctmd.com>
Source record: 154570

Need manual or photocopy. Willing to pay copying and shipping fees.

Please email via "rmccoy@alb.asctmd.com"

Thanks,
N5CUL

422. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34D89753.C1A7B050@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

barry wrote:

> mark: i think you should have had that twoer powered off of the bicycle
> (wheel) generator for some qrp action.
> barry
> carson city, nevada

And seeing as how it was an all tube radio, I would have had to peddle very fast on that old bike....

73
Mark
WA0DCA

423. Re: FS: Russian Submarine 12 kW PA - full legal power at SWR 5:1...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bea and Marvin Jones <jonz@rmi.net>
Message-ID: <6ba79m$ci9$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 154572

NRC <nrc@netvigator.com> wrote:
: Hello everybody,

: There is the most powerfull and rear amplifier on sale.
: Russian submarine 100 % military BRAND new Transmitter
: exiter and Amplifier. " PLAMIA" brand.

I'd kinda like to have the "cabinet" it came in.... :-)

Jonesy W3DHJ

424. Re: The Heath "Twoer" Thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: lbrty4us@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204171101.MAA11073@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154573

In article <6b8vug$s05@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:

>"PLEASE DO NOT POST DISCUSSION ARTICLES TO THIS GROUP. If you really must
>post, please do so to the appropriate discussion group. Use email whenever
>possible, especially if you feel someone has committed a breach of
>etiquette."
>
>(The full FAQ is posted by myself on the 15th of each month.)
>
>Take care,
>Jeff KH2PZ (custodian of the rec.radio.swap FAQ/charter)

Cross-posting? Last time I looked, this was rec.radio.boatanchors, wherein
considerable discussion and hobnobbing abound.

425. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <34D8C1FF.7D48@iglou.com>
Source record: 154574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mike Banz wrote:
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> Hi All:
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> I'm considering buying a used Kenwood TS-450S/AT as my first HF rig.
> I'm also considering IC-735 and IC-706.
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> Any comments about differences in functionality between the 3 models, or
> suggestions for alternatives in the $500-1000 price range would be
> greatly appreciated.
>
> Please email as well as posting.
>
> Thanks in advance for the assistance
> Mike Banz

If you want to be wise, DON'T BUY AN ICOM!
I just did and boy am I sorry! These Icoms are plagued with bad PLL
problems that require replacing the cheap, plastic trimmer capacitors
with ceramic ones (which Icom should have used to begin with). Get a
Kenwood or a Yaesu.....or better yet, get a good old Drake C-line. Avoid
PLL digital radios at all cost.............KB4AEP Mark

426. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwilson@REMOVEflex.net
Message-ID: <34d8a433.0@news.flex.net>
Source record: 154575

cmjk2og@aol.com (Cmjk2og) wrote:

>Great stuff but I would point out as one who owned one that the last Model A
>was built in 1931 or 1932. Mine was a Model B. The only difference was a fuel
>pump rather than gravity feed. Just though you would like to know.

My dad told me the only difference was that a V8 was available
on the 'B' but not the 'A' but I'm not claiming to know since I was
born in '63.

So what ham equipment are y'all using, and how do you like it?

.....Monty.

427. Re: ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwilson@REMOVEflex.net
Message-ID: <34d8a434.0@news.flex.net>
Source record: 154576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>In article <G.Milligan-ya023080000302981742320001@bignews.shef.ac.uk>,
>Greg Milligan <URL:mailto:G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk> wrote:

>> Apparently to convert a FT747GX to provide continuous transmit...
>>. The details for this modification seems to be
>> widely available.
>>
>> However I am interested in reversing this modification, back to its correct
>> HAM band / General coverage RX configuration. Has anybody successfully
>> tried it?
>>
>> Is it just a question of reconnecting the cut wire?

Yes. It's a loop of wire which emerges from the front panel and goes
right back into the front panel. I think it's brown and toward the
left side.

I don't think you even have to turn the rig off, just re-connect the
wire and the "GEN" indicator goes off. This tells you the general
coverage transmit is gone. You may need to reconnect the wire
then turn the rig off and back on. But it's way easier to undo the
mod than it is to do the mod in the first place.

After this, if you try to transmit out of band, you get an "Error"
on the LCD panel.

.........Monty N5NVM.

428. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <6ba8o7$17o_001@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 154577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mike,

The IC735 is an EXCELLENT rig, and having owned these as well as the other units, well, I still have three Icom IC735's for mobile/portable/backup use.

The 706 MARK II has worthwhile improvements over the original 706.

The 450's are a nice little rig, although some problems/design errors were made and have been well documented - see QRZ mod lists.

All three units you mention are reasonable rigs for this price range. Suggest you find someone with the units that will allow you to tune around and see if the bells and whistles of one beats the other for your interests.

Bests

Patrick
W9GTA
Greater Things Ahead

In article <34D8C1FF.7D48@iglou.com>, Mark <crslex@iglou.com> wrote:
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>PLL digital radios at all cost.............KB4AEP Mark

429. Re: ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Hynde <hynde@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34D8AB77.E7EE23D6@flash.net>
Source record: 154578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Richard Sterry wrote:

> In article <G.Milligan-ya023080000302981742320001@bignews.shef.ac.uk>,
> Greg Milligan <URL:mailto:G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk> wrote:
>
> > Apparently to convert a FT747GX to provide continuous transmit capabilities
> > between 1.5MHz - 30MHz you cut a wire and dial up a certain frequency,
> > switch off the radio and then switch it back on again and hey presto you
> > have general coverage TX/RX. The details for this modification seems to be
> > widely available.
> >
> > However I am interested in reversing this modification, back to its correct
> > HAM band / General coverage RX configuration. Has anybody successfully
> > tried it?
> >
> > Is it just a question of reconnecting the cut wire?
> >
> > I thought I would just ask before I damaged anything whilst attempting to
> > reverse the mod.
>
> Hi Greg.
>
> I know this might sound a bit obvious, but have you asked Yaesu UK? The
> last phone number I had for them was 0181-814-2001, and their web page
> is at <http://www.yaesu.com>.

I realize your reversing the mod but this is interesting. While the final is solid state and no doubt using broadband transformers isn't their still individual bandpass filters for each amateur band? The question is, even if you converted for 1-30MHz transmit wouldn't you still have a problem if operating on 5MHz for example 1/2 way between 3.5 and 7MHz? Wouldn't one of the bandpass filters have to be in line or am I just out of my tree?

Tim

430. I sell Big Amlifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6ba9t6$da5@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 154579
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
Ampli Collins 208U10, autotuning 2-30 Mhz, 10 Kw continues, with exciter Redifon/Harris.
4 Antennas Log periodic 2-30 Mhz 10-50 kw.
I have cable, connectrors, end more.
They take an interest you write me.

431. Denver Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jon10101@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980204001200.TAA26340@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154611

I cannot believe that an outfit such as denver radio would act so stupid replying to the customer as they have. I have purchased 2 radios and some other equipment without a problem. But the reply Tom of Denver Radio gave to one customer has changed my attitude. I would never purchase another radio from this outfit. I am embarrased for Denver Radio. They must think they are the only dealer out there. No matter who was at fault (the customer or the dealer) it is shocking to see this retailer talk this way to a customer. As I said no matter the outcome I have made my last purchase from Denver Radio. (Best of luck to you Tom) (you would almost think this was written by a 7 year old crybaby)

Below is the reply Tom of Denver Radio sent to one of it's customers:

<<>Steven,
> Why don't retransmit this message. At least everyone would knnow the
> truth.
> You ordered 1(one) radio not some.
> If you are not a snibbler than grow up.
> There is a message at the top of the page that states the PRICES ARE
> SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.
> You may gladly take your business elsewhere.
> Tom

432. FS- Daiwa NS-448 900-1300Mhz SWR-Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6b8e2v$1a9$1@nu-informer.alliance.net>
Source record: 154612
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

For Sale:

DAIWA NS-448 SWR & Power Meter

900 Mhz to 1300 Mhz.

Two Ranges: 0-5 watts & 0-20 Watts

Cross-Needle type complete with external

pick-up unit model NS-448U that has type N

female connectors. This external pick-up has

4 feet of cable, that plugs into the 5-pin DIN

connector on back of the meter unit.

Meter has a light and can be hooked to 12vdc,

if you want to have it illuminated.

** It's all like new in the box **, only used a couple

of times back when i was nuts about vhf/uhf contesting

and had a 903 Mhz station.

Originally cost about $175. ......yours for $100.00

plus $3.00 to ship USA/48

Email - Me

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

433. Re: 9600bps from a HTX-202?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bd310f$aa164aa0$0f438cd1@dano>
Source record: 154613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>
> I'd like to see documentation too, I may want to give it a go!
>
> 73,
> Tom
>
I second the motion! Post the mods.

Dan

434. FS: Icom IC-2ia 2m HT $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Tenison <btenison@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6b8i2n$769$0@198.79.30.91>
Source record: 154614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have for sale a 2m HT. It's an Icom IC-2ia.

RX 138-175 MHz, Tx 144-148 MHz

It has 100 memory channels available, and is fairly
easily programmed.
It has 4 power settings at 13.8 volts, 5W, 2.5W, 500 mW, and 20 mW

Has a clock, dtmf functions, power-on timer, power-off timer, auto
power-off,
priority watch, and easy and multi-function modes.

Includes a wall charger, and BP-121 7.2v/ 400mAH battery pack.

Very enjoyable little rig.

$100

Bruce
btenison@dibbs.net

435. FS: Motorola Maxtracs UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3112$4a6ef540$0f438cd1@dano>
Source record: 154615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi All,

I have two Maxtracs UHF for sale.
First one is a 2ch 25 watt. Second is a 32ch 25 watt w/signalling.
Includes mic and cable for each radio.

$150 o.b.o. for the 2ch
$275 o.b.o. for the 32ch

Email if interested.

Dan

436. Neel help with Yaesu FT-51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3115$05970720$5b0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154616

How to unmod of FT-51R ?

73

437. FS: Russian Submarine 12 kW PA - full legal power at SWR 5:1...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: NRC <nrc@netvigator.com>
Message-ID: <34D830A4.46F0@netvigator.com>
Source record: 154617

Hello everybody,

There is the most powerfull and rear amplifier on sale.

Russian submarine 100 % military BRAND new Transmitter : exiter and

Amplifier. " PLAMIA" brand.

Output power up to 12 kW in CW/AM mode.

Band 1.5-25 MHz

Power supply 380V /3 phase

Input 10 watt in from exiter

Driver 1xGU84B Russian tube

Final 8xGU84B Russian tube

2 free GU84B extra

Automatic tune with memory.

SWR protection , power drops down to 1.5 kW (Full legal power) if SWR is

more than 1:5 !

Dimensions: Amplifier 180x80x100 cm , exiter 80x50x60 cm.

Total weight 500 kg

Item were NEVER used - military supply. Is sold because of the general

military situation .

The price is VERY reasonable : just 2500 USD in Moscow.

Can deliver to USA. Shipment extra payed.

Can swope on HF transceivers, what you have.

The last stock from old Block. Great collectors item.

If interested, please E mail to nrc@netvigator.com

73, Igor UA3QJC/KC5VFV

438. FS: Russian Submarine 12 kW PA - full legal power at SWR 5:1...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: NRC <nrc@netvigator.com>
Message-ID: <34D82CA0.5B07@netvigator.com>
Source record: 154618

Hello everybody,

There is the most powerfull and rear amplifier on sale.

Russian submarine 100 % military BRAND new Transmitter : exiter and

Amplifier. " PLAMIA" brand.

Output power up to 12 kW in CW/AM mode.

Band 1.5-25 MHz

Power supply 380V /3 phase

Input 10 watt in from exiter

Driver 1xGU84B Russian tube

Final 8xGU84B Russian tube

2 free GU84B extra

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439. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdmilner@auracom.com
Message-ID: <34d7d229.12032254@news.auracom.com>
Source record: 154619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

"AC" <username@REMOVE.writeme.com> wrote:
>Brian Carling wrote in message <34d5b868.5301686@news.mnsinc.com>...
>>And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)
>>
>Like you don't know that means TOWER.......

No, he means a TWOER, just like my SIXER only for 2 metres :))

Dean, VE1CBF VE1CBF@qsl.net
10-X 31826 FN96VC

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! remove ns from domain name above

440. Re: FS- Daiwa NS-448 900-1300Mhz SWR-Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6b8l26$1va$1@nu-informer.alliance.net>
Source record: 154620
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

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Sold !!
tnx to all who responded...
73, ron

Ron Sibbitt wrote in message <...
>For Sale:
>
>DAIWA NS-448 SWR & Power Meter
>
>900 Mhz to 1300 Mhz.
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441. Re: 9600bps from a HTX-202?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Balcerski <jeffab@engin.umich.edu>
Message-ID: <34D7DEA5.E8AA8F0C@engin.umich.edu>
Source record: 154621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In response to the number of people who have written and asked for the
same information, here is a copy of the mod, from
ftp://oak.oakland.edu/pub/hamradio/mods/tandy/htx20296.mod
Thanks to Richard Mulvey for pointing me in the right direction.

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| ITD/CITI JavaInsite Development Team |
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: : Is there a source for a 9600 baud mode for the Radio Shack htx-202
2m
: : handheld?

: There probably is but I hope you're good at micro-surgery HI.

I wouldn't exactly call it micro-surgery. It's a wee bit tight,
but a
steady hand and a magnifying lense was all I needed (and a soldering
iron).
Actually bringing the leads out of the case is the tough part, as it's
pretty tight in there. Here's the how-to I've had lying around for some
time. Obviously, I'm not the author, so credit where credit is due.

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From: Gene Kennedy <Gene.Kennedy@f470.n3625.z1.fidonet.org>
Date: Wed, 30 Nov 94 06:04:00 -0600
Subject: 9600 Baud
Organization: Di's Online Cafe - Mobile, AL - (205) 661-8945

To Steve and others who may be interested, heres how I connected my 9600
baud TNC to my HTX-202:

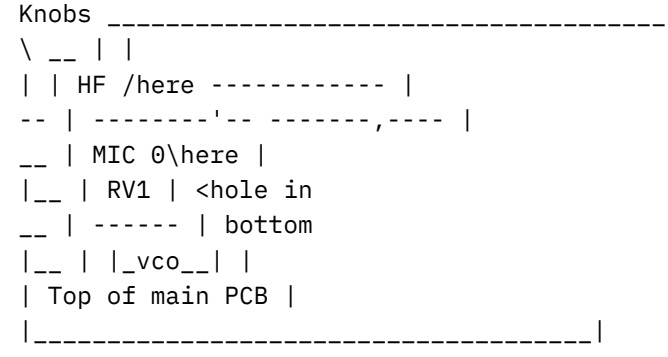
CONNECTIONS TO REALISTIC HTX-202 FOR 9600 BAUD PACKET

NOTE: The following operation requires soldering in very close quarters and damage or destruction of your radio is possible if you get too much heat on nearby wires or components, or by sloppy soldering.

I performed these operations on my own HTX-202 and it works OK for 9600 baud operation with my new Kantronics KPC-9612. I don't take any responsibility for invalidation of warranty or improper operation of the radio, etc.

I studied the schematics and determined the locations for making connections based on general recommendations for 9600 FSK. I didn't want to permanently deface my radio by making any holes in the case for wire penetrations, so I removed the battery and battery connector which is a plastic oval with a spring contact in it held by two screws and ran the wires out to the connector that goes to the TNC. I can restore it to original condition in just a few minutes. I used the smallest coax I had avail, I think it is RG-174. Someone may have a better idea about doing that part.

Open up the HTX-202 by removing the five screws, take off back cover, and separate front panel and lay it on bench so that flex pc cable won't be damaged.



This is a crude diagram of the inside of HTX-202 after splitting case and folding front case aside. There are several sub-PCBs standing on edge that I represented by the dashed lines. In my HTX-202 the sub-board at upper left is labeled HF and the raw output from the discriminator IC goes into pin 1, the first solder pad starting from the center of the radio. This is where I soldered a small coax and ran it out the hole in bottom of case. This is Receive Audio into TNC.

The sub-board labeled MIC is microphone audio to modulator varicap. Pin 6 here goes directly into the VCO and this is where I soldered a second coax. The solder pad 6th pin from center of radio is right next to the RV1 deviation pot. (Dont melt the pot.) This is Transmit Audio from TNC.

The third connection, PTT, is harder to describe the actual point. What I did was flip the radio over and used a ohm meter to locate the solder trace from the center pin contact of external mike socket. It runs from just below mike socket to a small SMD resistor. I soldered a 2k resistor here and ran a tiny wire from other end of it, along the

side of radio and out a slot in case where the cover wouldn't pinch
it, and through the hole in the bottom.

The radio now has to be operated by a power supply, since the
battery contact is gone and the wires are coming out the hole in the
bottom. I lengthened the power wire that was removed from the contact
and connected it to the same power supply as my TNC. The coax and PTT
wires go to the DB15 connector for the KPC-9612. I used the coax shield
for RX Audio as the ground connection, but left the TX Audio shield
un-grounded at the DB15.

I am still in the process of evaluating how well this works on 9600
baud packet. There are very few VHF 9600 baud stations near me (only
one, in fact) but hopefully in the future this will change.
Good luck, and I welcome any feedback about this.....

Gene, WA4WBI
===

....rvz here again....

I followed these directions, and receive works just lovely. I've
only
managed one connection though, not sure if it's a problem with the
hookup,
or just my measly 30 watts not doing the job. Much like Gene, I'm
having a
hard time finding other 9600 activity close by. Anyone know of activity
in
the Northern 'burbs of Chicago?

Couple of notes... Although it's probably necessary to pull the
front
off the radio just to identify the proper points, I made my connections
on
the rear of the board that's exposed immediately after removing the back
cover. Be careful with the routing of the rg174, paying attention to
what
will be crimped when replacing the cover. A friend smoked his when he
screwed the cover back on (what's an ERR 01 mean?), piercing the cable
with
one of the ic pins. I also didn't bother running the PTT cable out as
Gene
describes. I put a plug on the end of PTT lead from the TNC, and use
the
microphone jack on the radio instead.

good luck,
rvz N9ORG
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=-=
Robert Van Zant Sevenex Public Access

Linux
rvanzant@sevenex.sol.net 414-843-4169 v.fc
24hrs
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442. Re: ft-8100 tuning diagram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOT.~NOTcwcjr@poboxes.com
Message-ID: <34d7db04.1288870@news.ro.com>
Source record: 154622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

On 3 Feb 1998 01:11:20 GMT, "N1rsq" <kimo9@idt.net> wrote:

> does anyone have the tuning diagram for this radio. my power output is not
> centered properly on the UHF band. also what do you think of the radio. i
> picked one up 2 weeks ago and love it. BUT, i see a bunch of complaints on
> the ng's about bugs in the radio.
> thanks DON
> kimo9nospam@idt.net

I love mine, but, it has been in the shop twice in 6 months. Speaker
rattle and a 'known' but not much explained problem with UHF to VHF
Cross-band Audio. (Oh yeah, the FSK22 decode kit doesn't quite fit
the way they say it does, but if you have some tape to keep it from
shorting out, it works) Although, It seems that since I got it back
from Yeasu America, the fan sounds like it is on its last legs......ah
Rod, the 1 year is up in August, right ----<grin>

cwcjr

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and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail.
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443. Re: ADMS for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOT.~NOTcwcjr@poboxes.com
Message-ID: <34d8ddcc.2001027@news.ro.com>
Source record: 154623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You can get the kit from

RT Systems
Amateur Radio Supply
8207 Stephanie Dr
Huntsville AL 35802
Sales 1-800-723-6922 Tech Support 1-205-880-3093

cwcjr

On Fri, 23 Jan 1998 19:40:04 -0200, "Cli¿½udio V Plenamente"
<plenamente@pro.via-rs.com.br> wrote:

>
> Hi,
> I'm having dificulty in find a place to buy the kit for programming the
> yaesu radio FT 50R, and i've got the software but don't have the diagram to
> build the interface (eletronic circuit and conectors).
> Does anybody knows where i can find it?
> thanks,
> Cli¿½udio
>
>
>
>

444. Wanted: Your broken Yaesu FT-415/416 to fix mine.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: landau@ymail.yu.edu
Message-ID: <Enu3u8.2t3@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 154624

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Wanted: Your broken Yaesu FT-415/416 to fix mine.
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I'm in search of old, used or broken 415's or 416's.

** Also interested in the FTS-17A CTCSS board**

(please don't email w/ crazy prices - I can get the board
for $45 from Yaesu directly.)

Thanks,
Ken

landau@ymail.yu.edu
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445. FS: Kenwood Twins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <34d7e14b.18279007@news.usol.com>
Source record: 154625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood Twins, T599A, R599A, collectible condition, all filters, owners manuals. Work perfectly. Homebrew transceive cable. Currently up on eBay auction site. Follow this link to bid:

http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5372822

Tim, K8TJ

446. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOT.~NOTcwcjr@poboxes.com
Message-ID: <34d7e9c4.183724@news.ro.com>
Source record: 154626
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

On 3 Feb 1998 19:45:31 GMT, "N1rsq" <kimo9@idt.net> wrote:

> GO TO THE SEARCH ENGINES, YELLOW PAGES, OR TRY ASKING A HAM IN PERSON.
> most of the people who post on n/g are just bored with no knowlege of of
> anything asked.
>
> case in point. i asked for opinions on the ft-8100r. bert was the only

I have an FT-8100R and did not see your post. It has or has had 4
problems:

1) Speaker rattle (even a new one did little to help)
2) The FSK-22 Decode kit requires a shoe horn and lots of insulation
tape to install (It really doesn't fit where it says it should the way
it says it should, but, you can make it work if you can keep it from
shorting out (use the tape). (Yeasu reps know and admit to this
problem)
3) The UHF to VHF cross band audio was non-existent and it had to go
back to Yeasu America for repair (Seems that it is a known problem,
also, so check it if you can before you buy a particular unit.) Works
GREAT after the fix, though.
4) Fan is on its last legs after only 6 months.

Now for the gripes:
You cannot use the DTMF keypad to program frequencies (the way you can
the FT-51R).
The print for the button function ID is impossible to read while
driving (gee, after all it is a mobile rig)
As is normal for a massive function radio without a keypad, keep the
manual VERY handy.
The DTMF does not have an xmit hold function so you have to manually
hold the ptt while dialing (two handed in the car is DANGEROUS.)
There is a mod to help this wandering around.
Dialling from memory is a multi-step operation that is not obvious
(again you cannot use the DTMF keypad to select memory #1 as you can
with the FT-51R HT)

PLUSes;
Has lots of creature features (but then I haven't used most of them -
like smart band scanning/programming when in a new city)
Works great with both one-way and two-way crossband (once the audo is
fixed)
Hmmmm Other than that I guess I just like it, for no good reason.
Yes, I would buy it again.

The ADMS-2D software is GREAT (purchased separately) and it even takes the import data directly from the ADMS-1C and D if you have an FT-x1R, or FT-x0 series. (x=1, 4, or 5)

cwcjr

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447. Re: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stanton <mstanton@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3110$bf99b000$65a541ce@cen11212>
Source record: 154627
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Also, as I believe Bill Cheek mentioned, there is possibility that the local oscillator of one unit may feed into other radio causing interference under certain circumstances. Haven't personally tested this so I don't know if it would be a major problem or not...My guess is that with quality radios you would be ok doing this. Also, If I am correct, I believe that most if not all scanners will terminate the antenna into a 50 ohm load. This will mean that with 2 radios connect to same antenna in this manner, you can expect a 3 db loss of signal or so. Not too noticeable in theory but again, I haven't tried it...

Glad to offer help, (when I can...not too often it seems)

Mike mstanton@centuryinter.net

~~SamDog`&#65533;' <sam-dog-nospam@usa.net> wrote in article
<sam-dog-nospam-ya02408000R0202981904470001@news.pipeline.com>...
> For example one designed for 800 mhz and one that's full range?
>
> would you use just a bnc t- connector?
>

448. WTB: DX 40 Parts Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfbike <gfbike@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <34D7F46C.226B@millcomm.com>
Source record: 154628

I am looking for a non-working Heath DX 40 for the cabinet, panel and knobs. Cabinet must be nice. Do not need DX 40 to be even complete. Needed for project.

Also have for sale Heatkit AT-1.

Gary

W0SY
612-645-3549

gfbike@millcomm.com

449. FS SWAN 2KW Linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34D7F823.4473@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 154629

Swan Mark 1 Linear 2KWPEP, 1KWCW Uses pair of 3-400Z. Clean unit. $450US plus UPS shipping and packing.

450. Re: FS:TM742A DUAL BANDER: SOLD!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Pettersen <viking@gtn.net>
Message-ID: <34DABE1D.683C@gtn.net>
Source record: 154331

VE3TLJ wrote:
>
> I am selling my dual band Kenwood tm742a vhf/uhf. I am looking for
> around $500 Canadian o.b.o. (comes with a Larsen duplexer too).Price is
> negotiable!!
> --
> **********
> * viking@gtn.net or cdnviking@hotmail.com *
> * http://users.gtn.net/viking1/default.htm *
> **********
THIS ITEM IS NOW SOLD. THANKS FOR THE REPLIES AND INTEREST!!
VE3TLJ
--
****
* viking@gtn.net or cdnviking@hotmail.com *
* http://users.gtn.net/viking1/default.htm *
****

451. Re: FS:TM742A DUAL BANDER: SOLD!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE3TLJ <viking@gtn.net>
Message-ID: <34DABE6F.322E@gtn.net>
Source record: 154332

VE3TLJ wrote:
>
> I am selling my dual band Kenwood tm742a vhf/uhf. I am looking for
> around $500 Canadian o.b.o. (comes with a Larsen duplexer too).Price is
> negotiable!!
> --
> **********
> * viking@gtn.net or cdnviking@hotmail.com *
> * http://users.gtn.net/viking1/default.htm *
> **********
THIS ITEM IS SOLD. THANK YOU FOR THE INTEREST!!
VE3TLJ/BILL
--
****
* viking@gtn.net or cdnviking@hotmail.com *
* http://users.gtn.net/viking1/default.htm *
****

452. FS: NOS JAN 12AT7WC, $4.50 each

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Harlan <sales@emodus.com>
Message-ID: <6be7h4hdm1@ha1.rdc1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 154333

NOS Tubes, large quantities of each available.

FS: NOS 6AZ8 Philips, $3.25 each
FS: NOS JAN 12AT7WC, $4.50 each
FS: NOS JAN 5751 GE, $3.50 each
FS: NOS JAN 6922(E88CC, 6DJ8) Philips, $3.25 each
FS: NOS 7062 (E180CC) Amperex,$4.00 each
6186W (6AG5WA) Phillips $15.00 per box of 100 tubes

****
USED UNTESTED TUBES, PULLED FROM TEST EQUIPMENT,
SOLD "AS IS"

FS: 12AT7, $1.25 each
FS: 12AU7A, $1.40 each
FS: 12AX7, $2.00 each
FS: 12AX7A, $2.00 each
****

Free Shipping in the USA on all of the above, on orders of
$25.00 or over. Orders under $25.00 add $4.00 for shipping & handling.
For shipping cost outside of USA , e-mail your address and items
you are interested in and we will provide a quotation.

All prices are in US $, No minimum order.

Prices valid until 2-15-98 or while supply lasts.

To reserve any of the above items, e-mail "sales@emodus.com"

Emodus, PO Box 6117, Laguna Niguel, CA, 92607-6117, USA

453. Re: Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Jacobson <n6ng@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <34DAA196.175B@sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 154334

A few of the swap pages.

http://acube.com/hamswapshop/swap.htm
http://bro.net/barc/forsale.html
http://cds.cds1.net/scra/swap.html
http://www.execpc.com/~radiorec/
http://www.radio-traders.com/
http://199.190.91.8/scripts/webplus.exe?script=/webplus/hamads/displayads.wml
http://www.fishnet.net/~ko6oy/swapage.htm
http://www.csz.com/cgi-bin/hamclassified/srchopt.pl
http://www.vhamfest.com/class.html
http://204.27.195.150/cgi-shl/classfd.exe/m|q|QTH.COM
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73... Dennis N6NG INTERNET: n6ng@sj.bigger.net
Retired: Just another road kill on the Information Highway.

454. Re: Mod for IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#Ts8josM9GA.259@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 154335

This opens up a receiver to more wide band RX coverage. CPU/display will
accept any frequency between:
50 MHz - 200 MHz
300 MHz-999.995 MHz (minus cellular)

divided into 4 bands:
50 - 200 TX 144-148
300-400 No TX
400-600 TX 440-450
600-999.995 No TX (minus cellular)

However, proper operation cannot be expected in the entire range, for
instance radio's PLL unlocks below around 110 MHz.

Michael Walker wrote in message <01bd32d4$d9faf4c0$80c2c6d0@mojo>...
>Wondering what the following mod exactly does for this radio? Here it is
>
>Hold the Moni and band buttons while powering up the radio, wiat for
>atleast 5 seconds before you release these buttons. Then press the
>bandbutton and see what happens. You will be pleased.
>
>bwalk@datacruz.com

455. Re: Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0502982208200001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 154336

In article <19980205.211638.16022.0.ki0dz@juno.com>, ki0dz@juno.COM
(Mary-Frances R Bartels) wrote:
>
>>Does anyone know the web page for the swaping of Ham gear?
>
>Lou et al.,
> My qsl.net home page has a subpage entitled "Online Swaps". Try
>clicking there and you'll get quite a list.

These folks have about the biggest I've found:
http://www.QTH.com/classifieds.shtml

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

456. Butternut HF6VX vs. Cushcraft R700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew McFarland <amcfarland@symantec.com>
Message-ID: <34DA5578.F62@symantec.com>
Source record: 154337

Fishing for recommendations. Assuming I don't really care about WARC bands, is there a good reason to pay the extra $140 for the Cushcraft? I'm aware there's an optional counterpoise kit for the Butternut, but it isn't clear if the Cushcraft includes one, won't benefit from one, or whatever. Note: I 'm less interested in a discussion of real radials vs. counterpoise than I am in getting the best bang for my buck. Any first-hand experiences?

-Thanks
Andrew - N7VTB

457. CMOS Super Keyer III ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <18099.886692772@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 154381

Anyone have the info on the Super Keyer III kit? I need to purchase one for my UCI ham club here and get it running for our planned 10 meter beacon. Any address or telephone number would be very helpful. Thanks.

Clark
WA3JPG

458. s parameters s21

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Low <lg906295@stmail.staffs.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <34D9C053.3910BC3D@stmail.staffs.ac.uk>
Source record: 154382

Does it mean if S21 of an amplifier smaller than 1, the amplifier is no longer an
amplifier but attenuator ???

If so, i found S21 of an amplifier in

ftp://ftp.hp.com/pub/accesshp/HP-COMP/rf/hmmc5618.pdf

is less than 1 , why ????

Thanks for reading.

459. Re: Icom IC-740 mod needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Stembaugh <scott@purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <34D9E25D.F6FBEA9B@purdue.edu>
Source record: 154383

kb0haespam.stinks@usa.net wrote:
>
> On 1998-01-29 scott@purdue.edu said:
> sc>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> sc>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.01 [en] (WinNT; U)
> sc>X-Priority: 3 (Normal)
> sc>Can anyone tell me how to open up 12 and 17 meter transmit on an
> sc>IC-740? Does anyone know why it was initially blocked? It has xmit
> sc>on 30 but the manual says rx only on 12 es 17.
>
> Hi Scott. Sorry it took so long to get this. It is not easy to find.
> ***CAUTION*** PERFORM THIS MODIFICATION AT YOUR OWN RISK! I WILL NOT
> TAKE ANY RESPONSIBILITY IF YOU DAMAGE YOUR RADIO!
> First, unplug power, and antenna leads from the radio. Also any other
> connections. Remove the case. Locate the RF board. This is on the left
> side of the radio with the front panel facing you. Locate D31, and a
> wire labeled "C", on the lower left part of the board. There is
> a white resister jumper between the two. Cut this resisters lead
> carefully, and insulate the cut ends Reassemble the radio, and it
> should now transmit on the 12 and 17 meter bands. Be careful performing
> this mod, and have fun.
>
>
> Cul8r
>
> Martin Campbell kb0haespam stinks@usa.net KB0HAE

Thanks to all who replied. In deference to recent posts I have only
rxed excellent responses to my request for help.

FWIW - The xmit on 12 and 17 were blocked because when the rig was
released 12 and 17 had been approved but not yet open. It would have
been nice if Icom would have mentioned this in the operator manual :-).

Thanks to all

vy 73 es DX
--scott N9LJX

460. Re: IC-730 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Red Heads <nospam@discovernet.net>
Message-ID: <6bcqsivl0@206.165.146.46>
Source record: 154384

I don't believe that I've ever seen a IC-730 with an auto tuner. I've used two of these rigs and have found them to be very straight forward rigs with no bells or whistles. The asking prices vary from $300 to $750(w/power supply). I've been happy with the one I got for $275. ;-)

Hank, N1YDY

Steve G. <sgideon@ibm.net> wrote in article
<01bd31c1$d852dc00$508548a6@default>...
> I am considering buying the IC-730. Does this rig have a good front end?

> I've not seen a used one advertised with a built in autotuner. Did this
> come as an option? What's a good price for the IC-730, or preferablly
> IC-730/AT ??
>
> Thanks.
>

461. ICOM IC-2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim McCloskey <jmccloskey@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uTt2LtlM9GA.278@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 154385

I am in the market for another dual bander and would appreciate any
comments, good or bad, about this radio. thanks in advance.
73 de Jim, KE3OP..._._

462. Re: Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas May <mayt@gw.twc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3236$42ea0e20$0fc68e97@tmay.wiltec.twc.com>
Source record: 154386

Mary-Frances

When I first purchased the EDC-12, I took it apart to answer your exact question. If I remember correctly the EDC-12 supplies two voltages to the FT-51. One connection is a common ground,, one is a regulated and filtered 11.5V to power the radio, and the third is a current limited 50ma voltage to the battery for charging.

While Ni-Cads can be damaged by overcharging, it generally accepted that a charge rate of .1C (70ma for the smaller pack) is acceptable for a continuous charge. I am sure some will disagree, but I have found that two things will shorten a NiCads life: overcharging at a high current - this causes excessive heating and can destroy the electrolyte, and the controversial memory effect from insufficient discharging of the battery.

Without knowing your usage history, it would be hard to speculate a cause of your extremely short battery life. My FNB35 and FNB38SS (W&W batteries) are almost 3 years old, and working fine. However, I use a third party constant current charger...

73
KA3GYI
Tom May

463. WANTED: T368 Audio Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Kirkpatrick <dave_kirkpatrick@artax.webo.dg.com>
Message-ID: <34DA0254.534B@artax.webo.dg.com>
Source record: 154387

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Hi,
Looking for the small inner audio chassis for the T368.
Reply to:
N1RBM
davidk@artax.webo.dg.com
trouts1@aol.com

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mailto:davidk@artax.webo.dg.com
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464. FS Kenwood DualBand (144/440MHz) TH-78A with acc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <davemc@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34DA03E6.4277@pacbell.net>
Source record: 154388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Kenwood DualBand (144/440MHz) TH-78A with accessories:

Comet CH-72S 1/4-5/8 wave Duckie
W&W 7.2V 1500mAh Battery & charger
Kenwood PB-13 7.2V 700mAh Battery & Charger
ME-1 100 location Memory Unit
SMC-33 Mic.
PG-3H Cig adapter
Dualband Mag. Mount Antenna for Auto.
Extened Tx&Rx Mods made
All manuals & schematics
$275 firm (incl. UPS 2day ground)

DaveMc

465. Mod for IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Walker <bwalk@datacruz.com>
Message-ID: <01bd32d4$d9faf4c0$80c2c6d0@mojo>
Source record: 154389

Wondering what the following mod exactly does for this radio? Here it is

Hold the Moni and band buttons while powering up the radio, wiat for
atleast 5 seconds before you release these buttons. Then press the
bandbutton and see what happens. You will be pleased.

bwalk@datacruz.com

466. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: _chip_@ct2.nai.net
Message-ID: <_chip_-ya02408000R0502981412570001@news.nai.net>
Source record: 154390

In an article, Greg Ottria wrote:

> Just wanted to let people know it seems that Yaesu has dropped the price of
> the FT-8500. It's now $399 with the Smart Mic and $379 with the MH-39.
> Thats a GREAT deal considering the radio was selling for $589 with the Smart
> Mic and $569 with the MH-39.

Wanna bet one or more new models are about to be released? It is a good
deal though...

--
Chip G. (N1MIE)
- Technical Advisor to TRAUG
- Co-Chairman Technical Committee for NIDCS
<mailto:_chip_@ct2.nai.net> (remove "_" from urls)
<http://nw3.nai.net/~_chip_/>

467. Re: Yaesu FT-8100 or FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: _chip_@ct2.nai.net
Message-ID: <_chip_-ya02408000R0502981402420001@news.nai.net>
Source record: 154391

In article <6b2tlp$3qp$1@gte1.gte.net>, "Dan K Nelson" <postmaster@fbi.gov>
wrote:

> However, managing the memory banks is best done by the optional computer
> control software. You can do it from the FC-10, but it's much faster and you
> have better overall control of the programming via software.

Of course that means you must have an IBM compatible computer ...

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468. Re: FS: Icom 730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.NS.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <DzoC.13234$BU.1308166@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 154392

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Bob.NS.Snyder@mci.com
Remove the NS. before replying.
Mark wrote in message <34D9F78E.21BC@iglou.com>...
>MNB4 wrote:
>>
>> Icom 730 with matching power supply. Modified to recieve 11 meter.
Original
>> crystal included. Excellent condition. $700.00 Call 315.454.8215
>
>$700 for an Icom 730?! They sold new for $800 YEARS ago. And it's even
>been monkeyed with! BUYER BEWARE!

Yes, but you're paying more because you will also have the privilege to
listen to 11 meters. That's has to be worth something. Right? ;-)
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469. Re: FT 900AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DA12C7.7427@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 154393

HRO has them on a closeout for $1225/all filters and seperator cable.
Saw it yesterday in New Hampshire store.

Steve Ross

Shanehendr wrote:
>
> I may soon be looking to buy this radio. Is it a good radio? It seems almost
> too good to be true (has antenna tuner with it), and I've found it new for as
> cheap as $1100. How good is this Txcr? I've heard some miscellaneous bad
> comments concerning it.
>
> Shane Hendricks
> */*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*
> if (messageOffends)
> then
> toughLuck (dude, getAlife);
> */*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*
> http://members.aol.com/qnl/qnlpage.html
> Shanehendr@aol.com
> QNL@aol.com

470. FS: Kenwood TS140S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Devine <ep@hurricane.net>
Message-ID: <6bd135en1@sleet.hurricane.net>
Source record: 154394

Kenwood TS140S for sale. Great mobile/base, 100 watts, all mode, all band. Never modified or tinkered with. In excellent shape. Hand MIC, manual included.

Firm at $650 & you pay shipping.

If interested, send E-mail to ep@hurricane.net

471. WTB: Azden 6 meter radio either HT or mobile. AZ-61 or PCS-7500H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6bd66jght1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 154395

I am looking for old Azden radios anyone has that they want to
sell, or get rid of. Please E-Mail me with info, or post them here, or in
rec.radio.swap thanks.

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====----****----====
73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

472. 10.000.000 MHz or 10.000.001 MHz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <34DA27CA.3410@amsat.org>
Source record: 154396

What method does WWV National Bureau of Standards use to calibrate there equipment to insure they are transmitting on 10.000.000 MHz and not 10.000.001 MHz? What is the final source of sources of true 10.000.000 MHz???

NE7X...

473. YAESU - FT 920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Vermote <pvermote@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <6bd6n3$b9g$1@front2.grolier.fr>
Source record: 154397

Hi ,

I have a FT-920 since 3 week. I want to run with this rig in six meters band with 100 watts, but mi rig output only 10 watts in ths band ?? have you infos and any mods about his transceiver ?

Tnx

Patrick - F6IIT
pvermote@cyberion.fr

474. wanted JRC NCM 515 keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claudio <cpatuelli@racine.ra.it>
Message-ID: <6bd5j8$9fd@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 154398

from ITALY

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Cpatuelli@racine.ra.it

475. Re: FS: matched pair MRF-421 transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6bd79r$ha6@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 154399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The MRF-421 transistors are sold.

476. Re: 10.000.000 MHz or 10.000.001 MHz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bd8ta$sq8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154400

I believe they use a Radio Shack Kit frequency counter with the LED
readout and the 9.0Volt battery, or maybe not.

Or maybe as they are the source for all other calibrations, we may all
be transmitting 200Khz off freq, but all think we are on because all the
US freq measuring devices are using them as the source. I smell a
scandal!!

Or it could be the 40 Gazillion dollar nuclear (atomic) clock/oscillator
and physics surrounding it all that makes them think they are right.
But, remember, it was built by the LOWEST BIDDER.

Tom

NE7X wrote:
>
> What method does WWV National Bureau of Standards use to calibrate there
> equipment to insure they are transmitting on 10.000.000 MHz and not
> 10.000.001 MHz? What is the final source of sources of true 10.000.000
> MHz???
>
> NE7X...

477. Re: ICOM IC-710 Marine Tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6bd974hif1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 154401

Brian <burkefam@icss.net> wrote:

>Allen Coxe wrote:
>>
>> Could anyone advise me if it is possible ot modify the above mentioned radio
>> for general TX.
>>
>> Regards
>> Allen Coxe
>> vk6vd@networx.net.au

>Have you tried to xmit out of band? My ICOM M-700 marine HF transceiver
>transmits 1.6 - 24 MHz w/o modifications. It and the matching MN-100
>no-tune, all band antenna are for sale.
>73, Brian/N0iMD

The IC-M710 is a TOTALLY new and different radio than the M700.
About the only thing they share are a couple of digits in the model
number!

I wish I could modify MY M700 to do 10 meters, but I am not so sure I
want to go through that much effort! Good radios, though!

Steve
WB7PSD

478. WTB: 2 METER HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell, Jr." <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6bdafk$da6$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 154402
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,atl.forsale,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,tnn.radio.amateur

What I am looking for now is a 2 meter ht. Would perfer ht with accessories and in good working and cosmetic condition. Here is what I have for trade.

What I do have for trade is the following
items...

NEW * Only used 1 month Connectix COLOR Camera w/software - Hooks up to your printer port.

NEW * Less than 3 months old - CCT Color Security Camera - value over $350
i can send a digital picture
of camera if interested)

NEW * Only used 2 months - Color TV Computer Card, works perfectly, used either for cable tv or your outside tv antenna * Comes with Win 3.1 and Win 95 Disk .. Cost me $250

If you would be interested in a trade, please contact via email at KC4OXP@QSL.NET

73 Daniel KC4OXP

479. Boonton 190-A Q meter help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom Skelton, Jr. (W4iU)" <tskelto@ces.clemson.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd3274$dda33de0$64ca7f82@ece24.ces.clemson.edu>
Source record: 154403

I am reburbing the subject piece of test equipment, and the power
transformer has gone south. Specifically, it's a ferroresonant transformer

with 90 -130 VAC input and 115 VAC +/- 1% output. The secondary voltage
no/load is only about 40 volts, and drops 10 - 15 volts under load.

It appears to have a shorted turn, and heats up excessively after being on
(again, no load) for a couple of hours. All components on the secondary
side
of the transformer check out OK.

Would appreciate any info on a replacement transformer, complete 190-A
meter for sale to use for parts, etc.

Help appreciated. Please email directly to me at:
tskelto@ces.clemson.edu

73!

--
Tom Skelton, Jr. W4iU
Grad student; Computational Electromagnetics,
Electrical and Computer Engineering
Clemson University, Clemson, SC

480. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <prqC.588$nY6.1627353@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 154404

I hear that!! I'm still gonna get me one. Even if Yaesu comes out with a
new model it's going to be in the $500 to $600 range.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

Chip <_chip_@ct2.nai.net> wrote in message
<_chip_-ya02408000R0502981412570001@news.nai.net>...
>In an article, Greg Ottria wrote:
>
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of
>> the FT-8500. It's now $399 with the Smart Mic and $379 with the MH-39.
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Smart
>> Mic and $569 with the MH-39.
>
>Wanna bet one or more new models are about to be released? It is a good
>deal though...
>
>--
>Chip G. (N1MIE)
> - Technical Advisor to TRAUG
> - Co-Chairman Technical Committee for NIDCS
><mailto:_chip_@ct2.nai.net> (remove "_" from urls)
><http://nw3.nai.net/~_chip_/>

481. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tanger@gualala.Cadence.COM
Message-ID: <6bdc46$1qc$1@news.cadence.com>
Source record: 154405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

In article <34D6E1BB.11BC44F0@netnet.net>,
Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net> writes:
>
>
> Brian Carling wrote:
>
>> For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 09:50:46 -0700, M Johnson
>> <silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>>
>> >The 10 meter version was my first mobile back in the early sixties when I was
>> >14. I had one mounted to the handlebars of my bike with a car battery
>> >mounted on the back of the bike. The radio fed a 98 inch whip attached to
>> >the rear wheel axle.....
>>
>> Now THAT is REAL RADIO folks!!!!
>>
>> A Benton Harbor Lunch Box on your bike handelbars...
>>
>> Much better than cruising the neighborhood with a loud set of
>> speakers booming out meaningless RAP beat, you flew through with the
>> Lunchbox squawking out ham calls!
>
> The Twoer was my first 2-mtr rig, when I was 14, back in the sixties as well. Had
> the Tower and a Sixer in my first car, a '53 Merc, when I turned 16., along with
> one of those halo-style antennas. :-)
>
> --
> 73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ ex WA9BLH
>
>
Well that brings me back to when I was 13 or so. Built a Sixer as my first
kit. Finished it on Saturday but it didn't work! Got mad and slammed it down
on the desk. Woke up the next morning and it worked! Solder blob.Man that
was WIDEband AM.

482. FS: Kenwood TS-140S MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf8ru@netonecom.net
Message-ID: <6bdchuhim1@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 154406

For Sale Kenwood TS-140S HF 10-160 meters with general coverage receive.
Radio is in mint condition and comes complete with mic, manual,
power cord and factory shipping boxes. $625 shipped

483. FS: ICOM 701 mint cond with PS & desk mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: miracleaud@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205221200.RAA15095@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154407

Mint condition ICOM 701 with matching power supply and desk mic. 10 on a 10 scale. Still has original plastic wrap on handles. 100 watts out on 10 - 80, SSB, CW, RTTY.
Less than 100 hours on it. Never been mobile. Asking $400 or trade for ICOM 735.
Call 541-383-1784. Bend Oregon area. Ask for John. Email lemaniac@aol.com
Where are we going and why am I in this handbasket?

484. FS: ICOM Speaker Mic HS-46 (Mint) w/box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hisa@ibm.net
Message-ID: <1d3zguv.zhqmj9117zq76N@slip129-37-241-124.wa.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 154408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS: ICOM Speaker Mic HS-46 (Mint) w/box $30.00

485. FS: Drake SW-1 shortwave rcvr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Caitlyn M. Martin" <caitmartin@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34DA10B1.18D5@ibm.net>
Source record: 154409

Hi, everybody,

I have a DRAKE SW-1 sortwave receiver (receives AM only). This is a really nice sounding table radio which makes listening a pleasure. It's a year old, in excellent condition, with the original box, manual, and AC adapter. New price is $279. I'll sell mine for $175. If you prepay by money order, I'll cover the UPS shipping cost. If you prefer COD, I'll use FedEx (only) and ask you to split that cost.

73,
Cait

caitmartin@ibm.net

486. WTB: MFJ-493 CW Memory Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hisa@ibm.net
Message-ID: <1d3zhj8.j0nmmi9kj8n4N@slip129-37-241-124.wa.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 154410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm looking for a MFJ-493 CW Memory Keyer.
Please e-mail me with your asking price.

hisa@ibm.net

487. FT-990 Rx Problems??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3nj@voicenet.COM
Message-ID: <34DA431E.A12540A2@voicenet.com>
Source record: 154411

I have a FT-990 that doesn't receive anything from the antenna. If you key a rig in the shack it does receive. I had a FT-101ZD that had a fuse (light bulb) in the receiver input line. That receiver acted very much the same way when the fuse (light bulb) was blown.

My question: Is there a similiar fuse in the FT-990??

Thanks,

Dave KE3NJ

488. Pinout for 512K SRAM in KPC9612 -- help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: willmore@whelk.cig.mot.com
Message-ID: <willmore.886714816@whelk>
Source record: 154412

I have a KPC9612 and I'd like to expand the memory for it. I alrady have some 512K SRAMS, but they're not DIP, they're TSOP. I wasthinking of etching up a little PCB to convert it to the DIP socket in the TNC, but I don't know what the pinout of that socket is. The normal 28 pins I can guess, but I don't know what the other four pins do and I can't quite tell from the schematic. Any suggestions? To answer the question before it gets asked, yes, if this works and I can manage to make more, I'll release the artwork and, even, see if FAR wants to make the little suckers. As far as getting people SRAMs, well, you're on your own.

Cheers,
David N0YMV

489. Re: Alkaline Battery mah

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: willmore@whelk.cig.mot.com
Message-ID: <willmore.886713704@whelk>
Source record: 154413

dgf@netcom.com (David Feldman) writes:

>However, what happens under different discharge current loads?

>Is an AA cell, at 2700 mAh, still 2700 mAh when being drained at 10 mA?
>at 100 mA, at 1A?

>I thought rayovac renewal cells were great for everything until it turns
>out they are really best at low-drain usages (confirmed by their documentation).
>Still they're a good product, but not for transmitter or other high current
>usages.

I can't agree with this more. I did some evaluations of the Renewal batteries and the Energizer 1.5V lithium-iron batteries when they came out. One thing that you'll notice when looking that the discharge curves for these devices is that batteries vary quite a bit in their ability to handle different current drains. Even though a AA might have a Ah rating of 2.7, that is often determined at a very low current--sometimes it's extrapolated from an 'ideal' zero current load. :)

Here's the quick run down of what I found. Renewal and normal alkaline batteries are very similar in their load handling capacities. The renewals had about 85 to 90% of the capacity of the respective plain alkaline cell. The 1.5V Li-Fe batteries are much like NiCd and NiMh in their current drain properties.

The alkaline family likes low current drain applications and derates in Ah capacity as the current increases--to the point that a 2.7Ah AA alkaline just 'breaks even' with a 850mAh NiCd at about 300mA of drain. Anything over that and the NiCd wins and anywhere below that, the alkaline wins. NiMh are supposed to have current handling capacity somewhat poorer than NiCd, but still much better than alkaline. I can neither confirm nor deny that fact, but I can say that it's not much of a concern for the current draws that typical hand held radios operate at--the higher the RX/TX ratio, the better. Considering that 1.35Ah NiMh cells are available and the best NiCd run about 850 to 900 mAh, it's no contest unless price becomes a concern.

Speaking of price not being a concern, the best cells of the lot are the LiFe cells. They have NiCds current handling ability and alkalines current capacity. If they didn't cost $2.50 to $3/each, they'd be my choice as their capacity doesn't suffer vs temperature like NiCd, NiMh, Lead/Acid, Alkaline, etc. do.

Oh, well, just my $.02. As you might suspect, I only speak for myself, not for my employer.

Cheers,
David - N0YMV

490. SLine4Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pm <paddy@garlic.com>
Message-ID: <34DA44B9.C8631BC5@garlic.com>
Source record: 154414

Collins S Line
32S1, 75S1, 516F P/S, 312B4
Hallicrafters SX 100 RCVR (no Cabinet)
Well Used but all works
Stored in garage for 8 years.

Best offer for set considered
MISC
MFJ 962 1.5kw Ant. Tuner
Desk Mic
L/P Filter
Dip Meter, Heath HD 1250
Heath Remote VFO, SP 644A
Misc tubes and connectors (HF) at no charge with any purchase
Please E Mail with Offer
tnx
Paddy
KD6YN

491. Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34da48d4.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 154415

Does anyone know the web page for the swaping of Ham gear?

Lou..

492. Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34da4b37.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 154416

Does anyone know the web page for the swaping of Ham gear?

Lou..

493. Re: Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <34DA5AA9.665A@navix.net>
Source record: 154417

The best one I have found is WWW.VHAMFEST.COM
Lou R. wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the web page for the swaping of Ham gear?
>
> Lou..

494. Re: CMOS Super Keyer III ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0502981711040001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 154418

In article <18099.886692772@safety.ics.uci.edu>, turner@safety.ics.uci.edu (Clark Savage Turner WA3JPG) wrote:

>Anyone have the info on the Super Keyer III kit? I need to purchase
>one for my UCI ham club here and get it running for our planned
>10 meter beacon. Any address or telephone number would be very
>helpful. Thanks.

Idiom Press
PO Box 1025
Geyserville, CA 95441

$58 shipped, no credit cards

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

495. Does Yaesu FT-736R Crossband??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <kb5ylg@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <F7F4385FF8C597B9.5986959A425FD568.731CAB60A7E7B3DA@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 154419

Does the Yaesu FT-736R crossband repeat??
How do I tell it to do that?

Thanks,
KB5YLG

496. Yaesu FT-736R Sale or swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <kb5ylg@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <0BAE47EA6213DB5D.EC21A8027EBB6785.634E37567945958A@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 154420

Like new, 9 1/2 or better Yaesu FT-736R
with desk mic MD-1, hand mic, 144MHz, 440MHz, 50MHz, open slot for either
220MHz or 1.2GHz,
complete with manual, original carton. Will throw in
Comet triband base station vertical antenna.

$2000 or very comparable value swap.
For instance, would take Icom 706 and $1000 cash, or similar swap.

Contact me by telephone at 817/444-0591
or email JKC5IQN@aol.com. I prefer the phone call, since I'm not good at
email yet, and the person posting this for me (KB5YLG) can't tell you
anything about the rig.

John

497. help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Westfall <n9nvy@ticz.com>
Message-ID: <34DA7E19.B3F6508D@ticz.com>
Source record: 154421

anyone have a dia. for wiring a kenwood mic to a drake 7a
rig....Thanks de Paul

498. Wanted: Schematic HW7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: K4WHS <K4WHS@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <34DA818E.380C@mindspring.com>
Source record: 154422

need schematic
& other documents... GIF, TIFF, etc will be ok.
thanks
jow
K4WHS

499. Re: FT-1000MP RX rf amp operation Q?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Hicks <ve3bbh@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <34DA8027.3151@interlog.com>
Source record: 154423

Hi Kirb,

The few times I've compared signals with the rf amplifiers in the MP, I couldn't find any change at all on any bands. Maybe mine is faulty, don't know. I feel at times I could use some extra gain in 10.

Check out http://jehosophat.com/1000mp/

for Yaesu FT1000MP related stuff.

73, Paul
VE3ZT

> Experimenting with the receive rf amplifier selections via the menu on a
> new 1000MP, had a question..
> When the "TUNED" amplifier is selected, I notice a 2-3 S - unit rise in
> noise AND signal strength on 24, and 28 mhz. However, on bands below 40
> mtrs. there is a 2-3 S-Unit drop in signal strength (along with a
> reduction of aprox 3 Db in noise. My question is, given the fact the
> manual states that when in the tuned-rf amp mode, two specific tuned
> front-end amplifiers are switched in at 1.9-7.0 Mhz, and 24-29 mhz, why
> am I seeing a drop in sensitivity on the low bands (<7.0 mhz), when the
> "tuned" stage is engaged? The flat amp seems to give me better overall
> sensitivity, granted there is quite a reduction (close to 2-3 s-units on
> 28.5 mhz), in sensitivity on the 24 and 28 mhz bands.
> Is this normal? Can anyone confirm the operation of these amps on
> another 1000MP (D?).
> Possibly, the tuned stage has been engineered for reduced noise on the
> low bands at the expense of overall gain.
> Appreciate any comments. Nice radio otherwise.
> Best 73!
>
> Kirb Nesbitt VE4NU/7
> <knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>

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500. WANTED FV-102DM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bob Dubinick, DC" <drdubi@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6be0f3$oep@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154424

If anyone has a VFO that they would part with, I would be interested.
TNX
Bob
N9BSK
drdubi@worldnet.att.net

501. TS-930SAT pricing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve & Evie <etse@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34DA8C8F.7CD2@ma.ultranet.com>
Source record: 154425

I'm looking for a used HF rig for my base station. One fellow has a Kenwood TS-930SAT he'd like to sell, and I'm trying to determine about how much it's worth. Also if it's worth buying.

This would be a first-HF transceiver for me.

I'm interested in your opinion on what it's worth, whether it's worth it, experiences good/bad with the unit, etc. Are there other units I should consider?

Thanks.
steve, N1TMQ

502. Re: ICOM IC-2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stephen T. Portell" <portell@azstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <34DA8E35.181A@azstarnet.com>
Source record: 154426

I own a 2710H. It is a superior radio in every respect: a relatively simple interface, tons of power, rugged, tolerates high swr, easy to modify for extended transmit and receive, runs cool even during long QSOs on max power, integrates nicely with TNCs, etc.

The only problem I've encountered? The microphone was too sensitive (or "hot"), but I hear that defect has been corrected at the factory (I just fixed my own--it works wonderfully).

On a personal note, I don't care for having to pay for the extras: tone decoding and tone squelch call for optional boards that cost $50 to $90.

Otherwise, I'd have to say it's a terrific radio. As a matter of fact, we use this radio in our search and rescue operations in the desert and mountains surrounding Tucson...

Steve
KA8UKB

503. FS:TenTec Argonaut 509

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34DA8328.757CBC39@compuserve.com>
Source record: 154427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:

TenTec Argonaut 509 QRP HF rig:

80-10m coverage, 5watts QRP output,
Good condition with a clean face plate.

I will ship it in CONUS for $250.

Jim, K2NAX
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504. Alternator whine on FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rose <fdrose@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34DA923E.B1A004E0@ibm.net>
Source record: 154428

I just installed my Yaesu FT-8500 in a brand new 1998 Ford Expedition
using the
Yaesu power cord directly to the battery. I am getting a alternator
whine noise.
This is a mystery to me because this radio just came out of my 1991 Ford

Explorer, also wired directly to the battery with the same power cord
and I didn't
have any alternator noise in the two years since I install the radio.

Looking for ideas.

Dave in Cincinnati

505. WTD: Old 10A 115v Variac transformers non/working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6be8cg$6qj$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Looking for old variac transfoormers rated at 10 amp or greater. They can be working or non working. Looking for Core for a power supply project. Looking for at least four of them.
thanks
rich
rcf@crosslink.net

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

506. FS FV101Z vfo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34DA97B3.3673@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 154430

FV101Z Vfo $140.00 including shipping. Clean.

507. Re: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Valdes <jvaldes@whoi.edu>
Message-ID: <34D94DFF.D9A78F63@whoi.edu>
Source record: 154435

marc_k wrote:
>
> ~~SamDog`ï¿½' (sam-dog-nospam@usa.net) wrote:
> : In article <19980203041501.XAA24932@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
> : radiomatt@aol.com (Radiomatt) wrote:
>
> : > >Subject: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?
> : >
> : > >For example one designed for 800 mhz and one that's full range?
> : > >
> : > >would you use just a bnc t- connector?
> : >
> : > No...the two radios would interact seriously, since most radios contain
> : > multiple mini-transmitters (oscillators).
> : >
>
> : Actually I wanted to use 2 antennas, each covering a different range on 1
> : scanner
>
> You can, but using a simple T will louse things up-the antennas in
> paralell will not match, impeadance wise.
> A spliter/combiner(in this case, used as a combiner) is the correct way.
> One with a amp might be needed if the loss in the combiner causes
> problems.
> I've never heard of a a combiner that is intended for your exact use...a
> frequency selective unit would have less loss than a simple broad-band
> one.
>
> Either way, that's how it's done.
>

For a scanner, try a TV two port passive hybird splitter, I replaced the
F connectors on the one I have with BNC's. I know their designed for 75
ohm systems but it seens to work fine on my scanner. You may have to
adapt to the F connectors or replace the cable connectors.

Jim

508. Re: FT-50R: setting memory 'unused'?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn_boozer@hp.com
Message-ID: <34db06e4.12418817@hpscit.sc.hp.com>
Source record: 154436

I saved this message from months ago. I hope it helps.

To Delete a Memory channel on the FT-50R...

- First select a memory you want to erase.
- Next press [F/W] for 1 second, followed by the [MR] Key.
- That's it ! The memory is now gone !!

enjoy and 73's, Kevin - WD6DIH

mjbjr@primenet.com (Martin Brown) wrote:

>
>I need to clean up my memory assignments, and wish to clear some and mark
>them as unused. I haven't figured out how to do this. Anyone know how to
>do this?
>
>Thanx

509. Re: Denver Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5mfv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205001501.TAA11015@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154437

Buy from Texas Towers or AES
never had any problems there.
N5MFV

510. FS:RFC 4-110 //440 AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205005801.TAA29196@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154438

FOR SALE: I HAVE A LIKE BRAND NEW RFC 4-110 UHF AMPLIFIER FOR THE 440 BAND FOR SALE. PRICE IS $225 AND INCLUDES THE FEDEX SHIPPING COST. UNIT IS GUARANTEED TO BE IN EXCELLENT CONDITION. STEVE W1SN

511. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bd31d1$fc7517a0$0d438cd1@dano>
Source record: 154439
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,uk.radio.amateur

GreyCloud <lkilgore@Ex.mission.com> wrote in article
<34d9ff30.1770598@news.xmission.com>...
> On Wed, 04 Feb 1998 07:24:45 -0700, Jan Allbright
> <jan.allbright.NOSPAM@usa.net> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >Mondoray wrote:
> >
> >> To no one who wanted an answer...
> >>
> >> <<<<<snippage>>>>
> >
> >Untrue...
> >I have found that (in most cases) you get the answer you deserve..
> >Ask a dumb question - you get (lots) of dumb(er) answers.
> >
> >
> >
> There is only one "dumb" question, the one that
> does not get asked. Don't believe me? Ask any
> "good" teacher.
>
Absolutely right!

512. Re: How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <AC4VV@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bb3t2$28tq$1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154440

Dave Martindale wrote in message <6b7n7s$3db@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>...
>I'm starting to look for my first mobile rig, having owned only a pair of
>handhelds until now (FT-50 and FT-51). I want it primarily for base
>station use now, but could see transferring it to a car later

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You can't BELIEVE how handy cross band repeat with radios like the 8100 can be. You can set up your FT50 to transmit on 440 and receive on 2 meters and cross band through your car. Comes in handy in the malls, for emergency communications, while hiking in the woods, fishing, etc. - - etc. It's also VERY handy to be able to listen to a different frequency (the new radios will monitor V/U - V/V - UU) such as public service while talking on the radio (emergency communications comes to mind).

Personally I would opt for the true dual band radio. The versatility it offers is well worth the price to me!

GL

Ken, AC4VV

513. Re: FT-50R: setting memory 'unused'?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <AC4VV@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bb4b8$14c6$1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154441

You can do this quite easily using the ADMS software.

Martin Brown wrote in message <6b8osh$lqu@nntp02.primenet.com>...
>
>I need to clean up my memory assignments, and wish to clear some and mark
>them as unused. I haven't figured out how to do this. Anyone know how to
>do this?
>
>Thanx
>--
> - Martin J. Brown, Jr. -
>
> mjbjr@primenet.com
> PGP public key available via finger

514. Re: Read FS 6 meter low pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205013100.UAA05047@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154442

You are the one I sent the notice to and just maybe
some one will teach you some thing about RADIO.
Well you mite know ever thing now.

515. WTB: Motorola R1100A code synthasizer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: daffy@justducky.net
Message-ID: <34d91669.2653329@news.netins.net>
Source record: 154443

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WTB Motorola R1100 code generator
working unit only
My E-Mail=<donaldb@bedford.heartland.net>. The one shown is for the SPAM BOTs
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516. Re: Read FS 6 meter low pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205013600.UAA05954@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154444

The notice was for you and maybe some one
can teach you some thing about RADIO and how
it works .
Well you mite know ever thing now.
I will sige the Notice
KB5MER JR

517. Wanted - Collins HF200 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: admd@inforamp.net
Message-ID: <6bb6e1$p9l@news.inforamp.net>
Source record: 154445

I have used transceiver "COLLINS HF 200" and have to make some modification to it.
I would like to buy manual and schematics for this radio. I would appreciate answer
from anyone who knows this transceiver.
Please send email to: <Andrew> awfqisto@yesic.com
Tnx, 73

518. Re: ADI AT- 600 Mods Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: code_sucks@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34d91c14.1141002@news.total.net>
Source record: 154446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 04 Feb 1998 20:36:05 GMT, Swtempo@worldnet.att.net (SwTempo)
wrote:

>Looking for mods for the ADI AT- 600 ht dual bander
>swtempo@worldnet.att.net

http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/at600.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/at600.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/at600.htm

Brought you by http://www.radiotelephone.net -- Infinite
Communications

Code Sucker (�galement connu comme Joli Gar�on & M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: code_sucks@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

519. Re: IC-730 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205023701.VAA05241@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154447

The IC-730 has no option for, nor space to put, an internal automatic antenna tuner. There may have been an out-board optional tuner.

The Ic-730 has a typical front end, neither particularly good or bad. The only limiting factor to this receiver is the relatively noisey frequency synthasis design. And this isn,t so bad that the uninformed will notice it, but you would if you had it set up next to a newer/better receiver.

On this NG I have seen the '730's listed at prices between 300-400 dollars, depending on filters, mikes, and stated condition.

K�MB

520. Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <%C9C.331$nY6.1134560@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 154448

Just wanted to let people know it seems that Yaesu has dropped the price of the FT-8500. It's now $399 with the Smart Mic and $379 with the MH-39. Thats a GREAT deal considering the radio was selling for $589 with the Smart Mic and $569 with the MH-39.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

521. ICOM REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: prosperous@usa.net
Message-ID: <34d92d09.7164134@news.flinet.com>
Source record: 154449

I just bought a IC3010 ICOM repeater and need info on prom data
programming on the 2716 device.
I need to know the location of the PL tone and also the CW ID.
Thanks much!
reply to:
beautybeat@usa.net

522. F.S. VHF Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: papawizard@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205031601.WAA22891@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154450

I have the following 20 watt mobile radios for sale:
1-Standard mod# C890l01A, 1channel with 151.625 installed, new in box $100.
1-Standard mod#C890L12A, 12 channel with 8 freqs installed, new in box $150.
1-Standard mod#C890L12A, 12 channel with 8 freqs installed,used $125.
Also have 5@ Standard mod#C830L30 3 channel H.T. with drop chargers and
lots of extras. Need battery packs replaced. Have 151.625 installed, $350.
All of these radios are crystal controlled with seperate rec. and trans
crystals which make them perfect for use as repeaters. Have a 151.625 pager
with drop charger and activator.All have a 138-174mhz range. Will take $575.00
for all the above equiptment.

523. Re: FT-50R: setting memory 'unused'?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6bbboe$h46$2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 154451

Ken Bickel (AC4VV@prodigy.net) wrote:
: You can do this quite easily using the ADMS software.

: Martin Brown wrote in message <6b8osh$lqu@nntp02.primenet.com>...
: >
: >I need to clean up my memory assignments, and wish to clear some and mark
: >them as unused. I haven't figured out how to do this. Anyone know how to
: >do this?
: >
: >Thanx
: >--
: > - Martin J. Brown, Jr. -
: >
: > mjbjr@primenet.com
: > PGP public key available via finger

I don't have the manual in front of me, but I know that you can do this
from the keypad.
It IS easier with ADMS though.

524. FT 900AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: shanehendr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205033101.WAA14471@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154452

I may soon be looking to buy this radio. Is it a good radio? It seems almost too good to be true (has antenna tuner with it), and I've found it new for as cheap as $1100. How good is this Txcr? I've heard some miscellaneous bad comments concerning it.

Shane Hendricks
//*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*
if (messageOffends)
then
toughLuck (dude, getAlife);
//*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*
http://members.aol.com/qnl/qnlpage.html
Shanehendr@aol.com
QNL@aol.com

525. FS: S-COM 7K Repeater Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rich M." <right@home.com>
Message-ID: <01bd31dc$d78ab5c0$6defd8c0@default>
Source record: 154453

For sale: S-Com 7K Version 2.01 repeater controller with speech module. No Autopatch or ADM
Supports Doug Hall RB-1 remote base interface for Kenwood mobiles.

$500.00 firm.

rich@eoni.com

73 N7JPO

526. Manual Needed-Knwd TR751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JDM <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd31e9$b81ea900$91e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 154454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am in need of the operating manual for the Kenwood TR751A 2m allmode radio. Original or copy. Email direct if you can help, thanks for reading.
John N0EE

527. MFJ receive tuner/preamp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyznycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34dc4f9a.54112396@news>
Source record: 154455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

This is MFJï¿½s model MFJ-959B Receiver Antenna Tuner/Preamplifier.
Frequency coverage is 1.8 to 30 MHz.
If you have an antenna set for one band, or space limitations, this
unit
will help performance of your receiver on all HF bands.
Features are as follows:
The front panel has switches for Power. (9 - 18 volts DC), antenna
selection (2 antennas),
receiver selection (2 receivers), tuner/amplifier, and attenuator.
Knobs control gain, induction, receive and antenna tuning.
Rear panel has 2 connectors for each antenna and receiver (SO-239ï¿½s
and phono jacks),
and mini jack for power connection.
Ownerï¿½s Manual included.
The unit is in excellent condition.
Price is $50.
Please respond by e-mail as my news-server isn't reliable right now.
Thanks.

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Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
xyz from my address.

528. Kenwood R-1000 receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyznycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34db4ece.53908511@news>
Source record: 154456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I have a Kenwood R-1000 general coverage receiver for sale.
The radioï¿½s frequency range is 200 kHz to 30 MHz. AM, SSB, and CW.
Features are as follows:
Bright blue digital frequency readout plus analog dial.
Clock and timer plus front panel jack for tape recorder.
Push button mode selection.
RF gain control.
Illuminated S meter.
Noise blanker and panel light dimmer.
Front panel earphone jack.
Rear panel has two antenna connectors, ground lug, AC power connector
with switch for 100, 120, 220, 240 volts AC.
Original Ownerï¿½s Manual included.
The radio is in excellent condition.
Price is $200
Please respond by e-mail as my news-server isn't too reliable lately.
Thanks

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Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
xyz from my address.

529. Kenwood Dual Band All-Mode Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyznycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34da4df0.53686289@news>
Source record: 154457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Kenwood TS-780.
This is an all-mode dual-band base station which covers 144 to 148 MHz
and 420 to 440 MHz FM, SSB, and CW.
Features include:
Built in power supply (120 volts AC or 12 volts DC.
Bright blue digital frequency readout and large illuminated S/RF
meter.
VOX
2 VFOï¿½s
Noise Blanker, RIT, IF shift, F-Step, Scan, RF and AF gain, 10 Memory
channels,
Mike gain, priority channel, and much more.
The radio comes with hand mike, powered desk mike, original Ownerï¿½s
manual, Shop
Manual.
It is in excellent condition.
Price is $600
Please respond by e-mail as my news-server isn't reliable lately.
Thanks

--

Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
xyz from my address.

530. FS:TM742A DUAL BANDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE3TLJ <viking@gtn.net>
Message-ID: <34D9745E.5593@gtn.net>
Source record: 154458

I am selling my dual band Kenwood tm742a vhf/uhf. I am looking for
around $500 Canadian o.b.o. (comes with a Larsen duplexer too).Price is
negotiable!!
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****
* viking@gtn.net or cdnviking@hotmail.com *
* http://users.gtn.net/viking1/default.htm *
****

531. Re: KENWOOD TM-733 A 144/440 MHZ FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34D9534C.497E8C73@erols.com>
Source record: 154459

I offered Him a fair price but he wants all his money back.

I have the Standard 5900 i paid 879.95 i want 879.94
That's a fair price?? Common fokes.

Steve

Bill Wheatcraft wrote:
>
> Gabriel G melo wrote:
> >
> > FOR SALE KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BANDER LIKE NEW HAVE BOX AND BOOKS $475.00
> > OR BEST OFFER CALL GABE
> > AT 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT.
> >
> > n1hhf@110.net
> Perhaps You MIGHT want to reconsider your asking price...NEW TM-V7 $469
> DELIVERED!!!!

532. Re: Can you hook up 2 scanner antennas at one time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmandgr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205063301.BAA10865@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154460

Shouldn't an antenna select switch work for the purpose of selecting one of the
2 antennae feeding into the scanner?
nobloodyspamLMandGR@aol.com

533. DRAKE WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka <ilonka00@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6bbmrk$eeg@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154461
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WANTED: Drake SP75 Speech Processor.
Dan
KC0DE
cslc82@email.mot.com

534. Re: radioshack radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcrusoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205070200.CAA13534@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154462

In article <34D94F57.7655@radix.net>, wart@radix.net writes:

>
Hi I am retired and disabled and can't spend a lot of money.I get most
of my
>fun on the computer and recieving shortwave.I have a heathkit
gr-43A reciever
>that my wife built back in the sixties that spent its
life on my boat that no
>longer works.I am looking at a radio in the
Radioshack catalog on page 75
>thats called a portable that tunes
everything cat.# 12-649.Can anyone tell me
>anything about this radio,is
it any good?

>Thanks
wart

I had a Rat Shack SW Receiver, and the model number was either DX-380 or DX-390, I don't remember which. Sangean is the actual manufacturer. Mine was the model with BFO but without casette recorder built-in. For the price, it was a decent receiver. The problem is, when I was sailing as AB and standing a bridge watch, I would use it on watch to keep up with the news, listen to a little CW, even copy the odd Weather Fax with it and my Toshiba notebook. My antenna was 35 feet of wire running athwartships above the flying bridge. Ether the corona built up by steaming 18 knots into Winter North Atlantic weather, or proximity to the ship's HF and MF antennas trashed the RF amp. I ended up having to run the antenna directly to the first mixer, bypassing all the front end bandswitching and preamp stuff. It still worked, but sensitivity was no longer quite as good. The set just wasn't made for that kind of environment. Otherwise, I got my money's worth out of it. No Synchronous detection, but it would do SSB and CW tolerably well. I do wish there was an option for leaving the LCD display backlighting on... It would go out after a few seconds. I bent a paperclip to hold the LIGHT button in. Another beef I had with the set is that in scan mode, the set would scan to the top or bottom of one of the bands and then zip back to the other end of the band. The band edges are not user-definable. The Beeb's 9410 freq was out-of-band, as was Monitor Radio on 7510 and 7535. Audio was pretty good.

Another radio that I really like in the same price range is the Grundig YachtBoy 400. It is quite a bit smaller than the Rat Shack radio. It has a few more features and better selectivity, but Audio is not quite as good. The YB400 is about $30 less than the radio shack radio, but is not quite as easy to find. Though smaller, it is still nowhere near pocketsized.

I used both radios to make more than a few QSOs with simple QRP transmitters.
Awkward, but do-able.

73 EVRBDY DE AB5VH (Robinson)
From the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
In the Great State of TEXAS
dit diddy-dit dit.........

535. FS: Amateur Radio/TNC/Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chevy4by4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205085900.DAA02216@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154463

http://members.aol.com/kc7zwg/hamshack.html

You will find lots of my used stuff in great condition! on the page I have several photo's of the items with short descriptions...web page was optimized for speed!

Thanks,
Martin

536. Re: Standard C150 mod ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd321c$b15bd2e0$540148ca@nelson>
Source record: 154464

PRESS FUNCTION, THEN SET THEN 7, AFTER THAT INSERT 3672, FINISH
NOW YOU HV A FREQ RANGE FROM 136.000MHZ TO 172.000MHZ

Yongsup Park <park@cascade.kriss.re.kr> wrote in article
<6ba4c4$d4h$1@usenet.kreonet.re.kr>...
>
> Hello ?
>
> I have recently acquired a Standard C150 HT from a friend.
> When I got it, it was configured to received much wider
> frequency range than 144-146MHz. With no manual, I accidentally
> reset it and now it can only receive/transmit that 144-146MHz.
>
> How can I modify/program this HT for wider frequency range ?
>
> Any pointer to mod web page will also be appreciated.
>
> Thanks.
>
>
> --
> ?? ?? ?? (Yongsup Park) | +82-42-868-5397(O), 5032(F)
> Surface Analysis Group, KRISS | park@kriss.re.kr
> P.O. Box 102, Yusong | http://www.pas.rochester.edu/~park/

> Taejon, 305-600, KOREA |
>

537. FS: Kenwood Twins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <34db9317.1513851@news.usol.com>
Source record: 154465
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Kenwood Twins, T599A, R599A, collectible condition, all filters,
owners manuals. Work perfectly. Homebrew transceive cable. Currently
up on eBay auction site. Follow this link to bid:

http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5372822

Tim, K8TJ

538. FS: Collectible Pair of Kenwood Twins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <34dc933c.1550849@news.usol.com>
Source record: 154466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5372822

Tim, K8TJ

539. FS: Nice pair of Kenwood Twins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <34dd9358.1579320@news.usol.com>
Source record: 154467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Kenwood Twins, T599A, R599A, collectible condition, all filters,
owners manuals. Work perfectly. Homebrew transceive cable. Currently
up on eBay auction site. Follow this link to bid:

http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5372822

Tim, K8TJ

540. Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki0dz@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980204.200528.20134.0.ki0dz@juno.com>
Source record: 154468

Hello all,
I have a Yaesu E-DC-12 mobile DC adapter/charger. As its name implies, it is a charger, not a battery eliminator. I have used it as my sole battery charger for my FNB-38 and FNB-35 batteries. Problem is, I don't seem to know exactly how long to charge the batteries with it because I can't seem to get any of my batteries to last longer than several months! I am now faced with replacing ALL of my batteries because they are all dead, one won't even register ANY voltage after charging.
I have discovered that keeping the battery connected to the charger at all times ruins the battery. I have found that only keeping it connected during use doesn't work well either. I would like to keep using the charger as my sole means of charging my FT-51's batteries because I aim to have my amateur station powered only with solar energy (see my qsl.net homepage for more info), thus my E-DC-12 is a great asset --- IF I KNOW HOW TO USE IT PROPERLY.
Since the instructions that came with the charger are vague, could anyone out there help me in determining the best way to use this charger?
Thanks in advance for any information anyone can provide! :-)
73,
Mary-Frances

Mary-Frances R. Bartels KI0DZ DM79lt Denver CO (((#))) ^ ^
http://www.qsl.net/ki0dz ki0dz@juno.com | ^ - ^
Watkins products Rep. #92389 ------- (o o)
** Beyond Infinity - scanning & WWW develop. ** |ooOoo| >{ | }<
http://www.freeyellow.com/members/beyond-infinity ------- RRR)*

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Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

541. Re: Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6bccuedjc1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 154469

Well, according to the info I've read in the manuals, and in the spec sheets, Here is what I have to say. I own an FT-23R and a FT-530. Both are excellent radios! :) I have the adaptor/charger option for both radios, and they are different. What did tick me off, though, is that on the FT-23R kit, the polarity was manufactured against the norm, ie: center of the connector was negative. I switched it inside the pack to make it stanadrdized. That out of the way, everything else is normal. What you have is a charger that is very dependent on the source... all cars are different, and you might not even have it plugged into a car! Given this, the manual on the 23R states that you shouldn't leave the battery on the charger unattended. The charging capabilities on the adaptor/charger are more or less to give it "just a little bit more" while you are operating the radio using the adaptor. I get that feeling, and also the feeling you shouldn't use it a lot as your main charger. So i leave both kits in my truck, and when i am in my truck, I hook up the HTs and let 'em rip. Usually, on long trips, I unplug the adaptor/charger for a while to avoid overcharging, because I get the feeling it wasn't meant to be on there real long. I'm tempted to say you should do the same, I've lost a few battery packs over the years, but it has been 7 years, so 3 packs in 7 years isn't all that bad of a loss, so i must be doing something right. :) I have a fast charger that I used to us a *lot* with the 23R but I hold that to blame for killing a pack or two, so now I rarely use it, and stick with the 14-16hr wall warts. haven't had a problem in a while. Anyways, that's the feeling I get from the manuals from the 23R and the 530 on the adaptor/charger, maybe they decided to write less for the 51? :)
Hope that helps---
73
joe

Mary-Frances R Bartels (ki0dz@juno.COM) wrote:
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: because they are all dead, one won't even register ANY voltage after
: charging.
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: all times ruins the battery. I have found that only keeping it connected
: during use doesn't work well either. I would like to keep using the
: charger as my sole means of charging my FT-51's batteries because I aim
: to have my amateur station powered only with solar energy (see my qsl.net

: homepage for more info), thus my E-DC-12 is a great asset --- IF I KNOW
: HOW TO USE IT PROPERLY.
: Since the instructions that came with the charger are vague, could
: anyone out there help me in determining the best way to use this charger?
: Thanks in advance for any information anyone can provide! :-)
: 73,
: Mary-Frances
:
: Mary-Frances R. Bartels KI0DZ DM79lt Denver CO (((#))) ^ ^
: http://www.qsl.net/ki0dz ki0dz@juno.com | ^ - ^
: Watkins products Rep. #92389 ------- (o o)
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: http://www.freeyellow.com/members/beyond-infinity ------- RRR)*
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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

542. Re: TS830S mod for s.g. mod AM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwilson@DELETEflex.net
Message-ID: <34d9b897.0@news.flex.net>
Source record: 154470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Hello all.

>I am interested in applying screen grid modulation to the TS830S in
>order to AM the transmitter. I'm only interested in using it on 160m
>and above 29 MHz on 10m.

>My first test was to take the output from the screen grid modulator
>tube in a TR-4C and connect it to the wire which feeds reduced
>screen voltage to the finals in "TUNE" mode on the Kenwood.

Here's an update on the AM project: I made the circuit changes I planned to in the last post, which had the effect of removing some series inductance and parallel capacitance from the screen circuit in "TUNE" (now AM) mode only, with good results. A friend across town says it sounds like my voice on the air now.

However, it still sounds like I'm providing weak modulation for the carrier envelope I'm developing on voice peaks.

Will anyone who understands the dynamics of screen grid modulation please contact me at mwilson at flex.net? I need to find out how to adjust the one vs. the other. I'm going to try to borrow a scope this weekend so I can look at the signal.

Thanks,
.....Monty.
.....Monty.
mwilson@REMOVEflex.net

543. Need IRCI Newsletters & Svc Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu
Message-ID: <EnwoKq.79@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 154471

Looking for IRCI Icom Newsletters pertaining to IC229H; might be
#123 & 124 OR #124 & 125, my index is not clear. Also need the
Service Manual for same radio. Clean copies are A-OK! Pls Email
if you can help. Thanks
--
There's no point taking life too seriously;
you'll never get out of it alive anyway...

544. Re: 2m Intermod solution

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Harger <uzi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34D9BFB7.5657@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154472

i have the larger so239 type.

hearing much more than ever before (on 2 meters that is)

545. Re: Kenwood TS-450S/AT -- Opinions as 1st HF Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ignacy@num.ads.uga.edu
Message-ID: <34d9cdc5$1$vtanpl$mr2ice@news.uga.edu>
Source record: 154473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In <6bao59$kkc@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, on 02/04/98
at 09:55 PM, k5dh@rtis.ray.com (Mustang Maniac!) said:

>I>I have one negative comment on the IC-735. A few years ago, at our
>club's Field Day operation, we had three HF rigs going: an IC-735, a
>Kenwood TS-430S, and a Kenwood TS-130S. The two Kenwoods worked just
>fine; although we had minimal interference and blocking, those two
>stations never missed a QSO. The IC-735, on the other hand, had an awful
>time dealing with the front end overload from the two Kenwoods, and we
>eventually shut it down and abandoned it, and ran only the two Kenwood
>rigs. This was, of course, the ultimate in punishment for a receiver,
>the "acid test", so I'm not sure how or if this would affect your
>day-to-day usage. In any event, the two Kenwoods held up wonderfully.

Strange. at the field day I brought my IC-735A for exactly the opposite
reason, it worked fine when other rigs gave out.

In 1985, when I was looking for a new rig in DL, at a big show. All the
major brands were available for listening (and inadvertent transmit).
IC-735 was the best of the bunch. Of course, there was some progress made
since 1985. Some IC-735 suffered from deterioration of PLL due to poor
contact in its trimmer capacitors. Then the receiver became noisy,
especially with strong nearby signals. This was mentioned in one of the
previous posts and fixes are described in the Icom site.

Ignacy Misztal

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546. Digi Vox World Wide Linking Sytem {Internet}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: skbenjamin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205135001.IAA04541@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154474

The new Digi Vox Linkin System allows you to link repeaters or simplex
frequencies through the internet, giving a new dimension to world wide
communications. A simple circuit that allows the control operator to monitor
what is being said at all times. We have been testing the kit and when we have
completed the test, we will make it ready in kit form or ready made.
If you are interested as a ham radio operater in setting up a linking system
for simplex or a repeater you can get on our list at
http://www.internet-club.com/australia/ham_radio.
or e-mail me at
KE6RMP@Juno.Com 73

547. FS: Icom 730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mnb4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980205140001.JAA16363@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154475

Icom 730 with matching power supply. Modified to recieve 11 meter. Original crystal included. Excellent condition. $700.00 Call 315.454.8215

548. KENWOOD TM-733A 144/440 MHZ FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6bch64nfb1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154476

KENWOOD TM-733A 144/440 MHZ FM FOR SALE LIKE NEW
HAVE BOX AND MANUEL $475.00 OR BEST OFFER CALL
GABE AT 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT

n1hhf@110.net

549. FS: matched pair MRF-421 transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6bcibb$9q9@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 154477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

*** I AM POSTING THIS FOR A FRIEND WHO DOES NOT HAVE NEWSGROUP ACCESS ***
*** PLEASE DO NOT REPLY TO ME - I WILL IGNORE YOUR INQUIRIES ***

FOR SALE: Matched pair of Motorola MRF421 power transistors. These are 13.8V transistors each rated at 10 Watts input/100 Watts output from 1.5 to 30 MHz. Still in the original sealed Motorola packages and plainly marked as a matched pair. RF Parts lists this pair at $80.00. Yours for $50.00 shipped in the U.S. Would trade for a CMOS Super Keyer III, built or unbuilt.

Please contact the seller directly:
Brad, WB0CGH, qlf@msg.ti.com

*** DO NOT JUST HIT <REPLY> ***

550. WTB YAESU FT-70G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: R <rdieterich@racom.com>
Message-ID: <34D9D350.1BAE@racom.com>
Source record: 154478

Interested in FT-70G. State electrical condition.

Thanks,

Roger

551. Price on Icom controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <34D9F880.320C@iglou.com>
Source record: 154479

Can someone please tell me the fair used market price on the Icom digital controller for the Icom IC-701 XCVR? I think it had 2 VFO's and memories. (RM2?) Please e-mail me a fair price on thos unit (not an inflated wheeler-dealer price).

e-mail crslex@iglou.com KB4AEP

552. Re: FS: Icom 730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <34D9F78E.21BC@iglou.com>
Source record: 154480

MNB4 wrote:
>
> Icom 730 with matching power supply. Modified to recieve 11 meter. Original
> crystal included. Excellent condition. $700.00 Call 315.454.8215

$700 for an Icom 730?! They sold new for $800 YEARS ago. And it's even
been monkeyed with! BUYER BEWARE!

553. WANTED: Ten-Tec HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6bfbh9$8su@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 154281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I'm looking for a Ten-Tec HF rig, something along the lines
of an Omni-D Series C with all factory upgrades, Corsair I,
Delta, Delta II, etc. CW filter is a MUST, and the more
filters the better. Noise Blanker is desirable too. Don't
need power supply, antenna tuner, or microphone, but I will
consider buying a complete station and selling off the items
I don't need. It's okay if the rig has some minor wear, as
long as it's not bad. I'm not looking for a "museum piece"
to stare at and impress my friends with; I'm looking for a
rig to actually USE on the air (as far as I can tell, from
going on 21 years of hamming, a scratch in the cabinet of a
rig never affects how well it operates, but I may be wrong).
Must have the operating manual (a clean copy is acceptable)
and I'd like to have the service manual too (not a must).

I'm looking to spend no more than US $600, including shipping.

In your first correspondence, tell me the following:
- what rig you have
- what options and accessories come with it
- operating and cosmetic condition
- any damage and/or repair history
- your asking price with shipping.

I will respond to everyone, even if I'm not really interested
in your particular rig. I'd prefer that you email me at home:

mustang_maniac@centuryinter.net

Thanks and 73 in advance!

Dean Hemphill, K5DH
Lake Dallas, Texas
(940) 497-5365

554. Mercury 201 tube tester charts and data needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jukes@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <886781531.204013578@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

I have a model 201 (cabinet type) Mercury tube tester but have no charts or any information whatsoever. Can anyone point me in the right direction or possibly provide a copy. I restore old jukeboxes in my spare time and would like to use this tester if it is suitable to the purpose.

I am new to the electronics game and learning to rebuild amps. As a result, I also need a reliable Capacitor Tester.

Can anyone give me some ideas on these subjects?

Any help will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks to all for your time and consideration. Joe in Nashville.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

555. Re: Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron <n7taw@pcez.com>
Message-ID: <34DB4DD0.7196@pcez.com>
Source record: 154283

Mary-Frances R Bartels wrote:
>
> >Date: Thu, 5 Feb 1998 18:33:15 -0500
> >From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
> >Subject: Swap Page
>
> >Does anyone know the web page for the swaping of Ham gear?
>
> >Lou..
>
> Lou et al.,
> My qsl.net home page has a subpage entitled "Online Swaps". Try
> clicking there and you'll get quite a list.
> As always, I'm open to changes, deletions, additions, and comments on
> that or any of my pages.
> Hope this helps.
> Mary-Frances
>
> Mary-Frances R. Bartels KI0DZ DM79lt Denver CO (((#))) ^ ^
> http://www.qsl.net/ki0dz ki0dz@juno.com | ^ - ^
> Watkins products Rep. #92389 ------- (o o)
> ** Beyond Infinity - scanning & WWW develop. ** |ooOoo| >{ | }<
> http://www.freeyellow.com/members/beyond-infinity ------- RRR)*
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> _____
> You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
> Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
> Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

And don't forget the NWSS page:

Ron, N7TAW

Check us out at the Northwest Saturday Morning Swap Net:
http://www.chatlink.com/~rickt/swap.htm

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556. Re: Alternator whine on FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rose <fdrose@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34DB3D23.330CE068@ibm.net>
Source record: 154284

You did it Jack,

Then whine went away when I disconnected the radio from the mount. I discovered that

this dash had metal (which caused a ground) behind the plastic, which the Explorer did not. I

will get some plastic mounting screws now for the mount.

Thanks a lot !!

Dave N8XUJ

557. Re: ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: CBS5LD@leeds.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6bfc1i$8c8_005@leeds.ac.uk>
Source record: 154285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>It was interesting to note, the number of people asking me why I wanted to
>reverse the modification in the first place. If I could qoute David, N8DO
>"At least in the US, it is legal to own a radio capable of illegal
>transmission, as long as you don't transmit illegally."
>
>I have always thought that in the UK, you were not allowed to own a
>transmitter that you are not licenced to use, as an interesting sideline
>the FT747GX
>in its "legal" mode can transmit within the ham bands in 500Khz blocks for
>example the 40m band you could transmit between 7.0 - 7.5MHz although in
>the UK we are only allowed to TX between 7.0 -7.1 MHz.

>On another note what is the position of a Class B user (using a HF rig with
>a transverter for VHF/UHF use?) in the UK?

>Or even a SWL using it without a microphone to transmit with?

>73's
>Greg
>--
>EMail:G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk

Greg, AFAIK it is perfectly legal to own a transmitter for which you do not have a license, else every person or company with a signal generator would be liable for prosecution! Note that in the Netherlands this was/is not the case, and you have to/had to have a license to own any transmitting equipment.

However using the transmitter for transmitting without an appropriate license invites an unlimited fine and up to 2 years in gaol (according the the WT act of 1949) - this is from memory.

73 de Laurens M1CCO

558. Re: 10.000.000 MHz or 10.000.001 MHz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Labriola <labriola@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34DB3DF4.29EA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154286

NE7X wrote:
>
> What method does WWV National Bureau of Standards use to calibrate there
> equipment to insure they are transmitting on 10.000.000 MHz and not
> 10.000.001 MHz? What is the final source of sources of true 10.000.000
> MHz???
>
> NE7X...
As others have replied, it is a cesium beam atomic clock. Of interest,
the clocks used in the GPS satelites are actually set something like 1
part in 10^8 fast (higher frequency) to compensate for the time
compression (relativity effect) of the satelites being in motion at a
substantial velocity!

W6QS

559. Re: 10.000.000 MHz or 10.000.001 MHz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34db318b.52032816@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154287

On Thu, 05 Feb 1998 12:57:46 -0800, NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org> wrote:
>What method does WWV National Bureau of Standards use to calibrate there
>equipment to insure they are transmitting on 10.000.000 MHz and not
>10.000.001 MHz? What is the final source of sources of true 10.000.000
>MHz???

They're on 10.0 MHz because they *say* they are on 10.0 MHz. Since
they *are* the legal standard, whatever they say is by definition true. They
could be using a drifty old Hartley VFO to establish what 10.0 MHz
is, and we'd have to go along with them, and recalibrate our equipment
to agree with them. But they don't.

The international standard meter and the international standard second
are defined in terms of the frequency and wavelength emitted by Krypton-86
during a particular quantum transition state. Since time and frequency are
reciprocal, this is the ultimate frequency standard. To keep Krypton-86 in the
particular quantum transition state is difficult, so a different atomic clock
based on a cesium beam is actually used. NIST maintains the official cesium
beam standard in their Boulder lab. WWV uses cheaper commercial cesium
beam atomic standards (three of them) to act as working standards for its
transmitted signal.

The frequency of any of these standards is precisely the same, because they
are based on a quantum state transition, and that is absolute. But the phase
offset between the master standard and a working standard can vary. NIST
uses several methods to minimize this phase offset. Currently, the offset
is maintained to less than 100 nanoseconds, IE less than 360 degrees at
10 MHz. So WWV could be displaced in phase by nearly a full Hertz from
the primary standard at any given moment.

For most uses, that doesn't matter since we only care about frequency and
not phase agreement with the master. And varying propagation will, of course,
displace phase more than that, so your received signal can be offset from the
master standard by more than 360 degrees (but realize that for a sinewave,
once you pass 360 you start over, so the sinewave can't ever be more than 360
degrees offset from the master, and thus will always be the same frequency).
But time ticks can be delayed more than 100 nanoseconds from the master,
so a time accuracy of 1 part in 10E8 is as good as we can get using WWV,
and it'll usually be worse, on the order of 1 part in 10E7 due to propagation
variances.

(Precision and accuracy are two different things. We can keep time to a much
higher precision than 1 in 10E7, but our accuracy, our agreement with the master
clock as to when a particular second begins, won't be better than that.)

That's probably about as clear as mud. Go to the horse's mouth for more details, www.nist.gov.

Or go directly to www.boulder.nist.gov/timefreq/pubs/sp432/s_ctrl.htm for the specifics of WWV's relationship to real time.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

560. Re: Alternator whine on FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34db4740.57590752@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154288

On Thu, 05 Feb 1998 23:32:09 -0500, David Rose <fdrose@ibm.net> wrote:
>I just installed my Yaesu FT-8500 in a brand new 1998 Ford Expedition
>using the
>Yaesu power cord directly to the battery. I am getting a alternator
>whine noise.
>This is a mystery to me because this radio just came out of my 1991 Ford
>
>Explorer, also wired directly to the battery with the same power cord
>and I didn't
>have any alternator noise in the two years since I install the radio.
>
>Looking for ideas.

Your new Ford may have a battery with a weak cell or may have a
bad diode in the alternator (just because they're new doesn't mean
that they can't be bad). Also check to see that the negative strap to
the frame has good continuity, it may have paint under the bolt head.
Even a fraction of an ohm here can cause a nasty ground loop. This
latter is the most likely culprit in a new vehicle.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

561. IC-2SRA & Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Nothom <CNothom@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bfji8$516@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154289

Both units sold

562. KENWOOD TS-50 $650 excellent condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: marvin fein <marvin@linkline.com>
Message-ID: <34DB53B9.66C5609B@linkline.com>
Source record: 154290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W2KIT/6 Marvin in California. Voice: 714-760-8377 after 8AM PST
FAX: 714-760-2688 or via marvin@linkline.com

563. IC-735 slaved to IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <34DB5949.44FA@amsat.org>
Source record: 154291

In the IC-756 configuration setup menu there is a user configuration parameter to either turn on/off a IC-735 inter-tie connection via the CI-V buss between the two radios. The IC-756 user manual has no reference to this configuration, including functionally or hw/sw configurations. I can only assume this is some sort of master/slave operation between the two radios.

Is anyone using this, and if so, what advantage is there in doing so?

Will other ICOM radios work besides the IC-735 if their CI-V hex buss address is set to the IC-735 value (UX-14 dip switches) on the CI-V buss?

NE7X...

eMAIL: NE7X@amsat.org

564. Re: IC-1COM 275H ALL MODE SALE BEST OFFER N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34DB58D6.494901FA@erols.com>
Source record: 154292

For $800 more i get 2 - 440 and 6 meters and HF

Why buy a 2 meter all mode for 1000

Gabriel G melo wrote:
>
> FOR SALE IC-ICOM 275H ALL MODE 100 WATTS GOOD CONDITION $1.000 OR BEST
> OFFER CALL GABE AT
> 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT
>
> n1hhf@110.net

565. Re: Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulc@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6bfmgd$hhl@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 154293

Thomas May (mayt@gw.twc.com) wrote:
: Mary-Frances

: While Ni-Cads can be damaged by overcharging, it generally accepted that a
: charge rate of .1C (70ma for the smaller pack) is acceptable for a
: continuous charge. I am sure some will disagree, but I have found that two
: things will shorten a NiCads life: overcharging at a high current - this
: causes excessive heating and can destroy the electrolyte, and the
: controversial memory effect from insufficient discharging of the battery.

From what I've seen and read, I'd have to disagree that a charge rate of
.1C is ok for a continuous charge. It's probably ok for a day or so of
overcharge, but then it should be removed.

On memory....I've found an *excellent* web reference on portable batteries
in general, and on nicads specifically:

http://www.cadex.com/faq.htm

Check it out. You'll be glad you did. This should be required reading
for anyone who uses nicads or most other rechargeable portable batteries.
It really seems to match the "real world" experiences of myself and others.

-Paul C. KG0CZ

566. FS: RFConcepts 4-310 Amp (200.00)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-0602981419070001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 154294

I have a as new (less than 1/2hr use) 430-450 allmode amp w/preamp 30Win
100W out price 200.00

567. FS TV-7D/U Tube Tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bfpev$3kp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154295

Hi ! All
I have a TV-7D/U Military Tube Tester
Good working condition $ 120.00 Plus UPS
Thanks

568. Re: 10.000.000 MHz or 10.000.001 MHz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3338$4878bfa0$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 154296

> They're on 10.0 MHz because they *say* they are on 10.0 MHz. Since
> they *are* the legal standard, whatever they say is by definition true.

Sorry, but this just isn't so. The definitions of time, frequency and length are now based on atomic measurements that anyone can make and apply, and get exactly the same answer. The days when the standard meter was a bar of platinum in a French vault are long gone.

Mike, N4PDY

569. Re: ICOM IC-2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean A. Foley" <sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com>
Message-ID: <34DB6B42.E033CF43@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 154297

I have one of these also. It is a good radio. I've been using mine as a mobile remote with my HT. I also have been using it as a base in the house. It's been on 24/7 for weeks and has been workin' fine. I have only one concern (it's not a problem, though) that pertains to the fan: The radio can be setup to either run the fan continuously or for two (2) minutes after the LAST TRANSMISSION. Because this is a mechanical part, I'm wondering how long until the fan fails. The radio is enclosed in a large heat sink, so I sometimes wonder if the fan is even necessary.

I almost forgot. The other nifty feature is that you can run separate external speakers for each band (2M and 70 cm) which is nice. I would like a way to disable one or the other VFO's though.

73's

Sean
KF6OAB

Jim McCloskey wrote:
>
> I am in the market for another dual bander and would appreciate any
> comments, good or bad, about this radio. thanks in advance.
> 73 de Jim, KE3OP..._._

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Using cable modem access through @Home network
http://24.0.146.59/
sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com

570. Re: YAESU - FT 920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@nospam.itl.net>
Message-ID: <34DBDBA8.1A221AD0@nospam.itl.net>
Source record: 154298

Patrick Vermote wrote:
>
> Hi ,
>
> I have a FT-920 since 3 week. I want to run with this rig in six meters band
> with 100 watts, but mi rig output only 10 watts in ths band ?? have you
> infos and any mods about his transceiver ?
>
> Tnx
>
> Patrick - F6IIT
> pvermote@cyberion.fr

Maybe the menu is locked to 10w out, or it is a French version due to
French op's only having qrp on 50MHz
de GJ4ICD

571. Re: IC-735 slaved to IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34db6d0a.67266154@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 154299

On Fri, 06 Feb 1998 10:41:13 -0800, NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org> wrote:
>In the IC-756 configuration setup menu there is a user configuration
>parameter to either turn on/off a IC-735 inter-tie connection via the
>CI-V buss between the two radios. The IC-756 user manual has no
>reference to this configuration, including functionally or hw/sw
>configurations. I can only assume this is some sort of master/slave
>operation between the two radios.
>
>Is anyone using this, and if so, what advantage is there in doing so?
>
>Will other ICOM radios work besides the IC-735 if their CI-V hex buss
>address is set to the IC-735 value (UX-14 dip switches) on the CI-V
>buss?

Any CI-V buss radio can be slaved to any other. The IC-735 is special
in that it uses fewer bytes in the header than later model Icoms (the
protocol was changed after the IC-735 came out). So if you have a
IC-735 on the buss, you have to set all the other radios on the buss
to IC-735 compatibility mode. That's what that menu setting is all about.

You can arrange any combination of CI-V buss radios to be master or
slave. So you can slave any of these radios to any other, you don't need
an IC-735 on the buss at all (in fact you'd prefer one not be on the buss
because then you have to operate in IC-735 compatibility mode, and some
CI-V buss commands aren't supported in compatibility mode). But
typically you'll have a computer on the buss running some sort of rig
control software and acting as master with all the radios acting as slaves.

One common use of master/slave is track tuning for satellite operation.
You can slave a IC-275 to a IC475, or vice versa, in order to operate
Mode B. Or you can slave them both to a rig control program running
on a computer interfaced to the buss. This is the better way because
the computer can calculate doppler compensation during the pass
and apply it on the fly.

Another reason you might want to master/slave a pair of radios is
that you can use one for spotting while you work a station with the
other. Then with a single button press, you can transfer the spotted
frequency to the working radio and snag the next guy while your
spotter tunes for another. That's handy for multi-multi contest
operation.

Icom doesn't document how all this works very well in their user
manuals. There is a separate manual available from Icom explaining
the CI-V buss in better detail.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

572. Re: IC-1COM 275H ALL MODE SALE BEST OFFER N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bfsjh$jh5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154300

Steve wrote in message <34DB58D6.494901FA@erols.com>...
>For $800 more i get 2 - 440 and 6 meters and HF
>
>Why buy a 2 meter all mode for 1000
Why because it's a better performing radio-dedicated to one band and optimized for that range of frequencies. An even better route would be a quality transverter combined with a quality hf transceiver as the if-more $$, cables, and general monkeying around though. 73-Brian K3USC-Erie,PA

573. Ten Tec CUSTOM CW Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5ua@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <34db737f.3725889@news.iamerica.net>
Source record: 154301

Is there a group of Ten Tec owners negioating with a filter manufact.
about filters that are similar to the Drake R4C filters in shape
factor? If so, please contect me at:

k5ua@iamerica.net

Thanks, Char;es K5UA

574. Re: TS-930SAT pricing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34DB3CC2.F1556F78@together.net>
Source record: 154302

I recently purchased a used TS-930SAT.. it's an excellent rig... $800-$900 is typical cost for a 930 in very good condition, i managed to get mine for $750 + shipping (no mic though). Even though it has an auto-tuner, I find I get better SWR with an external tuner, and auto-tuners will not tune the 160M band... but it performs really well... excellent speech processor for the mic, variable cw bandwidth without a filter (600hz).. I like cw so I'm going to get the 250hz filter one day... but it is not a real necessity. I has lots of features that make it a really good rig. The 900 series by kenwood is thier top of the line HF rigs... with all the bells & whistles available at the time.

Tom
KB1CGA

Steve & Evie wrote:

> I'm looking for a used HF rig for my base station. One fellow has a
> Kenwood TS-930SAT he'd like to sell, and I'm trying to determine about
> how much it's worth. Also if it's worth buying.
>
> This would be a first-HF transceiver for me.
>
> I'm interested in your opinion on what it's worth, whether it's worth
> it, experiences good/bad with the unit, etc. Are there other units I
> should consider?
>
> Thanks.
> steve, N1TMQ

575. LOOKING FOR EURO 3900 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ANONYMOUS <SALZMAN@CASTLES.COM>
Message-ID: <01bd333c$b5469cc0$11a5d6d0@salzman>
Source record: 154303

does anyone know any of the mods for the euro 3900?

576. WTB Old HP Calculators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrg419@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <886801847.1328414727@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154304
Cross-posted to: nj.forsale,sci.electronics.equipment,misc.forsale.computers.other.systems,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amatuer.boatanchors

Looking for old HP calculators to add to my collection. I prefer LED models but will consider any HP in any condition...working or not. If you have one or any accessory (manual, case, documentation box..etc) you want to sell.. just send an E-Mail to: John at jrg419@prodigy.net

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577. motorola software needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: boerner <boerner@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <eyLC.95$P23.449006@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 154305

I'm looking for software for the Motorola p-110 h-t radios. I would like a
copy if any body can help.
Thanks
Ed
E-mail me at BOERNER@ptd.net

578. IC-471H PARTS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: GBENKO@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <01bd334d17108960b2389cd1@default>
Source record: 154306

I have an ICOM IC-471H parts radio for sale. Unit is in good cosmetic condition. Have Manual, no mike, etc.

Unit lights up, but no transmit and receive.

Please make offer to GBENKO@Prodigy.net

73, George
K8BRW

579. ICOM IC-275A 2M ALLMODE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: GBENKO@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <01bd334d$803817a0$b2389cd1@default>
Source record: 154307

I have an ICOM IC-275A 2 meter allmode. Unit is a 9 on a scale of 10.
Asking $700 shipped.

Please respond to GBENKO@Prodigy.net.

73, George
K8BRW

580. Manual for Collins HF200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: admd@inforamp.net
Message-ID: <6bg583$j2i@news.inforamp.net>
Source record: 154308

I have used transceiver "COLLINS HF 200" and have to make some modification to it.
I would like to buy manual and schematics for this radio. I would appreciate answer
from anyone who knows this transceiver.
Please send email to: <Andrew> awfqisto@yesic.com
Tnx, 73

581. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba <kf9yh@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6bg487dkp1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 154309

Pat Jorden wrote in message <6bfa40$nl0$1@amdint2.amd.com>...
>on the subject of the ft-8500, who has it for $399?
>thanks,
>
>-pat
>
>
>--
>Pat Jorden

HRO

582. WTB: MAUNALS, HA-8, SR-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bg60i$e1e@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154310

I need these two : anyone help, prefer original, WS0E, Joe
<Joe.7hc@juno.com>

583. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Smavatkul" <username@ricochet.net.net>
Message-ID: <6bg6lnprb1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 154311

RT Systems has it for $379 and $365 for the MH-39 version.
Check out www.rtsars.com

Chad

Nope...I don't work there.

Pat Jorden wrote in message <6bfa40$nl0$1@amdint2.amd.com>...
>on the subject of the ft-8500, who has it for $399?
>thanks,
>
>-pat
>
>
>--
>Pat Jorden

584. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Hinkle <ae4rg@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6bg7ca$2al$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 154312

Pat Jorden wrote:

> on the subject of the ft-8500, who has it for $399?
> thanks,
>
> -pat
>
> --
> Pat Jorden

RT Systems has them for $389. Check their page at www.rtars.com

73
Barry AE4RG

585. Re: LOOKING FOR EURO 3900 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <postmaster@fbi.gov>
Message-ID: <6bg9afpgq1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 154313

Yep, cut out every diode you can see, then you'll be a "Big Strapper"...

73,

<<< DAN >>>

ANONYMOUS wrote in message <01bd333c$b5469cc0$11a5d6d0@salzman>...
>does anyone know any of the mods for the euro 3900?

586. Icom W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34dbb759.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 154314

Can the Icom W32A be modified to RX up 900Mhz?

Lou R.

587. WTB FV-102DM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bob Dubinick, DC" <drdubi@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bgddt$837@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154315

If anyone has a FV-102DM that they would part with, I would be interested.
TNX
Bob
N9BSK
drdubi@worldnet.att.net

588. For Sale: TS-450Sat or Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886817426.2126512136@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This rig is nice and clean, about a 9 or+ only 2 years old, have mic and manual Will ship it to you for $750 and you will love it!! Thanks Murray

Would trade for good HF stuff up or down. No boatanchors. Also want IC-756.

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589. FS: yaesu FT 767 with 6 and 2 meters! Only $1250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886817611.2116485134@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154317
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice clean unit. Loaded with bells and whistles. HF plus 6 & 2. Auto tuner, digital swr meter, awesome radio. $1250 is cheap compared to others. Thanksf Murray

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590. FS: Yaesu FT 840 with FC 10 auto tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886818000.47185926@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice clean ,well, almost immaculate, few month old, with FC 10 Auto tuner. Cost over 1200 6 months ago, with mic, manual, boxes and all shipped to your door for $850. Trades up considered. Murray

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591. FS: Heathkit SB 221 Amp nice!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <886820001.86704140@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

SB221 In good looking and operating shape, full output,10 meters, several update mods. $650 and I WILL ship it to you conus. Thanks Murray

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592. Re: Adams software for VX-1R, nothing but trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tubbs <piperbill@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34dbd2da.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 154320

Amen. It's a great piece of software and adds a tremendous amount of versatility to my VX1R! I have two complete templates that I alternate with and it's really fun. I'm just afraid I'll forget how to do it all manually ;-))

Bill, WK6A

Jim McGhee wrote in message <34CE578A.3651C4BC@cyberramp.net>...
>Hi all,
>First off, its not Adams, its ADMS.
>Second, I haven't heard any stories of anyone having their radios RUINED
>by this software.
>There is a bug in the VX-1R firmware that causes it to loose some of its
>internal data. One way to cause this is not holding the on/off button
>down long enough. It can also sometimes be caused by the ADMS software.
>There is info on the ADMS web site telling you how to correct this
>problem IF you should have it.
>
>I've had the software since it first came out and I LOVE IT! It makes
>the radio at least twice as usefull.
>
>Get your facts straight before you post a negative message.
>
>Jim

593. WBT 2 Meter Mobile Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hobart@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <886651971.1582039059@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154321

I would like to buy a 2 meter mobile radio with memories, scan, and CTSS tones as we work repeaters here. My budget is about $150. Don't have to be fanc;y but must work ok and be in good condition. Thanks. Reply to Bill K6ERQ care of hobart@humboldt1.com

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594. FS TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34DBE314.123@hauns.com>
Source record: 154322

I have a TS-830S Gold, with the VFO-230 and SP-230. Will sell 830 for $435, VFO for $200, and speaker for $75. Rig works good and looks good.

595. Capacitors wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Hyde <bhyde@ns.vvm.com>
Message-ID: <34DB0954.32BD@ns.vvm.com>
Source record: 154323

Hello,
I am recapping my collins gear and am in need of some electrolytic and ceramic disk caps. . I need a 40 uf at 150 Volt for example on the electrolytic. . also need some ceramic disk caps with good stablity. . also need some silver micas. . would love to buy some bulk packs. . let me know what you have and how much. .thanks. . Brad
bhyde@ns.vvm.com

596. Re: Icom W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <uBd8P63M9GA.164@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 154324

Yes, it can. No hardware modification is necessary, you simply need to push and hold SQL and BAND, then power up the radio and hold SQL and BAND buttons down for 5 seconds. All the segments on LCD will show, and radio will receive as far as it's PLL will lock. And yes, it will cover 800 and 900 except the cellular band. To answer (somebody's) next question, no, it cannot be modified to receive cell frequencies!

Adnan, Icom America

Lou R. wrote in message <34dbb759.0@news.total.net>...
>Can the Icom W32A be modified to RX up 900Mhz?
>
>
>Lou R.
>
>

597. IC-1COM 275H ALL MODE SALE BEST OFFER N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6bgnnr$53n$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154325

FOR SALE IC-ICOM 275H ALL MODE 100 WATTS GOOD CONDITION $1.000 OR BEST
OFFER CALL GABE AT
1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT

n1hhf@110.net

598. TH-G71A Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Fritzsche <abc@rose.net>
Message-ID: <34DBB54F.4472@rose.net>
Source record: 154326

Hey does anybody know of an extended TX mod for the Kenwood TH-G71A? If so please E-Mail me at abc@rose.net . Thanks.

Ian
abc@rose.net
mailto:abc@rose.net
http://home.rose.net/~abc/

599. Racal HF Recevier RA-1792

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franz Matschl-Uhlig <matschl-uhlig@metronet.de>
Message-ID: <886958748.494576@frankfurt3.pop.metronet.de>
Source record: 154327

Hello,
please i'm looking very
urgently for any technical
Information abt. the RACAL
HF Receiver RA-1792. (Techn.
Handbook, Datasheets, etc.)
If you have any information,
please contact me.
Thank you very much for
every tip or advise.
Franz Matschl-Uhlig
matschl-uhlig@metronet.de

600. Yaesu Musen Japan Fax Number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WISNU <wisnu@centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <34da0b57.0@news.bit.net.id>
Source record: 154338

Hello All,

If you know, the fax number of the Yaesu Musen Co Ltd Japan
Pse tell me. Tks. Bcz I've a problem with my Yaesu VX1R.

73 de Wisnu YC0FTD

601. Re: operating in the United Arab Emirates - for an expat??????? UAE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6bdk3h$32o@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 154339
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary wrote:
>Mike wrote:

>>Rod's information was of more *general* usefulness to the NG, and I
>>suspect, to Paul also (Teach a man to fish, etc.).

>Consider those who only have email access to the group. Pointing them
>to one of Rod's web pages is useless to them. Giving a succinct answer
>is not.

I disagree. First, web access is as close as your nearest library (which will probably contain amateur radio-related books - bursting with answers to practically any radio-related question). Once one discovers the radio web pages, they'll know where to look when any future query plagues them.

Also, if one only has email access, all the answers to one's questions can be found via info@arrl.org, the ARRL email server.

I'll echo Mike's "Teach a man to fish..." sentiments.

Jeff KH2PZ

602. QST for Feb 98 / Drake Converters for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob and Gladys Partain <the.partains@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bdkcc$643@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154340

Good Day;
Yes!!! We do have the Drake 2880 Downconverters in Stock.

We test them 100% before shipping.

Pricing is as follows:

$39 each or 3 for $100
Price includes Power Supply/ Inserter
and Shipping. Personal Checks are OK.
COD is an additional $5 per order.
All Orders are shipped via Priority Mail.
(that way there is no long wait)
All orders are shipped the same day.
(unless there is an earthquake, Ham Fair,
Sunday or such that would keep us
away from the Post Office)

E-Mail and Snail Mail Orders are Accepted.
Sorry, no plastic (credit cards)
We can mail to P.O.Box address also.

We look forward to hearing from you.

73 de Bob WB5OHH

SCTV-SkyCable
4804 Laurel Canyon Blvd.
533
Valley Village, CA 91607

603. FS: ICOM 701 mint cond with PS & desk mic/ SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: miracleaud@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206003900.TAA27407@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154341

Unit was sold
Where are we going and why am I in this handbasket?

604. Wanted:FT301S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <r6uC.5R.1568977@news.mt.net>
Source record: 154342

I am looking for a Yaesu FT301s qrp rig for qrp operations. Presently using a hw-7 and Ten Tec 509 and would like the FSK operation with the FT301 for rtty contesting qrp. KA7YAO (Bill) erhardt@mt.net

605. Yaesu FT 109RH For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206021000.VAA23902@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154343

Hello Everyone,
I have for sale a Yaesu FT 109RH 220 Mhz HT. Radio and accessories are in excellent condition. Selling because there is no 220 activity here. I bought this for when I was in New Jersey on year long project. The accessories are listed below.

FNB 4 12 vdc @500 Ma. This battery allows the radio to do 2.5 watts, is in need of a rebuild. Holds a charge for a day or so.
FNB 4 12 vdc @750 Ma. This battery allows the radio to do 5 watts, brand new, not much use on it.
Tone Board. Installed in the radio, permits encode and decode.
Mobile battery charger/battery eliminator. Runs the radio off of 13.8vdc while charging either battery.
Speaker Mike. Seldom used.
Wall charger for both FNB 4 batteries.
Stock rubber duck
Antenna Specialists Mobile 220 Antenna, coil.
AEA 220 Hot Rod telescoping whip. Works nice!!
Carrying case
Manual for the radio.

I'd like$225.00 for everything. Shipping is on me. I'll ship promptly upon receipt of a cashier's check or money order. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to drop me a line. Really want to put this in the hands of someone who can use it.
Sincerely,
Ed Hutton N3KEX

606. FS: Filtered Cigarlighter cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7zxc@iSTAR.ca
Message-ID: <UiuC.114$FK6.548686@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 154344

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NEW
Center +
Alinco EDC-16B
Fits lots of modern Ht's

Note: not the Yaesu FT50......unfortunatly

$33 cdn
shipped!!

email: ve7zxc@istar.ca
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607. FS: Yaesu FT726R allmode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Watts <gwatts@qni.com>
Message-ID: <01bd32ae$32387120$0a0695d0@gary.qni.com>
Source record: 154345

I have a Yaesu FT726R, in good condition for sale.
It has the 144/430/440 modules, plus the sat duplex
module.

Also included is the operating manual and the Technical Supplement
both manuals are in fair condition

Asking $800.

608. FS: Yaesu FT650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kittles <kittles8@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <12C3C35226ACAD1F.E0F2B19A9D822E8F.1CF476A79FADF679@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 154346

For sale Yaesu FT650 6/10/12 meter ssb/cw/am/fm transceiver. 100 watts
out.
Has cw filter installed. Power supply included Also have operator manual
and service manual.The radio was purchased new in November 1991, nonsmoker,
original owner.
The FT650 is in very good condition. Price $950.00

Mike KY5N
kittles8@airmail.net

609. RF amp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgutter@iglou.com
Message-ID: <EnxvIA.EnH@iglou.com>
Source record: 154347

I am selling the following:

Free shipping UPS ground in the USA!!!!!!!!!!!

- RF Concepts 30 watt RF amp
143-149 MHz, 2W in = 30W out
made in the USA
brand new, never used, still in box

only $85.00 - an imported model of less quality would cost more than
this!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

If you live in the Louisville, KY area, we can arrange to see the
equipment or you can pick it up!

email if interested,
Super-Gut

610. Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki0dz@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980205.211638.16022.0.ki0dz@juno.com>
Source record: 154348

>Date: Thu, 5 Feb 1998 18:33:15 -0500
>From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
>Subject: Swap Page

>Does anyone know the web page for the swaping of Ham gear?

>Lou..

Lou et al.,
My qsl.net home page has a subpage entitled "Online Swaps". Try
clicking there and you'll get quite a list.
As always, I'm open to changes, deletions, additions, and comments on
that or any of my pages.
Hope this helps.
Mary-Frances

Mary-Frances R. Bartels KI0DZ DM79lt Denver CO (((#))) ^ ^
http://www.qsl.net/ki0dz ki0dz@juno.com | ^ - ^
Watkins products Rep. #92389 ------- (o o)
** Beyond Infinity - scanning & WWW develop. ** |ooOoo| >{ | }<
http://www.freeyellow.com/members/beyond-infinity ------- RRR)*

You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

611. FS=TUBES-8 PIN (METAL), $2.00 ea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd32a8$0f0014c0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 154349

1ea 6SF7, 1ea 6V6, 1ea 6X5, 1ea 12A6, 2ea 12H6

Dwight Raddatz, 970-626-5111, email draddatz@gwe.net

612. SPECIAL TUBES, COMPACTRONS, NUVISTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd32a9$fd9368c0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 154350

NUVISTORS:
5ea 6CW4, 3ea 6DS4, @ $2.00 ea; 4 Nuvistor Sockets @ $1.00 ea

COMPACTRONS-SPECIAL PURPOSE:
1ea 6BW2 $3.00, 1ea 6CG3 $5.00, 1ea 6GF7A $5.00, 1ea 6JE6C $10.00, 1ea
6KD6 $16.00
1ea 17JZ8 $5.00, 1ea 21GY6 $5.00, 1ea 5763 $3.00, 1ea 5894 $15.00, 1ea 5963
$3.00, 3ea 6201 $3.00ea
2ea 6360 (new) $5.00ea, 3ea 6360 $3.00ea, 1ea 7558 $3.00, 1ea 7854 $16.00

Dwight Raddatz, 970-626-5111 email draddatz@gwe.net

613. FS-TUBES- 8 PIN (cap anode)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd32ab$158cfe40$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 154351

6ea 1B3/1G3 $2.00ea, 1ea 1J3 $2.00, 1ea 2E26 $3.00, 2ea 3A3C/3AW3 $3.00ea,
2ea 6BK4C $6.00ea
1ea 6CU6/6BQ6 $1.00, 1ea 6DQ6 $3.00, 1ea 6DQ7 $3.00, 1ea 17DQ6 $3.00, 1ea
1625 $2.00
1ea 6146 $4.00

Dwight Raddatz 970-626-5111 email draddatz@gwe.net

614. Re: FS: Icom 730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206051201.AAA13003@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154352

> Icom 730 with matching power supply. Modified to recieve 11 meter.
>Original
>> crystal included. Excellent condition. $700.00

Boy! That cb mod sure makes it valuable.....

K&#65533;MB

615. Re: FS: matched pair MRF-421 transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@vax.area.com
Message-ID: <6be79d$rj9$1@nixon.area.com>
Source record: 154353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <6bcibb$9q9@sf18.dseg.ti.com>,
Mustang Maniac! <k5dh@rtis.ray.com> wrote:
>*** I AM POSTING THIS FOR A FRIEND WHO DOES NOT HAVE NEWSGROUP ACCESS ***
>*** PLEASE DO NOT REPLY TO ME - I WILL IGNORE YOUR INQUIRIES ***
>
>FOR SALE: Matched pair of Motorola MRF421 power transistors. These are
>13.8V transistors each rated at 10 Watts input/100 Watts output from 1.5 to
>30 MHz. Still in the original sealed Motorola packages and plainly marked
>as a matched pair. RF Parts lists this pair at $80.00. Yours for $50.00
>shipped in the U.S. Would trade for a CMOS Super Keyer III, built or
>unbuilt.
>
>Please contact the seller directly:
> Brad, WB0CGH, qlf@msg.ti.com
>
>*** DO NOT JUST HIT <REPLY> ***
>

I also have some new in the package MRF421 matched pairs that
I would be willing to let go for $50.00 per pair. Also, some
singles at $20 each.

Rick Karlquist N6RK
rick@area.com

616. FS: ICOM IC-2SRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Nothom <CNothom@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6be86o$ose@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154354
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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begin 600 2SRA.txt
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617. Re: Kenwood R-1000 receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyznycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34dea3f4.53946757@news>
Source record: 154355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Thu, 05 Feb 1998 05:35:16 GMT, orion@xyznycap.rr.com wrote:

This radio has been sold. Thanks to all who responded.
>I have a Kenwood R-1000 general coverage receiver for sale.
>The radioï¿½s frequency range is 200 kHz to 30 MHz. AM, SSB, and CW.
>Features are as follows:
>Bright blue digital frequency readout plus analog dial.
>Clock and timer plus front panel jack for tape recorder.
>Push button mode selection.
>RF gain control.
>Illuminated S meter.
>Noise blanker and panel light dimmer.
>Front panel earphone jack.
>Rear panel has two antenna connectors, ground lug, AC power connector
>with switch for 100, 120, 220, 240 volts AC.
>Original Ownerï¿½s Manual included.
>The radio is in excellent condition.
>Price is $200
>Please respond by e-mail as my news-server isn't too reliable lately.
>Thanks

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Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
xyz from my address.

618. Re: MFJ receive tuner/preamp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyznycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34e0a41e.53988892@news>
Source record: 154356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Thu, 05 Feb 1998 05:38:00 GMT, orion@xyznycap.rr.com wrote:

This unit has been sold. Thanks to all who responded.
>This is MFJï¿½s model MFJ-959B Receiver Antenna Tuner/Preamplifier.
>Frequency coverage is 1.8 to 30 MHz.
>If you have an antenna set for one band, or space limitations, this
>unit
>will help performance of your receiver on all HF bands.
>Features are as follows:
>The front panel has switches for Power. (9 - 18 volts DC), antenna
>selection (2 antennas),
>receiver selection (2 receivers), tuner/amplifier, and attenuator.
>Knobs control gain, induction, receive and antenna tuning.
>Rear panel has 2 connectors for each antenna and receiver (SO-239ï¿½s
>and phono jacks),
>and mini jack for power connection.
>Ownerï¿½s Manual included.
>The unit is in excellent condition.
>Price is $50.
>Please respond by e-mail as my news-server isn't reliable right now.
>Thanks.

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Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
xyz from my address.

619. VARIAC AND OTHERSTUFF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: chevy4by4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206061700.BAA02116@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154357

JUST UPDATED

http://members.aol.com/KC7ZWG/

lotsa goodies!
cars,trucks,boats,amps,test equip.,computer stuff,ham radio's, etc.,

all items have a picture for you to see them!

http://members.aol.com/KC7ZWG/

JUST UPDATED

620. FS: ICOM IC-2SRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Nothom <CNothom@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bea49$ose@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154358

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Excellent condition.
2mtr HT with 25-950MHz Rx. 3 batts, desktop charger, cig lighter adapter,
dc pwr cable, 2 cases, manual & orig box.
$225
CNothom@worldnet.att.net
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621. Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Nothom <CNothom@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bea90$ose@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154359

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Excellent condition. Op and tech manuals.
$200
CNothom@worldnet.att.net
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622. Re: Advice on IC-706 mkII?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dinod@deltanet.com
Message-ID: <6becla$1k9$1@news01.deltanet.com>
Source record: 154360

Please gentlemen.. You understood EXACTLY what Paul was saying when
he said MkI.

Dino...K6RIX

In article <19980126110301.GAA13671@ladder01.news.aol.com>, w8pu@aol.com
says...
>
>Paul..
> The 706 is a fine radio. They are going for 750 to 950 used. New ones are
>still around $1050 I think till they are all gone. I had one for a year and
>loved it. By the way there is no such thing as a IC-706 MKI.
>
>
>Gary

623. FAQ site for mods anywhere??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: les@ripco.com
Message-ID: <6bed03$4lk$1@gail.ripco.com>
Source record: 154361

Hi...
I'm looking into getting another scanner (H-H) that will allow full coverage, plus diff modes. Since an AOR will probably not appear soon, I'm willing to give my mag lens and pencil solder gear get a workout.
I figured Rat Shack has several models to tinker with, but from what I see, most mods are for 2004/5 units....like mobile-mounts flavors.

Does anyone know good refs for H-H scanner mods, or an FAQ area to continue looking, before buying a set??

TNX.............73 Les de KA9GLW

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--- Leszek Balla
KA9GLW
les@rci.ripco.com

624. Help: Kenwood 215A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Howard Paysen <hpaysen@sanasys.com>
Message-ID: <34DAB13B.74C74150@sanasys.com>
Source record: 154362

A friend of mine has a Kenwood 215A but lost the owner's manual. He needs instructions for setting the CTSS tone encode to get into the local repeaters that have switched to PL access.

Howard Paysen Nï¿½TXK

625. WTB AOR 1500 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: les@ripco.com
Message-ID: <6bedih$4lk$2@gail.ripco.com>
Source record: 154363

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Working prefered.
Anyone have leads, and/or a price?

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--- Leszek Balla
KA9GLW
les@rci.ripco.com
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626. Re: ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk
Message-ID: <G.Milligan-ya023080000602981124150001@bignews.shef.ac.uk>
Source record: 154364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In regards to my earlier question asking how to safely reverse the general coverage TX modification on a FT747GX, I would like to thank the following people for their responses:

DAVE N1PPP
Harry KB6CGGO
Richard G4BLT (nice to hear from you again)
David, N8DO
Tim, K8TJ
Alex G0RAH
Monty N5NVM
Chris G4MYB
Tim Hynde

To summarise, quoting Chris G4MYB

>You don't need to reconnect the wire.

>To get out of general coverage mode,

>1. Set frequency to 12345.6 kHz.

>2. Turn radio off, then on again.

>The GEN indication should have gone off, it's back to amateur-bands
>transmit only.

I have now confirmed that this modification works, thank you.

And quoting Monty N5NVM

>Yes. It's a loop of wire which emerges from the front panel and goes
>right back into the front panel. I think it's brown and toward the
>left side.

Does anyone know what this wire actually does?

>I don't think you even have to turn the rig off, just re-connect the
>wire and the "GEN" indicator goes off. This tells you the general
>coverage transmit is gone. You may need to reconnect the wire
>then turn the rig off and back on. But it's way easier to undo the
>mod than it is to do the mod in the first place.

>After this, if you try to transmit out of band, you get an "Error"
>on the LCD panel.

It was interesting to note, the number of people asking me why I wanted to reverse the modification in the first place. If I could qoute David, N8DO

"At least in the US, it is legal to own a radio capable of illegal transmission, as long as you don't transmit illegally."

I have always thought that in the UK, you were not allowed to own a transmitter that you are not licenced to use, as an interesting sideline the FT747GX
in its "legal" mode can transmit within the ham bands in 500Khz blocks for example the 40m band you could transmit between 7.0 - 7.5MHz although in the UK we are only allowed to TX between 7.0 -7.1 MHz.

On another note what is the position of a Class B user (using a HF rig with a transverter for VHF/UHF use?) in the UK?

Or even a SWL using it without a microphone to transmit with?

And for my final... I have obtained from the net a Apple Macintosh based Hypercard prgram which will allow you to control the FT747GX using the CAT system, if anyone who is interested in a copy of this software please let me know.

73's
Greg
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EMail:G.Milligan@Sheffield.ac.uk

627. FS Kenwood R-2000 with VHF converter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: No_Spam_kiprc@swbell.net
Message-ID: <34dbf654.896052@news>
Source record: 154365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Kenwood R-2000 general coverage receiver for sale.
The frequency range is 200 kHz to 30 MHz
Plus 117 MHz - 179 Mhz. FM, AM, SSB, and CW.
Features are as follows:
10 Memories.
Scan memories or scan freq range.
Bright blue digital frequency readout plus analog dial.
2 Clocks and timer that will turn the unit on an off.
Plus front panel jack for tape recorder.
Push button mode selection. For FM, AM, USB, LSB and CW
RF gain control.
Squelch,
Attenuate with 4 levels
Illuminated S meter.
Noise blanker and panel light dimmer.
Am filter wide and narrow.
VC-10 VHF converter in stalled.
Remote jack.
Front panel earphone jack.
Rear panel has three antenna connectors, 50 ohm coax, 50 ohm wire or
300 ohm wire ground lug, AC power connector.
with switch for 100, 120, 220, 240 volts AC.
Ownerï¿½s Manual included.
The radio is in excellent condition.
Price is $400 prepaid.
Please respond by e-mail.
Thanks

km5mz@qsl.net
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628. FS: Yaesu FT-736R $1275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveb@buffnet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f44c927989ca99d989684@news>
Source record: 154366

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Brand new condition 736R. Base model.
2M & 70CM bands, handheld mic & manuals.

$1275 + Shipping (CONUS)

Will install 9600 baud mods if interested.

Email daveb@buffnet.net
or call 716/675-3310 after 6:00 PM EST.
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629. F.S. Pair of DJ 580T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206132201.IAA14246@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154367

Hi

I have a pair of Alinco DJ 580T for sale. Or will trade for a pair of UHF radios (Portables in 450-470MHz range).

Thanks

630. FS ICOM 730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mnb4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206133101.IAA14962@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154368

Icom 730 with matching power supply. Modified to recieve 11 meter Original crystal included. Excellent condition. Radio Guaranteed to work 100%. Call 315.454.8215

631. Re: FS: Icom 730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mnb4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206134001.IAA26365@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154369

I'm sure none of your equipment has had mods done to it. Buyer beware? This radio is guaranteed to work 100%. You don't like the price? Don't buy it !

632. Re: Swap Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34DB151D.970@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154370

Lou R. wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the web page for the swaping of Ham gear?
> Lou..

Hi Lou --- 13 Ham Radio Swap Page Links at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/page9.html#CLASS

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 70 PAGES AND 2000 LINKS
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

633. KENWOOD TM-733A 144/440 MHZ FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6bf4tkoms1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154371

KENWOOD TM-733A 144/440 MHZ FM FOR SALE LIKE NEW
HAVE BOX IN MANUEL $475.00 OR BEST OFFER CALL GABE
AT 1-401-434-2606 OR AT

E-MAIL n1hhf@110.net

634. Yaesu 6 meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: aeromed2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980206141701.JAA29693@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154372

I have a Yaesu FT-620-B AM/SSB/CW and was wondering how much this radio would be worth is sold? please e-mail aeromed2@aol.com

635. Re: KENWOOD TM-733A 144/440 MHZ FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34DB1FE2.3B426105@erols.com>
Source record: 154373

Call R&L they have one for 395.00

Steve

636. Wanted TU-5 Tone Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb2sgp@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34db262a.1763456@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154374

Wanted TU-5 Tone Board for the Kenwoow TS711A
Bud
wb2sgp@ix.netcom.com

637. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jorden@dvorak.amd.com
Message-ID: <6bfa40$nl0$1@amdint2.amd.com>
Source record: 154375

on the subject of the ft-8500, who has it for $399?
thanks,

-pat

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Pat Jorden

638. Re: Kenwood Dual Band All-Mode Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyznycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34dc2c41.3450610@news>
Source record: 154376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Thu, 05 Feb 1998 05:31:54 GMT, orion@xyznycap.rr.com wrote:

The radio is sold. Thanks to all who responded.
>Kenwood TS-780.
>This is an all-mode dual-band base station which covers 144 to 148 MHz
>and 420 to 440 MHz FM, SSB, and CW.
>Features include:
>Built in power supply (120 volts AC or 12 volts DC.
>Bright blue digital frequency readout and large illuminated S/RF
>meter.
>VOX
>2 VFOï¿½s
>Noise Blanker, RIT, IF shift, F-Step, Scan, RF and AF gain, 10 Memory
>channels,
>Mike gain, priority channel, and much more.
>The radio comes with hand mike, powered desk mike, original Ownerï¿½s
>manual, Shop
>Manual.
>It is in excellent condition.
>Price is $600
>Please respond by e-mail as my news-server isn't reliable lately.
>Thanks

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Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
xyz from my address.

639. Re: 10.000.000 MHz or 10.000.001 MHz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3313$c32c56a0$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 154377

> What method does WWV National Bureau of Standards use to calibrate there
> equipment to insure they are transmitting on 10.000.000 MHz and not
> 10.000.001 MHz? What is the final source of sources of true 10.000.000
> MHz???

The short answer is that they use atomic clocks, principally cesium beam standards, to keep time. A second is now defined as:

9,192,631,770 periods of the radiation corresponding to the transition between the two hyperfine levels of the ground state of the cesium-133 atom.

See http://www.bldrdoc.gov/timefreq/pubs/sp432/s_ctrl.htm for more information on how WWV keeps time and frequency.

Mike, N4PDY

640. Yaesu FT-51R for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Henke <n9ucr@htc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3313$d061afa0$99ee1cce@n9ucr>
Source record: 154378

I Have a Yaesu FT-51R for sale. Have the box and book, a CA-9 wall charger, CSC-66 carring case. The radio has been Motified..GOOD CONDITION asking $400.00 obo. Contact me at n9ucr@htc.net

641. IC-1COM 275H ALL MODE SALE BEST OFFER N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6bfaoptne1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154379

FOR SALE IC-ICOM 275H ALL MODE 100 WATTS GOOD CONDITION $1.000 OR BEST
OFFER CALL GABE AT
1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT

n1hhf@110.net

642. IC-1COM 275H ALL MODE SALE BEST OFFER N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6bfar8$t6d$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 154380

FOR SALE IC-ICOM 275H ALL MODE 100 WATTS GOOD CONDITION $1.000 OR BEST
OFFER CALL GABE AT
1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT

n1hhf@110.net

643. Kenwood TS-790A Tribander Allmode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980207010001.UAA21782@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154182

Hello and thanks for reading my posting..
I have a good Kenwood TS-790A Triband Allmode for sale.
It has 2 meter and 440 bands at this time but you can add the 1200mhz band.
It is FM, CW, USB and LSB.
Also has the CTCSS encode, decode chip installed, and will crossband repeat.
I have owned this rig for 5 Years and never talk sideband or use the sattelite
functions on it. It is just too much radio for what I need right now...
I paid $ 1,700.00 for it but am only asking !,300.00 and I pay shipping to you.
I think I would trade it for a BIG HF AMP like an Alpha or Commander 2500.
Thanks for reading this and Happy Hammin'
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock, AR

644. Dualbander--Icom, Kenwood, or Yaesu?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
Message-ID: <0560.199802062059.00DD5198@macgroup.org>
Source record: 154183

I am looking for a dual bander that can do crossband repeat and so I am looking at the TH-79A, the W32A, and the FT-51R. Both the Kenwood and Icom seem to be similarly priced right now, probably $100 less than the Yaesu. I wonder if any one has any comments. I understand the Icom has an automatic squelch, whatever that means, as well as a battery voltage indicator, which I like. I wonder how helpful that is in actual practice in telling when the Nicads get low. I understand the kenwood is being phased out, but I don't know why.

Bill
W8BC

645. FS Old radio catalogs, mags, manuals etc...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: we300b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980207020000.VAA20535@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154184

Extensive list of old radio catalogs, magazines, manuals and more from the 1920's to the 1950's. more to come.

http://members.aol.com/hipkat99/index.html

646. 8554b

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kensundberg@svic.net
Message-ID: <34dbc1a0.907945@news.svic.net>
Source record: 154185

WTB HP 8554B RF section for HP-141T, thanks Ken

647. FS:Yaesu FT-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980207034500.WAA18236@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154186

Beautiful Condition, one owner. 160-10M, incl WARC bands. 200 Watt SSB/CW. No scratchs/marks on Cabinet or Front Panel. New style relays.
Owners/Service/Parts manuals, Hand Mic. $525.00 shipped/insured Conus. Tnx es 73, Van.....W0NZV

Lincoln, NE
402-489-5165

648. FS: HTX-100 in Richmond, Virginia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: agentx@xyzerols.com
Message-ID: <34dbd966.1270585@news.erols.com>
Source record: 154187

Any offers from Virginia?

Eric
Remove "xyz" from e-mail address to respond.

649. 10M Beacon. How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gauger@dsuper.net
Message-ID: <34dbde46.3070923@news.dsuper.net>
Source record: 154188

Hi

With the arrival of a new solar cycle I have the temptation
to install a 5 to 10 watts beacon around 28.2 Mhz.
What is the typical setup for a 10 Meters beacon?
Is this available in a single box? How do you have build
yours. Where I can find the needed informations for this project.

Thanks for your collaboration.

Gilles Auger (VE2DRW)
gauger@dsuper.net

650. Re: Icom W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <6VRC.1213$nY6.2421336@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 154189

Damn how did you know I was going to ask that!!!

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

Adnan S. wrote in message ...
>Yes, it can. No hardware modification is necessary, you simply need to push
>and hold SQL and BAND, then power up the radio and hold SQL and BAND
buttons
>down for 5 seconds. All the segments on LCD will show, and radio will
>receive as far as it's PLL will lock. And yes, it will cover 800 and 900
>except the cellular band. To answer (somebody's) next question, no, it
>cannot be modified to receive cell frequencies!
>
>Adnan, Icom America
>
>
>Lou R. wrote in message <34dbb759.0@news.total.net>...
>>Can the Icom W32A be modified to RX up 900Mhz?
>>
>>
>>Lou R.
>>
>>
>
>

651. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-50 R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34DBF3EF.110B48DB@erols.com>
Source record: 154190

Can't tell us about it here.

Christ, one forsale conference is ok.

Steve

wizzy slackstone wrote:
>
> I have listed my Yaesu FT-50 R forsale at eBAY online aution. Please stop by
> and check out the details. I have a lot to offer along with this radio.
>
> http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/ebayISAPI?ViewItem&item=5394981
>
> If you have problems with this link please email.
>
> Thanks,
> -N3YLH
> Wizzy@brainwash.com

652. For Sale: GE Mast II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big_Red_One@Juno.com
Message-ID: <34dbf6fe.38483777@news.bright.net>
Source record: 154191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,oh.forsale,us.forsale.misc,us.forsale.d,misc.misc,us.misc

For Sale

GE Master II radios 144 to 160 Mhz.

Some have PL encode/decode 100.0/146.2

50 Watt transmit .5 uv or better receive. (ALL WILL BE CHECKED BEFORE

THEY LEAVE HERE THERE WILL BE NO DUDS).

Some may come tuned in the ham band as I have done this to a few to make

shure they work well there.

Currently on Goverment frequencies but tune to 2 meter ham verry easy.

Each package contains:

One radio.

One control cable.

One control head 8 channel.

One microphone.

One speaker.

One transmit/One recive ICOM without crystals.

One PL incode/decode board and hook switch as available.

If you buy 5 or more (limit 25 as that is all I have) you

will receive a compleat service manual.

The cost is 75 dollars plus shipping FIRM!

Crystals can be installed for one frequency tx/rx for 40 dollars.

You are responsible for any additional ICOMs and crystals as there

are not enough to do more. If you order the one channel installed

you must wait 4 to 6 weeks for me to order the crystals from my supplier

and them to ship them to me. The time can be shorter but the

supplier raises the price to me and I to you.

If you want to order your own crystals and install them your self

you can order them for 10 dollars each (20 dollars a pair 1 tx / 1 rx)

from:

Hy-Q International

1438 Cox Ave.

Erlanger KY. 41018

606-283-5000

COD or money orders only no credit.

DO NOT buy JAN or BOMAR crystals as they are shipped off frequency

and usualy fail within 6 months.

Any repeater mods you want are up to you to do.

All orders and shipping are to be handled through Rich KA8CMK at Big_Red_One@Juno.com

way he want's to do it.

Thank you for your time

Wayne L. Anderson

ka8hhw@ibm.net

653. Re: How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: todak@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6bhcjrfrg1@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 154192

Using a dual-band radio for crossband operation poses a legal problem when the remote radio transmits to your HT. When you transmit to the remote radio using an HT, you are OK because the remote radio is repeating your transmission and hence your callsign. However, when the remote radio repeats a transmission back to your HT, how does it ID? suppose you turn your HT off and yet the remote radio keeps on merrily transmitting any communications it receives? How then is it to transmit your callsign (since it is your radio being used under your station license it must transmit YOUR callsign at 10 minute intervals) ? You should get some sort of auto IDer on the remote radio before using it for crossband operation.
DE dave---KB8ZMS

654. Re: FSK w/ TS-450 or TS-850(?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger, W6VZV" <rogerjb@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34DC44DB.E1BBBFB8@ibm.net>
Source record: 154193

George Daniel wrote:
>
> I have a borrowed Kenwood TS-850. It is wired for AFSK on the rear ACC2
> connector. To be able to run the rig in FSK with the KAM TNC, or any other
> multimode, is a connection made from the TNC FSK line to the mic. input line
> on ACC2? The TS-850 manual only addresses using old RTTY rigs with the rig
> and not a newer TNC. Thanks for your reply.
>
> 73 and God bless,
> George, AB4KN

No. To run FSK you need a separate RCA connector from the
RTTY connector in the back of the rig to the TNC, which will
key the rig. Then FSK mode works on XMIT.

--
Roger J. Buffington
W6VZV

"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my
Grandfather...
Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

"When Ronald Reagan was President, Democrats complained that
the White House bought new china.
Now that Clinton is President, people are complaining that
China has bought the White House."

655. condor 16 eeprom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: de pater <p.haarlem@wxs.nl>
Message-ID: <34DC4665.6C4@wxs.nl>
Source record: 154194

Hello,
Who can programm a condor 16 eeprom,or who has the software for that
pleas email me

656. FOR SALE /TRADE COLLINS S-LINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "g.wayne medley" <gwmud@InfoAve.Net>
Message-ID: <34DC61C9.4BB3@InfoAve.Net>
Source record: 154195

32S-1/ 75S-1/312B-4 let me know what you have for trade or sell for
$1400.00

657. Re: Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan & Karen Witt <DAN-KAREN-WITT@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bhr9v$5nh@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154196

Hi Gang - I have a (sorta) similar question. I plan to keep my FT-50 continuously connected to 12 VDC in the car. It appears that any attached battery will be charged continously if I do this. So, decided to use the FBA15 battery case (without the batteries installed) to basically give me a "rear cover" for the radio.

However, does anyone feel the batteries act as a surge dampener, line filter, etc. and would I be risking damage if I connect to 12 VDC in car without a battery attached?

Thanks... Dan N3DW (Indianapolis area)

658. FS: Yaesu FL2100B Linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34DC6E78.D99C70C4@together.net>
Source record: 154197

Yaesu FL2100B Linear, in exec condition. Currently wired for 220V but
can be switched back to 110V. $450.00 + Shipping.

Tom
KB1CGA

659. Wanted: KAM Plus TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Miller <millerr@cot01.ferris.edu>
Message-ID: <34DC728F.45AA@cot01.ferris.edu>
Source record: 154198

Wanted, KAM Plus TNC new enough to do Pactor I.

e-mail me at millerr@cot01.ferris.edu

660. Wanted - nearly new multimode TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Snodgrass <donsno@texas.net>
Message-ID: <6bht9rnvb1@news3.texas.net>
Source record: 154199

Want to purchase a nearly new multimode TNC. Something like the KAM Plus or AEA DSP-232 would be ideal.

Don
KM5IC

>>

Don Snodgrass
8606 Connemara Drive
Fair Oaks Ranch, Texas 78015
(830) 981-2437
donsno@texas.net
http://lonestar.texas.net/~donsno

Director of Technical Support
Automated Legal Systems Inc.
tech@prodoc.com
http://www.prodoc.com

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661. Re: FS: Drake TR4C +AC4+MS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: palstar@erinet.com
Message-ID: <6bhtfl$m9s@eri.erinet.com>
Source record: 154200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

rcf@crosslink.net writes:
> This radio is a 9 out of 10. Full output.
> Best Offer

Is there a phone # I can use to talk to a live body about price.Call paul
at palstar@erinet.com or 1-937-773-6255 during the day. Thanks Paul
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

662. Re: IC-730 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jls <jls@tminet.com>
Message-ID: <34DC7D3B.220A56C@tminet.com>
Source record: 154201

Yes the 730 does have a good front end. It is amateur band only so you won't find it something that has been broadbanded to receive everything from dc to daylight. There is no AT model, there was never a built-in antenna tuner for this rig as well as any other rig of it's vintage (early 80's). I have had two of them and regret ever selling the first! For 80-10 plus WARC bands they make a great rig!

Jeff KG6UC

Steve G. wrote:

> I am considering buying the IC-730. Does this rig have a good front end?
> I've not seen a used one advertised with a built in autotuner. Did this
> come as an option? What's a good price for the IC-730, or preferablly
> IC-730/AT ??
>
> Thanks.

663. FS: Icom 745 HF Xcvr & PS-20 Spkr/Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980207154101.KAA21002@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154202

For Sale: Icom 745 HF transceiver and matching Icom PS-20 external Speaker/power supply. Includes HM-12 scanning hand held microphone and Icom manual. Have original boxes, single owner radio in very, very clean condition, non-smoker.

Asking $600 plus UPS shipping/insurance.

Call Dave, K2DP (St.Louis) at 314-862-5698 or e-mail.

73,
Dave
73,
Dave, K2DP
St.Louis

664. FS: Kenwood TK-340D User Programable UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Prescott <presco@NOSPAMaimhi.com>
Message-ID: <34dc8486.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 154203

For Sale:

1 Kenwood user programable UHF handy talkie
model TK-340D Good Condition. Needs (small) cover for programming contacts
on back of radio
Includes 3 ni-cad battery packspacks. Rapid charger, 2 rubber duck
antennas, owners manual
Still have box. You pay shipping.

$325 o.b.o.

Thanks,
Mike

presco@aimhi.com

665. FS KW Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34DC9372.51A6@hauns.com>
Source record: 154204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Kenwood YK-88C narrow CW filter, for 830,530,etc. Like new, $55 shipped.

666. Sources for hardware & supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Daniels <danielsm@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34DC9049.D13C477E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154205

Please drop me an email if you know of any sources (reproduction or new)
for early style brass or nickle plated binding posts (like RASCO-Radio
Specialty CO sold in the 1920's), enameled or double-silk wire, cats
-wiskers, galena or radiocite crystals.

I am working on reconstructing some early wireless and crystal radio
sets and am in need of some raw materials.

Kindest regards,

danielsm@ix.netcom.com

667. Yaesu FT-301D on WARC bands?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Gray <comm5@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34DC9C96.4BBCBD12@pacbell.net>
Source record: 154206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have the opportunity to pick up a Yaesu FT-301D HF rig at a very attractive price. My interests on HF include the 17 meter and 30 meter WARC bands.

The rig does have a "AUX" position on the band switch, and I would be (reluctantly) willing to give up 15 or 20 Meters. Also a JJY/WWV is on the band switch.

Anyone ever successfully get a FT-301D/S to work on 17M and 30 M? Just a mixer xtal change??

Any constructive input would be appreciated.

Thanks

Scott KD6CQ
comm5@pacbell.net

668. WANTED: DRAKE PS7 POWER SUPPLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dt <cslc82@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <6bi8qc$5dl@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154207

WANTED: Drake PS7 power supply (for TR7).

-OR- power transformer for same. (Does anyone have a PS7 they've parted out?)

Thanks....

Dan
KC0DE
cslc82@email.mot.com

669. Re: Trade - Kenwood TS430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: K9GCO <howerter@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6bif0iqdf1@news.tbcnet.com>
Source record: 154208

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Sold
K9GCO
K9GCO wrote in message <6b5v3k$t0d$1@news.tbcnet.com>...
>Would like to trade a Kenwood TS430S for a good laptop or camcorder.
>TS430 in excellent condition with FM module and widband AM filter
>
>--
>K9GCO
>
>
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670. Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <5Q1D.1454$nY6.2748086@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 154209

Any comments on the IC-32A? I'm looking for a good dualband HT. Yaesu is a bit on the pricey side with the 51R with a 5 watt pack and I don't care for Kenwood. Saw the modification for the 32A and what people were actually getting for transmit and receive.

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Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

671. Repeater Questions: Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mack <kf4mir@panama.c-com.net>
Message-ID: <01bd33f8$adb3f540$97835fcc@dialinxx.phoenix.net>
Source record: 154210

I am looking for some advice on setting up a repeater. I am in the Republic of Panama and we have three repeaters, two of which are pretty old. We have one that is located in Panama City and another that is located in Colon on the opposite side of the canal. I have been tasked by our ham club to set up a committee to replace some of our older gear. I need help!

The problem is this: We need at least a new controller on the Paciffic side and a new controller and repeater on the Atlantic side. I am not very familiar with some of the newer products and would value any advice I can get.

Some of the features we need in the controller is the ability to link the repeaters, patching capabilities (reverse and regular autopatch), messaging storage, and memory storage of emergency numbers. The repeaters should be continuous duty cycle and have methods for operation on backup power as we lose electricity regularly here during rainy season.

These repeaters are about the only reliable form of communications we have in this country, and we need to upgrade the older systems that we have. The controller we have on the Paciffic side was made in 86 and the one on the Atlantic side is even older than that, 81 I think.

I would like to say thanks in advance for any help and advice I can get on this!

Mack
HP1XBG
Fort Clayton, Republic of Panama

672. Yaesu FT900 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpoulin@honk.org
Message-ID: <886877856.1891958788@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154211

I have a friend who has an FT900. He asked me to post the following questions to this newsgroup.

1) His ANT connection on the back has continuity between the center and ground. Is this normal? This radio does have the built in tuner.

2) Does yours have continuity?

3) Does your FT900 get extremly warm even when operating with LOW Pwr in all bands?

Any responses would be appreciated.

Thank you

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

673. IC706 & D104 Silver eagle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpoulin@honk.org
Message-ID: <886878317.1908998151@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154212

Hello,

I have just purchased an IC706. I find that the stock mic is ok, but I really need to wire up a pre amplified desktop mic.

I do have a silver eagle that I can use, but these mics have a very high impedence.

Has anyone ever hooked up a D104 Desktop mic to an IC706 ?

I noticed that the ICOM Desktop mic for this radio is rather expensive.

Any ideas ?

Thanks

73's

James Poulin
VA3JPX

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

674. For Sale: Yaesu FT-8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam B.Repsher" <abrep@csrlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DCB785.E1E4FD0E@csrlink.net>
Source record: 154213

Hello,

I have a Yaesu FT-8000 for sale. Original packaging and manual. The Tone Decode board was installed with the radio as new. No cosmetic blemishes, and I am a non smoker. Was used for 5 months. I just need some cash towards an FT-990.

I would like to get $375 considering the tone board and good condition... ...but e-mail me and we will discuss price.

thanks -- Adam
abrep@csrlink.net

675. ICOM 706MKII Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Jellicoe <gstar@vzinet.com>
Message-ID: <34DCB799.C9C60C22@vzinet.com>
Source record: 154214

I am planning to buy an ICOM IC706MKII for my father for his birthday. Since I know little about ham radio's I am asking the group for some help here.

I understand that the radio will need two antenna's, one for 144mhz and one for 50mhz and hf bands. What is a good antenna for the 50/hf bands, I would like to get something really small so he can drive into his garage.

Do I need to get the AT180 antenna tuner, if so then what type of antenna to I need for that??

What other options do I need to make this a complete mobile package so my dad does not need to buy anything eles??

Any help with this would be helpfull

Richard

676. FS GE MPA UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34DCB97C.7C98@pacbell.net>
Source record: 154215

I have for sale a GE MPA SYSTEM uhf ht.It covers 440 to 470 mhz,and is presently on the ham band.It has an alpha display and a full key pad,190 channels,pl,dpl,scan,dtmf and etc.Radio,high capacity battery,antenna and desk charger.$375
AL

677. Yeasu FT-50RD mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sz@bigfoot.COM
Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19980207135510.0080a280@mail.eecs.uic.edu>
Source record: 154216

Hi!

Thanks to all that helped me selecting a HT. I finally bought the FT-50RD.
The serial number starts with 7I210.. Can I perform all mods with this
model as described for the older 6... models?

TIA
Sebastian

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PGP key: ID 0xBCE296A9 FP 18D7 C201 EE79 2CB6 0F30 26C7 FD7D EBB9
get public key!
http://keys.pgp.com:11371/pks/lookup?op=get&search=0xBCE296A9

678. GP110/GM300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew S. Mayfield" <msmay@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <34DCC851.B0A38E67@ricochet.net>
Source record: 154217

Anyone have a pinout for the Speaker/mic connector for the Motorola
Raduis GP110/GP300??????

Thanks Matt
N7XPI

679. FS: PDC 600 SWR/Power/Mod Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6bijml$34r@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 154218

Hello. I have a PDC 600 meter for sale at $55 shipped. The meter has only been moderately used and is in excellent condition. Please e-mail if interested. Trades considered. Here's all of the information on it:

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-mobile/base meter
-25-30 MHz (CB and 10m)
-3 separate meters
-SWR/RF power/modulation
-1000 watts power handling
-10/100/1000 power settings
-50 Ohm Impedence
-SWR/Modulation setting
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Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW

680. Classic radio gear for sale by an ex- radio nut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jon B." <j-a-b@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bd340f08322620dcbe4ac7@bachrach.nec>
Source record: 154219
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

I've been out of radio for many years, and it's time to sell all my old treasures.
For Sale:

* Complete Yaesu FT-101E station, with extra 11 meter mod, AM filter, FV-101B external VFO, and YC-601 Freq Counter. All is perfect except the counter stopped working for some reason.

* Yaesu and Standard 450MHz business band tranceivers, with CTCSS boards.

* Ritron Responder 10 watt VHF repeater with factory phone patch and handheld radio w/ dtmf pad.

* 2 Johnson Viking Rangers, with PTT. One is completely rebuilt and very trick.

* Johnson Courier KW amp for the Ranger.

*** For enough money, I might part with my vicious Johnson Viking Valiant or my Johnson Viking 500!

* National NC-300 receiver.

* Collins 390A receiver.

* Golden Falcon 400 mobile amp- custom flip-top case, backlit panel meter, etc.

** 2 classic Hy-Gain "Footlocker" mobile amps, one with custom remote control head.

* Nice, short equip rack for above with military slide-out drawer slides.

* Miscellaneous old radio gear like Johnson transceiver tester, Diawa CN-720B pwr/swr meter, some Johnson parts, etc.

* 2 very nice Panasonic 49 MHz 2-line cordless telephones with speakerphone, speed-dial, etc.

** Cobra 148GTL with DigiScan unit, Cobra 129LTD.

I'm in the San Fernando Valley (Los Angeles), California area.

Email: j-a-b@usa.net

681. WTB: UNiden HR2510 or HR2600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7sf@usa.net
Message-ID: <34dcd285.552428@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 154220

Looking for good 2510 or 2600 for 10m..
anyone got one at a decent price..

682. FS: Icom 745

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7sf@usa.net
Message-ID: <34dcd2b2.597763@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 154221

I have a very nice condition Icom 745 HF rig.

very good condition..

Not sure what to sell it for.. I saw one at HRO about 3 months ago for $629.

I'll take less than that..

683. ***USED BASE HF RADIO WANTED***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6bikce$4sb@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 154222

Hello. I�m interested in getting a used base HF radio. Not looking to spend a lot, but I got some to spend. Please e-mail with model number and make, features, any mods, condition, and how much you want for it. Here�s mainly what I�m interested in in one:

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-100 or more watts
-VFO tuning knob
-all mode (am/fm/cw/ssb)
-160m-10m coverage
-volume, squelch, NB, etc.
-general coverage receive would be a plus

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW
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684. RF-tubes 3Q5, 1LN5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gsellmann <peter-gsellmann@nonet.at>
Message-ID: <ixuamwqmuymeurefsurcgo.pminews@peter>
Source record: 154223
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi!
Anyone knows a replacement type for this 2 types of RF-tubes ?
(I need them for a _very_ old battery powered radio receiver.)
Preferably an european type, as so the chance is better
of finding it in a store. (type code begins with 2 letters.)

If you have this info, or data sheets about them,
please e-mail to the address BELOW.
Many thanks, Peter

---- address is: peter MINUS gsellmann AT eunet DOT at ----

685. Re: Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4frp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980207220800.RAA16576@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154224

NO, I think you should be fine. I have a FT-530, and it comes with a bottom cover for use in a car. Also, with mine check your book on this, I can put the alkiline pack on and it will not get charged. That way I have my mobile radio and a HT ready to go. This is the same with many radios I have come across. Feel free to ask me if you have anymore questions

Brian, kf4frp

686. Update WA8PHD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: lou albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <34DCDC31.DB50B7A7@uakron.edu>
Source record: 154225

http://lek.net/~byron/lou/n8pid.htm
Updated
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Lou Albert (WA8PHD), Voice - 330-864-0650
I-Phone - lalbert@InternetPhone.com
http://lek.net/~byron/lou/
http://www.f-stopcamera.com/

687. IC-471H PARTS RADIO SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: GBENKO@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <01bd3415$b81b5b00$1b389cd1@default>
Source record: 154226

The IC-471H parts radio is sold. Thank for all the responses.

73, George K8BRW

688. Re: What should I buy first?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: millerm@merle.acns.nwu.edu
Message-ID: <6bim7s$dgr@news.acns.nwu.edu>
Source record: 154227

Which one? Do you have a particular model in mind? Or do you mean
homebrew? I'm kind of interested!
In article <34D7CF7D.27AE8494@scott.net>, mmerk@scott.net says...
>
>If I could have only one radio, it would be a 20 meter CW only QRP r
>ig with a
>real good receiver.
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>Ace wrote:
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>> I am preparing for my first radio purchase. From a perspective of
>someone
>> who is trying to learn, but is also fairly technical, which radio
>do I buy
>> first? There are so many to choose from!
>>
>> If I had to choose between a Yaesu HT 50 or a 51, which would be b
>etter?
>>
>> Any help would be appreciated. I really want to get on the air.
>>
>> Shaun McCabe
>> KC7VYF
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Michael L Miller
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL. USA
millerm@merle.acns.nwu.edu

689. FS: Kenwood TH-78A Dualband handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <davemc@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34DCE348.B6C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 154228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood DualBand (144/440MHz) TH-78A with accessories:

Comet CH-72S 1/4-5/8 wave Duckie
W&W 7.2V 1500mAh Battery & charger
Kenwood PB-13 7.2V 700mAh Battery & Charger
ME-1 100 location Memory Unit
SMC-33 Mic.
PG-3H Cig adapter
Dualband Mag. Mount Antenna for Auto.
Extened Tx&Rx Mods made
All manuals & schematics
Some minor nicks and marks from average use.
$275 firm (incl. UPS 2day ground)

DaveMc

690. FS; Kenwood 2m HT & TS520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad T. Harrington" <cth@itsnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd341e$241aa0b0$625829c0@capstone>
Source record: 154229

For sale:

Kenwood TS-520 HF Rig $200
Kenwood TH-27 2m handheld $175
Packet Station $100
2m 25W Crystal base station
PK - 88 TNC

Chad Harrington
Please email responses to
harrc@byu.edu
(801)358-0171

691. Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: e-boxholder@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6bipkf$57m$1@newsd-144.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 154230

Hi All,

I just passed the Novice test today and I was wondering if some of you would give me some input / info. / advice on rigs and ARRL books.

Rigs --
I would like to get some info. on QRP rigs and how to adapt them for backpacking. Info on kits / plans for transceivers, baluns, antenna tuners, antennas, keyers, etc. for the backpacker would be great. Anyone know of any good books or clubs?

I hope to upgrade to Tech. Plus next month. So, what would be a good, **_tough_** , light-weight, 2m or 2m / 440 HT that I could use for backpacking. If you have any suggestions on what features & options I should look for, please let me know.

Books --
I have an ARRL catalog and noticed that they have several different booksfor certain topics (2 books on QRP, several books on antennas, several books on ham radio for the beginner, etc). I can't afford them all. :-(I would like to correspond with someone, via e-mail, who knows the content of some of these books and who might be able to tell me what books are the most comprehensive, what books would be good for beginner, intermediate, and advanced hobbyist, etc. That way, I won't get something that is over my head and I won't have two or three books that say the same thing two or three ways.

Feel free to e-mail me or post a reply if you can help me out.

Thanks in advance,

-- Chuck (waiting for my callsign)

692. Yaesu FRG7700, FM & Squelch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: d.smith3@ukonline.co.uk
Message-ID: <34e2f469.840088@news.ukonline.co.uk>
Source record: 154231

Wanted Either a circuit diagram to make a squelch
circuit for the FRG7700 or an FM mod or a board
any info on this reciever would be greatly appreciated
Thanks
And Happy New Year
Dave

693. WTB: KENWOOD IF-232C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net>
Message-ID: <34dcd8e6.0@198.164.187.20>
Source record: 154232

Anyone have one of these forsale? Rick, VE9HF.

694. Re: RF-tubes 3Q5, 1LN5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ard@p850ug1.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <6birjt$1ri@p850ug1.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154233
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Peter Gsellmann (peter-gsellmann@nonet.at) wrote:
: Hi!
: Anyone knows a replacement type for this 2 types of RF-tubes ?
: (I need them for a _very_ old battery powered radio receiver.)
: Preferably an european type, as so the chance is better
: of finding it in a store. (type code begins with 2 letters.)

The 3Q5 is equivalent to the DL33. It's an audio output pentode with an international octal base. The pinout is :
1 N/C
2 heater
3 anode (plate)
4 Screen Grid (g2)
5 Control Grid (g1)
6 N/C
7 heater
8 heater tap/cathode

I can find no European equivalnent for the 1LN5. It's similar to the 1LC5, 1LG5, CV777 and CV781, though.

It's an RF pentode on a B8B (Loctal) base. I have a single line of data in the manual for my valve tester, as follows :

Pinout :
1 heater+
2 anode
3 screen grid (g2)
4 cathode
5 heater -
6 control grid
7 N/C
8 heater -

It's _possible_ that pins 5 and 8 are the ends of the heater, and pin 1 is a centre tap. I don't think so, though

The test data is :
Heater voltage 1.4V
Anode voltage 90V
Screen voltage 90V
Anode Current, 1.6mA at 0V on the control grid
Mutual Conductance 0.8 mA/V

: Many thanks, Peter

-tony

695. VX-1 Antenna Recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Stephen Zajac" <szajac@prismnetwork.com>
Message-ID: <34DCF643.C51507D0@prismnetwork.com>
Source record: 154234

I recommendations for an aftermarket antenna for this radio. Looking for wide band receive. Would perfer a "stubby duck" model that is better that the stock antenna.

Any suggestions would be appreciated.

73,

KB2EFK

696. wanted.mod for Icom Ic-3230h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Gross <RPGross@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bivp5$n4j@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154235

Tnx for reading this msg.
I am looking for the wide band mods for the Icom IC-3230H dual band
mobile.
Thanks much...

Bob Gross

697. FS: Alinco DR-130T Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg4032@aol.com
Message-ID: <886903464.632750083@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For Sale:
Alinco DR-130T VHF 50W Mobile
RX/TX 136.000MHz ~ 173.995MHz
Like new condition with box, manuals, mobile bracket,
and DC cable.
$180.00 shipped
Reply to: Greg4032@aol.com

--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet
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698. Need info on Kenwood TH-K7 for Russian friend...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx60@juno.com
Message-ID: <34DD1DDF.1F24@juno.com>
Source record: 154237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Hello all,

I have a friend in Russia, UA0ZC (Valery Makarov) who has
acquired a Kenwood TH-7K radio, but is lacking the instruction and
spec sheets for it.

Does anyone have one they could copy?

Also, he is seeking a gain antenna for it (rubber duck
style) - I have seen 2.5 db gain antennas from Larson
for such 144/440 radios. Any ideas? Anyone have one
for sale I could send him?

Any help appreciated - he is in a remote village of the
Kamchatka peninsula and has almost no access to such
things.

Many thanks,

Dave WB7AWK
Tacoma, WA USA

699. FS: Collins Mechanical Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill & Suzie Whatley <spud@verinet.com>
Message-ID: <6bj8qd$2v0$1@cactus.verinet.com>
Source record: 154238

Collins Filters:

F 455 Y 21 11 V 2 sn 526 9337 00

F 455 FC 60 6832 sn 526 9522 001

Both tested and within specs.

asking 75 for both.

(970) 407-6545
spud@verinet.com

700. FS: VHF GLB-300 Synthesizer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave <spamdazan@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <34DD3944.3E17@teleport.com>
Source record: 154239

In good working condx with manual. right now setup for use with
a VHF Motorola Mocom 70. $75.00 dave.n7da

If interested, please reply to dazan@teleport.com

701. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DD26A3.E6A28E9D@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Nope! HE MEANT a Heathkit TWOER....an AM only 2mtr radio from the 60s!

NOT tower......(There are radios you dont know about...dont assume
anything about what someone says in the ham NGs...especially those
who have been licensed longer than you)

Chris
WB5ITT

AC wrote:
>
> Brian Carling wrote in message <34d5b868.5301686@news.mnsinc.com>...
> >For some reason, around Mon, 02 Feb 1998 07:59:44 -0700, Gary Wood
> ><docky@earthlink.net> wrote:
> >
> >>lots of ham stuff for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky Heathkit
> >>Collector site. ant tuner, active ant., cw,ssb,am, filter and lots more
> >>including a TWOER
> >
> >And EVERY ham needs a TWOER (grin!)
> >
> Like you don't know that means TOWER.....

702. Re: Dualbander--Icom, Kenwood, or Yaesu?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6bjm5m$b2f@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 154241

Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG (Bill Combs) writes:
>I understand the Icom has an automatic
>squelch, whatever that means, as well as a battery voltage indicator, which I
>like. I wonder how helpful that is in actual practice in telling when the
>Nicads get low.

If you watch the battery voltage frequently and learn its pattern, you
will eventually have a pretty good idea of how much charge is left in
the battery. I think this is quite valuable. On my FT-50, I usually
have the right side of the display showing battery voltage continuously.

You can't do that with the FT-51. However, it *will* read battery
voltage with two keystrokes plus possibly turning the knob. So you
can still check voltage.

I don't know how the Icom compares.

Dave

703. WTD: nonworking 6m ssb gear (swan,drke,health etc.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bi3bm$3oq$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for old 6m ssb for restoration projects.
rich

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

704. WTD: siltronix radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6bi45b$42l$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

looking for old siltronix 1011 radios both in working and nonworking condition

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

705. W:mods fr Kenwood TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ht <tournier@iprolink.ch>
Message-ID: <34db8e3b.0@news.iprolink.ch>
Source record: 154328

Need mods for new Kenwood TH-G71 or indications on how to obtain them.

Thanks.

HB9IBG,Hippolyte.

706. KI0DZ SWAPS PAGE Updated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki0dz@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980206.170953.6670.0.ki0dz@juno.com>
Source record: 154329

The past couple of days' activity concerning online swaps enabled me
to update my Online Swaps page. In the process I was able to check on
links already listed to ensure that they were still current. Two days
ago my page had 11 links to online swaps. Today it has 15.
ALSO, I have made my page more readable by listing each link by NAME
instead of ADDRESS (which tends to look messy).
In addition to links to online swaps I also list one REFLECTOR and two
USENET groups that enable amateur radio operators to buy and sell used
equipment on their own.
Thanks to everyone who e-mailed me with their list of favorite swap
places. Without folks suggesting links, my page would NOT be what it is
today.
Feel free to drop by and see the improvements. Most of all, please
use the page when you are "in the market". My general qsl.net address is
listed in my sig file. Or you may go directly to the swaps page at
http://www.qsl.net/ki0dz/swaps.htm .
73,
Mary-Frances

Mary-Frances R. Bartels KI0DZ DM79lt Denver CO (((#))) ^ ^
http://www.qsl.net/ki0dz ki0dz@juno.com | ^ - ^
Watkins products Rep. #92389 ------- (o o)
** Beyond Infinity - scanning & WWW develop. ** |ooOoo| >{ | }<
http://www.freeyellow.com/members/beyond-infinity ------- RRR)*

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You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

707. Re: motorola software needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John McLellan <mac@skynet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <34dbb11c.0@ispc-news.cableinet.net>
Source record: 154330

boerner wrote in message ...
>I'm looking for software for the Motorola p-110 h-t radios. I would like a
>copy if any body can help.
> Thanks
>Ed
>E-mail me at BOERNER@ptd.net
>
>I am also looking for software for the P-110 and a source in the UK for
batteries and a charger for the same radio.Anyone who can help please e-mail
g7vln@qsl.net

708. FS:HP 8656A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jin lee <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34DE5110.5911@pacbell.net>
Source record: 154082

Hi all.
I have a for sale HP 8656A siganal generator. $950 Plus UPS.
714 441 1002
Thanks, Jin KB6LUE

709. Re: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Smavatkul" <username@ricochet.net.net>
Message-ID: <6bludo$p0q$1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 154083

I bought one on Saturday and I was gonna post some report here.

I don't like the finish of the radio. It looks cheap...cheapest of all ICOM radio has been made. The radio is construct using CNC billet aluminum.
Ni-MH is standard. The one I have is 6.0V 700mAh. Very thin battery.
The unit is smaller compare to the IC-T7A but the antenna is way too long. The radio is 4" tall but the antenna is 8" and not flexible enough to carry around on your belt.
They will not have the high power version out until next 3-4 weeks. The standard battery only give out 2 Watts. Sensitivity is good in all bands. Scan speed is the same as IC-T7A. Most functions perform exactly as the IC-T7A.

HERE IS THE NICE PART...

Press moni + band while power up the radio gives access to air band, 300 MHz, and 800 MHz. Instead of 50, 76, 144, 440 band, we get 50, 76, 118, 144, 300, 440, 800 band. Cellular image can be heard CLEAR at around 795-825 MHz.
The unit also have 30 kHz step.
I don't have time to take the radio apart so I don't have mod for out of band for now. I'll post more later.

Hope this helps

Chad KF6OYK

Lee Phillips wrote in message <6blqgt$53c$1@usenet52.supernews.com>...
>any one had hands on experience with this new radio?? would like to know
>details if possible. thanks, N5QBJ
>
>

710. WTB: Decibel 224 or 228 Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Cole , Kathy, Claire" <kc5swi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34DE8224.8AE89DB8@flash.net>
Source record: 154084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

Still looking for a db 224 or db228 in the 2 meter band, for a repeater antenna.

Please e-mail responses.....oh, and if you want to sell one, but don't want to help arrange shipping, don't respond! I had several responses before like "its at the location, don't know how you would get it to a shipper"!!
Cole
kc5swi@flash.net

711. Icom 756 Service Manual??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34de82af.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 154085

I own an Icom 756 Radio. I often hear about Service Manual that you can get for your radio.

What exactly will a Service manual do for me and is it worth having?

lour@total.net

Lou R.

712. Re: Icom 756 Service Manual??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34de83b5.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 154086

Lou R. wrote in message ...
>I own an Icom 756 Radio. I often hear about Service Manual that you can
get
>for your radio.
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>
>What exactly will a Service manual do for me and is it worth having?
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>
>lour@total.net
>
>Lou R.
>
>

713. FS DX70TH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <6bm03b$8tf$1@news.netusa1.net>
Source record: 154087

I have a Alinco DX70TH purchase 11 /20/96, In very good
condition. Has been mobile but keeped covered, Comet antenna
and HF/ 6 Meter duplex. Comet ant. covers 7,21,28,50 and 144
MHz. I also have a 3 month old 4 magnet mount for antenna.

Sell to buy Laptop computer.....

Purchased Price

Radio $939.00
Ant $119.00
Duplexer $57.00
Mag Mount and Base $89.00

Make Offer or trade on Laptop with CDROM

Carl Walthall 765-453-5239 Home
765-451-5347 Work
n3qom@netusa1.net
cwalthal@eng.delcoelect.com Days

714. Re: KENWOOD 440 - PLL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34DE89AA.71AE@onramp.net>
Source record: 154088

KB5DMT@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> I'M TOLD THERE IS A PLL PROBLEM WITH THE 440 PLL DECK SOMETIMES THEY
> REPLACE THREE DIODES OTHERS THEY REPLACE THE ENTIRE BOARD....ANY
> INSIGHTS ON THIS WOULD BE HELPFUL......
>
> THANKS, 73's
>
> LH

Don't shout, but neither is correct. If you have a 440 tell me the
symptoms and I will tell you the probable fix...
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

715. Re: Icom 756 Service Manual??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34DE8A0A.2FF8@onramp.net>
Source record: 154089

Lou R. wrote:
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> Lou R. wrote in message ...
> >I own an Icom 756 Radio. I often hear about Service Manual that you can
> get
> >for your radio.
> >
> >
> >What exactly will a Service manual do for me and is it worth having?
> >
> >
> >lour@total.net
> >
> >Lou R.
> >
> >

If you don't know what it is it won't help..
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

716. Re: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim - KD6DX <sakane@wco.com>
Message-ID: <6bm6j8$p1h$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 154090

Chad, stay in touch. I'm interested in the Icom IC-T8A because of the 6 meter band. Also, will the Tri-Bander receive down in the 42 Mhz range ?
E-Mail me at: sakane@wco.com

Jim Sakane - KD6DX
Transmitter hunting
http://www.wco.com/~sakane/t-hunt.html

C. Smavatkul wrote in message <6bludo$p0q$1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>...
>I bought one on Saturday and I was gonna post some report here.

>
>Chad KF6OYK

717. Kenwood TH-205

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rexstout@ptld.uswest.net
Message-ID: <rexstout-0802981048340001@adialup41.ptld.uswest.net>
Source record: 154091
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

After assuming my TH-205 was dead(and before I can get my license! ARGGHH! Soon, though...) for a few months, I just dug it out and was playing with it. Well, no battery(although I do have the auto adapter and it works well with 9V's and the batt pack from my Pro-60) and no sounds. At least I got a good antenna out of the deal($35). But wait! The sounds is almost back! Still somehwat sporadic, but I THINK I have it tracked. OK, when you take the cover off, you stare at four switches/pots. When I tapped on the low/high power switch, the sound suddenly came back(and loud, since volume was all the way up)! OK, on to the questions.
First, why would that switch make the sound go away?
Second, how do I fix it(permament fix)? Does it just need a good cleaning(if so, how do you clean such a small boxed in switch?), or should I replace it(where do I find a replacement part)?
Third, where is a cheap source for the newer rubber PTT switch cover, and a battery?
TIA

-JR http://members.tripod.com/~jrollins/index.html - Computers
http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Lair/1681/ - Star Trek

718. WTB KNWD SMC-25 mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: REAMSNYD@VAX.CS.HSCSYR.EDU
Message-ID: <01ITC9IW7JPE8YDYM7@VAX.CS.HSCSYR.EDU>
Source record: 154092

I am looking for a Kenwood SMC-25 for the Kennwood TM-2500 HT. If you have one to sell or know where I might find one, please contact Dave -N2OVB at:
Home BBS: n2ovb@n2ubh.#cny.ny.usa.noam or at:
Internet E-Mail: daver@bbs.delta.com

Thanks - Best 73!

719. WTB Knwd SMC-25 correction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: REAMSNYD@VAX.CS.HSCSYR.EDU
Message-ID: <01ITC9NB7W3C8YDYM7@VAX.CS.HSCSYR.EDU>
Source record: 154093

The mike is for the Kenwood TR-2500 HT. THanks!

720. Re: Dualbander--Icom, Kenwood, or Yaesu?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn Frasier <gf1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <0A37ECDC1266E3BB.74AB97B7B7F52CC5.EAE583F6514BEBDD@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 154094

Bill Combs wrote in message <0560.199802062059.00DD5198@macgroup.org>...
>I am looking for a dual bander that can do crossband repeat and so I am
>looking at the TH-79A, the W32A, and the FT-51R. Both the Kenwood and Icom
>seem to be similarly priced right now, probably $100 less than the Yaesu. I
>wonder if any one has any comments. I understand the Icom has an automatic
>squelch, whatever that means, as well as a battery voltage indicator, which
I
>like. I wonder how helpful that is in actual practice in telling when the
>Nicads get low. I understand the kenwood is being phased out, but I don't
>know why.
>

I have had a FT-51R for a few weeks now and like it much better than the
others mentioned. I have not had much time with the TH-79A but have used
one for a while, The W32A is a good radio but I can't use it all day like
the FT-51R. I have the 9.6v 600mah battery and it lasted 8 hours with about
15 min TX on L3(the setting below HI). It also has the voltage meter and I
have found it to be worth it's weight in Gold. When it reads in the 9.9-9.7
range I know it will give out in about an hour with on TX, or in just a few
mins. with TX. The Ft-51R has x-band repeat but I have not used it. I
generally use the mobile rig to x-band(Yaesu FT-8100R).

You wont go wrong with any of the three. You can save a little money but in
my opinion at loss of TX time. Also the FT-51Rfeels the best in my hand.
This is only my opinion but I liked it the best.

hope this helps.
Glenn Frasier
gf1@airmail.net

721. F.S. HAM II rotor and control box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Ash <tomcat@whidbey.net>
Message-ID: <34DE1AA9.321D46CB@whidbey.net>
Source record: 154095

I have a HAM II rotor, control box and about 75 to 100 feet
of 8 conductor control cable for sale.

The rotor is in perfect condition - just completely rebuilt
- on a scale of 1 to 10 it is a 10
The control box is between a 9 and 10.

200 dollars plus shipping - if you pick it up I will give
you a crushcraft A4S with 40 meter add on. The A4S is in
good condition.

All the above have the original manuals.

Tom KF7ST

722. I sell Big aplifier end Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6bjio3$33v@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 154096
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
Ampli Collins 208U10, autotuning 2-30 Mhz, 10 Kw continues, with exciter Redifon/Harris.
4 Antennas Log periodic 2-30 Mhz 10-50 kw.
I have cable, connectrors, end more.
They take an interest you write me.

723. Re: decreasing power level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lar01@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <34de3000.34174609@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 154097
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

On 8 Feb 1998 06:04:33 GMT, "N1rsq" <kimo9@idt.net> wrote:

>hears one that stumps everyone ive asked. i have a dual bander that on one
>side of the band shows a steady rf power reading. 25 watts
> on the other edge it will start at around 15 and slowly fall to about 8
>watts on a dead key. this happens on uhf BUT not on vhf
> ANY ideas on what to do to fix this
> thanx DON N1RSQ

If it is a new radio, I would take it back to the dealer.

If it is a used radio, it looks like someone got into it and started
tweeking. Maybe that is why they sold it.

Unless you are familiar with the radio, I would suggest taking it to a
local, dependable, dealer and consider the realignment costs as part
of the purchasing cost.

Larry ve3fxq

724. operational manual for (Relm...WHS150) prog. two way radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lamor1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208165201.LAA22642@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154132

I am looking for a operational manual for a two way radio. Relm WHS150. My friend would like to put in channels himself. However the radio stores want only they to put in the channels. It can be program, but I cant figure it out. I ask for help, just to walk it through with me. thanks......Mtn2ride @ aol. com.

725. WTB: HEATH SA2500 ANTENNA TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: GBENKO@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <01bd34b4$5177b840$8f389cd1@default>
Source record: 154133

I am looking for a Heath SA-2500 antenna tuner. Need not be working.

Please give condition and asking price.

Reply via EMAIL to GBENKO@Prodigy.net

73, George
K8BRW

726. Re: IC-775DSP or FT-1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bkq8ojli1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 154134

They are both great rigs. I own the FT1000MP. I went to AES in Milwaukee and tried both rigs on the same antenna, etc. I was willing to spend the extra dollars if I felt the IC775 was a better rig, but I felt that was not the case. I would have bought the FT1000MP even if they were the same price. They both have very good receivers. Early Icom 775's had IMD problems in their receivers - AES had FOUR of them sent back that they were trying to sell as demos when I was there spring 1997. The FT1000MP was designed to have a very high second order IMD intercept point which QST confirmed in their review of the rig. It was about 30db better than the IC775 in this respect. This may be important to you with all the high power sw stations over in your part of the world. I like the filter bandwidth selection setup on the FT1000MP much better than the IC775 which has three itty bitty buttons on the upper right side of the radio to do it. The FT1000MP has a separate s meter for each receiver, which the IC775 does not. The 100 versus 200 watt power rating makes no difference to me because I have an amplifier if I need more power. Going from 100 to 200 watts alone will make virtually no difference on the other end. Both rigs have plenty of sockets for optional filters. A lot of world class dx stations including ON4UN are now using the FT1000MP also. I am sure you will get a lot of opinions about this. My suggestion - buy an FT1000MP and an Ameritron AL80B for about the same price as the IC775.
Good luck. ---- Steve N9ROU
Markus Billeter wrote in message
<6bkhr8$dao2@news-sol-int.swissonline.ch>...
>Hi!
>
>I just got the CEPT-License 1 and I'm looking now for a HF-Transceiver.
I've
>heard and informed me abt the two trx ICOM IC-775dsp and YAESU ft-1000mp.
>
>The only difference I can see is the output power and the price!!! Are
these
>1000$ more for the 775dsp worth??
>
>What are the differences? Is the receiver of 775dsp better??
>
>Are 200 Watts (775dsp) useful or are 100 Watts enough?
>
>Thank you very much for answer.
>
>Are there internet sites comparing these two devices?
>
>vy 73 de HB9DNA, Markus (Switzerland)
>

>

727. **FOR SALE Spe/Analyzer AvcomPSA-35A and Test set 1470 Wavetek**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: andrewdart <andrewdart@wwdc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd34b7$67349240$8584c8cf@WWDC.wwdc.com>
Source record: 154135

1.Avcom Portable Spectrum Analyzer PSA-35A
For sale ****** $750 USA Wg Condition /new $1990/

2.Wavetek Satellite Receiver Test Set model 1470
********* 850$ Very Good Shape /new3100$/

Specification:
Avcom Portable Spectrum Analyzer PSA-35A
RF input 10-1750 Mhz
RF input 3.7-4.2 Ghz
LNA/BDC PWR +18VDC on RF Inputs
Referance Level 0-(-40)dBm
5-slide band select 0-500,270-770,950-1450,1250-1750,3700-4200
6-Preset frequency band
span 0-50 MHz/DIV
scale dB/DIV 2db and 10 dB
Line and Bat operat

Frequency Coverage 10-1750 MHz 3.7-4.2 GHz
Basic enough to begin with - sophisticated enough to grow with .
Ku and C band compatible
Built-in DC Block and Power for LNA's and LNB's
Accurately measures wideband signals commonly used in the satellite
communications industry
Lightweight (17lbs.) and Portable - Ideal for Test Situations
Rugged, Attractive Styling
Made in the U.S.A.
New Priced
at /$1,965.00/in http://www.fotronic.com/avcom/psa-35aspecanal.htm.

Troubleshoot system problems by observing output signals from LNA's,
BDC's, Line Amplifiers and Splitters, and other RF signals components.
Measure block system signals balance.
Identify and resolve terrestrial interference problems quickly
and precisely by displaying offending signals on the PSA-35A.
Customers can be shown the nature of TI problems for clearer understanding.
Measure and document satellite communication system performance after
installation or service. Customer should be given a copy of results per
AVCOM'S SASAR (Spectrum Analyzer System Analysis Report) to insure
customer confidence and satisfaction.

Progressive Satellite Communication Dealers, Repair Centers,
and Manufacturers will find AVCOM'S PSA-35A Spectrum Analyzer
to be an indispensible instrument for rapid testing and alignment
of satellite equipment. Problems that might otherwise take hours,
even days to resolve, can be identified and corrected in minutes,

saving time and money, while reinforcing customer good will.
An AVCOM Spectrum Analyzer will pay for itself quickly.
My price **** $950 USA

Specification : Wavetek 1470 Satellite Receiver Test Set**

Wavetek Satellite Receiver Test Set model 1470
Subcarrier frequency 0-9.999 MHZ /A,B/
Audio Pre-emphasis off,25-75 us /A,B/
Audio Modulation (Hz) 400,1K,1,5K, ext,int (A,B)
Subcarrier Select off,A,B,Disc,Mtrx
Output Level (dBm/75ohms) 0-70 and 0-10calibr
Mode(Video or Sweep), Center Frequency (45-95)
Sweep Width
Markers (on-off) A,B,C,D,E
Video -(Source-Ext,Int)(Chroma on,off)(Dispersion on,off)

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728. ALINCO DJ-480T (2) NEW F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208174301.MAA19028@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154136

FOR SALE 2 ALINCO DJ-480T UHF HT'S. THESE ARE LIKE BRAND NEW IN BOX WITH FACTORY SEALED CHARGERS, BATTERIES. INSTR. BOOK & ANTENNAS ARE STILL FACTORY SEALED UNOPENED. PL ECN/DEC. DTMF KEYPAD, HEAD UNITS WERE MOD FOR 420-470 TX/RX NEVER USED OTHERWISE. MINT COND NO MARKS OR SCRATCHES. ASKING $390 FOR THE PAIR DELIVERED C.O.D. LOWER 48. E-MAIL DIRTMEAT@AOL.COM IF INTERESTED. (10ch 2W BATT)

729. IC-706 for Marine HF SSB?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Unterweiser <Xmind_games@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DDF0C0.1E79@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154137

I'm seriously considering buying either a used IC-706 or the new MkII to be installed on my sailboat. Something I was told (more than once) was that the IC-706 can be "programmed" to transmit outside the Ham bands... Since space and money are always a consideration, the thought of having a xcvr capable of transmitting on one of the marine emergency or USCG freqs -during times of emergency- is very attractive.

My question is this... how do I "program" the 706 to transmit on say 2182 kHz?

Paul

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To reply, remove "x" from address.
Visit our webpage at:
http://home.earthlink.net/~mind_games/

730. FS:Memory Chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Smith <wa4puf@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DDF33C.162FA9C8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have a quantity of 72 pin simms. These are parity chips, both 4 & 8
megs.
4 meg chips are $12.00 ea., 8 meg chips are $20.00 ea. E-mail to
address below.

wa4puf@earthlink.net

Ralph

731. PLEASE NO MUSTARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208181800.NAA05858@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154139

PLEASE THIS IS AN AMATEUR RADIO NEWSGROUP. DON'T POST ANY CRAP ABOUT LEWINSKY, MAKE A MILLIN BUCKS OVERNITE, PUSSY, DICKS, 900 NUMBERS, POLITICS, RELIGION, ect. THANK YOU

732. Re: FS: Drake B-Line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34DDFBD4.4AF5@hauns.com>
Source record: 154140

Glenn, AA5PK wrote:
>
> Drake R-4B receiver with all filters, T4-XB transmitter with speech
> processor and crystalled for WARC bands, and MS-4 speaker with Drake power
> supply. All in excellent
> physical and operating condition. $425 OBO.
> 73,
> Glenn AA5PK
> San Angelo, TX
Glenn, would you ship to NM for that? pls send your phone number. Bob

733. TT Scout FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki3b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208184000.NAA09283@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154141

Ten Tec Scout, all modules 80-10, noise blanker,
hand mike, mobile bracket, book, works ok, looks good.

$650 plus 1/2 shipping

Joe KI3B

KI3B@aol.com

734. UHF Motorola GM 300 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage11 <mirage11@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#jhE6OMN9GA.269@upnetnews04>
Source record: 154142

I have 2 Motorola GM 300 radios FS
40 watts
16 channels
Excellent condition
450-470mhz
w/mike/bracket and pwr cord
$325 plus shipping
Doug

735. FS: yaseu 101e

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cactus Charlie <habitat@electrotex.com>
Message-ID: <01bd34c2$d11117a0$566360cc@sade>
Source record: 154143

yaseu 101e with copy of manual and shure mobile mic. clean. a few minor scratches in paint, normal wear. make offer.

73 k5sbu
habitat@electrotex.com

736. Motorola Maxtrac UHF 40watts FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage11 <mirage11@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eTxEZQMN9GA.194@upnetnews04>
Source record: 154144

I have a number of Motorola Maxtracs Fs
32 channels MDC/signalling enhanced rear port 16 pin
40watts
with mike $300

Also same radio with radius front
w/full size external speaker and mike
$300

Plus shipping

Doug

737. FT8100 and FTS22

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka3jjz@erols.com
Message-ID: <886964800.2113208334@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154145

Hi- I bought the FT8100 and FTS22 tone board just recently and
was looking to install it. But on p.62 of the owner's manual, Yaesu
mentions an area where you can install the board, but it isn't very
clear as to exactly where that area is. As I open the top of
the radio, all I see in the area they mark is a lot of SMDs. Are
they referring to using the doubel-sided tape on the board to attach
it to the top cover near the pin connector?
I want to be kinda sure about doing this before mounting the radio
in my car...please respond directly to ka3jjz@erols.com
(Note: calls and emails to Yaesu have gone unanswered- even their
new email site for FT8100 support has brought me no answers)
Thanx es 73s Mike

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

738. P.C. Magazine Advocates Breaking The Law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2tkx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208191901.OAA03833@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154146

The following is an exerpt from an article that appeared on page 48 of the March 1998 issue of POPULAR COMMUNICATIONS magazine:

"On the other hand, there are some operators who have been anxiously anticipating the arrival of Solar Cycle 23. It is particularly good news for SSB operators who participate in the Freehand; that segment of frequencies between CB channel 40 and the 10 meter amateur band. For them, increased skip opens numerous opportunities for long distance (national and international) communications. In the very near future, though illegal, Freehand operation will be better and more exciting than it has been for years!

As surely as Solar Cycle 23 is underway and as certain as the increased skip and noise levels it brings will drive many of you from your radios, at least some of you will be tempted to experience the intrigue and excitement of the Freehand. If you do, remember ... it is illegal! Also, remember that while illegal, it has rules. Further, you should learn and then comply with these rules. If you don't, you could find out that poor operators have a tendency to 'get caught.' If you do learn and follow them, you should soon find yourself enjoying hours of stimulating radio. The following letter is offered in hopes of getting those 'who will' off on the right foot."

The theme of the article seems to be "it's illegal, but here's how not to get caught." Give me a break! I don't think that there's anybody who believes that everyone who operates CB obeys 100% of the rules 100% of the time. But a major magazine advocating the best ways to break the law and not get caught?

By the way, here are a few contact points:
Ed Baranat, edbarnat@global2000.net, author of the article.
Harold Ort-N2RLL, PopularCom@aol.com, editor of POPULAR COMMUNICATIONS.

Tom Kneitel-K2AES, k2aes@juno.com, Senior Editor of POPULAR COMMUNICATIONS.
Nancy Barry, nancypcmag@aol.com, Associate Editor of POPULAR COMMUNICATIONS.

POPULAR COMMUNICATIONS, by the way, is a publication of CQ Communications, Inc. who also publishes CQ Magazine. Their e-mail address is cqmagazine@aol.com

739. Kenw. 711A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Windows <alpha25@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bl0j9$3gd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154147

Have a vergin Kenwood 711A here. Never used. Is it possible to open its bandwidth or recieving capabilities with a modification? Perhaps so that I can pick up east coast "Coast Guard" frequencys?... I never use 2 meters and it's a shame to see the rig sit here..... Tnx..

740. Re: Advice on IC-706 mkII?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Odell <o.smith@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bl0gq$ajp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154148

Hello all. I just get one of the IC-706mkII and can not get the PL for 2m.
try everything and still nothing. my receive is OK but the TX no. Can anyone
help?The freq. 147.970 on receive and 146.370 on TX. the PL sure be 100 and
the offset is -600.
Dino wrote in message <6becla$1k9$1@news01.deltanet.com>...
>Please gentlemen.. You understood EXACTLY what Paul was saying when
>he said MkI.
>
>Dino...K6RIX
>
>
>In article <19980126110301.GAA13671@ladder01.news.aol.com>, w8pu@aol.com
>says...
>>
>>Paul..
>> The 706 is a fine radio. They are going for 750 to 950 used. New ones
are
>>still around $1050 I think till they are all gone. I had one for a year
and
>>loved it. By the way there is no such thing as a IC-706 MKI.
>>
>>
>>Gary
>

741. FS: Desk & Palm Microphones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kentelltt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208192201.OAA15789@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154149

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Turner 251 desk mic, $30 (10 available )
Shure 522 desk mic, $30
Muzak M8LU, desk mic, new in box, $30 (2 available)
Shure 404B palm mic, $20 (10 available)
Kent Elliott > KentElltt@aol.com
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742. Info?Yaesu YS-2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Windows <alpha25@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bl0o6$3gd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154150

Does anyone have a copy of the print for this wattmeter they could fax me?...Tnx.

743. FS: RG58U cable, $60 for 1000 foot spool

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kentelltt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208192300.OAA04547@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154151

RG58U cable, new on spool: West Penn # 813. Solid center conductor, foam core, 95% shield coverage. $60 + shipping for a 1000 foot spool.
Kent Elliott > KentElltt@aol.com

744. WTB: mic/phone headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kentelltt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208192900.OAA16771@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154152

I'm looking for one or more reasonably priced headsets with dynamic mic, used.
Prefer impedance around 150-600 for both mic and phones.
Kent Elliott > KentElltt@aol.com

745. Re: decreasing power level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RCSO Communications <msmith.rcso@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <u4YyzoMN9GA.159@upnetnews04>
Source record: 154153
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

What brand of radio?

Without knowing the specifics I can only make broad suggestions.

Does the final heat up? I'll assume you were running the unit into a dummy load for testing and so I wouldn't think if the unit has VSWR protection that it would be kicking in due to problems at the antenna. If the final is getting abnormally hot then some type of thermal protection is kicking in to reduce the power output. The same may be true if there is a provision for detecting abnormally high VSWR. The protection circuit is kicking in to reduce the output power in order to save the final. Its possible something in the protection circuits is failing.

I'm assuming the warranty is up or you woulda just sent it for service. If thats the case and you feel comfortable opening up the unit I would suggest a close inspection starting from the antenna connector and working back to all the components in the area and on the board where the antenna wire runs. I would look at the PC board traces and components for signs of overheating. IF the problem is thermal then spraying some component cooler on each component in the area may help you isolate the problem part. If something is burnt or melted its probably bad. The thing is that just finding the bad part and replacing it won't always be the happy ending. You also have to ask yourself why that part overheated in the first place. If you don't find a cause for the failure then simply replacing the part will be a temporary solution at best.

Good luck.

746. Is Transciever same as walkie talkie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: davybarr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208193601.OAA06504@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154154

I am a bit ignorant in this field...please help. Can a Maxon 49 Mhz short range transciever serve the purpose of a in house walkie talkie(between upstairs/downstairs). I am looking to cut costs, and this looks like it might be better than Radio Shack walkie talkies. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
Thanks

Dave

747. Re: Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0802981055470001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 154155

In article <6bkloqcbh1@news.megsinet.net>, "Ken Bickel"
<ac4vv@megsinet.net> wrote:

>e-boxholder@webtv.net wrote
>>Hi All,
>>
>>I just passed the Novice test today and I was wondering if some of you
>>would give me some input / info. / advice on rigs and ARRL books.

>--
>Congratulations on passing the novice test. Everyone who replys to your
>post will have a different opinion based on their experience or lack
>thereof. If you live in a fairly well populated area with several repeaters
>you will probably buy an HT. I recommend a dual band HT with a GOOD antenna
>for the house and car.

I would suggest the new Novice work on upgrading to Tech Plus or look for a
good 220 radio or both. As long as he stays a Novice, the "standard"
dual-band radios won't do him a lot of good as he doesn't have access to
either 144 or 450 MHz.

If I were him (Lord, how I wish I could go back and do it all over again!
:), I would get a little 40M CW rig (the small MFJ transceiver comes to
mind) to not only experience the thrill of world-wide communication, but to
get my code speed up to 13-15 WPM. At the same time I would get some
decent Technician, General and Advanced Class license manuals (I personally
like the ARRL editions).

Right now, with his Novice license, the Technician written exam is the only
thing standing in his way to full VHF/UHF operating privs. Once he works a
few CW QSOs he will quickly find his code speed increasing to a point the
13 WPM code test will be a piece of cake. Then it is just a matter of one
or two written exams to full General or Advanced privs.

I would like to add my Congratulations for passing his Novice license and
pass on my WELCOME to this great hobby.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

748. FS: MOTOROLA MT1000 UHF 99 CHANNEL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdemos@cts.com
Message-ID: <34de0f85.1442275@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 154156

For Sale: Motorola UHF MT1000 99channel HT

Included:

* DTMF interface (cost me $150)

* Motorola speaker mike

* desktop rapid charger

* two antennas, standard and stubby

* PL and DPL

* 438-470 (presently prgrammed for Ham bands)

* documentation

* will program upon request

This radio is in very clean condition, asking $400 (includes shipping).

Please respond by email to: tdemos@cts.com

749. nc-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ta2nc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <886974577.380370946@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154157

Hi all,
I need schematics of yaesu nc-50 charger..
Could anyone send it to me??
73's
TA2NC

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750. Re: Is Transciever same as walkie talkie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6blaq9$s9e$1@news9.ispnews.com>
Source record: 154158

Dave:

"Transceiver" means, Transmitter, and Receiver. This term can apply to base units, mobile units, and hand-helds, (or walkie-talkies). If the frequencies are the same, it doesn't matter if it's base, mobile, or hand-held, they will talk to each other.

Bill Crocker

Davybarr wrote in message <19980208193601.OAA06504@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
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>transciever serve the purpose of a in house walkie talkie(between
>upstairs/downstairs). I am looking to cut costs, and this looks like it might
>be better than Radio Shack walkie talkies. Any help would be greatly
>appreciated.
>Thanks
>
>Dave

751. Re: IC-706 for Marine HF SSB?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <34DE7472.C7C0DBE7@voicenet.com>
Source record: 154159

Paul

Check out MODIFICATIONS for 706. Try searching on the WWW or you can buy a book called Radio / Tech Modifications published by "ART SCI" URL www.earthlink.net/~artsci.
Be aware that modifications void the type acceptance for the radio by the FCC. Be advised that since the radio was designed to operate in the amateur bands it is tuned and optimized to operate their and may not give you the performance for "out of Band" operation. The Receive sensitivity or power output may not be what you want for operating in the marine band. Just make sure when you do the mod, do it so you can return it to the original condition and have some one bench test it for where you want to operate. Also ask around on what performance people expierence with modifications to the 706.

Joe

Paul Unterweiser wrote:

> I'm seriously considering buying either a used IC-706 or the new
> MkII to be installed on my sailboat. Something I was told (more
> than once) was that the IC-706 can be "programmed" to transmit
> outside the Ham bands... Since space and money are always a
> consideration, the thought of having a xcvr capable of transmitting
> on one of the marine emergency or USCG freqs -during times of emergency-
> is very attractive.
>
> My question is this... how do I "program" the 706 to transmit on say
> 2182 kHz?
>
> Paul
>
> --
>
> To reply, remove "x" from address.
> Visit our webpage at:
> http://home.earthlink.net/~mind_games/

752. Re: WARNING!! DON'T ASK FOR INFO ON THE NEWS GROUPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex Smith <alexnsharon@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34de331d.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 154160

Monty,

I used to use Kenwood and I liked it fine but its mostly gathering dust these days because I'm spending too much time on newsgroups! I like the way you so subtly tried to get things back on track! Got a nice chuckle.

Alex Smith
AA4VW

753. TR7- TR5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: JERRY DAWSON <JERRYDAWSON@CENTURYINTER.NET>
Message-ID: <34de2767.0@news7.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 154161

WANTED TR7 OR TR5 . I HAVE A DEAD TR7, I AM
INTERESTED IN BUYING , OR I WILL SELL THE
PS7, MN2700, MS7,7077 DRAKE MIC, RV7, IF I DONT FIND TR7 OR TR5.
jerrydawson@centuryinter.net

754. Re: Yaesu FT-727R squelch problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9wks@cris.com
Message-ID: <34e03193.31759424@news.concentric.net>
Source record: 154162

On Mon, 02 Feb 1998 15:08:53 GMT, jlco@jps.net (Jeff Lillard) wrote:

>Thanks for reading... My FT-727R HT's squelch is now open all the time
>(turning the knob has no effect) - I did a software "reset" that
>didn't help. Any suggestions?
>
>Thanks in advance,
>
>Jeff KN6GI

Hi Jeff,

I've been plagued with the same problem - let me elaborate:

My 727 transmits just fine but also has open squelch unless turned all the way clockwise. In the beginning, leaving the radio turned on for about 20 minutes, the problem would dissappear and work perfectly. I was able to use that approach for approximately 6 or 7 times. Now however, the radio will not receive anything at all no matter what I do. I have been procrastinating as far as sending it to Yaesu. I find it very interesting that I'm not the only one. This won't help you with your 727 but at least you know your not alone.

Glen N9WKS

755. IC-706 MKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Odell <o.smith@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6blcfs$d@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154163

Hello to all. How do I set the 706MKII for 2 meter band? I need to know set the TX and offset plus the PL

756. Re: WTB: KENWOOD IF-232C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2bka@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6bld5i$u@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154164

On 7 Feb 98 21:57:58 GMT, Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net> wrote:

>Anyone have one of these forsale? Rick, VE9HF.

Yes I have one for sale in mint condition. I am asking $60 post paid.
73's
John - K2BKA

757. GAIN QUESTION?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: vect0r@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208230601.SAA22612@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154165

Is there a formula for finding the gain of an antenna
If so could you e-mail it to me?

thank you for the help.

joel KF6PBX

(vect0r@aol.com)
4x4 is a way of life; Resistance is futile!!

758. WTB: NRD535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6bleun$8qc$1@news9.ispnews.com>
Source record: 154166
Cross-posted to: mi.wanted,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

A friend of mine, who's not on the internet, has cash waiting for a clean
NRD535, or NRD535(D) communications receiver.

Please send detailed email, with asking price.

Thanks,
Bill Crocker

759. KENWOOD 440 - PLL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB5DMT@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <34de3b10.1067117@news.gmi.net>
Source record: 154167

I'M TOLD THERE IS A PLL PROBLEM WITH THE 440 PLL DECK SOMETIMES THEY
REPLACE THREE DIODES OTHERS THEY REPLACE THE ENTIRE BOARD....ANY
INSIGHTS ON THIS WOULD BE HELPFUL......

THANKS, 73's

LH

760. Re: Yaesu FT-727R squelch problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: &miker <&miker@ethergate.com>
Message-ID: <34DE3CD1.C800E75C@ethergate.com>
Source record: 154168

Glen Doolittle wrote:

> On Mon, 02 Feb 1998 15:08:53 GMT, jlco@jps.net (Jeff Lillard) wrote:
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Check the battery. Many transceivers open the squelch when the battery
gets below a certain voltage.
Maybe you have a shorted cell.
miker
--
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK BELOW.
http://www.ethergate.com/users/miker/index.html
Usually have stuff WANTED and FOR SALE.
If you get a URL error, try again later.

761. Re: decreasing power level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34DE4097.4349F3BA@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 154169
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

N1rsq wrote:

> hears one that stumps everyone ive asked. i have a dual bander that on one
> side of the band shows a steady rf power reading. 25 watts
> on the other edge it will start at around 15 and slowly fall to about 8
> watts on a dead key. this happens on uhf BUT not on vhf
> ANY ideas on what to do to fix this
> thanx DON N1RSQ

Yes, like we used to send in the Navy ZZZ .. which meant "Clean the pidgeon
shit off your antenna."

Curtis .. N5HDQ .. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

762. Re: decreasing power level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34DE4265.C8E9035F@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 154170
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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If the ZZZ does not work then look for a voltage regulator that is
breaking down. If you can identify the regulators then use a can of
freezant on it when the power is down and see if it brings it back
up, or hold the tip of a soldering gun near it to see if it will pull it
down.

If that does not fix it then do the same thing to the RF power device
and driver/drivers.

If that does not fix it I bid $25.00.

Curtis .. N5HDQ .. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

763. RCI Ranger 2950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wwrm@acronet.net
Message-ID: <886980013.576978956@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154171

I am looking for any info on matching the output of my 2950 to the input of my Super Star 250. I have a great SWR match when the linear is off, but when the linear is operational the SWR between the radio and linear goes through the roof. Any help resolving this matter would be greatly appreciated. Thanx, D. K. Markee KB9QQC

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764. WTB Nyc Viking Ph/Patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.96.980208133434.21080D-100000@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 154172

Anyone out there got an old Nye Viking Phone patch in a closet somewhere
collecting dust??? If so would like to take it off your hands at a
reasonable price. MARS is after me to get the capability to help
with phone patching from West Pacific to US for our troops out there
I had one of them but cleaned out my "junk" box coupld years back and
wouldnt you know, the "patch" musta been part of the junk that went to
the disposal area.
Joe

****
* jfenn@lava.net *
* Ham KH6JF (since '37) *
* MARS (AARS) ABM6JF (since '40) *
* WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *
****

765. Re: RCI Ranger 2950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6bll84$od6@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154173

This can be a problem! You may be able to resolve it by inserting a cheap antenna tuner between the amp and the radio. The best solution is to retrofit the amplifier with a tuned input circuit. Without knowing the input impedance of your amplifier, I can't be specific as to which form this circuit might take.

Remember, the RCI2950/2970 has a relatively dirty output (no tuned circuits). Please CYA and use a suitable low pass output filter.

If you will describe your amplifier (type of amplifiers, configuration, etc) I will send you the necessary information to build a tuned input circuit.

Best regards

wwrm@acronet.net wrote in message <886980013.576978956@dejanews.com>...
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766. FS:Commodore Equip.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allen Williams <allenw@tenet.edu>
Message-ID: <34DE601F.D16@tenet.edu>
Source record: 154174

I have for sale the following Commodore equipment:
C-64c Computer
1541-II Floppy Drive
Star NX-1000C Printer
Mach 5 RAM Expansion
Various software titles

All of the above equipment is in excellent condition and I am the original owner. I have all the original boxes and documentation. Need to sell and free up some space.
Asking $125.00 for the whole lot and will not split. Please reply via email.
Thanks and 73,
Allen Williams KA5CJJ

767. FS/Trade Yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell, Jr." <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6blo4s$100$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 154175
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,tnn.radio.amateur

I have just aquired a FT-50R Dualbander HT. The radio is in EXCELLENT condition and includes a 5 watt battery also included is The FBA-15 (3 AA size Batterys). This radio DOES NOT HAVE THE DIGITAL VOICE RECORDER OPTION! However it still is a excellent rig and you can purchase the option if needed/wanted.

If interested email me at kc4oxp@flash.net

Price -$325 plus shipping
Things that I would consider for trade -

Dual Band mobile -
Complete weather station -
Plain Paper fax machine -
Other ham gear, tell me what you have..
HF gear -

73 Daniel KC4OXP

768. FS:Only $329 For New Surplus Equipment Cabinets.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Hix <lhix@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6blo01$l3$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 154176

Go to http://www.flash.net/~lhix for pictures and information.
We can ship to over 60 airports in the US for $50 each
enclosure.

769. FS DX70TH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <6blolj$4ic$1@news.netusa1.net>
Source record: 154177

I have a Alinco DX70TH purchase 11 /20/96, In very good
condition. Has been mobile but keeped covered, Comet antenna
and HF/ 6 Meter duplex. Comet ant. covers 7,21,28,50 and 144
MHz. I also have a 3 month old 4 magnet mount for antenna.

Sell to buy Laptop computer.....

Purchased Price

Radio $939.00
Ant $119.00
Duplexer $57.00
Mag Mount and Base $89.00

Make Offer or trade on Laptop with CDROM

Carl Walthall 765-453-5239 Home
765-451-5347 Work
n3qom@netusa1.net
cwalthal@eng.delcoelect.com Days

770. Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Phillips <klee@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <6blqgt$53c$1@usenet52.supernews.com>
Source record: 154178

any one had hands on experience with this new radio?? would like to know details if possible. thanks, N5QBJ

771. FS: MFJ 2M/70CM Duplexer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Morley" <endeavor@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34DE6FA2.A647EFB2@ultranet.com>
Source record: 154179

Hi,

I have for sale an MFJ 2M/70CM duplexer. This unit is MFJ part number MFJ-916, and is brand new. I will sell this item for $20.00, and ship it anywhere in the U.S.

Best 73's

John KA1JMF

772. Manuals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <thehahns@nconnect.net>
Message-ID: <34de79f6.0@tornado.tcccom.net>
Source record: 154180

Does anyone know where I can get a manual for a Standard C-168a?

Thanks!
phil

773. Tekk T-50 drawing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsweeney@vt.edu
Message-ID: <dsweeney.28.0016BF6B@vt.edu>
Source record: 154181

Does anyone have schematics for a Tekk T-50
handheld? I have a unit with dead receiver.

I will pay copying and mailing costs.

Thanks,

Dennis Sweeney
WA4LPR

774. FS: Yaesu FT-80C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.H. Oemar" <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <34DCA5E8.722@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 154244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For sale:

Used Yaesu FT-80C w/ very good condition, 1.5-30MHz, 100W, modes SSB AM
CW, USD650 incl. shipping by FedEx, or best offer.

Please email if interested.

Thanks and 73,
Richard H. Oemar

775. FS: Icom IC-707

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.H. Oemar" <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <34DCA634.3F5F@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 154245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For sale:

NEW Icom IC-707, 100W, 0.5-30MHz SSB AM CW, USD775 incl Shipping by
FedEx or best offer.

Please email if interested.

Thanks and 73,
Richard H. Oemar

776. FS:Yaesu FT-1000 Top Cover

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208021500.VAA24772@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154246

Includes small door on top for controls. Small scratch on top. $30.00 shipped conus.

Tnx, Van
Lincoln, NE

777. FS: DEM 50MHz Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: GBENKO@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <01bd3439$1e1f7440$f0389cd1@default>
Source record: 154247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Down East Microwave High Dynamic Range 50MHz transverter Model # DEM50-28K
with the M57735 hybrid. This is the fully assembled PCB with the 20 watt
amplifier. Converts 50MHz to 28 Mhz. This is new, never used. $150.00.

Reply to GBENKO@Prodigy.net

73, George
K8BRW

778. FS: Yaesu FT650 price reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kittles <kittles8@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <AE48EF457E93222C.0CB113978A9F59B2.22F316F03DB8263E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 154248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale Yaesu FT650 6/10/12 meter allmode transceiver,100 watts output.
With cw filter. Original owner,radio is in very good condition. Operator
manual and
service manual included. Price $875.00

Mike
kittles8@airmail.net

779. FS:FT-290RII 2M multimode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <6bj73d$nv1$10@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 154249

The following rigs are for sale to make room for a new one:

Yaesu FT-290RII 2 meter SSB/CW/FM multimode
140-150 MHz (MARS A2 5/10/20 KHz)

1.5 years New
Condition excellent, used very little, looks and works like new.
Includes:
FL-2025 25 watt PA
MMB-31 mobile bracket (never used)
FBA-8 battery pack with good nicads
NC-26B battery charger
MH-10E8 scanning mic
MH-15C8 scanning DTMF mic
FTS-7A CTCSS tone encoder-decoder
YHA-14A Helical whip
With original packing materials and manual all in EC.
$475 plus shipping

Non smoker and no mods done

Am looking for ICOM 475H and 275H in good to excellent cond.

780. JVC VCR: maintainence nightmare

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cy@uh.edu
Message-ID: <cy-0702982200300001@shivap4.opt.uh.edu>
Source record: 154250

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>
> > You're not the only one. JVC vcrs seem to have a pretty bad reputation
> > from what I've seen in the newsgroups. I'm certainly staying away from
> > them. Thanks for the warning.
>
> Hummm, must have been a bad batch sent to your state. I happen to look over
> and wala what do I have? You guessed it, a JVC, a working one for about
a year
> now. Go figure.
>

Luck! JVC are well knows to be a maintinence nightmare. EVERYONE I've
ever talked to has had problems...and I know the guy that fixes mine and
he says in his shop...half......thats HALF the vcrs brought in are JVCs.
I've had the high end JVC SVHS 6600 since 1989 and it's been in the shop
4 times. I've had a cheap Hitachi SVHS since 1990 and it's never been in
the shop. I want a new SVHS vcr but just haven't seen anything I liked.
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781. Re: JVC VCR: maintainence nightmare

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2kpk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208045500.XAA21456@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154251

I agree, mine has screwed up 3 times this time no power checked fuse all good
tired of putting in shop got to figure out where in the power supply it failed
no more JVC for me.
n2kpk@aol.com
n2kpk@aol.com

782. Motorola M120 internal fuse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2kpk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208045500.XAA21592@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154252

Does anyone have a service manual and can tell me the location of the fuse
f801 in a m120 radius mobile radio. The part number 65-5214e05.
This fuse has blown out due to inserting the 16 pin jack in the back of the
m120.
/n2kpk@aol.com/

n2kpk@aol.com

783. FS: Scope Carts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bernie <bernie@stlnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd343f$e2b1a980$590460d1@c66ml>
Source record: 154253
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

Tektronix 200C scope carts$50.00. These are made to hold Tek 400 series portable scopes, but they well hold any similar size instrument as well as most all portable scopes, many service monitors etc. Nice units which cost about $300 new.
Call or E mail Bernie at 314-423-1770 (days)
Visit our WebPages at http://www.feitek.com for lots of test equipment.
Thanks, Bernie

bernie@stlnet.com

784. decreasing power level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3470$db366ac0$091871ce@default>
Source record: 154254
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

hears one that stumps everyone ive asked. i have a dual bander that on one
side of the band shows a steady rf power reading. 25 watts
on the other edge it will start at around 15 and slowly fall to about 8
watts on a dead key. this happens on uhf BUT not on vhf
ANY ideas on what to do to fix this
thanx DON N1RSQ

785. WTB: ICOM 735 or 751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: miracleaud@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208061201.BAA20956@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154255

Want to buy an ICOM 735 or a 751A. Send details to miracleaud@aol.com or call
John at 541-383-1784

Thanks
John
WB6JKQ
Where are we going and why am I in this handbasket?

786. Re: How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Toscano" <tosca005@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <34DD58D5.723D@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Source record: 154256

todak@webtv.net wrote, in part:
>
> Using a dual-band radio for crossband operation poses a legal problem
> when the remote radio transmits to your HT. When you transmit to the
> remote radio using an HT, you are OK because the remote radio is
> repeating your transmission and hence your callsign. However, when the
> remote radio repeats a transmission back to your HT, how does it ID?
> suppose you turn your HT off and yet the remote radio keeps on merrily
> transmitting any communications it receives?

If the remote is doing bi-directional crossband repeating, this is most certainly an issue. One solution that sometimes helps is to set it up for single-direction crossband repeating. For example, say that the repeater you want to hit on 2 meters can't hear your HT from your indoor location, but your HT can hear the repeater. Transmit on 70cm to the remote, which re-transmits on the 2 meter input frequency, and DON'T have the remote re-transmit the 2 meter output back on another 70cm frequency. With this setup, your regular ID's go out on both the 70cm and 2 meter frequencies simultaneously, and there isn't a re-transmission on 70cm that you can't control and can't ID on. Obviously this only works in the situation mentioned, where you can hear the repeater but not capture it with your HT.

As far as the issue of the remote radio re-transmitting junk or someone else's transmissions, I would set up the crossband link with a PL tone at a minimum, and if you have a Yaesu for both the HT and mobile radio, consider DCS or CTCSS paging modes, which will come closer to insuring that the remote radio re-transmits only your signals.

Personally, I wish that manufacturers of crossband-repeat capable radios would add an auto-ID feature. Heck, the FT-50R ALMOST has that feature, and it's not even a true dual-receive radio. (It will auto-send your ID in CW when operating in a peculiar mode where the radio searches for other FT-50's in its range, and since it has to send out an inquiry signal repeatedly, you program in your callsign into one of its memory locations so it can ID legally.) How hard would it be for the radio's manufacturer to add a CW ID feature to a crossband-repeat mobile rig? Are you manufacturers listening???

As a repeater control operator, I try to monitor all three of our repeaters at once, so the dual-receive capability of my FT-5100 mobile rig is very desirable to me. (I have a separate 220 rig for the third repeater. The repeater club's president keeps nagging me to trade them both in for a tri-bander, such as a Kenwood TM-742...) Unlike him, however, I don't try to hold a conversation on 2 or three of them at

once! But even if I am focusing my attention on one band, it's nice to be able to hear the other two in case someone is hacking the system, or having problems working the autopatch, or requires some other sort of assistance. Your situation may not be similar, however.

Good luck in making your decision.
KB0ZEV

787. HELP with old Kenwood HF Transceiver TS-510.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6bjf68$d4l$1@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 154257

I am looking for information on the Kenwood TS-510 Transceiver.
Please email me if you own one, have schematic/service info
or know what year they were made and for how long.

Also want to know what model CW filter it took and if
it's the same as filters used in other model Kenwoods
like the TS-511 or TS-520, etc.

788. Re: W:mods fr Kenwood TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ht <tournier@iprolink.ch>
Message-ID: <34dd1d70.0@news.iprolink.ch>
Source record: 154258

Well,I opened the th-g71 and cut open a green jumper inside,the unit now transmits between 142 and 152 mhz.

Other mods should be possible,involving higher level surgery like removing SM
diodes.

789. Re: JVC VCR: maintainence nightmare

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam-dog-nospam@usa.net
Message-ID: <sam-dog-nospam-ya02408000R0802980314140001@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 154259

I've had two s-vhs 5000U's in a dub rack for years running maybe

5 hours of dubs a day, with power on 10 hrs a day, working flawlessly

for years. I also own the Brs 378U and Brs 360 U which are industrial
S-vhs machines that use the consumer mechanism. These are awesome
and haven't given me any trouble.

Then again my friends s-vhs 6700? ran well for 2 -3 years then needed

a number of repairs. A plastic gear keeps breaking.
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If you listen to vhs hi fi on a system capable of reproducing bass, you'l find

most machines (especially Pannasonic) have a horrible 60 hz buzz that occillates

with every word. The JVC are the only machines i've heard that sound decent.

790. How to open the rear heat sink of Yaesu FT50R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Teddy <teddy_lee@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6bjs62$34i$1@usenet85.supernews.com>
Source record: 154260

My FT50R's attenna socket was loose, so I want to open the radio to fix the problem. Any information will be welcomed.

Thanks.

Teddy
8.2.98

791. FS: CUSHCRAFT R5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kirby.nesbitt@velocity.bc.ca
Message-ID: <886922212@velocity.bc.ca>
Source record: 154261

For Sale: CushCraft R5 HF vertical antenna
Stored away for past 3 years.
Totally complete (including installation manual), excellent condx
$200.00 USD + shipping
Please contact:
Kirby Nesbitt VE7RKW
email: <knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>
PH: 604.574.2316

792. WTB: RF Test Equipment.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Staff Member <pixels_m@phnx.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3470$1abbd1e0$1000000a@BTG-PHX-S3>
Source record: 154262

Looking for used RF Network Analyzer and Return Loss Bridge.
Either With Self-Contained RF Source or External Sweep Generator.
50 Ohms input impedance and .01 to 1.2 Ghz range minimum.

Will consider any manufacturer, HP, Wiltron, R&S, Marconi, Etc.

Would prefer R&S Model ZPV with E3 plugin and RLB Bridge.

Vector/Scalar or Scalar only depending on what it is.

Would also consider spectrum analyzer with tracking generator,
and bridge instead of an Analyzer.

We are looking to aquire this equipment for private use, we are NOT
dealers in used test equipment.

Please send your information to E-Mail: pixels_m@phnx.uswest.net
or You can fax the specs to (602) 840-4609.

793. Re: Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <NYU2GLA6eX30EwgJ@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154263

In article <6bccuedjc1@techsrv1.tech>, Joseph <jrerlewe@mtu.edu>
writes
>I have a fast charger that I used to us a *lot* with the 23R but I hold
>that to blame for killing a pack or two, so now I rarely use it, and stick
>with the 14-16hr wall warts. haven't had a problem in a while. Anyways,
>that's the feeling I get from the manuals from the 23R and the 530 on the
>adaptor/charger, maybe they decided to write less for the 51? :)

Are you referring to the Yaesu NC-50 rapid charger Joe? If you are, I
am surprised as my NC-50 charger works really well and it is probably
the reason why I am still using my original FT-41 battery pack (FNB-31).
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Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

794. Re: Yaesu Mobile DC Adapter/Charger Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <z495eNAchX30EwE4@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154264

In article <01bd3236$42ea0e20$0fc68e97@tmay.wiltec.twc.com>, Thomas May
<mayt@gw.twc.com> writes
>When I first purchased the EDC-12, I took it apart to answer your exact
>question. If I remember correctly the EDC-12 supplies two voltages to the
>FT-51. One connection is a common ground,, one is a regulated and filtered
>11.5V to power the radio, and the third is a current limited 50ma voltage
>to the battery for charging.

Would it be possible to cover the charging contact on the back of the
pack (say with a sticky tape) so charging does not take place?
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Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

795. maxtrac software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: alon <alon@135.kef.co.il>
Message-ID: <34DE295B.9E@135.kef.co.il>
Source record: 154265

hi
i need a software 4 programing the maxtrac900 -how can i find it ?
i got a rib and computer connection.
thanks & bye

alon.b (alon@135.kef.co.il)

796. FS or Trade TS700 2M All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: K9GCO <howerter@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6bkcou$ns3$1@news.tbcnet.com>
Source record: 154266
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Kenwood TS700 2 meter all mode in very good condition. Built in power Supply - 10 watts FM - 20 watts SSB. Will sell @ $260 or trade.

--
K9GCO

797. Re: decreasing power level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trevor Day <trev@southwestuk.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <WnjahKAQVa30EwR5@southwestuk.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 154267
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

In article <01bd3470$db366ac0$091871ce@default>, N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
writes
>hears one that stumps everyone ive asked. i have a dual bander that on one
>side of the band shows a steady rf power reading. 25 watts
> on the other edge it will start at around 15 and slowly fall to about 8
>watts on a dead key. this happens on uhf BUT not on vhf
> ANY ideas on what to do to fix this
> thanx DON N1RSQ
Are these results on a dummy load Don or an antenna?
Trev ...-.-
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Trevor Day G3ZYY

798. DX70TH vs.IC706mkII??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiofreq0@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208125401.HAA14040@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154268

All,
I am looking for comparasons and first hand reports of experiences with these two rigs.
The DX70th seems simple and straight forward. THe IC706 mkII seems to be more complex and ultimatly versatile.
THe DX70th comes standarf with ceramic filter for SSB
the 706mkII has then as iotions.
Apples to apples, that is the 706mkII /optional crystals just how do they compare in every resect as HF units Specifically the HF Rx?
How then also and seperatly from HF performance, do the 6 meters compare, is the 706mkII 2 meter section a good unit when compared to a basic 2 meter free standing rig?
All insights and expereince will be appreciated.
I have heard very good things about the both. I have heard good things about the DX70TH and am very much considering buying one.
However, although the prices are quite different, I would go with the 706mkII if it was was a better choice as a HF rig and the 6 and 2 meters were competitive with the basic rigs out there.
Otherwise, Ild either keep my 735 and get a 6 & 2 meter rig, or get the DX70TH and a 2 meter rig.
This will be for mobile operation.
RSVP
tnx
jeff
ps: thank y'all in advance for your replys.

799. hf radio TX problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles carolan <ccarolan@pipcom.com>
Message-ID: <34DDC696.ED0@pipcom.com>
Source record: 154269

Hello I have a broblem with my older Kenwood TS 180 S.Here are the symptoms....

On phone the radio deviates from the frequency dialed on the readout by 2-3 hertz during transmit,10m and 15m seem normal in this area.When in CW mode it deviated from the dialed frequency by about 8 hertz when keyed ,although the rig is older this is the first problem I have had with it.

When tested into a dummy load the phone end is normal but the cw mode still acts up,I would appreciate any comments on this as to what the problem could be etc,I have eliminalted all accessories and grounding from causing this problem.Thank you for taking the time to read this request and I would like to thank anyone in advance,should they have the time to reply...73 de Charlie VA3IRL.

800. TS-440S Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bull66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208151800.KAA27761@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154270

Wondering if anyone else who has a Kenwood TS-440S had any problems with distorted audio which gets worse with processor on?
1. The rig is about 10 years old and has not been aligned since new.
2. The problem does not appear on AM or FM xmt.
3. The stock mike was tried with same results.
4. Mike used now is KW MC-80
I may have remembered reading a while back another ham stating he had the same type problem. Power, RX, etc is fine and I think it just may need a alignment in the TX section. Power supply being used is 50A peak Antron. Any help much appreciated - Thanks . . . . . .

801. FS: Maxtracs UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bd34a4$aa1314a0$53438cd1@dano>
Source record: 154271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Both have been SOLD. Thanks to all who replied.

> Hi All,
>
> I have two Maxtracs UHF for sale.
> First one is a 2ch 25 watt. Second is a 32ch 25 watt w/signalling.
> Includes mic and cable for each radio.
>
> $150 o.b.o. for the 2ch
> $275 o.b.o. for the 32ch
>
> Email if interested.
>
> Dan

802. IC-775DSP or FT-1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus Billeter <hamster@scout.net>
Message-ID: <6bkhr8$dao2@news-sol-int.swissonline.ch>
Source record: 154272

Hi!

I just got the CEPT-License 1 and I'm looking now for a HF-Transceiver. I've heard and informed me abt the two trx ICOM IC-775dsp and YAESU ft-1000mp.

The only difference I can see is the output power and the price!!! Are these 1000$ more for the 775dsp worth??

What are the differences? Is the receiver of 775dsp better??

Are 200 Watts (775dsp) useful or are 100 Watts enough?

Thank you very much for answer.

Are there internet sites comparing these two devices?

vy 73 de HB9DNA, Markus (Switzerland)

803. FS: Drake B-Line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenn, AA5PK" <aa5pk@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <6bkkaf$r0l@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154273

Drake R-4B receiver with all filters, T4-XB transmitter with speech
processor and crystalled for WARC bands, and MS-4 speaker with Drake power
supply. All in excellent
physical and operating condition. $425 OBO.
73,
Glenn AA5PK
San Angelo, TX

804. Re: DX70TH vs.IC706mkII??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: seal2cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208161001.LAA05001@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154274

>Subject: DX70TH vs.IC706mkII??

I have the original 706 and have had it mobile for 2 years. I love it , its smaller than the Alinco, has 6 & 2M..I didn't even consider the Alinco though I have an HT and 610 of theirs. My $ would be on the ICOM.

Good luck de Chris NQ4E>Subject: DX70TH vs.IC706mkII??

805. Re: Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6bkloqcbh1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 154275

e-boxholder@webtv.net wrote
Hi All,

I just passed the Novice test today and I was wondering if some of you would give me some input / info. / advice on rigs and ARRL books.

Congratulations on passing the novice test. Everyone who replys to your post will have a different opinion based on their experience or lack thereof. If you live in a fairly well populated area with several repeaters you will probably buy an HT. I recommend a dual band HT with a GOOD antenna for the house and car. The Yaesu FT50 is probably the most popular right now. It helps to stay with the most popular because there will be more stuff you can get for it. ALL of them work! Some just do different things than others.

I know you are hungry for information! I would NOT recommend buying books on certain subjects right now. Books are at least a year behind current technology. Get the magazines (QST and CQ) for six months or so and then decide what books you really want.

Put up that good base antenna as high as you can get it and use nothing less than 9913 coax to feed it with. Also get a good power supply for home use. Save your battery as much as possible.

Talk to people - read ham postings on the internet - visit web sites - talk on the air - ask lots of questions and weigh the answers carefully. Plan wisely, listen a lot, investigate everything, don't rush into anything.

This is probably not the advice you wanted to hear, but don't let others make up your mind because you WILL regret it! Only you can decide what you want out of the hobby and what equipment and reference material you want to buy. I hope you find a good elmer - they are a rare commodity now-a-days it seems. Good luck and hope to talk to you on the air some day very soon.

Ken, AC4VV

806. FS 6 meter low pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980208161700.LAA06055@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154276

It is better to install a Low Pass Filter before you meet
and talk with neighbors about your ham radio.
Designed / Built By JR KB5MER
6 Meter Low Pass Filter Models:
Model#1 Harmonic down 38 dB @ 75 MHZ
52 dB @ 100 MHz
58 dB @ 120 MHz
Handles up to 250 watts PEP $39.00
Model #2 Harmonic down 68 dB through 900 MHz.
Handles up to 2 KW PEP $60.00
* Insertion loss less than one (1) dB
*All part as built to with stand a 4 to 1 SWR
*All test were made into 50 ohm load
* Test made by Austin Radio Lab
Price plus $5.00 shipping & handling Con US.
kb5mer@aol.com
Thanks JR

807. FS YK-88C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34DDE2E5.13E3@hauns.com>
Source record: 154277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

$55 shipped.

808. PCR1000 Freq Blocked in Japan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ss@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <34dddd77.132151143@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 154278

Anyone know if the Japan domestic version model of the ICom PCR1000 is frequency blocked? Thanks, Tony

809. FS-Kenw00d 711A 2m Allmode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: armck@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <6bkn5p$78s$1@comet2.magicnet.net>
Source record: 154279

KENWOOD 711A 2M ALLMODE

THIS RADIO IS IN PRISTINE CONDITION. WILL SELL FOR FIRST $625.00
REPLY. THIS PRICE IS FIRM. NO TONE. USED VERY LITTLE. A GREAT
RADIO FOR 2M ALLMODE OPERATION.

Reply e-mail to:
armck@magicnet.net

Ray McKeand
KE4UYN
Orlando, FL

810. FS-Kenwood TS690 AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: armck@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <6bknf7$78s$2@comet2.magicnet.net>
Source record: 154280

KENWOOD TS690S HF W/6M FOR SALE W/AUTO TUNNER

Radio in excellent to mint condition. It also has all the Fox
Tango Filters and auto tunner. $1100.00 Will even throw in
matching external speaker SP31.

Reply to:
armck@magicnet.net

Ray McKeand
KE4UYN
Orlando, FL

811. Re: Need mods for new Icom T-8A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34dfd916.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 153982

Please let me know if you hear of any mods to this great radio...

Lou Roppoli

thelone_ranger@hotmail.com wrote in message
<886997109.1325006855@dejanews.com>...
>I heard that some of the blocked bands can be restored
>by holding down certain keys while turning on rig.
>Any help would be appreciated in getting mods to restore
>blocked bands. Thanks... Rodger
>
>Please reply to: thelone_ranger@hotmail.com
>
>-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

812. Re: Need mods for new Icom T-8A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Smavatkul" <username@REMOVE.ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <6bom69nko1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 153983

I posted yesterday about the mod if you were to read.
press moni + band while power on the unit. Hold all buttons until every
segment of LCD show up. Release all buttons. Press "band" for the result.

Chad

thelone_ranger@hotmail.com wrote in message
<886997109.1325006855@dejanews.com>...
>I heard that some of the blocked bands can be restored
>by holding down certain keys while turning on rig.
>Any help would be appreciated in getting mods to restore
>blocked bands. Thanks... Rodger
>
>Please reply to: thelone_ranger@hotmail.com
>
>-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

813. Re: Drake TR-4 vs Kenwood 830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <34DFDA9D.9F@vbe.com>
Source record: 153984

Chris Lamousin wrote:
>
> I have an opportunity to buy on of these rigs. I would be interested
> in opinions from those who know about both.
> Thanks,
> Chris

Chris:

I don't know anything about the Drake TR-4 but the Tr-7 was a fine rig. I own a TS830-S station and I LOVE it ! Fine rig, in fact you may find that lots of hams have new rigs but few really part with an 830 for long.... lots are kept as a "second" rig. If you look hard enough you can still find all the companion pieces of a TS-830S station. I also have the SP-230 filtered speaker, AT-230 Antenna Tuner, VFO 230 digital remote VFO, SM-220 station monitor, and MC-50 Mic. All I need now is the Tl-922A linear amp <sigh.....someday>.

73 de Mike Melland kb9qhu

Mike

814. Alinco DRMO6TH six meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Phillips <klee@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <6bomim$9ve$1@usenet88.supernews.com>
Source record: 153985

Can anybody give me any hands on experience with the 20 watt fm alinco
mobile.
Scan rate, and overall opinion on this radio. also will it receive down in
the 45.00 mhz
any info will help. please email info. thanks, Lee N5QBJ

815. Re: Gabriel G Melo - idiot?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lawrence <xxxLawrence_Sudduth@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#73q4ZeN9GA.112@upnetnews04>
Source record: 153986

I think it is self-evident - just look at his post for IC-275H. He IS an idiot.

816. Re: IC-706MkII GO with DSP or Internal Filters???or both???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8jlv@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6bottv$m12@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153987

IMO the 1.9K SSB filter is a good investment. It has greatly reduced teh problems I have herer in Hawaii with nearby interference. I do however plan on buying the DSP unit when it becomes available.

stan

817. FS Heathkit Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DFF5A4.4E87@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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Heathkit stuff for sale can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky
look under "for sale"
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818. Re: Are my camcorder heads really TOAST???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh Hood <josh@aa.net>
Message-ID: <887175600.689022@slave3.aa.net>
Source record: 153989
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.desktop,sci.electronics.repair

+Try Studio Sound Electronics
Robert Westbrook wrote in message ...
>Hi there fellas.
>
> I just got my Sony CCD-F302 8mm camcorder back from the repair place I
>took it to to get a diagnosis, and they claim it's the video heads (they
>said they cleaned it w/no result). I may tend to agree with this as the
>playback noise problem appeared one day when it was not there before at
>all. Plays this way with all the tapes I own, so I do not think it is the
>tape.
> They seemed reluctant to quote me a repair price; I don't really think
>he knew where he could get the required parts (the camera's prolly 7 years
>old). Where would I go to find replacement heads that wouldn't cost me
>more than a new machine?
> I checked out MC Electronics, Dalbani... none of their websites really
>said anything about camcorder heads. Are they hard to find? It looks like
>I could install the heads fairly easily in the camcorder myself; the drum
>is out where I can get at it if I remove the tape door.
>
>Thanks for any info or repair parts sources!
>Robert
>
>--
>http://www.latech.edu/~riw
>Go there if you need my email

819. Kenwood TN-V7 PC Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tim J. Neff" <magician@logancounty.com>
Message-ID: <6bo5pk$oo9$1@gestalt.direcpc.com>
Source record: 153990

It is my unsersatnding there is PC software for Programming the
Kenwood TM-V7 dual bander. If you could help me with this please do.

73 Tim KU8F

820. scrambler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: alon <alon@135.kef.co.il>
Message-ID: <34DFD171.2291@135.kef.co.il>
Source record: 153991

hello
i am looking 4 i.c (cheep) that is a scrambler
so i can add it with circuit i could build to my transiver
that no one could here me (except the other side) on the air
-where can i find it ??
thanks
alon.b (alon@135.kef.co.il)

821. Re: Motorola M120 internal fuse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chris M. Bridges" <n4fan@shelby.net>
Message-ID: <34DEFD46.52D9@shelby.net>
Source record: 153992

N2kpk wrote:
>
> Does anyone have a service manual and can tell me the location of the fuse
> f801 in a m120 radius mobile radio. The part number 65-5214e05.
> This fuse has blown out due to inserting the 16 pin jack in the back of the
> m120.
> /n2kpk@aol.com/
>
> n2kpk@aol.com

I dont have a service manual, but I can assure it will be green and look
like a solid green colored resistor and pretty easy to spot.

Chris
n4fan

822. R-390A RXS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: RAMSTA <ramsta@cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3575$24c24880$f09fd8cc@ramsta.inetworld.net>
Source record: 154032

@cts.com
Organization: CTS Network Services
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a large quantity of R-390A rxs for sale. I will sell in lots of 5 or more at $100 each. These rxs have all modules but no meters or top/bottom covers. They are not checked out as far as being operational.

Please call, thank you. George Rancourt K1ANX 413-527-4304

823. Re: Kenwood TH-205

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34DF2C66.1765@onramp.net>
Source record: 154033
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

John Rollins wrote:
>
> After assuming my TH-205 was dead(and before I can get my license! ARGGHH!
> Soon, though...) for a few months, I just dug it out and was playing with
> it. Well, no battery(although I do have the auto adapter and it works well
> with 9V's and the batt pack from my Pro-60) and no sounds. At least I got
> a good antenna out of the deal($35). But wait! The sounds is almost back!
> Still somehwat sporadic, but I THINK I have it tracked. OK, when you take
> the cover off, you stare at four switches/pots. When I tapped on the
> low/high power switch, the sound suddenly came back(and loud, since volume
> was all the way up)! OK, on to the questions.
> First, why would that switch make the sound go away?
> Second, how do I fix it(permament fix)? Does it just need a good
> cleaning(if so, how do you clean such a small boxed in switch?), or should
> I replace it(where do I find a replacement part)?
> Third, where is a cheap source for the newer rubber PTT switch cover, and
> a battery?
> TIA
>
> -JR http://members.tripod.com/~jrollins/index.html - Computers
> http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Lair/1681/ - Star Trek

The volume control pot is broken, common problem.
Part Numbers
Pot R05-3440-05
PTT K29-3054-35

Available from Kenwood Parts Dist.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

824. Re: KENWOO TM-733A $450.00 <<TO MANY POSTINGS>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6bnc5h$4c6@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 154034

Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net> wrote:

Gabe You are posting this ad for you rig several times a day.

At a price of $450 (which was more than I paid new for my 733)

The radio is not being made anymore. The TM-V7 is the current model.

Why are you posing every hour? Are you and idiot?

825. Re: Icom 756 Service Manual??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34DF2DA7.55E4@onramp.net>
Source record: 154035

Lou R. wrote:
>
> Thats a great answer, if you read the post , the question was, "what is a
> Service manual?"
>
> Now seeing that you know maybye you could let me know?
>
> Thanks
>
> Lou R.
>
> Clif wrote in message <34DE8A0A.2FF8@onramp.net>...
> >Lou R. wrote:
> >>
> >> Lou R. wrote in message ...
> >> >I own an Icom 756 Radio. I often hear about Service Manual that you can
> >> get
> >> >for your radio.
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >What exactly will a Service manual do for me and is it worth having?
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >lour@total.net
> >> >
> >> >Lou R.
> >> >
> >> >
> >
> >If you don't know what it is it won't help..
> >--
> >Clif @ AVVid
> >AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> >http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Definition:"Service Manual" A manual showing how to service a particular
radio. It includes alignment criteria.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

826. Re: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Smavatkul" <username@REMOVE.ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <6bndpmnrt1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 154036

I can't get 42 MHz. If I got down to 42, I'll put my scanner at home :)
Here is the frequency coverage,
50-75.995 FM, 76-107.995 WFM, 108-135.995 AM, 136-229.995 FM, 300-399.995 FM, 400-599.995 FM, 600-999.995 FM (with GAP)
I didn't pick up anything on 220 MHz range. Wide FM is wide enough for FM broadcast. Cellular is all over 800-900 MHz.

Chad

Jim - KD6DX wrote in message <6bm6j8$p1h$1@news.ncal.verio.com>...
>Chad, stay in touch. I'm interested in the Icom IC-T8A because of the 6
>meter band. Also, will the Tri-Bander receive down in the 42 Mhz range ?
>E-Mail me at: sakane@wco.com
>
>Jim Sakane - KD6DX
>Transmitter hunting
>http://www.wco.com/~sakane/t-hunt.html

827. Ten Tec Argosy mod article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Scanandoah <aas@vectorbd.com>
Message-ID: <34DF3FC1.4CE3@vectorbd.com>
Source record: 154037

I'm trying to locate a copy of a mid-80's Ham Radio mag article that featured rx improvements for the Argosy. I'm not sure which issue it is. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Tnx - Al, wa2vez

828. Re: IC-706 MKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Odell <o.smith@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bngme$nba@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154038

Hey I did read the manual even with the pl set and the offset set and TX
freq. set and the receive freq. set it still do not TX on 2 meter. Went
through the about ten time and still it do not TX
Transmit is 146.370 with tone VFO B
Receive is 146.970 with VFO A
SPL is 100.0
offset is -600.0
Now what I'm I doing wrong?
Thank you
CJ wrote in message <34DF1291.35B4E55F@wavefront.com>...
>Read the manual.
>
>Odell wrote:
>>
>> Hello to all. How do I set the 706MKII for 2 meter band? I need to know
set
>> the TX and offset plus the PL

829. WTB: YK-88C Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980209181301.NAA20471@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154039

I'm looking to buy a YK-88C 500 Hz CW filter for use in a Kenwood TS-130S. If you have one to sell pls. drop me a line at < rut@mcrut.mv.com >

Thanks & 73-- Phil (K1HS)

830. Re: IC-706 MKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Audrius Brazdeikis <audrius@uh.edu>
Message-ID: <34DF48AF.CD85B24F@uh.edu>
Source record: 154040

Select 2 m band, tune to the desired frq. and scroll through M-functions until SPL is shown (M1), press then the button for about 1 sec. Not only Split is activated, but also the correct offset is set. You can verify the offset by selecting second VFO, i.e. VFO B (Tx frq), while Rx with VFO A

Press Display button to get M-functions if necessary.

You still need to know correct PLs. Ask local Hams.

Audrius, KD5CUV
Odell wrote:

> Hello to all. How do I set the 706MKII for 2 meter band? I need to know set
> the TX and offset plus the PL

831. FS: ICOM IC-775 / DSP Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6bnilhgfr3@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 154041

For Sale - ICOM IC-775 / DSP Transceiver

Absolutely perfect, very little use.
I bought it new about one year ago.
Looks like new, works like new!!

Factory DSP model with following options installed:

- FL-222 (455kHz) 1.9kHz SSB filter
($199.99 new at HRO)

- CR-282 High stability crystal unit
($149.95 new at HRO)

Has ALL up-to-date factory modifications installed.

asking $2800...Includes original box and manual.

--sandy (KW6KW)
sandy@sandy.com
408-257-5383
Cupertino, CA

832. Re: IC-775DSP or FT-1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6bnihlgfr2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 154042

For Sale - ICOM IC-775 / DSP Transceiver

Absolutely perfect, very little use.
I bought it new about one year ago.
Looks like new, works like new!!

Factory DSP model with following options installed:

- FL-222 (455kHz) 1.9kHz SSB filter
($199.99 new at HRO)

- CR-282 High stability crystal unit
($149.95 new at HRO)

Has ALL up-to-date factory modifications installed.

asking $2800...Includes original box and manual.

--sandy (KW6KW)
sandy@sandy.com
408-257-5383
Cupertino, CA

833. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6bnidf$6o0@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 154043

Usually that means the radio will be discontinued - a new radio is on
the way. This helps the retailers clear the shelves. Lets see when is
Dayton...

Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com> wrote:
> Just wanted to let people know it seems that Yaesu has dropped the price of
> the FT-8500. It's now $399 with the Smart Mic and $379 with the MH-39.
> Thats a GREAT deal considering the radio was selling for $589 with the Smart
> Mic and $569 with the MH-39.

> Greg Ottria KE6PTP
> Castro Valley California
> Gottria@Inreach.com
> http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

834. price for Gonset G66 with ac and dc power supply working.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: will Herzog <herzog@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34DF78DB.5B1C@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154044

How much should this go for?
--
Will; K2LB <herzog@frontiernet.net>

835. Re: Dualbander--Icom, Kenwood, or Yaesu?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6bniph$6o0@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 154045

Yaesu FT-50 was the best selling radio in 1997 by far.
Mods are easy (search for FT-50 on Yahoo).
Features are numerous on the FT-50.
Its very rugged. If you use an MaHa Ni-Ma batt like the 1800ma you can
transmit all day.

> Bill:

> The W-32A does out-of-band Rx on UHF right out of the box, the TH-79A
> does not. The FT-51R is way, way overpriced. The W-32A also does Rx in
> the 800-900 band with a simple keyboard mod.

> Al, W2JUV

> ----------------====Posted via Deja News ====----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

836. WTB:Manual/Acc. for Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34DF467B.58DFAB11@compuserve.com>
Source record: 154046

Wanted:

Manual or copy for Icom IC-W32A. Also any accessories
for this rig, especially the wall charger and HM-46 handmike.

Thanks and 73,

Jim K2NAX

837. FS:Icom BC-72 Desk Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34DF4714.E5A44F65@compuserve.com>
Source record: 154047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale:

Icom BC-72 Desk Charger and power supply.
Will ship to you CONUS for $60.

Also, Icom HM-70 handmike for W2A. This is the
bigger one, great for mobile ops. LN in box. Will
ship in CONUS for $20.

Jim K2NAX

838. Oscilloscopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Davidsaver <pepsidog@netins.net>
Message-ID: <34DF6487.70E8@netins.net>
Source record: 154048

Need recommendations

I would like to buy a used oscilloscope for a couple of budding
(junior high) electronics types. I haven't used one for about
15 years, but believe I would like something which will store
a wave. It doesn't have to be particularly fast. Dual trace
is also not required. I have found a number of companies on the
web which offer equipment for sale, but I don't know much about
the models listed.

Comments on the following would be appreciated:

Fluke 93 (~$600) I thought they made vohms!
Is this really a scope?

HP 1741A (~$700) Says it's dual channel storage

Also I have an interesting advertisement from a British company
called PICO technology which sells a variety of scope hardware/software
add-ons to a PC. Has anybody bought from them?

Any comments appreciated

Mark Davidsaver

839. ARC-115 docs wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W.Venema@inter.NL.net
Message-ID: <6bnnu2$1a6$1@news.utrecht.NL.net>
Source record: 154049

L.S.,

I am looking for (a copy of) the schematics, or the manual of an
ARC-115 VHF xcvr.

840. Icom IC-2000H mod wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <BSJD.64$8l2.343789@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 154050

I seem to remember that there is a simple mod, like cutting a wire, for the IC-2000H 2 meter transceiver. I t is supposed to permit out of band transmit. Anyone ever heard of that one? I need that for an experiment on a special receiver. I want to use the IC-2000H as a kind of signal generator. Please reply to the group.

73 VE2CJW.

841. Yaesu 8500. How does this rate compared to other Dual Banders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: spambuster@greeneggs.com
Message-ID: <6bnoq5$apq@elf.wang.com>
Source record: 154051

I'm about to spring for a dual bander (2 / 440), and am attracted to the Yaesu 8500. Does anyone have any experience with this radio? Is the receiver hot? It it immune to intermod? Does it have rugged construction? Are there any reliability problems? Would I be better off with the 8100?

I would probably buy it without the Mr. Potato head microphone.

I presently own a Yaesu 2500, and am pretty pleased with the unit.

Thanks
Chris

Please respond to

chris.shustak@eastmansoftware.com

842. FS: TS-940S/AT, needs work...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bharrison@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <bharrison-0902981553590001@1cust13.tnt17.tco2.da.uu.net>
Source record: 154052

Hello,

I have a TS-940 S/AT with owner's and service manual
that needs a microprocessor board. The existing board
is very erratic, has been cracked, and also buggered up
a bit from a poor solder repair.

Would like to find a microprocessor board for this radio,
or will sell it for $500 (rest of the radio looks great
inside and out)....

regards,

brian
kn4r

near Charlotte NC (zip 28037)

704 483-5679
bharrison@earthlink.net

843. Re: Ham stuff for sale cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: j.no@iies.es
Message-ID: <34DF6D2C.6D96@iies.es>
Source record: 154053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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J&J Mac wrote:
>
> Amen... I had the Six'er
> What a blast.. If only we could get that type of kit today..
>
> Jim..
>
> Mike white wrote:
>
> > > > Now THAT is REAL RADIO folks!!!!... A Benton Harbor Lunch Box on your
> > bike handelbars...
> >
> > Boy, you've got *my* respect!!!
> >
> > > The Twoer was my first 2-mtr rig, when I was 14...
> >
> > Me too! I had a coaxial antenna stuck up in the top of a pine tree, fed
> > with RG-8 that looked like it was left over from the Crimean War! It's a
> > wonder that I got out at all. Ahhh..... memories.
> >
> > Mike, N4PDY
nice discharge of nostalgia!
Javier EA1FC (since 1953)
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844. Re: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stefan Kowal <100627.3426@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#RgMxRZN9GA.232@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 154054

I have one of these sets, though it is the T8E (UK) version.
I do not have a great deal of detail yet since it is new to me.
It will not RX below 50mHz as far as I know.

The set can RX on input when using a repeater by pressing the
squelch key. (it may be called 'monitor' on the US version.)

The thing which dissapoints me is that the RX mode is preset and
cannot be altered except for some very selective parts of the
band - you can swop between am and fm from 300 -400mHz and there
is some wide fm facility. I cannot understand why you cannot
manually swop rx mode across the whole of the rx range.

I will be pleased to swop info and mod info with other users when
available.

Stefan, G0BJW

845. Re: Wanted: KAM Plus TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Quinton Gleason <gleason@azstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <34DF7E0A.2DD6@azstarnet.com>
Source record: 154055

Rick,

I have a Kam Plus, Version 7.0 firmware, with kantronics software,all manuals, cables, original box that I want to sell. The unit is in excellent condition and has been used less that 10hrs. Asking $100.00 firm and I'll pay for ground shipping.

Quinton Gleason KD7VI
Tucson, AZ

846. Re: ICOM 706MKII Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curt Jutzi <cjutzi@extra.jf.intel.com>
Message-ID: <34DEEC4E.2A841DA1@extra.jf.intel.com>
Source record: 154056

Richard Jellicoe wrote:

> I am planning to buy an ICOM IC706MKII for my father for his birthday.
> Since I know little about ham radio's I am asking the group for some
> help here.
>
> I understand that the radio will need two antenna's, one for 144mhz and
> one for 50mhz and hf bands. What is a good antenna for the 50/hf bands,
> I would like to get something really small so he can drive into his
> garage.
>
> Do I need to get the AT180 antenna tuner, if so then what type of
> antenna to I need for that??
>
> What other options do I need to make this a complete mobile package so
> my dad does not need to buy anything eles??
>
> Any help with this would be helpfull
>
> Richard

I picked up a Commet GP15 Base that covers 2m & 6m.. It wasn't a
good idea.. you can pick up a decent 6m antenna from HRO or
some other place. that would be my recommondation..

As for the antenna tuner.. I don't have one, and all is well without.
As for mobil use I'm not sure. Depends on your antenna, and the
range of the antenna you are using.

as for mobil.. I'm not sure what you'll need. But you will need
Radio
mounting bracket
as for antenna.. I've heard that a 5/8 (non loaded) 2m works well
on 6m. You'll need to ask how narrow, or wide banded the antenn
is on 6m.. but if your looking at mobil I've heard that works quite
well..

Curt

847. Re: FS: Russian Submarine 12 kW PA - full legal power at SWR 5:1...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doran Platt <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34DF8AFF.2177285E@erols.com>
Source record: 154057

Bea and Marvin Jones wrote:

> NRC <nrc@netvigator.com> wrote:
> : Hello everybody,
>
> : There is the most powerfull and rear amplifier on sale.
> : Russian submarine 100 % military BRAND new Transmitter
> : exiter and Amplifier. " PLAMIA" brand.
>
> I'd kinda like to have the "cabinet" it came in.... :-)
>
> Jonesy W3DHJ

Yeah... but how about the Part 15 acceptance????? hi hi

848. WTB: KENWOOD DSP-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc535b$81f556c0$76f21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 154058

Hi All, Looking to buy a Knwd DSP-100 in clean and good working order.

Leave info and the dollar amount and a phone number , Thank you. Marty.
WA2MC.

849. !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!Yaesu FT-8100 PROBLEMS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Kuziv <kuziv@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <6bo4sa$2ut$1@comet3.magicnet.net>
Source record: 154059

Has anyone experienced problems with their FT-8100's duing transmit?My unit will stay keyed even after releasing the PTT button on the mic,usually happens on VHF only!!!!!!!.Please respond via e-mail to kuziv@magicnet.net

850. VFO-120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: pflautt@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <6bo5lk$r24@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 154060

Have a mint external VFO-120 for sale.
Also have 2 SP-120 for sale.
Name is Paul.
Please reply by e-mail
pflautt@netpluscom.com or phone 614-864-3100 aft
6:00 pm est.
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pflautt@freenet.columbus.oh.us
paul.j.flautt@ameritech.com
pflautt@netpluscom.com

851. IC-706 vs. TS-50S?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Unterweiser <Xmind_games@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DF9607.6AFD@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154061

Anyone have experience with both the Icom IC-706 and the Kenwood TS-50S? Besides the Icom's VHF capabilities above 30Mhz, how do they compare?

Paul

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To reply, remove "x" from address.
Visit our webpage at:
http://home.earthlink.net/~mind_games/

852. Re: TS-440S Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6bo7d8qip1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 154062

Hi Bull.
I also have a ts440s I bought new in '89. It's a real nice radio. One of the times I rearranged my whole station, I had the problem with both of my mikes also. I unplugged all lines to the rig one at a time. I found that when I pulled out the "FSK OUT" line to my Kam, perfect transmit audio was restored. Turned out I had a ground loop through the line. If you have more than one path to ground coming from the rig, yank em one at a time. May get lucky.

73... Mike

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Mike Pender Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
Steam@megsinet.net or N9IVO@Amsat.org
Fax: 708-795-7003
Amateur Radio Call: N9IVO W.A.S. DXCC 10X-66444
A.M.A 529703
I.B.E.W. Local 9 Lineman 17 years.

Bull 66 wrote in message <19980208151800.KAA27761@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
>Wondering if anyone else who has a Kenwood TS-440S had any problems with
>distorted audio which gets worse with processor on?
>1. The rig is about 10 years old and has not been aligned since new.
>2. The problem does not appear on AM or FM xmt.
>3. The stock mike was tried with same results.
>4. Mike used now is KW MC-80
>I may have remembered reading a while back another ham stating he had the same
>type problem. Power, RX, etc is fine and I think it just may need a alignment
>in the TX section. Power supply being used is 50A peak Antron. Any help much
>appreciated - Thanks . . . . . .

853. Marine SSB for sale - Yaesu FT-180A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aor@gteais.com
Message-ID: <887071930.364511243@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154063
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.electronics,rec.boats,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Yaesu FT-180A Marine SSB never installed.
Unit is in the factory box with all paperwork and accessories.
Microphone and DC power cord are included (never opened!).
Manuals are in English and Spanish.

The FT-180 is a rugged, compact Marine SSB Transceiver capable
of HF base or mobile operation. The unit covers transmit and
receive frequency (simplex or duplex) pairs from 1.6 to 18 MHz.
Power output is 100 watts PEP. Modulation modes supported are J3E
(USB/LSB) and H3E (AM). A built-in fan cools the final amplifier
to remove excessive heat. Powered by 12V-13.8V DC.

All controls and buttons have a rubber seal, cover or grommet to
keep moisture and dirt out. This unit will work an a car, boat,
or home because of its rugged design. This rig can be used on other
frequencies or bands other than Marine SSB. The manual covers the
frequency selection. There are other discussions on the Internet
USENET where this rig was used as a mobile radio outside of the Marine
bands for public/government service. OK on Amateur Bands.

The unit complies with the strict United States FCC Marine SSB rules:
21.900(k), 74.402(D),81, 83, 87 & 90 at the time of mfgr.
The transmitter has a temperature controlled crystal oven (TXCO) to
keep transmit frequencies accurate. Stability is better than +/-10 PPM.
A receive clarifier helps tune in other stations that may not be on
frequency.

New units are sold at South Midlands Communications.

I am looking to sell this Marine SSB radio for $500 US OBO. Shipping
weight is 10-12 pounds (4-5 Kg). I will ship and insure to CONUS US
states.

A photo can be found at: http://www.smc-comms.com/radios/ft-180a-hf.jpg

Al, NW2M
aor@gteais.com

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854. Re: Butternut HF6VX vs. Cushcraft R700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: j.no@iies.es
Message-ID: <34DF0201.3962@iies.es>
Source record: 154064

Andrew McFarland wrote:
>
> Fishing for recommendations. Assuming I don't really care about WARC
> bands, is there a good reason to pay the extra $140 for the Cushcraft?
> I'm aware there's an optional counterpoise kit for the Butternut, but it
> isn't clear if the Cushcraft includes one, won't benefit from one, or
> whatever. Note: I 'm less interested in a discussion of real radials vs.
> counterpoise than I am in getting the best bang for my buck. Any
> first-hand experiences?
>
> -Thanks
> Andrew - N7VTB

I have used the Butternut for more than 16 years, well installed on a
nice metallic roof and it is a delight.

I have some nylon strings supporting it loosely at two heights. I let it
swing about one foot

JAvier EA1FC (1953)

855. Heathkit Web Site?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: XSavageFam@paonline.com
Message-ID: <34df6316.1161008@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 154065

Does anyone know of a Heathkit user/enthusiast Web site or Usenet group? If so, I hope you'll post it. Many thanks.

K3AN

856. Re: Heathkit Web Site?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenn, AA5PK" <aa5pk@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <6boals$sh@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154066

>Does anyone know of a Heathkit user/enthusiast Web site or Usenet group?

Here's a good place to start.

http://members.accessus.net/~dwentz/kb9jja/heathkit/

Glenn AA5PK

857. Need mods for new Icom T-8A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: thelone_ranger@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <886997109.1325006855@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154067

I heard that some of the blocked bands can be restored
by holding down certain keys while turning on rig.
Any help would be appreciated in getting mods to restore
blocked bands. Thanks... Rodger

Please reply to: thelone_ranger@hotmail.com

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858. FS SABER SI UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34DFB18D.2E2B@pacbell.net>
Source record: 154068

I have for sale a saber si (model 3) on frequency range of 403 to 470 mhz.Has full key pad and 2 line alpha display.Looks like and astro and uses an astro programming cable.Radio,belt clip,antenna and high capacity battery.$700
AL

859. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnult <dnult@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <34DFAF13.5248@concentric.net>
Source record: 154069

Don't forget the W32A has a lighted keypad unlike the Kenwood. As for
battery life, I experienced the same thing. However after the first 5
or so charge cycles, battery life is greatly improved. Ditto on second
sourced batteries. I just bought a Maha 7.2V 1000mAh. IMHO the Icom
W32A is the best buy.

73s de KI5XW
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++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++
+ To reply, remove ".junkmailfilter" +
+ from the address. +
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Craig Patterson wrote:
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> "Greg Ottria" <Gottria@Inreach.com> wrote:
>
> >Any comments on the IC-32A? I'm looking for a good dualband HT. Yaesu is a
> >bit on the pricey side with the 51R with a 5 watt pack and I don't care for
> >Kenwood. Saw the modification for the 32A and what people were actually
> >getting for transmit and receive.
>
> I've had mine for about 3 months.
>
> CONS:
> Battery charge life is a little on the short side. It's a little heavy
> (about 16oz). Doesn't do cross band repeat (a hardware mod is
> supposedly around). Will show alpha labels or freq, but not both. New
> Icom batteries for this unit are expensive (go with a Maha or other
> clone).
>
> PROS:
> Price is right. Controls are easy to use (has guide function as well).
> Battery voltage indicator is nice. No function key! Wide band rx.
>
> Would I buy it again? Yes. $80 cheaper than the Kenwood 79A, $100
> cheaper than the Yaesu 51. Currently, you get the computer programming
> software and cable ($40) free with a new unit.
>
> Craig
>
> ---
> Craig L. Patterson -=*=- KCï¿½CGF -=*=- Olathe KS -=*=- CPatterson@CSi.com
> http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/CPatterson
> PGP public Key - http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/CPatterson/pgp.htm

> ----------

860. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard O. Kinkead" <richard-kinkead@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6boc7t$dcu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154070

Craig Patterson wrote in message <34df2ade.7241177@news.compuserve.com>...
>"Greg Ottria" <Gottria@Inreach.com> wrote:
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>>bit on the pricey side with the 51R with a 5 watt pack and I don't care
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>>getting for transmit and receive.
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>(about 16oz). Doesn't do cross band repeat (a hardware mod is
>supposedly around).

Actually, an addendum is contained in the box with a keystroke sequence to
activate cross band repeat.
So you do not need to do surgery for this.
However, the W32a does not do one-way x-band rpt like the FT51R.

Richard.

861. Help with mobile noise reduction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: zygo@azstarnet.com
Message-ID: <zygo-0902981912080001@dialup10ip34.tus.azstarnet.com>
Source record: 154071

Anybody out there with experience in reducing HF mobile noise in a Toyota Tacoma V6 pickup (or comparable vehicle)? I'm getting S-7 to S-8 noise on both of my rigs (Ten-Tec Scout and ICOM 706-II. The noise blankers take out the ignition impulses quite nicely but I still have a slightly ragged "white noise" background that shows no change with engine speed. I'm assuming it's from the car's computer. It's all to the antenna. No noise with ant disconnected. Antenna now is a mag-mounted Hamstick giving good results. But sure would like to be able to copy weaker sigs .....

Jim W7JIT

862. FS: MFJ Duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Morley" <endeavor@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34DFC3AB.B101962C@ultranet.com>
Source record: 154072

Hi,

I have for sale a brand new 2M/70CM duplexer. This item is MFJ part number MFJ-916. Asking $20.00 (includes shipping in the U.S.)

Best 73's

John KA1JMF

863. FS: Yaesu FT 767GX +6+2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6boj6i$o68$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

this unit is clean and nice allworks fine!! If you know it you will want it for $1250 shipped. If you dont, ask me! Its got EVERYTHING!

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864. FS: Swan MK-II Linnear NICE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6bojcb$o6s$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This one has 2 @ 3-500z's full out put and looks and works good. $550.pluss shipping puts it to your house and you have big power for cheap!! Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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865. For Sale: Yaesu FT 840 w FC-10 Auto tuner SALE !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6bok1ropu1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

THis unit looks like new and so does the external tuner. THis rig was $1279 plus shipping 6 months ago, today Ill ship it to you for $775. Makes great mobile or base! Has mic manual and boxes. Hurry. Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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866. FS: Kenwood TS 530 S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6bokb3$p4t$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154076
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice unit, loaded w\filters, MC 50 mic, good working condition and looks pretty fair. Top has a few flaw in the paint but nothin deep. Thanks Murra Neece Odessa, TX

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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867. FS: Yaesu FT 747 good clean cheap $395.oo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6bokk6$p82$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good clean, works perfect, great little mobile rig. Cant miss!! $395 shipped conus. Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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868. Re: Yaesu 8500. How does this rate compared to other Dual Banders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34DFC403.7A4E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154078

administrator wrote:
>
> I'm about to spring for a dual bander (2 / 440), and am attracted to the
> Yaesu 8500. Does anyone have any experience with this radio? Is the receiver
> hot? It it immune to intermod? Does it have rugged construction? Are
> there any reliability problems? Would I be better off with the 8100?
>
> I would probably buy it without the Mr. Potato head microphone.
>
> I presently own a Yaesu 2500, and am pretty pleased with the unit.
>
> Thanks
> Chris
>
> Please respond to
>
> chris.shustak@eastmansoftware.com

I just played with one today....with the MR. Potato Head Mike.
I think it is a good value at the $365 price I have seen from many
Dealers. The radio must be about to be replaced by a newer model.
However, the price is excellent.
Steve NS1R

869. Re: icom ic-2350 mod needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmgillah@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6bohn6$b1h$1@bumbletown.me>
Source record: 154079

Dave Gillahan (dmgillah@mtu.edu) wrote:
:
: Please help! I need mod info on the ic2350h. I have looked at common
: places such as oak.oakland but the mods I found weren't very discriptive.
: They all say cut wire W1 and diodes D8 and D9. W1 is easy to find
: but the diodes aren't labeled. I don't want to cut the wrong one!
: Thatks in advance. Please respond by direct email.
: --

Mod found!!! You need it, too? Check out my webpage:
http://radiolink.net/ki8dl/ic2350.html

Good luck and 73.
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Dave Gillahan dmgillah@mtu.edu Michigan Technological University
Office: (906) 487-3443 ki8dl@usa.net http://radiolink.net/ki8dl
ki8dl@w8yy.#upmi.mi.usa.noam
Amateur Radio: work long hours,
get no money, and call it fun. Without integrity, one has nothing
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870. Yaesu FORSALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicky <lucky@con2.com>
Message-ID: <34DFD16A.810980A8@con2.com>
Source record: 154080

I have a Yaesu 101EX excellent condition with freq counter and antenna tuner. All for
$300 or best offer , 10-160 meters. A nice 110 watts pep . Check out my web page !
Nicky's World

871. Icom IC-2000H mod wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <887084229.1000865802@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154081

I seem to remember that there is a simple mod, like cutting a wire, for the IC-2000H 2 meter transceiver. It is supposed to permit out of band transmit. Anyone ever heard of that one? I need that for an experiment on a special receiver. I want to use the IC-2000H as a kind of signal generator. Please reply to the group.

73 VE2CJW.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

872. * FS List with pictures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <bill@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <01bd34f0$29a33880$a5203fce@bill.halcyon.com>
Source record: 154098

I am selling some of the items I am no longer using. Each item on the list below has a hot link to a picture or pictures of the item. You will have to use the back button on your browser to get back to this message.

My terms of sale are as follows:
I will not ship outside the US.
Payment should be by cashiers check or money order.

You can view my high integrity rating on eBay.

You may contact me by email at bill@halcyon.com

Here are the items!

Index Laboratories QRP Plus

160-10 meter CW/SSB transceiver. This is the latest (last) version they sold. It has never been used in the field and has been used very little in my ham shack. It has a built in keyer and audio filter.

This rig runs some of the best full break-in CW I have ever found. It has a general coverage receiver.

It will come in its original box.

This is the best QRP rig ever made. The original cost was $695.00.

There is a brochure included. The manual is also there.

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/qrp-fnt.jpg

Sale price is $525.00

Antenna Manual

The Antenna Manual was published by Editors and Engineers in 1948. It was written by Woodrow Smith. I like this book on antennas because it has practical antennas in it. It actually tells how to build them. It is not just a bunch of theory.

The cover has a water spot on it. The book is hardbound and 306 pages.

The table of contents has the following chapters: Radiation and Propagation of Radio Waves, Transmission Lines, Basic Antenna Theory, Low and Medium Frequency Antenna systems, High Frequency Antenna systems, VHF and UHF Antenna Systems, Receiving Antenna considerations, Coupling to the Antenna system, Measuring Equipment and Techniques, Antennas for navigational Aids, Index.

This is a great collector's item.

The link below shows one of the pages from the book.

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/ant-bk.JPG

Sale price is $22.00.

MM-3 Keyer

This is one of the famous keyers from AEA. These are now collector's items. AEA has not sold them for about 3 years now. There won't be any more of these!

The keyer has more features than any I have ever used, memory, contest mode, contest simulator, serial number, paddle reverse, and much more. I have included a picture of the label on the front of the keyer that has a list of all of the functions.

The keyer comes with a manual.

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mm3-lab.jpg

The front of the keyer can be viewed at:

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mm3-fnt.jpg

The rear of the keyer can be viewed at:

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mm3-rear.jpg

Sale price is $165.00

Russian Keyer

To my knowledge there were 30 of these chrome beauties imported from Russia in 1991. I worked for the company that was going to import them from Russia. I kept 2 when the deal fell through!

These are 100 % chrome plated. They are very striking. The keyer is build into the base of the keyer. The keyer is rather low tech. There is no memory, or dot/dash completion.

I don't even like the feel of the paddle.

What I do like is having a unique keyer. Think of owning one of the 30 that were imported. This keyer was written up in CQ and if my memory serves me right was in Dave Ingraham's Keys book.

The paddle contacts are solid silver. The key weighs almost 4 pounds! It isn't going to slide around.

There are no instructions for the keyer. It was not hard to figure out when I made several of them work.

Here are 2 views of the keyer. The knob is the speed control.

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/r-key2.jpg
http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/r-key1.jpg

Cost is $160.00

MFJ Morse Keyboard Keyer

This is the MFJ Morse Keyboard Keyer model MFJ-451. It is new and has never been used on the air! It was purchased for evaluation. That was done on the bench and it was never used again. I have no instructions for it!

MFJ says it has a 200 character type-ahead buffer and two 100 character message memories. It accepts an IBM style keyboard with the large DIN connector as the input device.

Here is a link to a front view of the keyer.

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mfj-fnt.jpg

Here is a rear view of the keyer.

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mfj-bk.jpg

Cost is $70.00

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Reply to bill@halcyon.com

873. FS: Yaesu FT-80C HF land mobile radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.H. Oemar" <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <34DE594E.6687@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 154099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale, used HF land mobile radio:

Yaesu FT-80C + MH-1B8 hand scanning mic.

Used for 1 year, very good condition, 20 memory channels w/ scan function, 1.5-30MHz Tx/Rx, 100W, SSB AM CW, small footprint 9.4" x 3.7" x 9.4" 7.2 lb, photo copy of user manual. $550 shipped.

Please email if interested.

73,
Richard H. Oemar

874. Shack Cleaning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <34e36a3f.101535271@news2.humboldt1.com>
Source record: 154100

Hi I have these Idems for sale:
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1. MFJ 1278 Packet/All-Mode TNC $125.00
Packet, CW, SSTV, RTTY, AMTOR
3-Books and PS & patch cord

2. Jennins Vacuum Variable $75.00
1000 PF @ 3KV

3. Yaesu 101-EE Very Clean, with $300.00
CW filter Book and Hand Mic.
Very late SN. Works Very Well.

4. HeathKit HW-12A with AC & DC $150.00
power supplys. Good Cond.

5. Yaesu FC-700 Antenna Tuner $100.00
Has built-in Watt Meter,
Dummy Load, By-pass Switch
Matches FT-757GX, FT-707
and others of that size.

6. Icom HM-14 Touch Tone Hand Mic. $45.00
(NEW)

7. Regency HR2B and GLB Digital $45.00
Frequency Synthesizer, Service
manual for HR2B and books on
the GLB

8. General Radio 220 Variac 2KV $50.00
9 Amp.

9. Ten-Tec Model KR-2 CW Paddles $40.00
Good Cond.

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

Thanks,
Boyd N6DMF

875. kenwood interface FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6blq4p$67c@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 154101
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have the "W1GEE LUC-3 INTERFACE for Kenwood radios.
Never used... 45.00 I'll ship.
thanks..GENE/WM9H

wm9h@execpc.com

876. Re: Alternator whine on FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdmilner@ns.auracom.com
Message-ID: <34de718c.14759830@news.auracom.com>
Source record: 154102

David Rose <fdrose@ibm.net> wrote:

>This is a mystery to me because this radio just came out of my 1991 Ford
>Explorer, also wired directly to the battery with the same power cord
>and I didn't have any alternator noise in the two years since I install the

check the route the cable takes. it may be picking up the noise
inductively through closer proximity to the alternator. Toroids on the
lead may help as you probably know :).

73,

Dean, VE1CBF VE1CBF@qsl.net
10-X 31826 FN96VC

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! remove ns from domain name above

877. Re: TS-440S Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: km6ce@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980209040101.XAA12482@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154103

send it to kenwood for repair/align dont mess with it

878. WTB: FT301sd Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <UavD.9R.2409035@news.mt.net>
Source record: 154104

Howdy From Helena, Montana. I am looking for an FP301D (pw supply with clock) and an FV301 (external VFO) for my FT301SD. I have a FL-110 (linear amp) I am willing to trade for both. I am staying qrp with the rig and do not need the amp.
Bill

879. FS yaesu 757gx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8amh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980209042300.XAA16073@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154105

I have a yaesu 757gx with hand mic,manuals,schmatics, and DC power cord
Has MARS mod done. Transmitts .500 to 30mhz and recieves the same.
It is in good condition and works excellent. Asking $475 and I will ship.
Any other question please e-mail me.

880. WTB : Drake gear, accessories and Desktop Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN-MARIE CHERRY <jmc@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd3515$65ad8d60$2d0d0dc3@Jammy>
Source record: 154106

Hi Gang,

i am a "Crazy Drake Lover" WTB : Drake gear, accessoriesn equipment (dead or alive).

Also looking for desktop microphones, Astatic , shure etc...

Best regards,
Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

881. Schematics for military FM transceiver of RT524 and AN/PRC-77

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kyoo Nam Choi <knchoi@falcon.icc.ac.kr>
Message-ID: <34DE8EA3.2497@falcon.icc.ac.kr>
Source record: 154107

I am trying to modify the old military FM transceiver for use in the amateur bans. If anyone has a source or schematic diagrams, please inform me. Or any useful information for the modification.

882. USED RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6bm365djn3@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 154108
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but will consider all. I buy non working units also, including parts. Please reply by E Mail for a prompt reply.

Thanks,

883. Tokyo Hy-Power linear amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alfonso Garcia <almartin806@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bm33a$jb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154109

Does anybody know where can I find replacement parts for a Tokyo Hy-Power linear amplifier. What do I need is the band selector for the 500 watts model.
Any information will be appreciated.

Thanks.
Al Martin.
YV5GPA / W4
Fl.

884. WTB: Swan SS-200, SS-100 or SS-15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6blo70$sk3@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 154110

Hi,
I am looking for one of these in unmodified condition. Let me know if
you have a unit for sale. Thanks and 73,
tim

885. icom ic-2350 mod needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmgillah@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6bm5ihmm1@bumbletown.me>
Source record: 154111

Please help! I need mod info on the ic2350h. I have looked at common
places such as oak.oakland but the mods I found weren't very discriptive.
They all say cut wire W1 and diodes D8 and D9. W1 is easy to find
but the diodes aren't labeled. I don't want to cut the wrong one!
Thatks in advance. Please respond by direct email.
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Dave Gillahan dmgillah@mtu.edu Michigan Technological University
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ki8dl@w8yy.#upmi.mi.usa.noam
Amateur Radio: work long hours,
get no money, and call it fun. Without integrity, one has nothing
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886. KDK UHF mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34DEC86F.73CB@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154112

I have for sale an KDK-440 UHF mobil radio.

16 channel, 10 watts output with PL tone encode & decode.

Syntisized, you program.
$150 dollars John in Roch NY. (KF2VW) 716.352.8713

887. HCX100 motorola

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34DEC985.6EBF@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 154113

Ive got the MCX100 mobil radio for sale...

Rugged box unit with control head & cable.
9 channel synthisized. Scan & PL tone included.
approx 45 watts output.
$100.

John in Rochester NY 716.352.8713

888. RE: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6bmaaokor1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 154114

I have not even heard of it nor have I saw it yet in QST or CQVHF.
But I WOULD like to know more about it, I guess I'll swing over to HRO and
see if they have any specs on it yet. Hmmm, let me know if you have any.
thanks...

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73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

889. ADMS-1D &FT50 a hack to fix one of the problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfurno@interact.net.au
Message-ID: <34dec5e9.8645931@news.interact.net.au>
Source record: 154115

I got the latest ADMS-1D software last week for my FT50rd "wft50.exe ver 1.07" and was disapointed there seemed to be a bug with the TX shift option defaulting to .000 with any offset over 1 mhz i could program the 5.2 mhz offset once then it would default back to 5.000 mhz loosing the .200 this was anoying to say the least it even did the same thing with the 7.6 and 1.6 mhz offset. anyway after changing some of the of the program code with my trusty xtreegold 3 "you know view/hex/edit" i now have it doing what it should have in the first place i also changed the default tx offset list while i was in there so i now have relevant offsets for easy use.
If you have this problem trying to program your ft50 here is what to do...

open the WFT50.EXE with editor "i used xtgold 3 view, hex, edit" but any editor will do if it can open a exe file as you only have to change ascii charactors and make sure it save the file in it's original state and not add any extra byte to the file or it won't work! find the text area inside the file that has the offsets and step rates and all the default VFO freqs at the end of the that lot of text find the text sting that says %3d kHz %1d.%03d MHz and change that to %3d kHz %ld.%03ldMHz basicly you are just adding two small L s and the mhz squeezes up cos you adding with out changing the byte size of the file you might have to leave the z off mhz not sure if i did or not. thats it and if all goes well it will keep using whatever offset you choose as long as it's 50 khz resolution oh and while you at it you can change your default offset list you will see the list above the lines you just edited just change them to what ever you use ie 7.6 MHz to 5.2 MHz or the 1 MHz to 4.6Mz note you can't expand on the bytes used "well not that i know how to"

good luck hope this info is useful also if there are any advanced people reading this that know how to unlock the 870mhz block out please let me know or any other info about the ft50r already have the freeband mod.
****
Bye
Bill
E-Mail bfurno@interact.net.au
****

890. Scout for Sale - Price Reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki3b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980209110201.GAA16266@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154116

Ten Tec Scout 555 For Sale

All band modules 10-80 meters, noise blanker,
hand microphone, mobile bracket. Works ok,
looks good $600 plus 1/2 shipping

Joe KI3B

KI3B@aol.com

891. FS Kam Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <34DEE519.2F24@total.net>
Source record: 154117

FOR SALE ** KAM PLUS BY KANTRONICS ** With Pactor support.

This unit was used for 2 months and then put aside. I am now moving to
a smaller home and cannot accommodate all my gear.
Asking $100.00 or reasonable offer.
73 Josh VE2JKK

892. Re: Butternut HF6VX vs. Cushcraft R700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: eborys <eborys@inwave.com>
Message-ID: <01bd355a$68cb13b0$2600a8c0@eborys>
Source record: 154118

Andy, I installed an R7 (previous model) this winter. Both these ants are
a compromise technically, but for a large house - small lot - no tall
trees, they are an expedient solution. The R7 tuned to the low end of all
the bands in 20 min. Rig is an icom756, 100 wts, and I have no complaints
about the ability to qso whether U.S. or dx. The R7 is great for an all
band ant and will stay in service along with the result of a more serious
antenna effort for 40 cw this summer. Sorry, I have no experience with the
HF6VX, but when evaluating these antennas I think you can ignore any
manufacturer's claims of performance in making your decision.
emil, ak9i
Andrew McFarland <amcfarland@symantec.com> wrote in article
<34DA5578.F62@symantec.com>...
> Fishing for recommendations. Assuming I don't really care about WARC
snip
> Andrew - N7VTB
>

893. Re: KENWOO TM-733A $450.00 BEST N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6bmuq9$76@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 154119

Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net> wrote:

I see this post three times a day.

Are you having a problem selling the radio at this price?

894. Re: ** Making a FT747GX legal again **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stockton <david_stockton@hp.com>
Message-ID: <34DEFE97.4391@hp.com>
Source record: 154120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greg Milligan wrote:
>
> Apparently to convert a FT747GX to provide continuous transmit capabilities
> between 1.5MHz - 30MHz you cut a wire and dial up a certain frequency,
> switch off the radio and then switch it back on again and hey presto you
> have general coverage TX/RX. The details for this modification seems to be
> widely available.
> However I am interested in reversing this modification, back to its correct
> HAM band / General coverage RX configuration. Has anybody successfully
> tried it?
>

I don't believe that this affects legality either way, the programmed band limits are a bit wider than the superset of the different regions band allocations, so even with this modification reversed, the thing will still be capable of transmitting on out-of-band frequencies.

It's probably worth doing the reverse mod just to reduce the risk of finger trouble, although a modern radio set for wideband output, with the power throttled back and a decent output attenuator makes, a very useful synthesised signal generator at a tiny fraction of the normal cost, and with much more comprehensive modulation facilities.

Perhaps the best approach would be for a radio to have its PA enabled for the normal bands, but to have a transverter output available at all frequencies? I've used a synth radio with 10Hz steps and an oscilloscope to develop crystal filters. With one of those computer interfaces from a PC and a detector into an analogue port, things could be automated somewhat.

Cheers
David GM4ZNX

895. Yaesu FT-5100 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6bn007$236$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 154121

Hello all.
First of all, Let me say I have absolutely loved using the FT-5100.
Questions:

1) My 5100 recently started showing symptoms of bad performance on the 440 side. I went on a road trip with a friend, and as we entered a new town, he was able to pick up 440 repeaters a goof 30 miles before I could. We could both key them up and talk on them, only he could hear them and I could not. I switched my HT out with the radio, and my HT could work the repeater fine. It seems my receiver is a bit dead. Anyone else experience this?

2) About 3 weeks ago, I noticed a repeater was more distorted than usual. I turned the 440 side 5kc's down and it came in just fine. It looks as though the receiver has been bumped 5kc up. This did not affect the sensitivity problem described above, that was always there and still is. Anyone else?

3) For as long as we have owned the radio, sometimes the S-meter on the subband side (only when 440 is in the subband) goes full scale and there is no signal. Even with no antenna connected. It flutters quickly at times, too. I mentioned this to my dad when we first got it and he said he never saw it do it and if it became a problem we would send it in under warranty. Well, we never sent it in because it wasn't a performance problem. However, if you key the radio or "flick" the top of the display with your index finger, the s-meter usually stops wigging out. sounds like a short somewhere to me? Anyone else?

4) Does yaesu repair radios that have been modified? I've been thinking of doing the extended receive mod, But maybe I should wait until the radio comes back from repair if i decide to send it in?

5) Should i send it in? I know that a common problem with the 5100 has been the display lights burning out and they are human-hair-sized lightbulb leads, and difficult to replace. Rather than monkey with it and risk breaking the radio, when the light(s) do go, i think i will send it in for them to be replaced. Should I wait?? I know it's more of a personal question, but it seems to me it may be cheaper to have all the problems looked at all at once. Otherwise, I have no idea how much it costs to have just the lights replaced, if i were to do that later on. plus it leaves me w/o a radio for longer. :(I have been able to extend the life of my bulbs longer than a lot of 5100's i've seen. I use the manual-brightness mode so that the auto-mode is turned off, and often keep the lights entirely off, except when i am driving at night, which is sort of rare. I would say about 40% of the ontime uses the incandescent bulbs, which has helped me preserve the life, i think. Any comments?

Thanks all--- please reply if you have comments or questions, this has been floating in my mind for a while and I would like to see some ideas. The radio is on loan to me and I want to return it in better condition than I got it--- :)

-Joe, N8OUZ
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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

896. HELP! IC-2350H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6bn0id$27q$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 154122

Hi all...
my friend called me last night... he is trying to do the ext. receive mod or something to his Icom IC-2350H. Problem? Yes. All the mods say to do something with say, Diode "number 8" but all that is marked on the board is "diode 6 and diode 7" and we are not sure wether we should assume the next diode in the row is "8" or not. Does someone know if there is a mod that draws the board in ascii or something that shows which components to modify/? i've been scrounging all over the net and can't find any such mod. Anyone have any pointers>?

Thanks,
Joe N8OUZ

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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

897. Re: Dualbander--Icom, Kenwood, or Yaesu?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinsona@rl.af.mil
Message-ID: <887030427.279052306@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154123

In article <0560.199802062059.00DD5198@macgroup.org>,
Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG (Bill Combs) wrote:
>
> I am looking for a dual bander that can do crossband repeat and so I am
> looking at the TH-79A, the W32A, and the FT-51R. Both the Kenwood and Icom
> seem to be similarly priced right now, probably $100 less than the Yaesu. I
> wonder if any one has any comments. I understand the Icom has an automatic
> squelch, whatever that means, as well as a battery voltage indicator, which I
> like. I wonder how helpful that is in actual practice in telling when the
> Nicads get low. I understand the kenwood is being phased out, but I don't
> know why.
>
> Bill
> W8BC

Bill:

The W-32A does out-of-band Rx on UHF right out of the box, the TH-79A
does not. The FT-51R is way, way overpriced. The W-32A also does Rx in
the 800-900 band with a simple keyboard mod.

Al, W2JUV

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

898. Re: IC-706 MKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <34DF1291.35B4E55F@wavefront.com>
Source record: 154124

Read the manual.

Odell wrote:
>
> Hello to all. How do I set the 706MKII for 2 meter band? I need to know set
> the TX and offset plus the PL

899. WTB: Yaesu FT One extension board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: j.no@iies.es
Message-ID: <34DF142E.4A8A@iies.es>
Source record: 154125

WTB extension board to be able to repair or adjust the FTone, it plugs in FTone slot and the real board is plugged in extension board.

Email to j.no@iies.es
EA1FC

900. FS or Trade DX70TH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwalthal@eng.delcoelect.com
Message-ID: <6bn505$32s@koinsy04.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 154126

I have a Alinco DX70TH HF, 6 meters radio forsale.
it come with CV360 Duplexer, CAHV Comet Hf Ant,
Front panel exspantion cables and 4 Magnet Ant. mount.
Radio is 1 year 3 month old in excellent condition.

Please make offer or would like to trade for Pentium Laptop
with CD-ROM.

Carl Walthall
e-mail home n3qom@netusa1.net

765-453-5239 evenings
765-451-5347 days work

901. Re: Yaesy FT-8500 Price Drop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jorden@dvorak.amd.com
Message-ID: <6bn6l3$6sp$1@amdint2.amd.com>
Source record: 154127

thanks for all who responded to my question about $399 sale
price of yaesu ft-8500.

bought one locally here in austin for $399, powered it up
with battery yesterday and must say I am well pleased with
it so far.

I got the one with the plethora of buttons and knobs on the
microphone.

previous units i have owned include radio shack htx-202 handy
and 2m mobile radio.

thanks again for the replys, see you on the air...

yours,

pat
kc5huc

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Pat Jorden

902. Re: Icom 756 Service Manual??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34df1e8c.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 154128

Thats a great answer, if you read the post , the question was, "what is a Service manual?"

Now seeing that you know maybye you could let me know?

Thanks

Lou R.

Clif wrote in message <34DE8A0A.2FF8@onramp.net>...
>Lou R. wrote:
>>
>> Lou R. wrote in message ...
>> >I own an Icom 756 Radio. I often hear about Service Manual that you can
>> get
>> >for your radio.
>> >
>> >
>> >What exactly will a Service manual do for me and is it worth having?
>> >
>> >
>> >lour@total.net
>> >
>> >Lou R.
>> >
>> >
>
>If you don't know what it is it won't help..
>--
>Clif @ AVVid
>AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
>http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

903. FS: Icom IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Tarplin <jtarplin@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6bn97d$ba4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Icom IC-T7A, only two months old, complete with PC programming cable and software.

My XYL bought me a full-featured Yaesu handheld for my birthday. Since I really don't need TWO handie-talkies (one for each hand?), I'll let this one go for $200 plus shipping charges from Orlando FL (if applicable).

Reply via e-mail to jtarplin@usa.net.

904. Alinco DX70TH - Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Crothers <vk8ktc@bigpond.com>
Message-ID: <01bd354f$4f0a3740$LocalHost@001>
Source record: 154130

I am considering buying the DX70TH and would appreciate any comments from
users.
It will be a backup for my Drake TR7 and also allow me to get up on 6
metres from my QTH on Groote Eylandt (OC-141)(PH86ed).
With thanks in advance,
Terry Crothers,
vk8ktc@bigpond.com

905. FS: Icom IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Tarplin <jtarplin@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6bn95f$ba4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 154131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Reply via e-mail to jtarplin@usa.net.

906. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ckern@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6bqiea$3uj$1@nnrp.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 153882
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> >I would build for my ship (steel sailboat) one SSB antenna . On the
> >eightstay I have not good experiences.
> Ich verstehe nicht "eightstay". Das muss eine falsche Uebersetzung
> sein.

> I know of amateurs who have used the "backstay" as an antenna. (d.h.,

Yup, the computer got that wrong, and I'm pretty sure he did in fact mean `backstay'. The backstay is called `Achterstag' in german, and `acht' is german for the number `eight', which is how I suppose the rather linguistically challenged virtual babelfish that did the translation came up with `eightstay'...

[Auf deutsch und in k"urze: Das Achterstag hei"st `backstay' auf englisch]

As an aside, I once took a paragraph from a german newspaper and munged it through the translator that's available on alta vista, translating back and forth between german and english (yes, I was bored). Surprisingly, the iteration actually converged and resulted in something that vaguely resembled modern poetry, but didn't have very much in common with the original passage. Anyway...

Christoph

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Christoph Kern <ckern at cs dot ubc dot ca>
Dept. of Computer Science
University of British Columbia, Vancouver

907. Tempo VHF One Plus HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. M. 'Puck' Motley W4PM" <hmmjr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E0CFAD.EB@erols.com>
Source record: 153883

Need a copy of the operator's manual for the Tempo VHF One Plus (or maybe it's called the plus one). It's an old 2 meter mobile rig. I'd be glad to reimburse you for reasonable copy and mailing expenses.
73,
Puck, W4PM

908. Re: help - recurring noise every 82 khz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ferguson <guest@e2403roc.nsr.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34E0D37C.A18@hp.com>
Source record: 153884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Andrew McFarland wrote:
>
> I'm getting a 'buzzing' noise/signal about every 81-83 kilohertz -
> strong -
>
> Andy N7VTB

Andy,

This is the classic symptom of a switching mode power supply (SMPS) spewing its RFI venom across the HF bands. The problem will be made worse if

a) you use an unbalanced antenna such as a random wire or long wire.
b) the noise source (offending power supply) is physically near your antenna.

What else besides your computer and TV might be plugged in? Check for battery chargers, electric razors and toothbrushes, laptops, etc. Another thing you can try is to turn off the main breaker to your house (since you operate on batteries) and see if the noise goes away, indicating that it is something of yours. I know you don't want to hear this, but on a quiet night I can hear several SMPS's owned by neighbors on all sides. You might find some relief as you go up in frequency (14 MHz -> 18 MHz -> 21 MHz ...) but if the SMPS causing the RFI is especially close (or noisy), you may even hear it on these higher bands.

Once you find the source, you will need to begin filtering, shielding, re-orienting, or disposing of it. (ha ha). At first, concentrate on locating the culprit, then we'll work on the other stuff.

Good luck,

Al W6LX

909. WTB: Yaesu Accy:SP-6,DSP-59Y,2Khz SSB Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: c4wi@execpc.com
Message-ID: <887150720.1734737934@dejanews.com>
Source record: 153885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt-ham-radio.marketplace

I am looking for the following Yaesu accessories:

SP-6
Timewave DSP-59Y (fits inside SP-6)
2Khz SSB filter for FT-990

To reply via e-mail remove all the "z" and "x" characters from my address
- sorry but I dislike spam even more than aluminum siding cold calls
during dinner.

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910. Motorola Walkie Talkies Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bqm0d$ni7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153886

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Hi ! All.
I have for sale.
Motorola Battery Used radio MX-300
Unused (New in box) Made in USA (Military)
$ 25.00 /EA Plus UPS
Thanks
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911. Parting out Mohawk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E03EF9.2C18@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I am parting out a Heathkit Mohawk receivermajor parts still left.
73 Gary K0IMJ docky@earthlink.net Heathkit collector
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

912. New chat room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: don l simpkins <donmax@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6bqrge$n40$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153888

I have created a chat room for all of who like to scan. It is in the irc.dalnet go into scanning. I would like to make this a known channel.

913. Fun on the Net & Ham Spirit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Warren <John.Warren@colorado.edu>
Message-ID: <6bq0hg$m28@lace.colorado.edu>
Source record: 153889

People, people.....PLEASE.... This group should surely represent the spirit of amateur radio first and foremost!!
Don't slam ... or tease .... or tear at people who come here for help with what they are doing for fun.

Please think about sending a helpful or friendly reply (or none at all) and read it yourself to see if you can figure out what it might sound like to others who are here in good spirit.
The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.

Anyway sorry to seem so serious .... This group really is a lot of fun.

Thanks , 73's John KD0OM

914. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Warren <John.Warren@colorado.edu>
Message-ID: <6bq0c0$lu5@lace.colorado.edu>
Source record: 153890
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Walt Davidson wrote in message <34e12071.1632934@news.dial.pipex.com>...
>On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:42:56 +0100, "Woellenweber"
><101367.2044@metronet.de> wrote:
>
>>Sorry this text is translated with the computer
>
>.... and only another computer would be able to understand it.
>
>--
>Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
>The original multiple choice exam question:
>"To be, or not to be? That is the question!"

915. Re: Gabriel G Melo - idiot? BE NICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Warren <John.Warren@colorado.edu>
Message-ID: <6bq0ed$lug@lace.colorado.edu>
Source record: 153891

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Lawrence wrote in message <#73q4ZeN9GA.112@upnetnews04>...
>I think it is self-evident - just look at his post for IC-275H. He IS an
>idiot.
>
>
>

916. F.S.: Drake TR7 filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <34E10E5F.63D0@nidlink.com>
Source record: 153892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two filters for the Drake TR7. Both are in excellent condition:

AM filter (6 kHz)

CW filter (.5 kHz)

$60.00 each ppd ConUS or $100 for the pair ppd ConUS.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

917. WTD: FV-102DM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bob Dubinick, DC" <drdubi@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6br1g1$lq4@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153893

Needed FT-102DM VFO for FT-102. I am also interested in any other FT-102 station accessories for sale.

73
Bob
N9BSK

drdubi@worldnet.att.net

918. FS: IC900a, MR8100, TM732a, IC-R1, other HTs, LMR mobiles, scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ixp@lightstream.net
Message-ID: <887161533.222625803@dejanews.com>
Source record: 153894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello to all...

I have a few things for sale. Terms of purchase:

All items are sold "as is", with no implied warranty on the part of the buyer. Payment shall be made prior to or by COD with secured funds only. If buyer wishes to prepay by personal check, shipment of item(s) will occur when the check clears. Buyer pays all shipping charges, and has choice of FedEx, UPS or US Postal Service for shipment All prices are to be considered firm.

Now that all the fine print is out of the way, on to the items...

BTW, if you have any questions, feel free to email me at kb8ixp@lightstream.net.

73 de N8CLE (new callsign)
Sean Douglas

Note: the condition after each item refers to the cosmetic condition of the item. All equipment is to be assumed to be in perfect working order unless explicitly specified otherwise.

1
Icom IC-900a Multi-band mobile: $900.00
Four band units: 28 MHz, 144 MHz, 222 MHz, 440 MHz
All accessories included.
Instruction manual included.
Condition 8 of 10.

2
Kenwood TM-732a Dual band mobile: $375.00
144 Mhz and 440 Mhz.
Can be remotely mounting, but that equipment is not included
All accessories included, except for mounting screws
Original box and instructions included.
Not modified.
Condition 9 of 10.

3
Icom IC-R1 Scanning Receiver $275.00
0.5 MHz to 950 MHz receive *continuous*.
100 Memories.
Includes belt clip, end cap, antenna, internal battery and charger.
Condition 8 of 10.

4
Icom IC-2SAT 2m HT $175.00
144 MHz.
Includes belt clip, end cap, antenna, internal battery and charger.
Condition 8 of 10

5
Icom IC-4SAT 70cm HT $150.00
440 MHz.
Includes belt clip, end cap, antenna, internal battery and charger.
Condition 6 of 10

6
Uniden MR-8100 Scanning Receiver $225.00
29-956 MHz less cellular (can be restored via computer command).
Includes Speaker
Condition 7 of 10

7
Midland 70-665B UHF Commercial Transceiver $200.00
450-470 MHz, 80 Memories EEPROM programmable, remote mount 65 Watt.
Includes microphone, speaker, service manual.
Condition 7 of 10.

8
Midland 70-056C Low Band Commercial Transceiver $200.00
40-54 MHz, 80 Memories, EEPROM programmable, remote mount 110 Watt.
Currently programmed in 6m amateur band.
Includes microphone, speaker, service manual.
Condition 9 of 10.

9
Radio Shack Patrolman PRO-2026 Scanning Receiver
$125.00
29-956 less cellular, 100 memories, service search
Includes original box
Condition 9 of 10.

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919. FS: Heath DX40;Heath VF1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Wicklund <jwicklun@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <34E11825.8664BFA7@halcyon.com>
Source record: 153895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale, Heathkit DX-40 Transmitter with Heathkit VF-1 VFO. Surplus to my collection; acquired as part of a package deal. Both items sold to me as working, but have not been tested or used. DX-40 appears to be in good mechanical condition, but only fair cosmetic condition. There are no extra holes on the front panel, but there are two holes on top, and a couple of small holes on the back. Paint is scratched & flaked.

VF-1 is in good condition with no extra holes.

Manual reproductions included for both items.

$75 plus shipping for pair. (offers will be considered)
Jay Wicklund, KI7RH
(425)481-3573

920. FS: Heathkit Sixer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Wicklund <jwicklun@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <34E118E1.A6154559@halcyon.com>
Source record: 153896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Heathkit sixer for sale. Front panel was modified to include a crystal socket; no other holes. In good condition; but has not been used for 25 years. Manual is available, but not any other accessories.

Best Offer.....Jay Wicklund KI7RH
(425)481-3573

921. CHINA HAM NEWS 2/10/97: BY1QH EME Results/Schedules

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Xiaopeng Rick Niu <xn6@columbia.edu>
Message-ID: <6br5v0$3qr$1@apakabar.cc.columbia.edu>
Source record: 153897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,slac.rec.ham_radio,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

CHINA HAM NEWS 2/10/97: BY1QH EME Results/Schedules

Courtesy of Lasse (BY/)SM0KAK & David BZ1BM
Tsinghua University Amateur Radio Club, Beijing, China

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BY1QH RESULTS ON 144 MHz EME, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7

SUMMARY:

RX and TX performance much better than expected!
Got QRV 45 minutes later than planned. SRI!
Very low local QRM all the time!!! UFB WX.
WKD I2FAK SM2CEW PE1LCH PA2CHR HRD 9H1CD,
Sked 1600-1630 continued until 1728.
PA died at 1900.
We detected only 2-3 unidentified callers.
Seemed like very few called us.....?
Very satisfied any way!

DETAILS:
P=Planned activity
H=This is what happened
UTC
P 1130-1230 EME random.
H 1215-1230 EME random. SRI ABT late QRV!!
P 1230-1300 TEP sked SSB 144.136 MHz with VK6XLR
H 1230-1300 TEP sked. NIL HRD in both directions.
P 1300-1330 EME sked with PE1LCH, PA2CHR tail end. QRG unknown
H 1300-1330 EME sked with PE1LCH. Too weak signals to copy.
P 1330-1600 EME random
H 1330-1600 EME random. WKD I2FAK 1356.
Called 9H1CD 1443-1518, NC.
WKD SM2CEW 1552.
P 1600-1630 EME sked with PE1LCH, PA2CHR tail end. QRG unknown
H 1600-1728 EME sked with PE1LCH, PA2CHR tail end.
The signals were improving all the time, so we kept
on going. At 1700 we just needed the "Q" in our
call sign. Completed with PE1LCH at 1711.
Completed with PA2CHR at 1728.
P 1630-1800 EME random. From 1700 our local QRM is less bad!
H 1730-1900 EME random. From about 1814 there was an
unidentified station calling, possibly sending:

R, N, 52, B, U, and L ...? At about the PA
died....QRT
P 1800-1830 EME sked with PA2CHR. QRG unknown NW.
P 1830-2035 EME random

P 2130-2230 CQ DX 1827 kHz +/- QRM, 400 W & dipole at 30 magl
H 2140-2235 CQ 1827 kHz/1826.6 kHz, QSX 1829. WKD only BV and
YC.

COMMENTS:

VY SRI ABT getting QRV 45 minutes late! Some preparations took
longer than expected.

The local QRM level was so low that we had to make sure several
times that the pre-amp was OK....! UFB! I even switched on the
built in pre-amp in the IC-706. The Chinese new year is VY
important in BY. The university was on holidays, so we guess all
local QRM sources were switched off. Even the paging transmitters
seemed to affect us less than expected, even in daytime.
We were VY happy and encouraged by being able to work "average
size" PE1LCH and hear 9H1CD, after having to struggle with big
guns like KB8RQ, W5UN and VE7BQH.

We got the impression that few stations were QRV since PA2CHR
reported good signals from us during our QSO, also we think I2FAK
called us a 2nd time giving us 529 report, and SM2CEW seemed to
have had a very solid copy of us. He also found our sked QRG
144.120 MHz easily. We even made a few phone calls to SM to try to
stir up some activity, but soon the PA died!! Thanks any way to
SM4SJY who we think made several phone calls for us.

Especially happy about being able to work PE1LCH and PA2CHR who
both contributed with VY important equipment to BY1QH!!! (It is
just too bad that we could not give both of you a "first"!)
Too bad about the new PA going QRT! We really hope we can repair
it. The old PA is still in BY, but it was not in the shack, so we
could not switch.

Next activity is not yet planned, but it is likely to take place
within 3-6 weeks.

Pictures, sound file, log, and other info ABT BY1QH can be found
on: http://www.horizon.nl/~tdekkers/by1qh/index.html
The BY1QH home page is made and hosted by PA3DSS.

Station improvements since 1997 are:
Improved elevation readout at low elevation angles
New RX filter 250 Hz (500 Hz B4), and new PA (presently QRT)

Other equipment same as before:
IC-706 Mk2
SSB electronics pre-amp 0.8 dB NF in mast head

4x9 el Vargarda, total gain 17.7 dB
Stacking loss 0.5 dB, feeder loss 0.7 dB

QTH: LOC ON80DA
Tsinghua University in Beijing

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CHINA HAM NEWS is available for unlimited, appropriate distribution.

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xn6@columbia.edu

922. CRYSTALS FOR MICORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN FULTS <kc7rzi@coffey.com>
Message-ID: <6br5rf$slr@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 153898

NEED INFO...WHERE IS THE BEST PLACE TO BUY CRYSTALS FOR MICORS?

kc7rzi@coffey.com

923. FS: Kenwood TS-520S (Seattle area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Jennings" <markjenn@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <6br8ir$pc3$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 153899

I have a mint-condition Kenwood TS-520S transceiver for sale. This is an excellent HF transceiver for a new ham or someone who likes units with tube finals. 100W output. It doesn't tune the WARC bands. Excellent receiver section. Very lightly used and carefully stored for the last ten years. I just fired it up and it works perfectly. Not a scratch or ding. Impeccable build quality. It includes:

Kenwood MC-50 matching microphone
Kenwood SP-50 factory speaker
Operator's manual
Factory service manual
Original double-box shipping carton

I'll also throw in a very nice manual telegraph key...a New Viking that weighs over a pound and isolates all the current-carrying parts in the base. The best feel of any key I've ever used.

I'm asking $350+shipping but will entertain any reasonable offers. I'm in the Seattle area.

Please get with me via email if you are interested. Thanks,

- Mark (N9AFL, markjenn@halcyon.com)

924. WYOMING STATE HAMFEST 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN FULTS <kc7rzi@coffey.com>
Message-ID: <6br650$sr3@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 153900

fOR INFORMATION ON THE WYOMING STATE HAMFEST 1998 TO HELD IN RAWLINS, WY ON MAY 23rd & 24th CONTACT kc7rzi@coffey.com

925. Re: Fun on the Net & Ham Spirit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <34E126C2.155F@navix.net>
Source record: 153901

AMEN!

KE0BZ

926. FS Drake rtty filter for r7/tr7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jupiter@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <887170292.712966147@dejanews.com>
Source record: 153902

FS Drake rtty filter NOS for Tr7/R7.
Best offer.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

927. Re: F.S.: Drake TR7 filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <34E137D3.35C2@nidlink.com>
Source record: 153903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

David Rogers wrote:
>
> I have two filters for the Drake TR7. Both are in excellent condition:
>
> AM filter (6 kHz)
>
> CW filter (.5 kHz)
>
> $60.00 each ppd ConUS or $100 for the pair ppd ConUS.
>
> Thanks,
>
> David, WA7ZYQ
>
> dr7zyq@nidlink.com
>
> 208-245-2070

The filters have been sold.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

928. FS: NOS 6L6GC, GE, $22.00 each, 10 or more $20.75 each

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Harlan <sales@emodus.com>
Message-ID: <6brdue$o48$1@ha1.rdc1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 153904

NOS Tubes, large quantities of each available.

FS: NOS 6L6GC, GE, $22.00 each, 10 or more $20.75 each
FS: NOS 6V6GT, made in France, $8.50 each, 10 or more $8,00 each
FS: NOS 6AZ8 Philips, $3.25 each, 10 or more $3.00 each
FS: NOS JAN 12AT7WC, $4.50 each, 10 or more $4.00 each
FS: NOS JAN 5751 GE, $3.50 each, 10 or more $3.25 each
FS: NOS JAN 6922(E88CC, 6DJ8) Philips,$3.25 each,10 or more $3.00 each
FS: NOS 7062 (E180CC) Amperex,$3.75 each, 10 or more $3.50 each
FS: NOS 6186W (6AG5WA) Phillips $.20 each, or $12.00 per 100 tubes(BOX)

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USED UNTESTED TUBES, PULLED FROM TEST EQUIPMENT,
SOLD "AS IS"

FS: 12AT7, $1.25 each
FS: 12AU7A, $1.40 each
FS: 12AX7, $2.00 each
FS: 12AX7A, $2.00 each
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Free Shipping in the USA on all of the above, on orders of
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Emodus, PO Box 6117, Laguna Niguel, CA, 92607-6117, USA

929. FT-102 MD-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick
Message-ID: <6brgu8$jm6@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 153905

I have a MD-1 Yaesu microphone the FT-102, I am asking $50 +s&h for it.

Dick WA6MWJ
richard@communityonline.net

930. Need VX-1R modification 136-174 TX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: NRC <ua3qlc@comch.ru>
Message-ID: <34E1551E.274F@comch.ru>
Source record: 153906

I am looking for the info how to extend VX-1R transmitter range to
174 MHz.

Please advise.

73,
Victor,
UA3QLC

931. TS870 Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jean-pierre Lebrun <on5jt@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <6bsnrpbbe1@news0.skynet.be>
Source record: 153907

Hello
I am looking for mods for my TS870
Thanks in advance
Jean_pierre
on5jt@skynet.be

932. Yaesu FT757GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc0cdl@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980210.042328.10590.0.KC0CDL@juno.com>
Source record: 153908

I believe I have read somewhere that there is a switch to increase output on the FT757GX, but have misplaced the post.

Seems it was a switch inside the front cover.

Could someone please help me out on this. Only getting about 25 to 45 watts output and need to have the 100 the rig is designed for.

Thanks in advance for the help.

Dave KC0CDL

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Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

933. Here is the Yaesu FT-8100R Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mac <mcgyv@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E0EED4.246B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153909

Here is the page for the Yaesu FT-8100R Wide TX mod

http://ww2.sd.cybernex.net/~mcgyv/index.html

Anyone that has any positive input to any other mods, such as to recieve from 869.00MhZ to 896.00 MhZ please feel free to E-Mail your commets to me at mcgyv@hotmail.com

Any new updates will be posted on My page.

Mac

934. FS: Ham Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <6bpn6s$k2d$1@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 153932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Gotta go. Need the space.

SX-111 - Good to Very Good 150.00
HT-37 - Excellent 175.00 w/original box
(would

consider swap for a similar

condition HT-30 or HT-32A)
(SX-111 & HT-37) 300.00
S-76 - Very Good to Excellent 175.00
SX-43 - Good 125.00
SX-71 - Good 125.00
SX-96 - Good 125.00
HA-10 - Excellent 80.00

All prices in US dollars plus shipping.

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Walter Fairclough
wfairclo@netcom.ca

935. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34e0653e.9588966@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153933
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 11:23:09 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:42:56 +0100, "Woellenweber"
><101367.2044@metronet.de> wrote:
>
>>Sorry this text is translated with the computer
>
>.... and only another computer would be able to understand it.

That's an entirely inappropriate response to someone is probably doing
his best.

An dem Woellenweber,

Habe Geduld!

Wenn ich zurueck vom Post hierherkomme, sende ich eine richtige
Antwort.

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

936. FS: Cushcraft 13B2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@see.sig.to.reply
Message-ID: <MPG.f4a3311bf1e913c9896b3@news.richmond.edu>
Source record: 153934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

FOR SALE: Cushcraft 13B2 Boomer 13 element wideband 2-meter yagi antenna.
Like new. $99 firm. For information and specifications see:

http://www.cushcraft.com/%20Ham/index25.html

Since unit is rather bulky, would prefer NOT to ship. QTH Richmond,
Virginia. Reply via email if interested.

--Steve K4GBA

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To reply via email, remove one 'r' from my address:
szinski@rrichmond.edu

937. Re: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3634$379a4ba0$d43e9cd1@default>
Source record: 153935

John R Alley <chia@news.utk.edu> wrote in article
<6bmaaokor1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>...
> I have not even heard of it nor have I saw it yet in QST or CQVHF.
> But I WOULD like to know more about it, I guess I'll swing over to HRO
and
> see if they have any specs on it yet. Hmmm, let me know if you have any.
> thanks...
>
> --
> ========****----====
> 73 de KF4UAE
> chia@korrnet.org
> John R. Alley
>
HRO has had them in stock for 10 days.

938. FS:Ameritron AL1500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210150800.KAA05262@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153936

For sale---Ameritron AL1500 Amplifier---full power plus---EC---Newer Final 8877---$1900.00---E-mail at n8wgm@cyberdrive.net or n8wgm@AOL.com

939. FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210150401.KAA22940@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153937

For sale: Kenwood TS 870---EC---About 18 months old----$1900.00---I'll pay shipping. E-mail---n8wgm@cyberdrive.net or n8wgm@AOL.com

940. FS - 10+ Unblocked Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6bpq5e$4k9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>A truely 10+ Yaesu frg-9600 with the original box, users manual, ac
>adaptor, and mobile bracket (never mounted). It also comes with the
>optional TV adaptor and the original service manulal.
>
>The radio covers 60-950 MHZ without breaks. Its capable of AM/FM and
>SSB modes. The radio has 100 memories and can be used with a PC. (I
>never purchased the interface or software.) The radio has built in
>timers (for on/off times) and sleep timer.
>
>The radio has been sitting in the closet with very little use. This
>is the cleanest used FRG-9600 you will find. Asking $500.

941. FS-Truely 10+ AOR-3000a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6bpq6u$4k9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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>
>>As stated, with all accessories, computer interface + software - $850,
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942. Re: TM-701A Battery Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34E06902.4817@onramp.net>
Source record: 153940

Ed Bailen wrote:
>
> After I got the swap-meet-special TM-701A mounted in the wife's car
> this weekend, we found out that it has no memory retention. The thing
> is a pain to get in and out, so I'd like to have a battery ready to
> pop in when I pull it back out. The schematic neglects to give the
> battery voltage.
>
> Can anyone tell me the battery voltage and lead configuration (or
> Digi-Key cross reference)? Can anyone advise me of any difficulties
> I'm going to encounter in getting to the battery or replacing it?
>
> Thanks,
> Ed

It is a standard CR-2032 Lithium Battery (3.2v) but has solder tabs spot welded on it. Kenwood Part Number W09-0326-05.

It is behind the front panel. You have to remove the top and bottom, knobs, and nuts on the mike jack and encoder. The display will come off and then 3 screws removes the control unit and there it is.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

943. VOX Device for Radio Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Sherwood <StanS@ProtoLink.com>
Message-ID: <6bpsvf$gv8$1@usenet51.supernews.com>
Source record: 153941
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.design,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

I'm looking for a commercial voice activated switch product to provide automatic keying of a radio. The features that I am looking for are as follows:

1. Accurate voice detection with minimal false triggering.

2. Relay for triggering the radio's PTT.

3. Support for a Radio Busy signal so that the unit will not allow transmission while another person is transmitting.

4. Audio source to be a computer.

Any ideas or assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Stan Sherwood
StanS@ProtoLink.com
www.ProtoLink.com

944. Re: !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!Yaesu FT-8100 PROBLEMS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: locksmit@smartt.com
Message-ID: <34e0740e.1783459@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 153942

"Mark Kuziv" <kuziv@magicnet.net> wrote:

>Has anyone experienced problems with their FT-8100's duing transmit?My unit
>will stay keyed even after releasing the PTT button on the mic,usually
>happens on VHF only!!!!!!!.Please respond via e-mail to kuziv@magicnet.net
>

Yaesu has documented a high SWR problem causing that radio to stay
keyed. Check your SWR, and if this is the problem return to Yaesu for
repair. Also, then you can fix your SWR problem!

Rick VE7ABW
locksmit@smartt.com
N 49.16.34.2
W123.01.36.9

945. Re: ICOM 706MKII Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e07c3c.45730029@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153943

On Sat, 07 Feb 1998 13:35:53 -0600, Richard Jellicoe <gstar@vzinet.com> wrote:
>I am planning to buy an ICOM IC706MKII for my father for his birthday.
>Since I know little about ham radio's I am asking the group for some
>help here.
>
>I understand that the radio will need two antenna's, one for 144mhz and
>one for 50mhz and hf bands. What is a good antenna for the 50/hf bands,
>I would like to get something really small so he can drive into his
>garage.

That's what I thought too. I bought the Comet 4 band HF antenna.
It is relatively small, well made, can be folded over, is relatively
expensive, and doesn't work worth a darn. A better deal is a handful
of Hamsticks for the various bands he'll want to operate. That'll be
cheaper, and work better, but he'll have to get out to change bands.
The ultimate solution is a screwdriver antenna. That'll work all bands,
and won't need a separate tuner. It's a bit tall, though.

An old compromise is the Hustler with the fold over mast option
and a selection of resonators.

>Do I need to get the AT180 antenna tuner, if so then what type of
>antenna to I need for that??

This is not a great antenna tuner, and it is particularly poor as a
mobile antenna tuner. If you want an Icom antenna tuner, get the
AH2 and the whip that is sold for use with it. Otherwise, get a
SGC tuner and whip, or for use with the Hamsticks, the AT-11
tuner is a good cheap solution.

For 2m, a Larsen antenna will be fine. Get a 5/8-wave for roof
mounting if you can stand the height. Otherwise get the 1/4-wave
model.

>What other options do I need to make this a complete mobile package so
>my dad does not need to buy anything eles??

A good external speaker would be nice. And be sure you get the front
panel extension kit and brackets. This radio is an excellent choice for
trunk or under seat mounting with the front panel remoted up on the
dash. That's how I have mine.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

946. Are my camcorder heads really TOAST???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: spamme@if.you.dare
Message-ID: <spamme-1002981216510001@ts1-11.ant.auracom.com>
Source record: 153944
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.desktop,sci.electronics.repair

Hi there fellas.

I just got my Sony CCD-F302 8mm camcorder back from the repair place I took it to to get a diagnosis, and they claim it's the video heads (they said they cleaned it w/no result). I may tend to agree with this as the playback noise problem appeared one day when it was not there before at all. Plays this way with all the tapes I own, so I do not think it is the tape.
They seemed reluctant to quote me a repair price; I don't really think he knew where he could get the required parts (the camera's prolly 7 years old). Where would I go to find replacement heads that wouldn't cost me more than a new machine?
I checked out MC Electronics, Dalbani... none of their websites really said anything about camcorder heads. Are they hard to find? It looks like I could install the heads fairly easily in the camcorder myself; the drum is out where I can get at it if I remove the tape door.

Thanks for any info or repair parts sources!
Robert

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http://www.latech.edu/~riw
Go there if you need my email

947. Re: Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e0802f.46740682@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153945

On Sat, 7 Feb 1998 18:10:07 -0500, e-boxholder@webtv.net wrote:
>I just passed the Novice test today and I was wondering if some of you
>would give me some input / info. / advice on rigs and ARRL books.
>
>Rigs --
>I would like to get=A0some info. on QRP rigs and how to adapt them for
>backpacking. Info on kits / plans for transceivers, baluns, antenna
>tuners, antennas, keyers, etc. for the backpacker would be great.
>Anyone know of any good books or clubs?

I hate to see a Novice jump right into QRP. It takes a bit of skill and
experience to operate QRP successfully. You're likely to find it very
frustrating without that experience. I'd recomend you start with
a used HF transceiver in the 100 watt class. Once you have some
experience using that at home, then consider QRP operation. There
are lots of kits available, and a few ready built QRP transceivers.
Concentrate on finding the one with the best receiver section. Most
of the transmitters are about the same, especially for CW operation.
It is the receiving ability that will make or break your operation.

As for books, the ARRL is your first stop. They have plenty of
good books. Get their operating guide and their guide to setting
up your first station. A copy of the Handbook is also always
a worthwhile purchase.

>I hope to upgrade to Tech. Plus next month. So, what would be a good,
>**_tough_** , light-weight, 2m or 2m / 440 HT that I could use for
>backpacking. If you have any suggestions on what features & options I
>should look for, please let me know.

The FT50R from Yaesu seems to be the best all-around choice of the
moment. I'm generally not an advocate of the HT as first or only VHF
rig, a mobile/base radio with more power is generally a much better
choice, but in your case, a HT may be the only choice.

>Books --
>I have an ARRL catalog and noticed that they have several different
>booksfor certain topics (2 books on QRP, several books on antennas,
>several books on ham radio for the beginner, etc). I can't afford them
>all. :-(I would like to correspond with someone, via e-mail, who
>knows the content of some of these books and who might be able to tell
>me what books are the most comprehensive, what books would be good for
>beginner, intermediate, and advanced hobbyist, etc. That way, I won't
>get something that is over my head and I won't have two or three books
>that say the same thing two or three ways.

Chuck, you'll benefit from buying them all, at least those in your areas of interest. It is often the two or three different ways of saying the same thing which will make the light bulb come on in your head. At least it works for me. Email me if you want to discuss particular books.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

948. FS: JOHNSON MATCHBOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e083f8.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153946

I am posting this message for a friend that does not have internet capabilities.

PLEASE CONTACT THE SELLER DIRECT AND NOT ME.

FOR SALE: JOHNSON 275 Matchbox $ 150.00

CONTACT: Ken - W8KEX (352) 860-1447

949. FS COLLINS 75A4 Receiver & Other Collins/Kenwood FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e08561.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153947

I am posting this message for a friend that does not have internet capabilities.

PLEASE CONTACT THE SELLER DIRECT AND NOT ME.

FOR SALE: COLLINS 75A4 RECEIVER with 3.1KHz MF $ 750.00

Collins 3.1Khz. MF
100.00
Collins 500Khz. MF
75.00

Kenwood TS-520 2.1KHz. filter
35.00

950. Re: VOX Device for Radio Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Stamper <rstamp@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <34E084B6.EEC8DA5E@flinet.com>
Source record: 153948
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.design,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

Hi Stan,try AZDEN PTT-02 works great,abt $50.00.
Regards
Bob

Stan Sherwood wrote:

> I'm looking for a commercial voice activated switch product to provide
> automatic keying of a radio. The features that I am looking for are as
> follows:
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> 1. Accurate voice detection with minimal false triggering.
>
> 2. Relay for triggering the radio's PTT.
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> 3. Support for a Radio Busy signal so that the unit will not allow
> transmission while another person is transmitting.
>
> 4. Audio source to be a computer.
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> Any ideas or assistance would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Stan Sherwood
> StanS@ProtoLink.com
> www.ProtoLink.com

951. FS COLLINS 75A4 Receiver and Other Collins/Kenwood Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e085d7.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153949

PLEASE CONTACT SELLER DIRECTLY NOT THE SENDER OF THESE MESSAGES!

CONTACT: kEN - W8KEX (352) 860-1447

952. FS: ANTENNA change-over RELAYS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e086ed.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153950

I am posting this message for a friend that does not have internet
capabilities.

PLEASE CONTACT THE SELLER DIRECTLY, NOT ME.

FOR SALE:

2 ea. 115vac no/aux contacts @ $ 35.00 ea.
1 ea. 6vac with/aux contacts @ 50.00
3 ea. 115vac with/aux contacts @ 50.00 ea.

CONTACT: Ken - W8KEX (352) 860-1447

953. FS: COLLINS KWS-1 Antenna Relay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e0877b.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153951

I am posting this message for a friend that does not have internet capabilities.

PLEASE CONTACT THE SELLER DIRECTLY, NOT ME.

FOR SALE: KWS-1 Antenna Relay with AUX contacts $ 80.00

CONTACT: Ken - W8KEX (352) 860-1447

954. Re: Heathkit Web Site?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nick@cs.unc.edu
Message-ID: <6bq0ii$nk5@altair.cs.unc.edu>
Source record: 153952

For info on Heath, Collins, Drake, etc. mail-lists and WWW sites,
see the "Boatanchors" FAQ site:
http://www.cs.unc.edu/~nick/rrab.faq.htm

73 de KD4CPL

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Nick England KD4CPL nick@cs.unc.edu Univ. Of North Carolina
http://www.cs.unc.edu/~nick Chapel Hill NC

955. Yaesu FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck <IceMan@In-Touch.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3668$d16e3000$360a28cf@default>
Source record: 153953

Hello , Name here is Chuck.I am interested in any info on the Frequency coverage, and What mods are available if any for the Ft-530 Yaesu HT. Thanks for taking time to read this, any information on the mods would be greatly appreciated !!
Home mailbox is Iceman@In-touch.net

956. Re: Are my camcorder heads really TOAST???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod Young <rodyoung@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <34E09A62.27FD@ameritech.net>
Source record: 153954
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.desktop,sci.electronics.repair

Try MCM Electronics 800-765-6960

957. FS UHF SPECTRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34E098D2.5329@pacbell.net>
Source record: 153955

I have for sale a UHF spectra model D44KMA7JA5BK.It is presently
programmed on the ham bands.It is the dash mount unit with A5 controls.
Radio,speaker,mount,mike and power cord.$550
al

958. Re: W:mods fr Kenwood TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aveiro <aveiro@mandic.com.br>
Message-ID: <6bq7minpb1@news.mandic.com.br>
Source record: 153956

Try in www.appr.org.br , or in Labre home page
They have a FTP directory to MODs (Modifications in Radio).Almost all
models.
Kenwwod,Alinco,Icom ....etc.
Excuse - me my english is very poor.
73 ! Henrique
(S&#65533;o Paulo,Brasil)
aveiro.mandic.com.br

ht escreveu na mensagem <34db8e3b.0@news.iprolink.ch>...
>Need mods for new Kenwood TH-G71 or indications on how to obtain them.
>
>Thanks.
>
>HB9IBG,Hippolyte.
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>

959. Kenwood TS-450 Sidetone Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: rclott@ro.com
Message-ID: <6bq70ijuv1@news.ro.com>
Source record: 153957

I have a problem with my 450AT transceiver. The sidetone oscillator seems to start up whenever I plug in my key to the jack. There isn't any short or similar problem. When I close the key, I hear a slight change in the sidetone, so I know that the key is connected properly. After tracing the circuits through, I convinced myself that the sidetone oscillator modules was bad. I just replace this module, and alas, it's still busted.

Has anyone heard of a similar problem with a Kenwood? I'd love to learn from someone else's experience, if available. Thanks,

-Chris Lott
WD4OLP, Amateur Extra Class

960. FS: CRT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: vintel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210190100.OAA28939@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153958

CRT's. These appear to be new cathode ray tubes, some boxes still sealed. Don't know
what type of equipment these were used in. I'm sure some were for oscilloscope use.
Others probably some military application. Price listed does not include shipping from
Baltimore, Md. 4-3BP1@$5.00EA, 3-5FP7@ $7.00EA.1 ea of the following: 5CP1 @$7.00, 3JP1@$5.00, 5AXP4 @ $30.00(this is a general purpose TV service tube to hook up to a wide variety of B/W TV chs for testing) & 1-5BP1 @$7.00.
Thanks for taking the time to check this out.
John

961. Re: Yaesu FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6bq7vu$jk5$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 153959

Chuck (IceMan@In-Touch.net) wrote:
: Hello , Name here is Chuck.I am interested in any info on the Frequency
: coverage, and What mods are available if any for the
: Ft-530 Yaesu HT. Thanks for taking time to read this, any information
: on the mods would be greatly appreciated !!
: Home mailbox is Iceman@In-touch.net

Here is a glob of them, hope they help!
joe

Subject: Re: Yaesu FT-530 Modifications?
This is copied verbatim from the mod sheet I received with my rig...

YAESU FT-530

Expanded Receive 110-180, 300-500 MHz
Expanded Transmit 130-180, 400-470 MHz

NOT LEGAL IN U.S.A - FOR EXPORT ONLY

o Remove Antenna and Battery.
o Remove four screws on bottom holding battery track.
o Remove the four (black) screws holding rear case.
o Slowly... open the front cover from tranceiver and lay both halves on
table.
o Note positioning of white paper insulator in right half of radio and
lift out
(don't throw away)
o Carefully locate Jumper Pad 13 and remove solder.
o Re-install white paper insulator, make sure ground tab slides through
the
paper insulator.
o Close radio back up (Careful not to pinch the ribbon cable near lithium
battery when closing halves).
o Re-install the four (black) screws holding rear case.
o Re-install the four (small silver) screws on bottom holding battery
track to
radio body.
o Attach Antenna and Battery.
o Turn off Radio.... Press and hold both arrow keys while turning on the
Radio.
o Modification Complete.

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Pad 15 now a vertical pad with a tiny
"zero ohm" resistor.

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In side the rig, it really did not look quite like that ... more like
this:

... 12 (|) (|) 11
(|) 13
16 (|) (|) 15

In addition to the published receive expansion, it also receives 800-950
MHz...
trunking radio, cell phone (I would *never* listen to that), 33cm ham
band...

Have fun!

copied from packet:
From: KC6VLG@WA6HAM
To: MODS@ALLUSA
Subject: FT 530 mods add on info

As you all know the mod for the Yeasu FT-530 is to remove the jumper #13.
The
next step is very important and a few mod plans does not mention. The CPU
needs
to be reset by holding the UP and DOWN keys while turning the radio on.
Before
you do the reset, remember to remove all power sources to this radio and
wait
for the rig to completely discharged prior to the reset. If the rig is not
totally discharged, the mod will not work. Good luck

Continual resets may toggle the mod being active in certain models of
530s.

73 de John KC6VLG @ WA6HAM.#NOCAL.CA.USA
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Note: I haven't tried or verified this, proceed at your own risk. WA2ISE

HI, THIS MESSAGE IS FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DONE THE PAD 13 MOD TO THE FT-530.
THIS SEQUENCE PERMITS PUTTING A 500 MHZ OR HIGHER FREQ IN A MEMORY
CHANNEL.
EXAMPLE: TO ENTER A FREQ OF 506.8375 MAKE SURE YOU ARE IN THE UHF BAND.

1. PRESS 'FM'
2. PRESS 'STEP'
3. ROTATE DIAL TO SELECT 12.5 STEP
4. PRESS 'STEP'
5. ENTER 800.00
6. PRESS 'FM'
7. PRESS '\/' MHZ

799.00 WILL SHOW ON THE DISPLAY. TURN THE DIAL (TOP RIGHT-RUBBER DUCK ON LEFT)
COUNTER CLOCKWISE. THE DISPLAY WILL DECREASE IN 1 MHZ STEPS. IF YOU PAUSE
FOR MORE THAN 2 SECONDS IT WILL REVERT TO A DECREASE OF KHZ STEPS. TO GET
BACK TO MHZ STEPS JUST PRESS 'FM' THEN PRESS '\/' MHZ. CONTINUE TILL 507.00

SHOWS ON THE DISPLAY. PAUSE FOR 3SEC. TURN DIAL COUNTER CLOCKWISE AND THE
FREQ WILL DECREASE IN KHZ STEPS. TURN TILL 506.8375 SHOWS ON THE DISPLAY.

8. PRESS 'FM' FOR 3 SEC.THE MEMORY CHANNEL NUMBER WILL BE FLASHING.
9. TURN DIAL TO SELECT MEMORY CHANNEL
10.WHEN CHANNEL IS SELECTED PRESS 'FM'. THE FREQ IS ENTERED IN THAT MEMORY CH.
BACK TO MHZ STEPS JUST PRESS 'FM' THEN PRESS '\/' MHZ. CONTINUE TILL 507.00
SHOWS ON THE DISPLAY. PAUSE FOR 3SEC. TURN DIAL COUNTER CLOCKWISE AND THE
FREQ WILL DECREASE IN KHZ STEPS. TURN TILL 506.8375 SHOWS ON THE DISPLAY.
IF YOU GO PASS THE FREQ YOU CANNOT TURN THE DIAL CLOCKWISE TO GO UP FREQ. IF
YOU DO SO THE DISPLAY REVERTS TO 300 MHZ AND YOU MUST START AT #5. HELPFUL HINT
EXAMPLE: 506.8375 IS NOW IN MEMORY CHANNEL 5. PRESS 'MR' AND SELECT
CHANNEL 5. 506.8375 IS NOW ON THE DISPLAY. PRESSING 'MR' AGAIN WILL
NORMALLY LET YOU (>>>> SHOWS UNDER CHANNEL NUMBER) TUNE UP OR DOWN IN FREQ.
NOW ON THESE OVER 500 MHZ FREQ YOU CAN ONLY TUNE DOWN (COUNTER CLOCKWISE).
TUNE UP (CLOCKWISE) AND DISPLAY GO TO 300.XX MHZ . PRESS 'MR' AND THE
CORRECT MEMORY CHANNEL FREQ IS DISPLAYED AGAIN . THE PLL ON MY UNIT WILL
NOT LOCK ABOVE 507.6 MHZ ON ANOTHER FT-530 IT WILL LOCK OVER 508.4. PRESSING
THE PUSH TO TALK WILL DISPLAY AN ERROR ON THE DISPLAY AND IF THE PLL WILL
NOT HOLD THE FREQ DISPLAY WILL FLASH. 800-950 IS THE UPPER RANGE OF MY UNIT
AND RECEIVES FB. ANY OTHER MODS OR KEY INPUTS PLEASE SEND TO WA3YZL@WB3JOE.
PA.USA 73 PAUL04-Jan-93 21:29

I have a comment on the FT530 mod. Near the end of the instructions there
is a warning not to transmit out of band; maybe a comment should be added to
remind users that the FT530 can store a separate transmit frequency (not just
an offset). I did this for the items I stored in memory, that were in the
extended transmit range. This way if I ever make a mistake, I transmit on a
HAM frequency, not the public service freq I was listening to..

I know of 2 physical changes:

1). If jumper 15, (or the zero ohm resistor, depending on your version), is
removed, the transmit freq's remain stock when done with removal of jumper
13. This is per the mod sheet from YAHOO.

2). Putting a solder bridge across jumper 12 makes it a tone burst unit
for Europe.

Jim G

In article FLF@murdoch.acc.Virginia.EDU, jeg7e@livia.acs.Virginia.EDU (Jon
Gefa$
>In article <21ulmt$4jn@jericho.mc.com> levine@mc.com writes:
>>
>>>
>>>How do you enable tone burst? I called Yaesu a few months ago and they
had
>>>no idea, and I haven't seen a mod to do that elsewhere, only the
extended
>>>transmit and receive mods (which were, as you say, easy, but you need a
>>>soldering iron with a tiny tip).

>>>Post Office Box Box 281107 San Francisco, California 94128
USA
>
>>Yes, use a small tip low power soldering iron and trim some solder-wick
>>so that the end of the piece is about 1/16" and that will suck up the
>>solder bridge joining pad 12 nicely with no mess.
>
>Jumper 12?
>
>>I got the mod sheet from HRO when I bought the HT.
>The first mod sheet HRO had talked about J13, but then they sent
>out an update which was for extended rx only (i.e. it said to
>remove both 13 AND 15) but didn't mention just removing 13 for
>ext. tx.
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>I'd appreciate it if you could post the details of the mod sheet you
>received if it differs from the above, especialy useful would be a
>mod to eliminate the fixed 12.5Kc step in the 800-950 range, even
>nicer would be something enabling a 30Kc step. Of course, I don't
>know how that would be useful, but it would be nice to have :) :) :)
You are correct, I should have said REMOVE jumper 13 to get rx 110-180,
300-500, and 800-950. Also tx 130-180 and 400-472.

However the mod sheet DOES say jump pad 12 for tone burst.

I will gladly send a copy of it to anyone who sends me a sase.
CBA for KD1GG
Bob

Hello,

There seems to be a difference in the way the AM receive on
my new Yaesu FT530 works compared to that of the
instruction booklet.

The instruction booklet says that if you enable AM receive
(key sequence: FM, Set/0, FM, PRI/VFO) that it affects "the
entire VHF receiver". Yet I am finding that I seem to be
able to store the mode along with the frequency in the
memory channels and then scan a mix of AM and FM
frequencies. It also seems that one can set both VHF
VFO's to one of AM or FM.
I am curious if anyone can add to the explanation on how AM
receive works on this fine radio? I would guess the
design engineers made an enhancement to the firmware after
the documentation was completed...

Thanks,
Peter

You can store the "MODE" in memory.
Setting the unit to AM can be done on either VFO.

Setting the unit to AM will preclude you from receiving 2M FM.

As for how it's done... from what I heard (I never bothered to check)
they run the signal through the S-Meter diode to demodulate AM.

73 paul wb8zjl

(whew!)

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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

962. FS:Sams Photofacts $1.00/set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: vintel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210190200.OAA17151@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153960

Following complete Sams SETS available at $4.00 for each set.
(Not per folder but per each full set- usually 16 or more folders)
Quantity price: 25 to 49 sets $3.00ea, 50 to 74 sets at $2.00ea, 75 to
99 $1.50 ea.

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All prices + shipping from Baltimore, Md. Weight is about .8lb/ set
1 or 2 sets can be mailed in the USA for $3.00. 3 or more will go
by UPS.

Index available $2.00 + $3.00 postage.

* indicates an incomplete set.
Inquiries & orders to vintel@aol.com

Sams Photofact set numbers available:
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980, 986, 990, 1005, 1012, 1015, 1051, 1096, 1165, 1217, 1218,
1223, 1232, 1334, 1359, 1410, 1434, 1509, 1914.

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all 10 sets + shipping **

Inquiries & orders to vintel@aol.com
John E. Kendall PO Box 436 Fallston, Md 21047

963. Ham radio base bundle FS or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eye'! It's Me! <sci@pobox.no-junk.com>
Message-ID: <887137905.340210@ran.zipcon.net>
Source record: 153961
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,pnw.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,seattle.forsale,seattle.forsale.misc,uwash.forsale

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Please remove "no-junk" from my address to respond.

C�ad M�le F�ilte!

I am in Redmond/Kirkland. Feel free to call me at
(206) 997-7871. -Ron

HAM GEAR $600 for ALL
-Kenwood HF SSB Transceiver (TS-180S) with 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10m bands. WWV (10.0 MHz) SSB/CW/FSK, desktop mic (Kenwood MC-50), speaker (Kenwood SP 180), and power supply (Kenwood PS-30). Has D.F.C. memory unit upgrade. Sold as set ONLY. Asking $500
-Computer Patch Interface by (Advanced Elec Apps, Inc model CP-1) Asking $75
-Hybrid Phone Patch (Heathkit HD-15) Asking $35
-Beam antennae rotator controller (Alliance Dual Speed Control) Asking $25
-Vibroplex key. Asking $90
-Microlog Corp's ACT-1 TTY. Asking $70
-Iambic Key, (Bencher Inc model BY-2) chrome plated w gold-plated solid silver contact points. $70

964. FT-50R current draw when off

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6bq8rn$b90$1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 153962

Greetings, all...

I have a Yaesu FT-50R and have been generally pleased with it. However, recently it seems to be going through batteries quickly. Last week I got called Yaesu tech support and was told, "if your current draw is in the milliamperes when shut off, send it in." Well, I measured the current draw at 310uA -- the manual says that in APO mode it draws 250uA. I'm guessing that I've killed (or at least maimed) a couple battery packs. I'm also guessing that the above difference is insignificant. Today's call to Yaesu tech support was unhelpful -- no answer, just "Send it in and we'll let you know." (Thanks, loads.)

Can I convince someone out there to measure the current draw of their FT-50 and post the results?

(My measurement was done with a Wavetek RMS225 in autorange (default) mode.)

Thanks much,
--
Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

965. FS: Yaesu FT-5100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob 'InLine' Steuer <inline@cyberenet.net>
Message-ID: <6bq9d1$38h$1@ganglia.bms.com>
Source record: 153963

I have a Yaesu FT-5100 that I no longer use anymore, it is in excellent condition(no scratches, etc). I will take any reasonable offer as I am not an active ham anymore and would like to sell the unit.

Robert_M._Steuer@ccmail.bms.com

966. FS: Hitachi 20Mhz Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob 'InLine' Steuer <inline@cyberenet.net>
Message-ID: <6bq9gu$3ac$1@ganglia.bms.com>
Source record: 153964

I have a Hitachi 20Mhz Scope for sale. It is in Mint Condition, have original probes, manual, box, etc. I am no longer active in ham radio and would like to sell the unit. It sold for $420 about 3 years ago. I would like to get around $250 or BEST OFFER.

Robert_M._Steuer@ccmail.bms.com

967. Alinco DJ-F1T HT for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chandran R. Sabanayagam" <chandran@enga.bu.edu>
Message-ID: <34E0B1F4.3F38@enga.bu.edu>
Source record: 153965

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Alinco HT DJ-F1T for sale. $200. Never used (don't have license).
Original box, manual, charger, battery.

EMAIL chandran@enga.bu.edu if interested (Boston)
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968. Re: Yaesu FT-8100 or FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Boakes <eboakes@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <34E0B40D.D6B73134@lucent.com>
Source record: 153966

I installed an 8500 in my Ford F-10 pickup. I chose it
because I could mount the display ABOVE the rear-view mirror,
mount the potato-mic on the left edge of the console, mount the
left channel speaker on the driver's door (with an after-market
car-stereo speaker, the right channel audio on the console,
and put the rather small body of the rig under the passenger's seat.

I like the 2 seperate audio outputs, and a display that has no controls
on it, so it can be mounted where you don't want to be putting
your hand all of the time. It also has alphanumeric tags which
display along with the frequency. It receives 460MHz and 162.55 MHz
with little degradation. (The 8100 doesn't have alphanumeric tags.)

On the down side, when you grap the mic, it's easy to totally
mangle your settings, and it is a bit difficult to quickly do
something such as change a PL tone while driving.

On the handheld side, I'd recommend the Yaesu 50RD, but I'd
advise against the VX-1R, as the PL decoder is quite slow.

Welcome to Ham Radio!

Patrick M. Hennessey wrote:
>
> I will soon take the technician exam and I am thinking about buying
> either the Yaesu FT-8100 or the FT-8500. Is there any place on the
> net that I can read reviews on these radios? I have seen some
> comments in the usenet group about the 8100, but none of them good. I
> have not seen anything about the 8500. Any help would be greatly
> appreciated, but please remember "this radio sucks" will be of little
> help.
>
> Pat

969. Need Docs on Palomar RX-NB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lstolz@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <6bqcvs$ivh@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 153967

Iv'e just purchased a used Palomar RX-Noise Bridge which does not include the documentation. I'm willing to pay for postage and reproduction costs to anyone that can provide the paperwork.

Thanks,
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Lynn Stolz N8AJ --lstolz@freenet.columbus.oh.us

970. Re: HELP!, Power meter problems URGENT science fair help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34e0b193.11148247@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153968
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.wicen,git.radio.amateur,mcgill.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.mi

On 10 Feb 1998 02:31:22 GMT, "John Lauber" <jlauber@execpc.com> wrote:

>I need urgent help to get me off on my science fair project.
>
>I have been doing an experiment to test the resistance of different
>materials to an airborne signal, but I need serious help on the apparatus.
>First I tried a baby monitor and used an amplified microphone to pick up
>variances in the volume of the signal (audible), then measured the output
>of the microphone on a voltmeter. A very simple and indirect way of doing
>it. It worked, but it didn't seem to pick up enough change, and my
>preliminary testing resulted in less than desirable results. Second, I
>tried measuring the strength of a CB signal with a wattmeter, but the
>wattmeter had to be wired inline between the transmitter and antenna, not
>what I wanted to test. Is there any piece of equipment that measures the
>strength of an airborne signal? Am I setting this up right? (see diagram
>below)
> ------------------- | | --------------
> | transmitter | | Block | | receiver |
> ------------------ (lead etc.) ---------------
>
>Is there a wattmeter or other piece of equipment that will take the place
>of the receiver and give me a reading of the power of the signal, either
>precise or relative? I need some form of project by 2/17/98, and a good one
>by Feb. 23. I urgently need any help you can give me. Thankyou.
The receiver itself is usually the most sensitive field strength meter
you can find. The problem is to find that portion of the circuit that
is a good indicator for received signal strength. If you have enough
power available to use just a simple 1N34 diode detector with a
sensitive voltmeter, that would be the simplest way to go. The small,
battery operated digital VOM's that can be purchase as cheap as $15 or
less, will have a sensitivity of a few millivolts. If your
transmitter is capable of 5 watts, for example, you will have no
trouble getting good deflections with a small whip antenna (a foot or
two long), a 1N34 diode and the millivoltmeter range of a VOM.

>
>Please respond to jlauber@execpc.com .
>
>Sincerely,
>
>Dan Lauber
>jlauber@execpc.com

>

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

971. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34e0ac20.9753067@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153969
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:42:56 +0100, "Woellenweber"
<101367.2044@metronet.de> wrote:

Gruss Gott, Herr Woellenweber,

It was your name that caught my attention. Years ago I worken on a
project for the US Government. That project included some large
antennas built in Germany. The antennas had the appearance of a
knitting machine - hence they were called "Woellenweber".

>I would build for my ship (steel sailboat) one SSB antenna . On the
>eightstay I have not good experiences.
Ich verstehe nicht "eightstay". Das muss eine falsche Uebersetzung
sein.

I know of amateurs who have used the "backstay" as an antenna. (d.h.,
the steel cable that runs from the Stern (of the boat - nicht Sternen
wie im Himmel) up to the top of the mast. They have reported very
good results. The steel hull of your boat will enhance a "ground
plane" vertical. All you need is a proper tuner or transmatch to
match the impedance of the backstay to your transmitter. You should be
able to operate on any frequency from 6Mhz through 30MHz.
40M, 30M, 20M, 17M , 15M, 12M and 10M. It is not a sufficient antenna
for lower frequencies unless you provide some capacitance or "top hat"
loading. (d.h. viele quadratmeter auf der spitze).

>It gives in the ship accessory SSB antennae those are approx 4 to 6 m of 1,6
>to 24 MHZ long the entire maritime mobile service field and for the entire
>maritime mobile service field

>Now my question:
>Since these antennae cost approx 600 DM would like to build themselves.

A good tuner will cost less than $140 for power under 300 watts. The
insulation of the backstay from the mast and the hull is mechanical
problem.

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

972. Kenwood TM-261 info on mods wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <887142540.1318518795@dejanews.com>
Source record: 153970

I think that the W1 jumper opens up the transmission
bandwith of the TM-261A. Does someone know what the
W2 jumper does? Correct me if I am wrong about the
W1 jumper. I want to use it as a kind of signal
generator for testing different receivers. Thank you.

73 de VE2CJW.

----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

973. Need Docs on ICOM CT-17

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1002981150300001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 153971

I am in the process of buying a used ICOM CT-17 level controller.
Unfortunately, the original owner does not have the docs. Does anyone have
an extra copy or one that could be copied? I will gladly pay any expenses.

Thanks.

73, Dick
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

974. Re: Are my camcorder heads really TOAST???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: stokes@SPAM_BE_GONE.exis.net
Message-ID: <stokes-1002981609210001@backstep.larc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 153972
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.desktop,sci.electronics.repair

In article <spamme-1002981216510001@ts1-11.ant.auracom.com>,
spamme@if.you.dare (Robert Westbrook) wrote:

> Hi there fellas.
>
> I just got my Sony CCD-F302 8mm camcorder back from the repair place I
> took it to to get a diagnosis, and they claim it's the video heads (they
> said they cleaned it w/no result). I may tend to agree with this as the
> playback noise problem appeared one day when it was not there before at
> all. Plays this way with all the tapes I own, so I do not think it is the
> tape.
> They seemed reluctant to quote me a repair price; I don't really think
> he knew where he could get the required parts (the camera's prolly 7 years
> old). Where would I go to find replacement heads that wouldn't cost me
> more than a new machine?
> I checked out MC Electronics, Dalbani... none of their websites really
> said anything about camcorder heads. Are they hard to find? It looks like
> I could install the heads fairly easily in the camcorder myself; the drum
> is out where I can get at it if I remove the tape door.

It's been my experience (for friends and such) that repair places are
really hesitant to do any repairs on camcorders. I get the impression
that they don't like to work on the small delicate instruments with lots
of small parts. Sort of like taking your borken watch to aamco
(transmission place).

Sheldon

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Remove SPAM_BE_GONE. from my address to reply to me.

975. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Planet Nik <Nick@greenhse.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <xcFT9HAEyL40Ewf$@greenhse.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153973
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <34e12071.1632934@news.dial.pipex.com>, Walt Davidson
<no.junk.mail@thank.you> writes
>On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:42:56 +0100, "Woellenweber"
><101367.2044@metronet.de> wrote:
>
>>Sorry this text is translated with the computer
>
>.... and only another computer would be able to understand it.
>
A station who obviously doesn't speak english does his best to
communicate in mainly english newsgroups and all you can do is critise!
Even *if* it was a joke you didn't let the origional poster know with a
smiley - either way it shows your own ignorance.
--

Nick (G7IZR)

976. squelch tail on crossband FT5100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lent <gte900f@acme.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <34E0BEFA.1C4E5315@acme.gatech.edu>
Source record: 153974

Does anyone know how to lengthen the squelch "tail" on the FT5100 while
in crossband repeat? When using it on fringe areas or through a moving
mobile
I receive a lot of flutter and the signal is dropped which makes the
crossband signal
even more unreadable. I think if I could increase the tail I could keep
it from dropping
out and the signal would be a lot more readable.
If anyone also has any suggestions on how to generally improve crossband
repeat
performance (ie seperate antannas, filters, etc.) I would be much
obliged!
73
Eddie, KS4TY
reply to: gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove the one's to reply!)

977. Re: Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathryn Mataga <cathryn@junglevision.com>
Message-ID: <34E0C183.D2D67FE5@junglevision.com>
Source record: 153975

Gary Coffman wrote:
> I hate to see a Novice jump right into QRP. It takes a bit of skill and
> experience to operate QRP successfully. You're likely to find it very
> frustrating without that experience.

I agree. The key to ham radio is LOUDNESS. CW or SSB you want to be
as LOUD as possible.

For radios, they key is three words -- Icom, Yaesu, Kenwood. I'd look
for something like a used IC730. That's what I had first. Put up
wire antennas if you have the space -- or a vertical WITH the radials
and you'll be fine. When you upgrade to General, I'd pick up a big
amplifier -- if you want to use SSB.

978. Re: Alinco DX70TH - Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <34E0C2AD.91@amsat.org>
Source record: 153976

Terry Crothers wrote:
>
> I am considering buying the DX70TH and would appreciate any comments from
> users.
> It will be a backup for my Drake TR7 and also allow me to get up on 6
> metres from my QTH on Groote Eylandt (OC-141)(PH86ed).
> With thanks in advance,
> Terry Crothers,
> vk8ktc@bigpond.com

DX-70TH
1) The noise blanker does not work on FM. The unit is totally
unuseable for 10 & 6 meter FM mobile operation.
2) You can not store FM repeater offsets into memory channels (pain!!!)
3) Only "one" PL can be selected at a time, via dip switches on
the bottom of the unit. (pain!!!)
If you are not going to use it for mobile operations, then it would
be a "fair" radio. It only has dual IF stages. However for mobile
operation, this is why I bought it, on FM its poor!!! If you want,
I will sell you mine CHEAP including the matching mobile antenna tuner!
NE7X...

979. Re: Help with mobile noise reduction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <34E0BE96.5E6@amsat.org>
Source record: 153977

I have the same problem with my Alinco DX-70th in my Chevy Suburban.
I have been fighting the "white noise" issue for almost two years now.
I have tried all the voodoo magic suggestions from various people,
(ie: grounding tail pipe, ground straps between engine hood and fenders)
and I still had the same problem.

What I did find was some of the "white noise" was coming from a DC
blower fan motor on my oil radiator. I discovered the white noise would
increase and decrease when this blower fan motor came on/off. I placed a
20 turn torriod coil in series with the DC power connection, including a
.001 uf cap across the torroid input and output. This eliminated the
noise being generated by that motor 100%. However, I still have "white
noise".

After talking with several mechanics, I'm now led to believe the white
noise is coming from my fuel pump motor and maybe the computer unit
itself. I haven't gotten into it any further at this point, however my
next steps will be to try the torriod and capacitor trick in series with
the fuel pump motor.

In the mean time, one thing I did come across is a JPS ANC-4 noise
eliminator. This device places any noise picked up on it's sensor
antenna wire 180 deg out of phase with the primary receiving antenna,
thus canceling out the noise. I ran the sensor wire from the ANC-4 into
the engine compartment, next to the distributor cap and fuel pump. I am
now able to reduce (not eliminate) the white noise by 3 S-units.

My HF mobile installation is useable at this point, however I can not
QSO with station below a S2. Those signals are in the white noise.

If anyone else here on the net has some suggestions, please pass them
along to all.

73s, NE7X...

Mark Kuziv wrote:
>
> Could be fuel pump noise??????????????????
> Jim Mandaville wrote in message ...
> >
> >Anybody out there with experience in reducing HF mobile noise in a Toyota
> >Tacoma V6 pickup (or comparable vehicle)? I'm getting S-7 to S-8 noise on
> >both of my rigs (Ten-Tec Scout and ICOM 706-II. The noise blankers take
> >out the ignition impulses quite nicely but I still have a slightly ragged
> >"white noise" background that shows no change with engine speed. I'm
> >assuming it's from the car's computer. It's all to the antenna. No noise

> >with ant disconnected. Antenna now is a mag-mounted Hamstick giving good
> >results. But sure would like to be able to copy weaker sigs ....
> >
> >Jim W7JIT

980. Re: Yaesu FT-8100 or FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210212100.QAA04406@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153978

I have had the 8000 Yaesu and it is like the 8100 except the face
would not remote mount... I like the 8000-8100 better than the
8500 because it will recieve up to 1300 MHZ, including the
800 meg bands where our cops and fire departments are, here in Little Rock,
AR,,, It is like having a dualband ham rig and a scanner built in to one
radio... the 8500 will not rec. 800 or 1300meg.
The 8500 is on sale now for 379.00 at AES so they are probly going to
discontinue it, because it use to sell for over 600.00......
That is all I have to tell you on thoes radios... OH, one other thing.
If you are planning to use a 2meter or 440 amp with your dualband radio you
might need to look at a radio that does not have a built in duplexer, like the
733 Kenwood. It has two antenna outlets, one for 2meter and one for 440...If
you hook a 2 meter amp up to your radio with a built in duplexer you will not
hardly hear or be able to transmit very far on 440 ....
Hope I was of some help...
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock, AR

981. Info on ADMS-1D and VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: baxter@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu
Message-ID: <1998Feb10.152204@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu>
Source record: 153979

I have one of the nice VX-1R handhelds, and have been interested in the ADMS-1D software for programming the radio. The manual method of programming is rather slow and clumsy, with the limited number of knobs and buttons on the radio, so the software way seemed to be the way to go.

However, reading the newsgroup, it seems there have been problems with radio settings getting scrambled, etc..

I would be interested in knowing from the readers of this group what experiences they've had, positive or negative, with the ADMS-1D and VX-1R combination.

Our local dealer has also been backordered for weeks on this product... does anyone know if they're making changes to the product which have made it temporarily unavailable?

73s, W0KGB

982. FS: rotary inductors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210213201.QAA17850@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153980

Have two, new in the box, never used, with spec sheet, EF Johnson roller inductors. They are 10 microhenry. Would like to swap for a single rotary inductor or sell outright.

73

Evan

983. Re: FT-50R current draw when off

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jose R. Camara" <camara@quantacorp.com>
Message-ID: <34E0C880.B34DF91B@quantacorp.com>
Source record: 153981

Eric:

Just measured on mine, 225uA at the battery input on the radio, using 8V from a power supply.

Bad news (to me) was that when I turned the radio on and then off, it would draw 2.7mA unless I opened the circuit and closed it again , then it would draw 225 uA. Which would mean I'd have to turn the radio off and remove and reinstall the battery each time. Not very practical.

Good news is that Yaesu (562-404-2700) will take care of it under warranty, and I also found out they came out with a low profile power button which will solve the other dead battery problem I have (radio turns on by accident inside a briefcase, pocket, backpack,etc.) I was about to cut a slice off the button to make it lower...

Best regards,
Jose R. Camara

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> (My measurement was done with a Wavetek RMS225 in autorange (default) mode.)
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> Thanks much,
> --
> Eric F. Richards
> efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
> "The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
> - Dilbert

984. Looking for p-110 h-t software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: boerner <boerner@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <LPMD.129$Y41.551371@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 153993

I'm looking for software for the Motorola p-110 h-t radios. I would like a copy if any body can help.
Thanks
Ed
E-mail me at BOERNER@ptd.net

985. FS: Near Mint TS-930S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <34DF9856.72BD@mci.com>
Source record: 153994

Hello Friends,

I still have a near mint TS-930S/AT transceiver for sale.

Electrically, it's perfect. It has been checked and aligned by
the Kenwood experts at International Radio in Florida.

Cosmetically, it's in super clean condition.

With original manual and box.

Just reduced to $775 + shipping, Or Best Reasonable Offer.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

986. FS: 160WATT TE SYSTEM 2MTR AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210011300.UAA20611@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153995

FOR SALE: I HAVE A TE SYSTM MODEL 1410G 10 IN 160 OUT 2METER POWER AMPLIFIER. IT IS VERY CLEAN AND HAS A BUILT IN GASFET PREAMP. PRICE IS $200. THIS PRICE INCLUDES FEDEX SHIPPING. STEVE W1SN

987. FS: Rohn tower in North NJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mb@nac.net
Message-ID: <mb-0902982055080001@nac-wsh5-s40-115k.nac.net>
Source record: 153996
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've got three 10' and one 9' top section in very good condition for sale.
Can be seen and picked up in Northern New Jersey. Reply via email if
interested.

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_____________M_a_r_k___S___B_o_n_d____W_2_M_B__

988. WTB: TSU8 Decoder Board for Kenwood TM733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbest@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6bobtu$lp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153997

Need the TSU8 decoder board for Kenwood TM733
TNX
jbest@worldnet.att.net

989. Drake TR-4 vs Kenwood 830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: chrisl@netdoor.com
Message-ID: <6bocq0$gq8$1@usenet51.supernews.com>
Source record: 153998

I have an opportunity to buy on of these rigs. I would be interested
in opinions from those who know about both.
Thanks,
Chris

990. Panel meter needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: badgerNoSpamNo@telalink.net
Message-ID: <g7PD.263$At6.449521@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153999
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a panel meter, the same style and size as the
meters in a R390 or 392, etc -- 1 3/4 square, fits in
1 1/2 hole. The movement needs to be 50 to 200 microamps.
So far all I seem to be able to find are 1 milliamp in that size.

Help?

73

Tom
badger@telalink.net
--
Visit the Mil List
http://www.telalink.net/~badger/millist/mi.html

991. Re: KENWOOD 440 - PLL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony/nettie <adercole@bellsouth.net.spamfilter>
Message-ID: <34DFE043.896E73F6@bellsouth.net.spamfilter>
Source record: 154000

try:
ftp://ftp.kenwood.net/c%3A/website/htdocs/kenwood/kenftp/Amateur/AmateurServiceBulletins/

KB5DMT@bigfoot.com wrote:

> I'M TOLD THERE IS A PLL PROBLEM WITH THE 440 PLL DECK SOMETIMES THEY
> REPLACE THREE DIODES OTHERS THEY REPLACE THE ENTIRE BOARD....ANY
> INSIGHTS ON THIS WOULD BE HELPFUL......
>
> THANKS, 73's
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> LH

992. TM-701A Battery Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5kzw@ibm.net
Message-ID: <34dfc624.277919000@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 154001

After I got the swap-meet-special TM-701A mounted in the wife's car this weekend, we found out that it has no memory retention. The thing is a pain to get in and out, so I'd like to have a battery ready to pop in when I pull it back out. The schematic neglects to give the battery voltage.

Can anyone tell me the battery voltage and lead configuration (or Digi-Key cross reference)? Can anyone advise me of any difficulties I'm going to encounter in getting to the battery or replacing it?

Thanks,
Ed

993. FS Updated list of Catalogs, Mags, ARRL Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hipkat99@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210032400.WAA13770@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154002

Visit my page to see a list of ARRL handbooks plus many more catalogs, manuals and magazines, etc.

http://members.aol.com/hipkat99/index.html

994. Re: Help with mobile noise reduction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Kuziv <kuziv@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <6boja9emi1@comet3.magicnet.net>
Source record: 154003

Could be fuel pump noise??????????????????
Jim Mandaville wrote in message ...
>
>Anybody out there with experience in reducing HF mobile noise in a Toyota
>Tacoma V6 pickup (or comparable vehicle)? I'm getting S-7 to S-8 noise on
>both of my rigs (Ten-Tec Scout and ICOM 706-II. The noise blankers take
>out the ignition impulses quite nicely but I still have a slightly ragged
>"white noise" background that shows no change with engine speed. I'm
>assuming it's from the car's computer. It's all to the antenna. No noise
>with ant disconnected. Antenna now is a mag-mounted Hamstick giving good
>results. But sure would like to be able to copy weaker sigs .....
>
>Jim W7JIT

995. FS Heath SWR meter HM-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E08352.DB0@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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For sale Heathkit HM-102 swr meter with remote sensor can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky look under "for sale"
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996. FS Heath mobile power supply HP-13

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E08273.316A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.radio.marketplace

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For Sale Heathkit mobile power supply HP-13 supplies mobile power for
the SB series Heathkits....can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky look under "for sale"
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997. FS Heath AM-2 SWR bridge

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E0811E.5E91@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit AM-2 SWR bridge can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky good price look under "for sale"

998. FS Heath Mobile PS GP-11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E080A4.7F69@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.radio.marketplace

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For sale Heathkit mobile power supply for the "lunch boxes" Twoer.
Sixer, and Tener....can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky
under "For Sale"
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999. FS Heath Q Multiplier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E0819D.F81@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit QF-1 Q multiplier good shape can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky look under "for sale" good price

1000. HELP!, Power meter problems URGENT science fair help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lauber <jlauber@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6boe5q$pkb@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 154009
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.wicen,git.radio.amateur,mcgill.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.mi

I need urgent help to get me off on my science fair project.

I have been doing an experiment to test the resistance of different materials to an airborne signal, but I need serious help on the apparatus. First I tried a baby monitor and used an amplified microphone to pick up variances in the volume of the signal (audible), then measured the output of the microphone on a voltmeter. A very simple and indirect way of doing it. It worked, but it didn't seem to pick up enough change, and my preliminary testing resulted in less than desirable results. Second, I tried measuring the strength of a CB signal with a wattmeter, but the wattmeter had to be wired inline between the transmitter and antenna, not what I wanted to test. Is there any piece of equipment that measures the strength of an airborne signal? Am I setting this up right? (see diagram below)

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| transmitter | | Block | | receiver |
------------------ (lead etc.) ---------------
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Is there a wattmeter or other piece of equipment that will take the place of the receiver and give me a reading of the power of the signal, either precise or relative? I need some form of project by 2/17/98, and a good one by Feb. 23. I urgently need any help you can give me. Thankyou.

Please respond to jlauber@execpc.com .

Sincerely,

Dan Lauber
jlauber@execpc.com

1001. Re: KENWOOD 440 - PLL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Nord <nordr@dsport.com>
Message-ID: <34DFE281.1DF2@dsport.com>
Source record: 154010

tony/nettie wrote:
>
> try:
>
ftp://ftp.kenwood.net/c%3A/website/htdocs/kenwood/kenftp/Amateur/AmateurServiceBulletins/
>
> KB5DMT@bigfoot.com wrote:
>
> > I'M TOLD THERE IS A PLL PROBLEM WITH THE 440 PLL DECK SOMETIMES THEY
> > REPLACE THREE DIODES OTHERS THEY REPLACE THE ENTIRE BOARD....ANY
> > INSIGHTS ON THIS WOULD BE HELPFUL......
> >
> > THANKS, 73's
> >
> > LH

Kenwood was sold a bill of goods on a potting compound they used in the TS-440 which became conductive after a few years. It was intended to keep the rig stable in mobile operation. The fix is to remove the compound, which means removing each component, scrapping the crap outta there, and replacing the component back; an extremely tedious job. There are several fellows around who are good at performing the work. I had mine done by Jim Kasunic (Electronic Service Lab) KA3LPC. He can be reached at 301-845-6949. He's well equipped and very good at fixing Kenwoods, with very reasonable prices for the work he does.

1002. Please Indentify Old Radio HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gilligan@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <887091571.1277820937@dejanews.com>
Source record: 154011

I am looking for the make and model of this 1960's old radio. It was featured in the Gilligan's Island series. I know there are experts in this field out there, so please give me your expertise. You can go here to view the radio. Also would like to purchase. Thanks a bunch!

http://www.san.rr.com/gilligan/images/radioall.jpg

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1003. IC-706MkII GO with DSP or Internal Filters???or both???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980210063501.BAA05952@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 154012

Hello,

I have a ICOM 706MkII. I am trying to decide which way to go in regards to filters and sound quality. My Dilemma:

Do I purchase two internal filters OR just purchase the new DSP? or should I purchase both? I plan in keeping this radio for sometime and don't mind maxing the radio out with accessories. But are the internal filters a waste if I have the DSP installed?

Two filters are going to cost me about $200 where as the DSP is selling for about $140 right now(I purchased the DSP in December of 97, so I miss the free deal =(

So people...what is your opinion? One or the other or both or none?? =)

Thanks for any and all comments!

Jason Hulet
KC8FXE

1004. Re: [Repeater Questions: Help!]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34DFF0FF.36EBED91@earthlink.net>
Source record: 154013

Hi Mack!!! For a GOOD quality linking rptr controller, check out
the LINKCOM series at www.link-comm.com

All the models support full duplex linking...for what you want with
all three machines may be a RLC Club on the ends and a RLC 2 or 3
in the middle! The Club is a two port controller...one for your local
rptr and the other for the link to the middle system....the RLC 2
is a 3 port controller...1 rptr and 2 links...or any combo of them..
the RLC 3 is an expandable one...starts with 4 ports...autopatch
uses one port of the RLC 3...but not on the 2 and Club...The CLub
and RLC 3 uses same software and programs almost the same! The 2
uses similar but different software schemes....For radios, I
suggest GE MSTR II or EXEC II radios...well built and work for me
I have 4 rptrs using GEs ...two are linked via full duplex 420 links.
All but one use RLC 3 controllers....(the 4th is an ACC RC850 no longer
available)...

Chris
WB5ITT
(repeater remailer at repeat@repeater.net .....send msg with
subscribe as SUBJECT and you'll join!)

> From: "Mack" <kf4mir@panama.c-com.net>
> I am looking for some advice on setting up a repeater. I am in the
> Republic of Panama and we have three repeaters, two of which are pretty
> old. We have one that is located in Panama City and another that is
> located in Colon on the opposite side of the canal. I have been tasked by
> our ham club to set up a committee to replace some of our older gear. I
> need help!
>
> The problem is this: We need at least a new controller on the Paciffic
> side and a new controller and repeater on the Atlantic side. I am not very
> familiar with some of the newer products and would value any advice I can
> get.
>
> Some of the features we need in the controller is the ability to link the
> repeaters, patching capabilities (reverse and regular autopatch), messaging
> storage, and memory storage of emergency numbers. The repeaters should be
> continuous duty cycle and have methods for operation on backup power as we
> lose electricity regularly here during rainy season.
>
> These repeaters are about the only reliable form of communications we have
> in this country, and we need to upgrade the older systems that we have.
> The controller we have on the Paciffic side was made in 86 and the one on
> the Atlantic side is even older than that, 81 I think.

>
> I would like to say thanks in advance for any help and advice I can get on
> this!
>
> Mack
> HP1XBG
> Fort Clayton, Republic of Panama

1005. Re: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6botiu$8cs$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 154014

When is the T8 going to be available in the U.S.???

--sandy
KW6KW

In article <#RgMxRZN9GA.232@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>, Stefan Kowal
<100627.3426@CompuServe.COM> wrote:
>I have one of these sets, though it is the T8E (UK) version.
>I do not have a great deal of detail yet since it is new to me.
>It will not RX below 50mHz as far as I know.
>
>The set can RX on input when using a repeater by pressing the
>squelch key. (it may be called 'monitor' on the US version.)
>
>The thing which dissapoints me is that the RX mode is preset and
>cannot be altered except for some very selective parts of the
>band - you can swop between am and fm from 300 -400mHz and there
>is some wide fm facility. I cannot understand why you cannot
>manually swop rx mode across the whole of the rx range.
>
>I will be pleased to swop info and mod info with other users when
>available.
>
>Stefan, G0BJW

1006. Re: Yaesu 8500. How does this rate compared to other Dual Banders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Cole , Kathy, Claire" <kc5swi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34DFFB92.2D369EA2@flash.net>
Source record: 154015

My 8500 has been excellent, no complaints at all. It works as
advertised. I had no intermod problems in houston or dallas. I prefer
the "potato head mic", although ugly, its the 8500's strongest feature.
It allows complete control of the radio by feel, instead of having to
stare at the little mic buttons. The other mic uses a 2nd function key
requiring much more skill to operate mobile !!
73
kc5swi@flash.net
administrator wrote:
>
> I'm about to spring for a dual bander (2 / 440), and am attracted to the
> Yaesu 8500. Does anyone have any experience with this radio? Is the receiver
> hot? It it immune to intermod? Does it have rugged construction? Are
> there any reliability problems? Would I be better off with the 8100?
>
> I would probably buy it without the Mr. Potato head microphone.
>
> I presently own a Yaesu 2500, and am pretty pleased with the unit.
>
> Thanks
> Chris
>
> Please respond to
>
> chris.shustak@eastmansoftware.com

1007. SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woellenweber <101367.2044@metronet.de>
Message-ID: <6bp0bmbrm1@news.metronet.de>
Source record: 154016
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sorry this text is translated with the computer

Hi,

I would build for my ship (steel sailboat) one SSB antenna . On the
eightstay I have not good experiences.
It gives in the ship accessory SSB antennae those are approx 4 to 6 m of 1,6
to 24 MHZ long the entire maritime mobile service field and for the entire
maritime mobile service field
Now my question:
Since these antennae cost approx 600 DM would like to build themselves.
Where I can find a manual?

Klaus
Mail to woellenweber@metronet.de

1008. Re: HELP!, Power meter problems URGENT science fair help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: psam@giraffe.ru.ac.za
Message-ID: <psam.186.34E00D83@giraffe.ru.ac.za>
Source record: 154017
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.wicen,git.radio.amateur,mcgill.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur

In article <6boe5q$pkb@newsops.execpc.com> "John Lauber" <jlauber@execpc.com> writes:
>From: "John Lauber" <jlauber@execpc.com>
>Subject: HELP!, Power meter problems URGENT science fair help
>Date: 10 Feb 1998 02:31:22 GMT

>I need urgent help to get me off on my science fair project.

>I have been doing an experiment to test the resistance of different
>materials to an airborne signal, but I need serious help on the apparatus.
>First I tried a baby monitor and used an amplified microphone to pick up
>variances in the volume of the signal (audible), then measured the output
>of the microphone on a voltmeter. A very simple and indirect way of doing
>it. It worked, but it didn't seem to pick up enough change, and my
>preliminary testing resulted in less than desirable results. Second, I
>tried measuring the strength of a CB signal with a wattmeter, but the
>wattmeter had to be wired inline between the transmitter and antenna, not
>what I wanted to test. Is there any piece of equipment that measures the
>strength of an airborne signal? Am I setting this up right? (see diagram
>below)
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> | transmitter | | Block | | receiver |
> ------------------ (lead etc.) ---------------

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>of the receiver and give me a reading of the power of the signal, either
>precise or relative? I need some form of project by 2/17/98, and a good one
>by Feb. 23. I urgently need any help you can give me. Thankyou.

>Please respond to jlauber@execpc.com .

>Sincerely,

>Dan Lauber
>jlauber@execpc.com

Yes a field strength meter.

1009. help - recurring noise every 82 khz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew McFarland <amcfarland@symantec.com>
Message-ID: <34E018F2.459A@symantec.com>
Source record: 154018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm getting a 'buzzing' noise/signal about every 81-83 kilohertz - strong - several S-units over the general noise. Every band - Two different radios, both run from a battery. Local computers/tv's off. Does this ring any bells for anyone?

Andy N7VTB

1010. Free Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Smith <smith_ap@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3616$be8f88a0$3b4995c1@default>
Source record: 154019

I have an old KW2000E which I'm trying to find a good home for. It hasn't been switched on for about 10 years, and frankly it looks as though you could grow mushrooms in the cabinet. It goes (went ;-)) at about 150 watts and I managed to work W, VE, VK, ZL, VU on it using a simple ground-plane in the corner of the garden.

Anyone who is prepared to get it working, and find it a good home is welcome to it free (yes, free) if they are prepared to collect it from the Croydon (UK) area. I now live in a flat and am QRT so it is of now use to me. In particular, I would like to see it go to a club or a school who could make use of it.

Please e-mail me if you're interested.

Andy G4BBW

1011. FS: RFConcepts 4-310 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-1002980630590001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 154020

I have a mint 430-45-MHZ amp w/preamp 30Win 100Wout, has been used less
than 1/2hr. price 200.00

1012. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.xx.gary@mms.xx.net
Message-ID: <34e03b13.2489319@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 154021

"Greg Ottria" <Gottria@Inreach.com> wrote:

>Any comments on the IC-32A? I'm looking for a good dualband HT.

Icom IC-W32A Mini-Review

The never-ending search for the perfect (Icom) handheld has led me to the Icom IC-W32A, a tiny dual-bander. It's getting close. (You Kenwood/Yaesu/Alinco/Standard guys - write your own review.)

As dual-band HTs got smaller, the shrinking real-estate on top of the radio created a problem. It takes three knobs to control the usual volume/squelch combo for VHF, volume/squelch for UHF, and channel/tuning. Add jacks for antenna, power and a speaker/mic, and things get tight on the top of smaller rigs.

Icom's first dualbander-on-a-diet was the W2A back in 1991 (the 24AT doesn't count - it can't tune both bands at once, so it doesn't need dual controls). They jammed all the controls on top of the radio, but they put the VHF volume/squelch shaft so close to the antenna connector that it was hard to turn. The next generation W21A still had three knobs, but somewhat better ergonomics. But the competition was getting smaller still. There just wouldn't be room.

So Icom and the other manufacturers pulled one of the three knobs off the top of the radio, and everybody went off in different directions as they tried to figure out how to double up on the functions of the remaining two knobs. The result is that you probably can't just pick up a friend's HT and use it anymore, unless it happens to be on the right channel and have the right volume setting already.

Icom went through some particularly tortured control combinations in the short-lived Z1A and W31A before arriving at a workable combination in the W32A. Those older radios put the squelch controls for each band on the outside rings of each shaft, and divide the inside ring between volume duty and channel duty. The Z1 forces you to find and push a "function" key before you can adjust the volume (a real stupid idea). The W31 lets you program those shafts to be either volume or channel, and then you have to hold the function button use the opposite function (not as stupid, but inconvenient).

I have a Z1, and kept wishing that they hadn't wasted that outside ring on the squelch control. Sure, squelch is a diddler's delight as a control, but you really don't have to adjust it much. Volume control is much more important.

Well, someone at Icom must have been listening inside my brain, because that's just what they did. The ring on each outer shaft of the W32 controls volume - easy to reach and adjust. The center knob controls frequency (and other functions through the SET menu).

To change the squelch level, you have to hold a function key and rotate the center knob. But, among the 8 levels of squelch settings, there's something called "AT," or as the manual describes it, an "automatic level adjustment with a noise pulse count system." I don't know what that is, but it seems to work pretty well. I'm now happy with the compromise on limited real-estate.

Something else I'm happy about is memories - 100 per band. 100 memories on 2 meters is just barely enough for what I want to do, which is program every 2 meter repeater and simplex channel into a memory (there are 100 of the beasts).

Why do that? Because it's the only way to easily scan all the 2 meter FM channels. The band plan is too convoluted for easy scanning using "band limits." Repeaters down by 145.11 - 145.49 are in 20 kHz steps. Then there's a big gap in the band, until you reach the repeaters and simplex from 146.4 to 147.6, and those are on 15 kHz channels. So you're choices are to scan just one part of the band efficiently, or scan too much of it at 5 kHz steps, very inefficiently. Unless you can program every channel into memory.

There's just one thing I'd like to see in addition that the W32 doesn't do - "bank" the memories, or group them and let me turn banks on and off. The local repeaters would be in one bank, and the rest of them would be in another. I could then choose to scan just the local machines, or all of them. You might have your own favorite plan for banked memories.

(Why do I want to do all that scanning anyway? How do you think I got the reputation for being everywhere at once?)

And now, some of the other interesting touches in this radio:

Alpha names - you can program the display to read an 8-character text name for memory channels. Great for those lesser-used memory channels when you can't remember why you programmed it. But I dread the day when we stop calling it "six-four" and start calling it "channel nine."

Weather Channels - there's a separate "band" for tuning the NOAA weather channels from 162.40 - 162.55. They read out only in channel numbers from 1 thru 10, not in frequencies. And the order is strange: Ch. 1 is 162.55, Ch. 2 is 162.40, Ch. 3 is 162.475, Ch. 4 is 162.425, and it goes up from there. That follows the order of "popularity" of the NOAA channels, but will seem odd to hams used to dealing with real frequencies.

Frequency coverage is wide, but not quite as wide as earlier models (there may be some mods needed for wide coverage):

108-136, with a real AM detector.

136-200 (I haven't tested the sensitivity in the upper reaches of that band,, but it doesn't hear the potent ch. 11 video carrier on 199.25, so I suspect it's kind of deaf up there).

300-400 (again, no sensitivity measurements, and there's an FM detector, although much of the military aviation activity in this band is AM).

400-600. Here, the TV carrier test shows sensitivity up to the low 500's, but it can't hear channel 30 (in Middelsex) at 567.24 - that carrier bangs into my AOR 3000A scanner.

600 - 1000. No hint of the channel 40 carrier at 627.26, but it hears the 800 MHz public service stuff well. The cellular band is blocked (big deal, it's all going digital anyway). It hears a 940 MHz system well.

It's a small radio, but has big buttons. The speaker is on the small side, with only fair fidelity and volume. Transmit audio is kind of bassy and a little muddy.

Transmitting on VHF will finally mute the UHF receiver, and vice versa. It took Icom forever to figure this out. With the W2A and W21A, if you were transmitting on VHF and somebody came up on UHF, you blasted that sound out your transmitter.

You can set different CTCSS tones for transmit and receive. The only radio I've encountered before that did this was the Radio Shack HTX-202. I don't think I've ever really wished I could do that, but now I can.

Automatic Repeater Offsets - Kenwood has done this for years. Icom just learned how to track the radio with the band plan, and shift the transmitter offset up or down depending on what part of the band you're in. But the band plan they used must have been the ARRL's, which still calls for "linear translators" between 145.11 and 145.19. So the W32A won't set an automatic offset there. Icom, get a clue. There are no linear translators except on the OSCARS, so this part of the band is full of repeaters.

But they make up for that faux pas with this feature - when it's time to program a memory, you dial it into the VFO, then push some buttons to start putting it into memory. But part way into that process, as you are selecting which memory channel you want to use by dialing across the existing memory channels, the display SHOWS YOU WHAT'S ALREADY BEEN PROGRAMMED in each channel. Now that is extra useful.

There's a direct readout of battery voltage - at least I thought there was. Turns out it only reads in .5 volt increments, and not when the radio is transmitting. So it's utility is limited. The manual says it was designed to keep tabs on the voltage of an alkaline pack, not the nicads.

Cloning and PC programming - you can. I haven't tried it yet. You need an optional cable.

There is no adapter to charge the battery with the little wall cube charger when the battery is off the radio. Your option is to charge it while on the radio, or get a rapid-charger. The rapid charger is nice, and it runs

on 12 volts, so you can use it in your car. Beware, there's a little, loose plastic insert required to hold in different size batteries. It falls out easily. I know. I lost mine. The replacement is $15.

DTMF "Paging" functions are GONE. Nobody except N1GMV every used them, but they were a great idea. Your radio could be programmed with a bunch of touch-tone codes, and would sit silently monitoring a busy channel until someone send one of your codes. I couldn't believe this radio didn't have the feature, but it's not on the buttons, and not in the manual. It does have CTCSS encode and decode, with 50 tone channels instead of the usual 38.

Also missing is the ability to keep the internal speaker going when you plug in a speaker-mic.

And finally, Icom stole Kenwood's "guide." It's a little scroll of text across the screen that tells you what the function of a button or "set" function is. I felt like a dork using it, but it worked.

There's more, of course, but most of the other functions are the ones we've been using for several years.

So yes, I like the W32. It solved some vexing operational problems, and only added a few small new ones. My W2A cost over $600 in 1991. The W32 street price is below $350.

Gary Pearce KN4AQ - the HT King.

Since that article, Jeff AC4ZO discovered a couple programming bugs -- if you use the "CALL" memory channel a lot, you'll find that when you turn the radio off and back on while the "CALL" channel is selected, some parameters will change -- wrong offset, no PL. Just changing off the CALL channel and back on will restore the correct parameters, but it's a minor pain.

MODS:

To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive (cellular blocked):

-- Turn off the radio

-- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.

-- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
and squelch buttons.

-- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.

To enable Crossband Repeat:

-- Set the VHF and UHF frequencies you want to use.

-- "Lock" the radio by holding down the CALL/LOCK button
for two seconds.

-- Turn off the radio.

-- Hold down the SQUELCH button (above the PTT button),
the MAIN button and the BAND button.

-- Turn the radio on while holding these buttons. The "LOCK"
indicator (a key icon in the upper right side of the display)
will be flashing, and the radio will be in crossband repeat.

To disable Crossband Repeat:

-- Hold the CALL/LOCK button down for two seconds. The "LOCK"
indicator will stop flashing, unless...

-- if the crossband repeater is in use, holding the LOCK button
won't turn it off. If you must shut it off in that condition,
press and hold the SQUELCH button, then hold the LOCK button
for two seconds, and the "LOCK" indicator will stop flashing.

73,
Gary KN4AQ
remove xx's for reply

1013. Re: HELP!, Power meter problems URGENT science fair help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E04932.CDE18BAC@erols.com>
Source record: 154022
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.wicen,git.radio.amateur,mcgill.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.mi

Use a field strength meter to measure the signal. I think Radio Shack still has an SWR meter that has a field strength position with a small antenna. You should also be aware that the experiment will be hard to control if you are just placing a piece of material in the signal path. Signals will bounce around the room, reflecting off walls and such, and find paths between the transmitter and receiver other than the direct one which you are trying to attenuate with the material. The best way may be to place the transmitter inside a box made of the material.

Good luck.

John Lauber wrote:

> I need urgent help to get me off on my science fair project.
>
> I have been doing an experiment to test the resistance of different
> materials to an airborne signal, but I need serious help on the apparatus.
> First I tried a baby monitor and used an amplified microphone to pick up
> variances in the volume of the signal (audible), then measured the output
> of the microphone on a voltmeter. A very simple and indirect way of doing
> it. It worked, but it didn't seem to pick up enough change, and my
> preliminary testing resulted in less than desirable results. Second, I
> tried measuring the strength of a CB signal with a wattmeter, but the
> wattmeter had to be wired inline between the transmitter and antenna, not
> what I wanted to test. Is there any piece of equipment that measures the
> strength of an airborne signal? Am I setting this up right? (see diagram
> below)
> ------------------- | | --------------
> | transmitter | | Block | | receiver |
> ------------------ (lead etc.) ---------------
>
> Is there a wattmeter or other piece of equipment that will take the place
> of the receiver and give me a reading of the power of the signal, either
> precise or relative? I need some form of project by 2/17/98, and a good one
> by Feb. 23. I urgently need any help you can give me. Thankyou.
>
> Please respond to jlauber@execpc.com .
>
> Sincerely,
>
> Dan Lauber
> jlauber@execpc.com

1014. Tech Page for Sony SW-55??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kaboom@SPAMOUT.loop.com
Message-ID: <kaboom-1002980424560001@p14.hwts11.loop.net>
Source record: 154023

Anybody know of a tech page on the web for the Sony SW-55? I have one that's acting up (random lockups), and I remember reading a message somewhere that there are some known, fixable issues with this radio. If you know where I can learn about this (other than "ask Sony"), please let me know via email. Thanks!

73,
Michael
kaboom@writeme.com

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To email me, remove SPAMOUT from my address. You know why. Thanks.

1015. I nead a copy of a Sony 2010 manual.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Soniat <ed@texas.gtri.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <gho90rjzlpx.fsf@texas.gtri.gatech.edu>
Source record: 154024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Fellow Sony 2010 owner:

I need a copy of a 2010 manual. I bought a radio but the seller
couldn't find the manual. I also need a new adaptor.
If there is a particularly good one (or bad one) let me know.

Ed
--
_| | _ Edward C. Soniat (KE4TFT) Internet:ed@pobox.com
_| -|_ Mass transfer: 1854 Bishop's Green Dr
| | Marietta GA 30062 6079 (770)579 3279

1016. Re: Yaesu 8500. How does this rate compared to other Dual Banders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba <kf9yh@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6bphjg$d3k$1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 154025

>I just played with one today....with the MR. Potato Head Mike.
>I think it is a good value at the $365 price I have seen from many
>Dealers. The radio must be about to be replaced by a newer model.
>However, the price is excellent.
> Steve NS1R

Where can I buy one with Mr. Potato Head for $365? I am ready to
buy another.......

Bob
KF9YH

1017. NEED ONE 8874, good pull or what.....?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6bpnqcdnh1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Pretty much says it. I need one tube,8874, prefer to buy a good pull but will consider what ever. Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1018. NEED ONE 8874, good pull or what.....?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6bpokn$e48$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 154027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Pretty much says it. I need one tube,8874, prefer to buy a good pull but will consider what ever. Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

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1019. FS: Drake L4B, R4A, T4X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Moskowitz <lmoskowi@mail.bcpl.lib.md.us>
Message-ID: <34E058F1.CE041D2F@mail.bcpl.lib.md.us>
Source record: 154028

For sale in Baltimore area.

L4B amplifier - 10-80m $500
R4A receiver - 10-160m 100
T4X transmitter - 10-160m 100

Les
AE2P

1020. Want: Manual for Gonset Comm IV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3622$e3762280$2a0f9fcf@john>
Source record: 154029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Tuesday 02-10-98
Rocklin, CA 95677

Still looking for a manual for the Gonset
Communicator IV model 3341 2M rig.
This is the "flat" model, as opposed to the
upright "box" models...

A good and clean copy will do real
well also. All costs will be reimbursed.

Please check those file cabinets!

Thanks de John WB6GHA (formerly WN6GHA)
occupant@ns.net
..
"HILLARY SHOT VINCE!!" - local bumper sticker

1021. Re: Icom T8A tri band handie talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy <abaxter3@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E060D1.7719@hotmail.com>
Source record: 154030

Sandy Meltzer wrote:
>
> When is the T8 going to be available in the U.S.???
>
> --sandy
> KW6KW

Now, call HRO, they have 'em. Bought one a couple of days ago.

1022. Pro-Search Rotor Controller Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: michael ferraro <ferraro@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6bpnj9$8uf$1@newsfep4.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 154031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Am I the only one in the U.S. that has the Pro-Search Controller ?? !! 8-)

I am looking for any information regarding that 20 pin rear connector as I
am trying to interface the unit to my logging software (Logic5)

any help will be greatly appreciated

de Mike K6ZSR

1023. WTB: Icom IC-V21AT 220/2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie Sheldrake <"Eddie Sheldrake">
Message-ID: <34E213C9.3CBE@softhome.net>
Source record: 153783

Looking for a Icom IC-V21AT 220/2m Dual Bander.

Eddie
EddieS@softhome.net

1024. FS Yaesu FT767 GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ronnie Goodpaster <kt4iy@kih.net>
Message-ID: <6bto63$7a6$1@dbtsvr2.dbtech.net>
Source record: 153784

This is an excellent unit, It has 160 - 10 meter hf @100 watts, 6 meter, 2 meter, and 430-440 @ 10 watts. I have the matching Speaker with filters and the desk mike, as well as books and boxes for everything.
I would like to get about 1600 for this fine radio. If interested e-mail me back and leave a phone number and a time to call you.

Thanks
Ron
kt4iy@kih.net

1025. FS: Kennwood TS140S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Devine <ep@hurricane.net>
Message-ID: <6bto3jdrg1@sleet.hurricane.net>
Source record: 153785

Kenwood TS140S for sale In excellent condition & never modified.
All band, all mode. Super starter or second rig.

Reply via email: ep@hurricane.net

or call (360) 792 0476 (Seattle area number, PST)

1026. Re: ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Janzen <matrix@vzinet.com>
Message-ID: <34E26623.92A2AB5D@vzinet.com>
Source record: 153786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I want to get the MK-II for my dads birthday. But he will want to use it mobile but he can only use 20 inch or less antenna. Which I understand is a problem with 1mhz - 50mhz. I was hopping the at180 antenna tuner will allow use of a small antenna but have not been able to find out.

His car already has an antenna for the 144mhz part of the MK-II

Paul

1027. Re: WTB: SP-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wq5j@airmail.net
Message-ID: <887246277.1699151875@dejanews.com>
Source record: 153787

In article <6bsh89$82e$1@usenet11.supernews.com>,
chrisl@netdoor.com (Chris Lamousin) wrote:
>
> Does anyone have one they would part with?
Have sp230 in real nice shape...just sold my ts830s so it is a spare...$75
shipped if you are interested...

73.....tom wq5j

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1028. Icom 706 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Sudy <flightdoc@aristotle.net>
Message-ID: <6btt14$o4i@socrates.aristotle.net>
Source record: 153788

Hello,

I am wondering what, if any, mods are available for the Icom 706. If anyone has info, please email to flightdoc@aristotle.net.

Thanks,

Don
KB7JKA

1029. FS: JCK Neck Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Morley" <endeavor@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34E278CA.1A2D9B67@ultranet.com>
Source record: 153789

Hi,

I have for sale a JCK neck microphone headset. This item consists of a throated activated microphone, earphone unit and PTT. This item is perfect operations when it is necessary to operate "hands free", such as during public service or sporting activities. This item is brand new, and has never been used. Sells at HRO for $59.95. I will sell for $39.95, and ship anywhere in the U.S.

Best 73's

John KA1JMF

1030. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Mark Lane" <jmlane@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E27C76.DFEF6781@erols.com>
Source record: 153790
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Planet Nik wrote:

> The origional enquiry was a marine band radio enquiry, is that not
> allowed in rec.boats.cruising?

Sure it is. We talk about SSB and radios often. What we object to is cross-posting, and this thread (now threads) is a good example of why. These "debates" stray from the subject of rbc and end up mixing us up in all kinds of things from other groups. Cross-posting is a violation of the charter. Very simple.

> You should have removed r.b.c from your
> cross post so that any responses (inc this) would have missed your
> newsgroup.

Maybe. I thought about it, but I decided to leave it on so others could pick up on the idea. It usually takes one or two messages for the group to get on top of something... But basically you are right, it should be removed to stop the cross-posting. BTW, my point was not meant to be unfriendly, just to try to keep the situation from escalating.
Mark

1031. WTB: Kenwood TMV7a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger D. Rines" <rdrines@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34E280F7.B1EBC854@pacbell.net>
Source record: 153791

Want to buy a nice unit.

Roger...
WB1CFQ

1032. WTB - 2-meter for first radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wildwolf <wildwolf@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <6btvdl$kv3@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153792

Looking for a 2-meter mobile for first radio. Something easy to use. Don't have much money to spend. Any body have a suggestion on what radio to look for? Thanks in advance.

Roger
wildwolf@earthlink.net

1033. Re: STANDARD C-528 INFO NEEDED.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyberhax <i676532@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <34E2857D.2A03@thegrid.net>
Source record: 153793

SLB wrote:
>
> Is this HT as rugged as it looks and feels? The receive audio is
> awesome.....something these new hts cant obtain. I would like to
> hear from users of this ht.....what do you think about this HT?
> SLB
> ****Remove"NOSPAM" from the email address****
> \\///
> (o o)
> -----OOOo---(_)---oOOO---------------

- Well, I've been using a 528 for 5 years or so, and it hasn't had
as much as a scratch. i take the thing backpacking, etc., and it has
performed flawlessly. It really is as rugged as it looks and
does have great sound. Best thing I did is buy the battery pack
that allows the use of aa cells; they seem to last forever.

If you need any specific info just drop me a note.

Regards,

Shawn WB6JWB

1034. FS: Standard C508A dual-band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tubbs <piperbill@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34e29e5d.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 153794

$180.

This is the mini-dual-band HT (about the size of a deck of cards) that runs off of 2 AA batteries. I replaced the 'dummy-load' stock antenna with a new Diamond antenna (much better!) and unblocked the cellular freqs.

A '9' out of 10. I just used this for monitoring in my office, so it hasn't even been outside much. Original box and manual. Still going for upwards of $270 new.

Contact me at:
piperbill@jps.net

Thanks... 73,
Bill, WK6A

1035. Wanted - But/Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard D. & Charmaine Y. Reese" <richardr@sssnet.com>
Message-ID: <34E23863.F00E2437@sssnet.com>
Source record: 153795

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Looking for the following:

Kenwood TSU6 CTCSS Unit
Kenwood TM321 or TM331 ---------- 220 MHz Transceiver
Kenwood TM421, 431 or TM441 ----- 440 MHz Transceiver
Kenwood TM521, 531 or TM541 ----- 1200 MHz Transceiver

Cash or trade.
E-Mail to: richardr@sssnet.com
--
Richard D. Reese (WA8DBW)
http://pages.sssnet.com/richardr
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1036. Re: USED RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@bga.com>
Message-ID: <34E179CA.47BA734A@bga.com>
Source record: 153796
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mark Hartman wrote:

> I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but
> will consider all.

What would you give me for a good-working Decatur Hunter
hand held moving unit with two tuning forks plus certificates on
both the tuning forks as well as the unit itsself ?

I also have an MPH K-15 hand held (stationary only) X band
that I would be willing to sell, as well as a kUSTOM Trooper
model dash mounted moving unit (with tuning forks, bracket,
remote, and current certificates).

1037. Re: Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew McFarland <amcfarland@symantec.com>
Message-ID: <34E21E24.3B0B@symantec.com>
Source record: 153797

Welcome, Chuck.
Buy the -> *ARRL Handbook *<- There IS a lot of repetition, especially between ARRL books. Although it will be intimidating at first, it has the benefit of containing something about EVERYTHING. It's the best $30 you'll spend. At the very least it will help you learn the vocabulary you need to ask questions. Basically, its the Yellow Pages of Amateur Radio information.
As for 2m FM radios, they generally vary only in features (fancy CTCSS subaudible tones for remote control, blah blah) which you won't care about. The big names (Yaesu, Icom) are nice but expensive. I was poor when I bought my 2m and I went for Alinco because it was cheaper and have never had trouble. Check them out at http://www.alinco.com/. Also, keep an eye out for some really simple, credit-card sized 2m FM radio's. I can't remember the manufacturer, but they are stripped-down (feature wise) VERY small/light, though I don't know how expensive.
If you haven't found it yet, Ham Radio Outlet is THE place to buy hardware from. They carry everything - http://www.hamradio.com. They have a nifty index of links to all the manufacturers sorted by category (antennas, radios...)
And finally, keep going on the code for that 13 wpm General class; the next 8 wpm will be cake compared to the first five, and it drastically opens up your operating options.

Good luck and have fun.
Andy N7VTB/6 (Santa Cruz, California)e-boxholder@webtv.net wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> I just passed the Novice test today and I was wondering if some of you
> would give me some input / info. / advice on rigs and ARRL books.
>
> Rigs --
> I would like to getï¿½some info. on QRP rigs and how to adapt them for
> backpacking. Info on kits / plans for transceivers, baluns, antenna
> tuners, antennas, keyers, etc. for the backpacker would be great.
> Anyone know of any good books or clubs?
>
> I hope to upgrade to Tech. Plus next month. So, what would be a good,
> **_tough_** , light-weight, 2m or 2m / 440 HT that I could use for
> backpacking. If you have any suggestions on what features & options I
> should look for, please let me know.
>
> Books --
> I have an ARRL catalog and noticed that they have several different

> booksfor certain topics (2 books on QRP, several books on antennas,
> several books on ham radio for the beginner, etc). I can't afford them
> all. :-(I would like to correspond with someone, via e-mail, who
> knows the content of some of these books and who might be able to tell
> me what books are the most comprehensive, what books would be good for
> beginner, intermediate, and advanced hobbyist, etc. That way, I won't
> get something that is over my head and I won't have two or three books
> that say the same thing two or three ways.
>
> Feel free to e-mail me or post a reply if you can help me out.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> -- Chuck (waiting for my callsign)

1038. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KI8CU" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <6bsa5e$pd1$1@newsserv.freeway.net>
Source record: 153833

>
>I've had mine for about 3 months.
>
>CONS:
>Battery charge life is a little on the short side. It's a little heavy
>(about 16oz). Doesn't do cross band repeat (a hardware mod is
>supposedly around). Will show alpha labels or freq, but not both. New
>Icom batteries for this unit are expensive (go with a Maha or other
>clone).
>

I'm not so sure about the cross-band repeat. It's probably NOT mentioned in the manual, but I'm almost positive the W32A does it. My Icom IC-Z1A does it, the W31A does it, so I'm sure the W32A will CBR also. I've played with the W32A a little, and I love the W31A. They're both smaller than my Z1A, so my HT of choice would, in fact, be the W32A. It's a fantastic little radio.

73 - Chad, K I 8CU

1039. FS: HT600 Case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <34E253EB.2C70@hnvr.com>
Source record: 153834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale: New-old-stock Motorola HT600 case (NHN6388A) and front assy
(NTN4955B). $30, prioroty mailed in the US.
Ken
ken@hnvr.com
(day)314-241-1188 Ext.203

1040. FS: MT1000 Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <34E254B6.1EFD@hnvr.com>
Source record: 153835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale: MT1000 battery, new-old-stock Multiplier M5447. $13 priority
mailed in the US.
Ken
ken@hnvr.com
(day)314-241-1188 Ext.203

1041. FS: HT200 Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <34E25AAC.6597@hnvr.com>
Source record: 153836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For sale: What appears to be new-old-stock (!) Motorola HT200 parts.
Best offer accepted; I'll add $3 for priority US mail shipping.

2 - NLN6236A case back
1 - 15C82727H01 battery cover (foam pad has deteriorated)
1 - NMN6023B speaker-mic (rubber cord has stiffened and cracked)
2 - NAD6082 collapsable VHF antenna **These Are Used**

Ken
ken@hnvr.com
(day)314-241-1188 ext.203
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1042. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34e1a5c8.6470018@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153837
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 10 Feb 1998 21:56:26 GMT, ckern@cs.ubc.ca (Christoph Kern) wrote:

>
>> >I would build for my ship (steel sailboat) one SSB antenna . On the
>> >eightstay I have not good experiences.
>> Ich verstehe nicht "eightstay". Das muss eine falsche Uebersetzung
>> sein.
>
>> I know of amateurs who have used the "backstay" as an antenna. (d.h.,
>
>Yup, the computer got that wrong, and I'm pretty sure he did in fact mean
>`backstay'. The backstay is called `Achterstag' in german, and `acht' is
>german for the number `eight', which is how I suppose the rather
>linguistically challenged virtual babelfish that did the translation came
>up with `eightstay'...
>
>[Auf deutsch und in k"urze: Das Achterstag hei"st `backstay' auf englisch]
>
>As an aside, I once took a paragraph from a german newspaper and munged it
>through the translator that's available on alta vista, translating back and
>forth between german and english (yes, I was bored). Surprisingly, the
>iteration actually converged and resulted in something that vaguely
>resembled modern poetry, but didn't have very much in common with the
>original passage. Anyway...
>
Greetings Christoph !

I sincerely appreciate your learned comments. I am surprised at
myself that I didn't go to the trouble of looking up the word for
"backstay". I certainly would have recognized the problem had I done
so.

Interesting comment on the experiment. I tried that once with a
letter that I had written. I plugged into an english to spanish
translation program and then fed the result back through its spanish
to english counterpart. I was absolutely amazed at how well it did,
The one thing that got screwed up was some reference that I had made
to a golf ball. Otherwise it was almost perfect.

I hope the gentleman with the boat can avoid the DM 600 antenna - I
doubt if was any good anyway - Hi.

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

1043. FS: MOTOROLA UHF MT1000 99 CHANNEL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdemos@cts.com
Message-ID: <34e1b239.116542940@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 153838

For Sale: Motorola UHF MT1000 99channel HT

Included:

* DTMF interface (cost me $150)

* desktop rapid charger

* two antennas, standard and stubby

* PL and DPL

* 438-470 (presently prgrammed for Ham bands)

* documentation

* will program upon request

This radio is in very clean condition, asking $400 (includes shipping).

Please respond by email to: tdemos@cts.com

1044. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <8QiE.2119$nY6.5372991@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 153839

Has anybody done any mods on the W32A? Just courous what the TX and RX is
after mods

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

Chad Johnston, KI8CU wrote in message <6bsa5e$pd1$1@newsserv.freeway.net>...
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>the W32A a little, and I love the W31A. They're both smaller than my Z1A,
>so my HT of choice would, in fact, be the W32A. It's a fantastic little
>radio.
>
>73 - Chad, K I 8CU
>
>

1045. Re: !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!Yaesu FT-8100 PROBLEMS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cluett@mv.mv.com
Message-ID: <6bsdol$kq9$1@pyrite.mv.net>
Source record: 153840

In article <34e145c5.2666334@news.hoflink.com>,
Mark Russo <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote:
>On 9 Feb 1998 23:52:42 GMT, "Mark Kuziv" <kuziv@magicnet.net> wrote:
>
>>Has anyone experienced problems with their FT-8100's duing transmit?My unit
>>will stay keyed even after releasing the PTT button on the mic,usually
>>happens on VHF only!!!!!!!.Please respond via e-mail to kuziv@magicnet.net
>>
>>
>
>
>Check your SWR. This happens with some rigs.
>
>73, Mark N2FLF

This is a design flaw in the FT-8100. It is not directly
related to SWR. It is simply RF getting into
the PTT line. If you send it back to Yaesu, they
insert a bypass capacitor. Early models
of the FT-8100 were plagued with a number
of bugs. This is one of them. I came
across at least 5 major problems with
mine and sent it back twice. I refused to
send it back a third time and
have since sold mine. I'm sure if I sent
it back again, they would have repaired it
and I would have had a good working rig.
I just got tired of sending it back.
I got a phone from one guy who sent his
back 5 times!

good luck with yours,

Jim W1PID

1046. Re: Help on Kenwood TR-7850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34E1C587.2478@onramp.net>
Source record: 153841

Peter Chow wrote:
>
> Just got a Kenwood TR-7850. Anybody knows whether it can do PL or not?
> If so, can you let me know how to set it up? Thanks in advance.
>
> 73,
> N6YD/Peter

Not in the stock configuration.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1047. WTB: SP-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: chrisl@netdoor.com
Message-ID: <6bsh89$82e$1@usenet11.supernews.com>
Source record: 153842

Does anyone have one they would part with?

1048. Re: FS: Kenwood TS 530 S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: chrisl@netdoor.com
Message-ID: <6bshaf$82e$2@usenet11.supernews.com>
Source record: 153843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does it come with speaker?
Chris
kc5mdm@iglobal.net wrote:

>Nice unit, loaded w\filters, MC 50 mic, good working condition and looks
>pretty fair. Top has a few flaw in the paint but nothin deep. Thanks Murra
>Neece Odessa, TX

>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1049. IC706MKII DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Urban <urban@strebersdorf.ac.at>
Message-ID: <34E1DDEB.99036335@strebersdorf.ac.at>
Source record: 153844

Hi!

Does anybody knows about the functions of the new DSP for the IC706 ?
Thanks!
73s hg5okn
Peter

1050. HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Carrubba KA2D <ka2d@li.net>
Message-ID: <6bsi45$85o$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 153845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB & sUFFOLK COUNTY RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - MARCH 8, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On March 8, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club & Suffolk County Radio Club will again sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location will be at the:

Knights of Columbus
400 South Broadway, Lindenhurst, NY.
This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic componets, computers and access-ories, softeware, books, technical manulas, ARRL information, Amateur Radio License Exams and information. General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available at the door.)

For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID),
and the examination fee, to the exam seesion. 1996 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.25, exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

For vendor and additional information pleas contact, Tom Favilla N2MIG at (516)957-5985, during EVENING HOURS (7PM-10PM).
NO TABLES WILL BE RESERVED WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT due to the space available.
Tables are 2.5ft x 6ft.

Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL and 223.86 OC.

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights of Columbus Council.

Information is also available during the GSBARC 2 meter info net every Monday evening at 7:00 pm on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5) PL required. You may also write to:

Great South Bay ARC
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

Visit GSBARC online at http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm

73,
Tom Carrubba KA2D
President, GSBARC
ka2d@li.net

NEXT HAMFEST- September 27, 1998 -

1051. WTB MFJ SuperHiQ Loop antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980211165200.LAA10876@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153846

Looking to purchase a used 10-30 mhz superloop with or without auto tuning.

Thanks
John

1052. WTB Kenwood Filters for TS-950SD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980211165300.LAA10979@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153847

Looking for filters also looking for voice module.

Thanks
John

1053. SO.CAL.SWAP MEET,FONTANA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: movius@ibm.net
Message-ID: <34E1F557.353E4373@ibm.net>
Source record: 153848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

**********SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SWAP MEET**********
JUST A REMINDER FOR SWAP MEET FANS...THIS SATURDAY, FONTANA SWAP MEET AT A. B. MILLER HIGH SCHOOL SPONSORED BY THE INLAND EMPIRE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB. THE ADDRESS IS 6821 OLEANDER AVE., FONTANA, CALIF.

DIRECTIONS...EAST BOUND 10 FREEWAY (SAN BERNARDINO), TO CITRUS AVE., IN FONTANA...NORTH TO BASELINE AVE., TURN RIGHT (EAST), ONE LONG BLOCK TO OLEANDER, LEFT TURN (NORTH) TO THE SCHOOL ABOUT 2 BLOCKS...TIME 6:30 A.M. TO ABOUT 11:30. SEE YOU THERE!!!

1054. FS: 30S-1, 30S-1 Parts, 75A4,TS-530S, FT-102,FV-102DM,SP-102P,SP767

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e1da0a.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153849

SELL: COLLINS: 30S-1 2kw amp. VG condition, $1500. 30S-1 PARTS: Power Transformer, $250. PS choke, $150. Screen supply choke, $75. HV caps @ $50 ea. Misc. parts & panel (call with your needs). 6 ea. Spare 4CX1000A tubes, full output, $100 ea. COLLINS: 75A-4, VG condition, all mods with 2 ea. 2KHz.. Cascaded filters/3.1, $850. KENWOOD: TS-530S, excellent condition, $475. YAESU: 2 ea. FT-102 160-10m (including WAC) Transceiver, reconditioned by NC4L, new relays & tubes, 200w output, 1.8KHz. filter, VG condition, $550 ea. 2 ea. FV-102DM digital VFO, VG condition, $250 ea., SP-102P Speaker/patch, VG condition, $100. SP-767 Speaker/filters, as new in factory box, $75. SHURE 444D mic, dual-impedance, black, $50. BUYER PAYS SHIPPING FROM 33708. Dennis, W4DG (813)391-9912.E-mail: w4dg@ibm.net.

1055. Kenwood 130-S SB 200 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Payne" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6bsmsl$2bg$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153850

Anyone using this set up??? TS 130-S driving a SB200 Amp. How do you hook this up not to damage either unit? Thanks

1056. Help with FT-102 relay replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: av@roke.cp.uk
Message-ID: <av-1102981331020001@adv-mac1.roke.co.uk>
Source record: 153851

Dear All,
My FT-102 seems to have developed the classic fault with the relays, I think the ones at fault are those on the RF board. My Yaesu agent says it does not stock the replacements any more so I need to find an alternative source. I believe that at least one of them is obsolete now.
Does anybody have any information about which relays to change (I only want to do this once !) and possible alternative relays.
Many thanks for any help you are able give.
Andrew

1057. Re: TS-440S Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6bsre7$k2q$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 153852

In article <19980208151800.KAA27761@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
bull66@aol.com (Bull 66) wrote:
>Wondering if anyone else who has a Kenwood TS-440S had any problems with
>distorted audio which gets worse with processor on?
>1. The rig is about 10 years old and has not been aligned since new.
>2. The problem does not appear on AM or FM xmt.
>3. The stock mike was tried with same results.
>4. Mike used now is KW MC-80
>I may have remembered reading a while back another ham stating he had the
same
>type problem. Power, RX, etc is fine and I think it just may need a
alignment
>in the TX section. Power supply being used is 50A peak Antron. Any help
much
>appreciated - Thanks . . . . . .

---------- I have a 440 which I bought used. I found that the processor was
csusing distortion and not readily adjustable. I do not use it at all and
seem to do fine without it.

The adjustment for mic. setting is so critical at the first one and one-half
marks that it makes it impossible to attenuate the mic. push for the
processor.

Do you really think the processor will give you that much more distance/punch?

73,

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

1058. FS: Bird 43 Slugs; SWAN radio; Harriss radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6btn8v$8l9$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153853
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

FS: Bird 43 Slugs Excellant condition
5c 100-250Mhz 5W
500C 100-250MHz 500W
250E 400-1000MHZ 250W
50B 50-125MHz 50W
500B 50-125MHz 500W
100D 200-500 MHz 100W

Swan 350 plus matching ps and set of extra tubes for radio
The radio has full output on all bands
very good condition.

Harris 401 VHF Base station radio crystal controled simplex or duplex radio.
80w rf output. 134-174MHz setup for 2M ,4 spare finals,manual very good
condition.

The above equipment is for sale ot trade. Looking for 6m ssb units. amplifier
parts for 4-1000a and 4cx1500B. ie sockets,vac. var caps. filter caps plate
and filament transformers etc.
rich

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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1059. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Mark Lane" <jmlane@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E2047E.DB5D0A07@erols.com>
Source record: 153854
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cross-posting is against the charter of the rec.boats.cruising newsgroup. I understand that the original inquiry was from a non-English speaking person, and I appreciate that we should all be polite. I agree with that. However, as this subject is a radio subject and rbc is a boating newsgroup, I think I can speak for many of us here is requesting that this thread not be cross-posted to the rbc group. Thank you.
Mark

John Warren wrote:

> People, people.....PLEASE.... This group should surely represent the spirit
> of amateur radio first and foremost!!
> Don't slam ... or tease .... or tear at people who come here for help with
> what they are doing for fun.
>
> Please think about sending a helpful or friendly reply (or none at all) and
> read it yourself to see if you can figure out what it might sound like to
> others who are here in good spirit.
> The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is
> said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.
>
> Anyway sorry to seem so serious .... This group really is a lot of fun.
>
> Thanks , 73's John KD0OM
>
> Walt Davidson wrote in message <34e12071.1632934@news.dial.pipex.com>...
> >On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:42:56 +0100, "Woellenweber"
> ><101367.2044@metronet.de> wrote:
> >
> >>Sorry this text is translated with the computer
> >
> >.... and only another computer would be able to understand it.
> >
> >--
> >Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> >The original multiple choice exam question:
> >"To be, or not to be? That is the question!"

1060. dimensions of the HT-800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wilco de Bree <wilcodeb@xs4all.nl>
Message-ID: <34E1FF43.EA01876D@xs4all.nl>
Source record: 153855

Does anyone have the dimensions of the Motorola HT-800 (H/W/D)
preferable in metric. And what about the weight of the rig including
battery and antenna (VHF).
--
Wilco de Bree

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http://www.xs4all.nl/~wilcodeb/
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1061. I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6bsn0l$no1@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 153856
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.

Ampli Collins 208U10, autotuning 2-30 Mhz, 10 Kw continues, with exciter Redifon/Harris.

Ampli Siemens, autotuning 1.5-30 -Mhz, 10 Kw continues, Siemens.

Ampli Collins 205J3 new, modified by the Collins 45 Kw pep, autotuning 2-30
Mhz.

1 Ampli Harris 84V, 13 Kw cw.

4 Antennas Log periodic 2-30 Mhz 10-50 kw.

I have cable, connectrors, end more.

They take an interest you write me.

1062. Re: Advice on IC-706 mkII?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1ra59x3on.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 153857

"Odell" <o.smith@worldnet.att.net> writes:

> Hello all. I just get one of the IC-706mkII and can not get the PL for 2m.
> try everything and still nothing. my receive is OK but the TX no. Can anyone
> help?The freq. 147.970 on receive and 146.370 on TX. the PL sure be 100 and
> the offset is -600.

I had this problem with my ICOM 706 Mark II when I first started
setting it up for use with local 2m repeaters. I finally understood
that the ICOM 706 Mark II allows you to set up the PL independantly on
the transmit and receive frequencies. I made the mistake of setting
up the repeater receive frequency, and then setting up the PL. It
took me a few days of frustration to realize that I had set the PL on
the receive frequency and that I had to set up the PL on the transmit
fequency. I used the A/B switch to get to the transmit frequency,
then set the PL on that frequency. Everything has worked fine after
that. Perhaps you are suffering from the same difficulty?

1063. Re: 30S-1, 30S-1 Parts, 75A4,TS-530S, FT-102,FV-102DM,SP-102P,SP767

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e214af.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153858

SORRY, the COLLINS 30S-1 AMP. is spoken for at this time!

73....Dennis W4DG

1064. Re: ICOM 706MKII Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1pvktx2ic.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 153859

Richard Jellicoe <gstar@vzinet.com> writes:

> I am planning to buy an ICOM IC706MKII for my father for his birthday.
> Since I know little about ham radio's I am asking the group for some
> help here.

Superb choice. I have an ICOM IC706MKII and an AT-180, and I love
them both.

> I understand that the radio will need two antenna's, one for 144mhz and
> one for 50mhz and hf bands. What is a good antenna for the 50/hf bands,

Look into a DK3 screwdriver antenna. This antenna will tune correctly
on the majority of the HF bands. Alternatively, High Sierra also
sells a screwdriver style antenna. Both are on the Web (sorry, I
don't have the URLs at hand right now).

> I would like to get something really small so he can drive into his
> garage.

You will need to get one of the quick disconnect or removable base
mounts. Any HF antenna short enough to drive into the garage with is
too short to radiate well.

> Do I need to get the AT180 antenna tuner, if so then what type of
> antenna to I need for that??

With a screwdriver style antenna, you do not need or want a tuner.

> What other options do I need to make this a complete mobile package so
> my dad does not need to buy anything eles??

The new internal DSP unit would be a real help. This digital signal
processing unit is included in the MK II's price for a limited time
offer from ICOM.

> Any help with this would be helpfull
>
> Richard

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(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of
any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

1065. Repeater Modifications by Information Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbw <rbw@testengeer.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3737$3535f720$4c78f3cf@primary>
Source record: 153860
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

REPEATER MODIFICATIONS FOR POPULAR MOBILE RADIOS!

Information Sources has compiled an impressive collection of well written instructions for converting many popular commercial mobile radios into full repeaters. Some of the files, such as the MASTER2.TXT file (included below) which describes how to wire a Mastr II mobile radio for use without a control head, are original works and are copyrighted by Information Sources. The information may not be reproduced or republished via Internet, CD-ROM, or any other media without the express written consent of Information Sources.

The repeater modifications are available for sale on 3.5" HD floppy disk, IBM PC format only. All information files are ASCII text. The following files are currently offered on the Information Sources Repeater Modifications disk:

MICORDUP.MOD Converting UHF MICOR mobile radio into a repeater
MICORUHF.MOD Converting UHF MICOR mobile radio into a repeater
MICORVHF.MOD Converting VHF MICOR mobile radio into a repeater
GE_EXEC2.MOD Converting GE Exec II radio for repeater & 9600 pkt
GE_MVP.MOD Converting GE Custom MVP radio into a repeater
GE_PACKET.TXT 9600 and 1200 Baud packet on GE EXEC II and MVP
GE_MVP.TXT Basic MVP information and 1200 baud packet use
GE_MVPEX.MOD Another 9600 mod for GE_MVP (Complicated!)
MAXTRAC.MOD Converting the MAXTRAC for operaion on 900 ham band
MITREK.MOD Converting MITREK mobile for 9600 duplex packet
MITREK2.MOD Converting MITREK mobile radio into a repeater
MITREK.9K6 Converting MITREK mobile radio for 9600 packet
MASTRPRO.MOD Using GE Master Pro receiver strips for repeaters
MASTER2.TXT Wiring the Master II for use without Control Head
MASTER2.MOD Converting GE MASTER 2 mobile radio into a repeater
MOTOSPKR.TXT Adapting and wiring Motorola Amplified Speakers
WILSON.TXT Programming Wilson/Regency synthesized mobile rigs
BR.COM A simple DOS file viewing program for handy use
BABYRPTR.TXT Convert a Fisher-Price baby monitor into a repeater
LIST.COM Another easy to use file viewing utility program
PKUNZIP.EXE Dearchiving utility program to use with *.ZIP files
PD-203.ZIP Shareware program for POCSAG (pagers) monitoring
PE-205.ZIP Shareware program for POCSAG encoding(transmitting)
\DECODE*.* PD-203.ZIP file de-archived - POCSAG decoding
\ENCODE*.* PE-205.ZIP file de-archived - POCSAG encoding

The following is a reproduction of the MASTER2.TXT file which is included on the Repeater Modifications disk described below offered by Information Sources. The MASTER2.TXT file describes how to wire the GE Mastr II mobile radio for operation without the control head and control cable.

Wiring the GE Mastr II without Control Head

I'm sure many of you out there already use Mastr IIs without control heads but there are probably many who are not too familiar with this radio. There was a recent article about using the Mastr II mobile as an emergency intermittent duty repeater by Terry W. Ellis in the September 1993 issue of Mobile Radio Technology Magazine. The article did not elaborate on wiring the Mastr II without a control head. It can be done. I will not go into the modifications needed for repeater operation. Rather, I will just explain how to wire the Mastr II radio for operation on a single frequency without the control head.

1. Ground (called A- by GE) comes out to pin 30 or pin 21 on J901 the Main control plug on the front panel of the radio.

2. 13.5 volt DC must be connected to pin 29 (called A+ by GE) and pin 24 (Ignition Switch) of J901.

3. The Tx PA supply is separately wired to the big red and black wires at pin 39 (TX+) and pin 40 (TX-) of J901.

(NOTE: Be sure to use fuses for both the PA and the low current Rx and Tx exciter even when testing and wiring on your bench. I was lucky and only smoked a few small traces on the Mastr II front panel board which I was able to bridge with new wire. The damage could have been much worse. Reverse polarity diode protection (like the PA has) would also be a good safety practice for the rest of the radio unless you like the smell of burning radio parts!) (I'd suggest 15 or 20 amp (for lower power testing) on the PA and 2 or 3 amp maximum (for testing) on the Rx and Tx exciter.)

4. The volume and squelch controls can be made with internally mounted 10k trimpots. High side on both vol and sq connect to pin 11 of J904 RX/IF/AUDIO/SQ board. (GE conveniently labels all the pins connecting the major sub-assemblies to the front panel and system board of the Mastr II.) Low side vol and sq connect to pin 12 of J904. Sq center control arm is connected to pin 10 of pin J904. Volume center control arm is connected to pin 13 of J904.

5. The frequency or channel is selected by taking the F# pin to ground. Grounding either the Tx or the Rx F# pin also grounds the corresponding F# channel on the other Tx or Rx. (I guess you could rig the radio for multi-channel use by making a multi-select switch for each channel to ground.)

6. Audio (Speaker) output is taken from J904 pin 19. Pin 18 of J904 (labeled Speaker Low) is connected to ground. Connect an appropriate loading resistor (8 to 20 ohm 1 or 2 watt minimum) to prevent audio amp oscillation if you do not have a monitor speaker connected as with packet, etc. Speaker audio could also be taken from the red test jack as explained in the next step.

7. PTT and mike connections can be taken from the red test set jack, J905. Here is the pinout:

Pin 1: Speaker high (Audio out) Pin 6: A- (Ground)
Pin 2: Speaker low (ground) Pin 7: Microphone high
Pin 3: Regulated 10 volt Pin 8: Microphone low
Pin 4: A+ (13.5v) Pin 9: A- (Ground)
Pin 5: PTT Pin

Note: The radio keys by taking pin 8 on U901 (10 volt regulator) to ground. If you operate the Mastr II WITHOUT the CHANNEL GUARD strip installed you will need to jumper pins 6 and 8 on J908, the Channel Guard plug in card. If you try to key the radio at the meter jack without the Channel Guard board installed you won't get anything except frustration. I was dumb-fuzzled for almost a week before I noticed this one little bridge on the schematic diagram of the front panel board. Lesson: If you intend to use Channel Guard keep the card installed when you test the radio. If you do not use Channel guard, jumper these two pins so the PTT will work properly from the red metering jack, J905.

To kill Channel Guard (e.g. for tuning or testing the receiver) take either Pin 6 of J901 (front panel plug) or Pin 3 of P908 (Channel Guard plug) to ground.

Having a schematic diagram for the Front Panel & System board for the Mastr II is certainly a great aid. It is very difficult to trace out the connections without a schematic since the board has circuit traces on both sides and uses a number of holes to pass circuits on both sides of the board.

I have found an easy place to drill holes for wiring access is on the black plastic front panel main wiring connector. There is an area on outer side of the two big pins to the Tx PA which can be drilled out to pass control wires. I tried to solder directly to the pins on the main connector without much success. I like the internal wiring better. (Note: Molex pins slide very nicely over the pins on the Mastr II front plug. Use heat shrink over the connectors to avoid shorts and add a neat appearance. Also, you can solder directly to the large pins for TX PA by scrapping off the plating and soldering directly to the bare brass pin.)

All the information on the disk is believed to be accurate, however some errors may inadvertently appear and the user assumes full responsibility for the use and application of all the information contained on this disk. No warranties of any sort are expressed or implied. Referral to the appropriate service manuals for the various radios discussed is certainly recommended in every case. The information on the disk presumes the user already has familiarity with the radios discussed, and hopefully, a copy of the service manuals for the radios.

In case service manuals for the radios of interest are not available to the user this distributor has prepared concise written and illustrated operating guides for the General Electric Executive II radios, Master II radios, and Custom MVP radios. Each guide runs about 20 to 25 pages in length and contains necessary schematic diagrams, exploded parts diagrams, tune-up instructions for VHF and UHF radios, and repeater modification instructions with diagrams, as needed. The guides are available for $15.00 postage paid when purchased separately, or for $12.50 when purchased with the repeater modifications disk. (See special pricing offers following the order form, below.) Much of the information on the disk is included in the GE operating guides, but the guides additionally include tune-up instructions, schematic diagrams, and additional helpful hints which are not included on the disk.

The Repeater Modifications disk is available by mail by using the order form below:

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1066. For Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: aeromed2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980211215000.QAA16668@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153861

I have a Motorola Radius M-100 35 watt mobile rig, VHF 144-174 Mhz wit hMic and mounting bracket. I am looking for a 10 meter rig. of comparable value.
e-mail aeromed2@aol.com

1067. f.s ICOM 2340H 2M/440 DUALBANDER MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: alan rabin <astro35@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6bt6tk$aa8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153862

HI folks, I have a like new icom 2340H 50 watt 2meter 35watt 440 mhz
dualband mobile fo sale.
rig is in mint cond. never been mobile and is excess to my needs.offer over
$250 and its yours. shipped to your door in cont. u.s. great no haggle
price! shipped with factory box, manual, mounting bracket, and warranty
card. at this price, it wont last!!
need new vertical hf antenna more than the dualbander!!! thanks!! alan
kt4gh contact me at astro35@worldnet.att.net

1068. MOD for FT-8500 and Gen opinions...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: **bb@wilmington.net^$%
Message-ID: <34e22053.171646003@news.wilmington.net>
Source record: 153863

Does anyone have any mod info on the Yaesu FT-8500? I have checked all
of the web sites that had mod info...the popular ones anyway... :-)

Any replies about good or bad experiences are appreciated!

73,

Brandon

1069. FS: IC-251A 2-Meter All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bt7gaqre1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 153864

I have an ICOM IC-251A 2 meter all mode (no AM) for sale.
This rig has VOX, AGC, rit, USB, LSB, FM, CW, freq. lock, NB, Dual VFO's, 3 memories & variable 1 - 10 watt output. The rig works absolutely perfect. The face is in good condition. The case is scratch up but is not dented. It has an internal AC power supply and comes with the cord. It also has an input for 13.8 VDC so it can go mobile.
It comes with copied manual & original large size schematic & board layout sheet.
I will take $300 for it without the mic or I will include the ICOM SM-6 desk mic for $350. The SM-6 sells for 100 new. (I bought a new 706 MKII & the mic fits that)
Plus Shipping

Thanks & 73's
N1frh
Nahum Morse
mor55ac@prodigy.net

1070. Re: Manual for Collins HF200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wn4i@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980211222000.RAA03249@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153865

Yes I know it .....I am looking for one myself....I have the book...
How many do u have ?
What mod ? Steve wn4i
Steve wn4i 561-689-8819

1071. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Planet Nik <Nick@greenhse.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <flhIzGAVci40EwI3@greenhse.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153866
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <34E2047E.DB5D0A07@erols.com>, "J. Mark Lane"
<jmlane@erols.com> writes
>Cross-posting is against the charter of the rec.boats.cruising newsgroup. I
>understand that the original inquiry was from a non-English speaking person,
>and I appreciate that we should all be polite. I agree with that. However, as
>this subject is a radio subject and rbc is a boating newsgroup, I think I can
>speak for many of us here is requesting that this thread not be cross-posted to
>the rbc group. Thank you.
>Mark

The origional enquiry was a marine band radio enquiry, is that not
allowed in rec.boats.cruising? You should have removed r.b.c from your
cross post so that any responses (inc this) would have missed your
newsgroup.
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Nick G7IZR

1072. WTB TU-5 Tone Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb2sgp@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34e228dc.1423597@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153867

Wanted TU-5 Tone Board for the Kenwood TS711A
Bud
wb2sgp@ix.netcom.com

1073. FS: Kennwood TS140S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Devine <ep@hurricane.net>
Message-ID: <6btb0qcud1@sleet.hurricane.net>
Source record: 153868

Kenwood TS140S for sale In excellent condition & never modified.
All band, all mode. Super starter or second rig.

Reply via email: ep@hurricane.net

or call (360) 792 0476 (Seattle area number, PST)

1074. Re: FT-50R current draw when off

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6btch1$lq3@chong.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 153869

"Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com> writes:
>I have a Yaesu FT-50R and have been generally pleased with it. However,
>recently it seems to be going through batteries quickly. Last week I got
>called Yaesu tech support and was told, "if your current draw is in the
>milliamperes when shut off, send it in." Well, I measured the current
>draw at 310uA -- the manual says that in APO mode it draws 250uA.

At 310 uA, a 600 mAh battery pack would last for 2000 hours, or many months. Well, not really, but the point is that 300 uA is will discharge the battery very very slowly, on par with the battery's own self-discharge rate. Someone else posted that they were having a problem with short battery life, but in his case the radio was drawing something like 5-10 mA when turned off.

Dave

1075. Re: Kenwood TN-V7 PC Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rik@vnet.net
Message-ID: <rik-ya02408000R1102981821550001@news.vnet.net>
Source record: 153870

In article <6bo5pk$oo9$1@gestalt.direcpc.com>, "Tim J. Neff"
<magician@logancounty.com> wrote:

>It is my unsersatnding there is PC software for Programming the
>Kenwood TM-V7 dual bander. If you could help me with this please do.

You may already be aware of this:

EZ clone was a commercial software to do this.
Kenwood bought rights to easy clone software.
Ez Clone no longer sells the software.
Kenwood has not started selling it yet even though they mentioned it in
some ads for the radio.
Complaints should go to Kenwood.

Rik
TM-V7A

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Rik Rasmussen Direct Call, Inc. Durham/Raleigh, NC USA
rik@vnet.net visit my homepage at http://users.vnet.net/rik/
AOL Instant Messenger: Rik Rass ICQ#7920695 Amateur Radio: WA4BAN

1076. EZ Clone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tim J. Neff" <magician@logancounty.com>
Message-ID: <6btb4rhmv1@gestalt.direcpc.com>
Source record: 153871

Is there anyone that could please email me a copy of EZ Clone software
for my Kenwood TM-V7a. I would appreciate a copy.

Please email to this address.

Tim KU8F

1077. FS Swan Linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34E23C7F.1C23@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 153872

Swan Mark 1 Linear, uses 3-400s, $450.00 plus shipping.

1078. FS: Timewave DSP-9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6btg86$1afk$1@newssvr09-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 153873

I have a Timewave DSP-9 digital filter for sale. This unit works & looks perfect!
Price is $110 shipped to your door in lower 48.
Thanks
N1FRH
Nahum Morse
mor55ac@prodigy.net

1079. FS: Kenwood TS180S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6bthar$rs8$1@newssvr09-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 153874

FS: Kenwood TS180S w/WARC bands, YK88S SSB filter,
YK88C CW filter, MC-35S Noise canceling mic, DC
power cord & copied manual.
This rig is digital readout & all solid state. It is in good
shape and I'm asking $425.00 + shipping.

Thanks & 73's
Nahum - N1FRH
mor55ac@prodigy.net

1080. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Grant <bmgrant@nospam.please.erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E24B74.5C16@nospam.please.erols.com>
Source record: 153875
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Walt Davidson wrote:
>
> On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 06:47:34 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
> wrote:
>
> >You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny Hill I try to figure out why
> >everyone is laughing.
>
> Hi Hi, Curtis! The reason we laugh at Benny Hill is because all his
> material was so politically incorrect. :-) The same applies to Alf
> Garnett, in "Till Death Us Do Part", although I doubt you'd ever have
> seen that show in the States.
>
> :-)
It was renamed all in the family and Alf was renamed archie bunker

1081. Kenwood 520s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Justin Cascagnett <ion@gtii.com>
Message-ID: <6btji2ire1@usenet85.supernews.com>
Source record: 153876

For Sale:

Kenwood 520S HF SSB rig.
10, 15 20, 40, 60, 80, 160 meters
Straight Key
MC-50 Desk Mic
Users Manual
Service Manual
Extra set of Finals (6LQ6 tubes)

$200 plus shipping (internet price, advertised locally for $250)

ion@gtii.com

1082. Re: FT-50R current draw when off

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJM <tmccuen@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34E249CD.4D71@compuserve.com>
Source record: 153877

Jose R. Camara wrote:
>
> Eric:
>
> Just measured on mine, 225uA at the battery input on the radio, using 8V from a power supply.
>
> Bad news (to me) was that when I turned the radio on and then off, it would draw 2.7mA unless I opened the circuit and closed it again , then it would draw 225 uA. Which would mean I'd have to turn the radio off and remove and reinstall the battery each time. Not very practical.
>
> Good news is that Yaesu (562-404-2700) will take care of it under warranty, and I also found out they came out with a low profile power button which will solve the other dead battery problem I have (radio turns on by accident inside a briefcase, pocket, backpack,etc.) I was about to cut a slice off the button to make it lower...
>
Jose,

I had the same problem of higher than normal current draw when turned
off... found it after warranty over.
Solution on this end was when turning off , to hold the off button for
abt 1-2 sec after off (not just hitting off and releasing).
This solved the problem... guess the curcuit just needs longer to really
shut down on some.
TJM
PS.. if you need a short button, give the model/serial # on Yaesu web
site thru email tech service and they will mail them out.

1083. Re: TS870 Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathryn Mataga <cathryn@junglevision.com>
Message-ID: <34E25999.C94B0053@junglevision.com>
Source record: 153878

Me too. Does anyone use TS870 for 9600 baud packet w/tranverters?

jean-pierre Lebrun wrote:
>
> Hello
> I am looking for mods for my TS870
> Thanks in advance
> Jean_pierre
> on5jt@skynet.be

1084. Need Info on HF Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Smith <wa4puf@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E257AD.4D970CC3@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Been thinking of buying a linear amp. Like the specs of the QRO
HF2000. Called them twice today but got answering machine both times.
Learned that it is both QRO Technology & a Real Estate agency. Can't
help but feel that if I buy and unit fails I will have a very hard time
getting an answering machine to solve my problems

Does anyone have any info on this company and can anyone recommend one
or more alternate amp manufacturers.

Very thankful for any and all info received.

wa4puf --- Ralph
wa4puf@earthlink.net

1085. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f4c29afdf8d390d98995f@news.planet.net>
Source record: 153880
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <34e1eb7b.288369@news.dial.pipex.com>, no.junk.mail@thank.you
says...
> On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 06:47:34 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
> wrote:
>
> >You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny Hill I try to figure out why
> >everyone is laughing.
>
> Hi Hi, Curtis! The reason we laugh at Benny Hill is because all his
> material was so politically incorrect. :-) The same applies to Alf
> Garnett, in "Till Death Us Do Part", although I doubt you'd ever have
> seen that show in the States.
>
> :-)
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"
>
I was a big Fawlty Towers fan myself
--
Steve KF2TI
KF2TI@planet.net
http://www.planet.net/adell

Bring out your Dead <clang>
Bring out your dead <clang>
I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

1086. Which filter for TS-450 for FSK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Daniel <danielg@avana.net>
Message-ID: <34e26b92.0@news.avana.net>
Source record: 153881

Hello Everyone,
I am running FSK w/ TS-450 and want to get a good filter. Which filter do
you recommend and which position, 8.83 or 455?

--
Regards and God bless,
George, AB4KN

1087. STANDARD C-528 INFO NEEDED.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbynum@NOSPAMearthlink.net
Message-ID: <34e3ef86.1013076@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153910

Is this HT as rugged as it looks and feels? The receive audio is
awesome.....something these new hts cant obtain. I would like to
hear from users of this ht.....what do you think about this HT?
SLB
****Remove"NOSPAM" from the email address****
\\///
(o o)
-----OOOo---(_)---oOOO---------------

1088. Collins KW-1 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: chucks@pivotX.net
Message-ID: <34e2f0cf.37886656@news.agate.net>
Source record: 153911

I have a Collins KW-1 transmitter for sale. It is in excellent condition.
If you are interested, I will consider serious offers over the
phone. Reply via email only with your full name, callsign, address and
phone number. ABSOLUTELY NO DEALERS!!! (i.e. If you are a dealer
do not bother responding!)

Respond to email address below by removing the " Y " from the address:

chuck@agateY.net

1089. Icom-970 PROBLEM !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Javier EA4CMV <javiers@ntserver.codeinf.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3625$16a76180$da1c35c3@ntserver.codeinf.com>
Source record: 153912

I have an Ic-970 and sometimes it becomes totaly deaf in 70cms. band
and when this occurs the display shows three dashes in the place of every
digit !!! Somebody told me that the ploblem would be in the PLL but it
works properly!!!
Thankyou for your help. Javier, EA4CMV

1090. FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9kob@eagle.ais.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f4ac0f0b869e5e3989680@news.ais.net>
Source record: 153913

I have purchased a FT-8500 and removed to green jumper as described in a pervious post....however,,word has that the unit can receive the 800 MHZ band

Anyone come across this mod.

Tim
N9KOB

1091. Got shortwave in your car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcgoodman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34e11177.4803917@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 153914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

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you can pre-order shortwave for your car at
www.mindspring.com/~worldwave
and be one of the first to get this unit.
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1092. Re: Gabriel G Melo - idiot? BE NICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6br3be$g60@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 153915

You are right. Just because Gabriel G Melo is an IDIOT we should be nice
to IDIOTS. Even if its an IDIOT of unusual talent (as Gabriel G Melo is.).

We must be understanding when this IDIOT (Gabriel G. Melo) Puts up severl
posts a day demanding above list price for a used rig.

Remember be kind to this FLAMING IDIOT Gabriel G Melo.

John Warren <John.Warren@colorado.edu> wrote:
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> of amateur radio first and foremost!!
> Don't slam ... or tease .... or tear at people who come here for help with
> what they are doing for fun.

> Please think about sending a helpful or friendly reply (or none at all) and
> read it yourself to see if you can figure out what it might sound like to
> others who are here in good spirit.
> The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is
> said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.

> Anyway sorry to seem so serious .... This group really is a lot of fun.

> Thanks , 73's John KD0OM

> Lawrence wrote in message <#73q4ZeN9GA.112@upnetnews04>...
> >I think it is self-evident - just look at his post for IC-275H. He IS an
> >idiot.
> >
> >
> >

1093. Re: IC-706MkII GO with DSP or Internal Filters???or both???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980211030601.WAA13468@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153916

>Do I purchase two internal filters OR just purchase the new DSP?

>So people...what is your opinion?

My opinion is that xtal filters will out perform any of the outboard "plug 'em in the speaker jack" DSP's. I tried the new timewave on my TS-940, and paid HRO 15% to take it back the next day.

K�MB

1094. Re: TM-701A Battery Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <34e1447e.2338651@news.hoflink.com>
Source record: 153917

On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:49:38 -0600, Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
wrote:

>
>It is a standard CR-2032 Lithium Battery (3.2v) but has solder tabs spot
>welded on it. Kenwood Part Number W09-0326-05.
>
>It is behind the front panel. You have to remove the top and bottom,
>knobs, and nuts on the mike jack and encoder. The display will come off
>and then 3 screws removes the control unit and there it is.
>--
>Clif @ AVVid

Yea, and the Kenwood parts places around will suck about $15.00
dollars (from your wallet) for a $3 dollar battery. Been there done
that with my TM-721.
Good Luck
73, Mark

1095. Re: !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!Yaesu FT-8100 PROBLEMS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <34e145c5.2666334@news.hoflink.com>
Source record: 153918

On 9 Feb 1998 23:52:42 GMT, "Mark Kuziv" <kuziv@magicnet.net> wrote:

>Has anyone experienced problems with their FT-8100's duing transmit?My unit
>will stay keyed even after releasing the PTT button on the mic,usually
>happens on VHF only!!!!!!!.Please respond via e-mail to kuziv@magicnet.net
>
>

Check your SWR. This happens with some rigs.

73, Mark N2FLF

1096. Re: Are my camcorder heads really TOAST???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sonytech@videotron.ca
Message-ID: <cM9E.105$iN2.555473@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 153919
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.desktop,sci.electronics.repair

I hope that those repair places are not Authorized Sony services centers...

--
Francis VE2FGS
SONY tech. support
sonytech@videotron.ca

>
>It's been my experience (for friends and such) that repair places are
>really hesitant to do any repairs on camcorders. I get the impression
>that they don't like to work on the small delicate instruments with lots
>of small parts. Sort of like taking your borken watch to aamco
>(transmission place).
>
>
>Sheldon
>
>--
>Remove SPAM_BE_GONE. from my address to reply to me.

1097. Radio Dial Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rockseaent@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980211045400.XAA19103@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153920

We have lots of reproduction dial scales for old radios... Admiral to Zenith.
If we don't have it we will make it! A current list is posted on our web
page at:
http://members.aol.com/RockSeaEnt/
or E-mail for info and price list: dials@juno.com
or just call: (805) 646-7362. Thanks, Mike

1098. Re: Fun on the Net & Ham Spirit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyznycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34ea34e7.53335385@news>
Source record: 153921

On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 09:50:48 -0700, "John Warren"
<John.Warren@colorado.edu> wrote:

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>of amateur radio first and foremost!!
>Don't slam ... or tease .... or tear at people who come here for help with
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>
>Please think about sending a helpful or friendly reply (or none at all) and
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>others who are here in good spirit.
>The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is
>said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.
>
>Anyway sorry to seem so serious .... This group really is a lot of fun.
>
>Thanks , 73's John KD0OM
>
>
Geez, John, how many places are you going to SPAM this message? I've
seen it four times already. Sit down and shut up.
--

Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
xyz from my address.

1099. Re: I nead a copy of a Sony 2010 manual.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoThankYouSpammers@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <u1uO50qN9GA.351@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 153922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <gho90rjzlpx.fsf@texas.gtri.gatech.edu>, Ed Soniat <ed@texas.gtri.gatech.edu> wrote:
>Fellow Sony 2010 owner:
>
>I need a copy of a 2010 manual. I bought a radio but the seller
>couldn't find the manual. I also need a new adaptor.
>If there is a particularly good one (or bad one) let me know.
>
>
>Ed

The "new adaptor" you want...you mean power adapter so you can run it from a wall socket? (commonly known as a "wall wart") If so, Radio Shack sells a 3/4.5/6v @800ma adapter that includes the proper power plug. It is a regulated supply with good hum supression. I use one at the office with my 2010 and it works just fine...the original stays at home.

Part # 273-1666 goes for $22.99 use the "blue" plug end and make sure the tip is MINUS.

the manual is 20 pages long (the English language portion) and I don't have access to a free copier. So if someone else can't copy it for you for free, I can do it for you for the cost of copying and mailing (about $3.00 total). Email me, replace the NoThankYouSpammers with "dac" (no quotes) in my address above.

Don

1100. Re: Icom IC-2000H mod wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bandit@domain.com
Message-ID: <34e144e5.2409910@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153923

I just purchased an Icom 2000H yesterday. It's a great radio! Better
price than the Yaesu FT-2500 and it does AM aircraft.

Expansion Range:
118 Mhz - 174 MHz RX
138 MHz - 174 MHz TX

Remember that the electronic circuits can only tune a 20-30 MHz window
around the original center frequency (tuned at the factory) you may
have better performance at the top or the bottom ends of the tuneable
range.

1.) Remove power and antenna.
2.) Remove Screws and open the radio.
3.) Locate Control Board. (front Panel)
4.) Locate and CUT DIODE D8
5.) Reassemble the radio.
6.) Reset the microprocessor (ALL RESET, see user manual)

In case you are having trouble locating the diode, it is underneath
"J3 and J4". I modified mine with no problem.

Be careful, and happy TX'ing.

73,
Chris
KC4VTT

On Mon, 09 Feb 1998 22:21:24 -0600, morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca wrote:

>I seem to remember that there is a simple mod, like cutting a wire, for
>the IC-2000H 2 meter transceiver. It is supposed to permit out of band
>transmit. Anyone ever heard of that one? I need that for an experiment on
>a special receiver. I want to use the IC-2000H as a kind of signal
>generator. Please reply to the group.
>
>73 VE2CJW.
>
>--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1101. Help on Kenwood TR-7850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: pchow@cisco.com
Message-ID: <6brirr$p6t$1@news-sj-3.cisco.com>
Source record: 153924

Just got a Kenwood TR-7850. Anybody knows whether it can do PL or not?
If so, can you let me know how to set it up? Thanks in advance.

73,
N6YD/Peter

1102. New Tech Plus Needs HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: shanehendr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980211074101.CAA19157@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153925

Hey gang. Just passed my tests tonight - tech/novice written and 5 wpm code. I will be in the market for a good, dependable HF rig very soon. Used is fine with me. I can only afford so much however, as $1000 radios are a little pricey for me right now; somewhere around $500-600 would be better.

My brother (extra class license) will be helping me buy the radio; he will be able to help me out with any models, specs, and prices you offer. I would prefer a radio that has a 500 hz CW filter if at all possible (like I said, I'm broke). Brother is giving me a keyer and some other junk.

Thanks,
Shane
Shane Hendricks
//*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*
if (messageOffends)
then
toughLuck (dude, getAlife);
//*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*/*
http://members.aol.com/qnl/qnlpage.html
Shanehendr@aol.com
QNL@aol.com

1103. Re: Are my camcorder heads really TOAST???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: SKI333 <SKI333@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <34E15DD4.319A@prodigy.net>
Source record: 153926
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.desktop,sci.electronics.repair

Robert Westbrook wrote:
>
> Hi there fellas.
>
> I just got my Sony CCD-F302 8mm camcorder back from the repair place I
> took it to to get a diagnosis, and they claim it's the video heads (they
> said they cleaned it w/no result). I may tend to agree with this as the
> playback noise problem appeared one day when it was not there before at
> all. Plays this way with all the tapes I own, so I do not think it is the
> tape.
> They seemed reluctant to quote me a repair price; I don't really think
> he knew where he could get the required parts (the camera's prolly 7 years
> old). Where would I go to find replacement heads that wouldn't cost me
> more than a new machine?
>

> Thanks for any info or repair parts sources!
> Robert
>
> --
> http://www.latech.edu/~riw
> Go there if you need my email

The video heads could indeed be the problem,however I would take it to
a Sony authorized repair shop or at least a shop that specializes in
camcorder repairs for a second opinion. There are several things that
can cause a bad picture on play or record other than heads or alignment.
Many of the repairs I do on Sony,Canon and Hitachi camcorders are due to
leaky smd electrolytic capacitors,sometimes requiring the replacement of
dozens at a time,as well as cleaning and repairing the printed circuit
board. We stock most camcorder heads,so if there is any doubt about the
cause,we try a new set to prove it before estimating the repair,this
enables us to give the customer an exact to-the-penny firm repair price.
You could make a recording on your camcorder and try it in a friends
unit,if the recording is good,that will eliminate the heads as the
culprit,as the same heads are used for both play and record. If the
recording is bad,it still doesn't prove the heads are the cause,again
you will need a qualified second opinion.Good luck my friend.

Bill S. CET. A Video Service Co. Santa Maria Ca.

1104. Herbert Stites is dishonest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bohica@i-link-2.net
Message-ID: <34E16F88.735B@i-link-2.net>
Source record: 153927

Herbert L. Stites, owner of Portable Radio Service in Mt. View,
Ark is dishonest and does not honor his warranty and repair work.

1105. Mod for Kenwood TM-261A here.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6bs8k9$ln5$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153928

To get back full band transmit, just do this:

1- Open top panel by removing 2 screws.
2- Cut the W1 jumper, green wire.
3- Put the top panel back.
4- Press and hold MR while powering up.
5- When the display goes funky, repress MR.
6- You now have transmit from 136-174.
7- Remember this is not legal to use.

You will lose your memories doing that, beware!
I wonder what the W2 jumper does, anyone knows?

73 de VE2CJW.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1106. FS FT-736R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net>
Message-ID: <34E1996D.4ED@thezone.net>
Source record: 153929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,,nf.wanted,,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi I have the folowing for sale as a pacakage
Yaseu FT-736R 2M/70cm 25 Watts SSB CW FM with the following:
FEX-736-6M Module
FEX-736-1.2GHz Module
XF-455MC CW Filter for FT-736/726
FVS-1A Voice Synthesizer Board
Keyer B Internal Electronic Keyer for FT-736
TV-736 Fast Scan TV (ATV) Mod/Demod for 1.2GHz
FIF-232C CAT Interface for RS-232 port Computers

non smoker orignal cartons and manual
price $2150.00 +shipping
contact by e-mail vo1ty@thezone.net or 709-745-4264 after 6 pm
73 & Thanks Tom VO1TY /St.John's NF sorry I will not export

1107. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34E19DE6.E8ADD94E@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 153930
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> >said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.
>
> .... but only to Americans, who do not share our European sense of
> humor (humour).
>

You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny HillI try to figure out why
everyone is laughing.

Curtis..N5HDQ..http//wf.quik.com/n5hdq

> ;-)
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

1108. Re: FS FT-736R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net>
Message-ID: <34E1A5B7.487D@thezone.net>
Source record: 153931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,,nf.wanted,,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> FVS-1A Voice Synthesizer Board
> Keyer B Internal Electronic Keyer for FT-736
> TV-736 Fast Scan TV (ATV) Mod/Demod for 1.2GHz
> FIF-232C CAT Interface for RS-232 port Computers
>
>
> non smoker orignal cartons and manual
> price $2150.00 +shipping
> contact by e-mail vo1ty@thezone.net or 709-745-4264 after 6 pm
> 73 & Thanks Tom VO1TY /St.John's NF sorry I will not exportalso included is the FTS-8 tone squelch and HM-1 B8 hand mic

1109. FS: IC-900 Icom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <w2ky@banet.net>
Message-ID: <34e38542.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 153684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Items included:

Interface A and B OPC-172 Optical fiber cable
TTM-14 up/down OPC-177 controller cable
Manual (copy) Remote Controller Head
Power cables UX-29H module (45 watts)

Phone only: (716)778-8115 $365. + shipping

ALSO: IT-29 Tone Squelch Unit for IC-28A/H and IC-48A/H
$45 including shipping-new the box

73s
Frank (w2ky@banet.net)

1110. Re: X-band repeater FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6c007t$3a1@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 153685

Albert Ewe <twewe@pc.jaring.my> writes:
>Hi,
> I wonder if anyone can help me on this.
> I just got a FT50R without the manual.
> Can I use it as a x-band repeater? And how?
> What is the cw ID. for and how to use it?

The FT-50 cannot do cross-band repeat. There radio operates on just one frequency at a time. To do cross-band repeat you need a radio that can operate on two frequencies simultaneously, like the FT-51 handheld or most mobile rigs.

The CD ID is for use when the radio is set up transmit on its own. This could be when using the mode that automatically polls another FT-50 to see if it's nearby, or for the auto-answerback paging mode.

Dave

1111. FS: Kenwood TS-850AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4dh@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980212.130047.7215.0.n4dh@juno.com>
Source record: 153686

I'm upgrading my station here, and have my TS-850-AT for sale.
I have all the manuals, shipping cartons & cables. Radio includes
hand mic, and VS-2 voice synthsizer. I'm orginal owner (have invoices
from HRO), and am a non-smoker. Radio is in excellent condition,
both electronically & physically. Asking $1200. Reply by Email
or give me a call at: 704-545-9368.

73 de Bill, N4DH

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Bill Richarz <N4DH> | Internet: wricharz@charlotte.infi.net
10035 Little Creek Rd. | Packet: N4DH@W4BFB.#CLT.NC.USA.NA
Charlotte, NC 28227 | Phone: (704) 545-9368
HomePage: http://www.transprt.com/public/wricharz/index.htm
Alternate Email: n4dh@juno.com
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Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

1112. FS: Alinco DJS11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray <ray@idsi.net>
Message-ID: <6c01jonjr1@usenet52.supernews.com>
Source record: 153687

Alinco DJS11 HT with belt pouch, VHF FM, 50 mw low power 340 mw high power. Already internally modified for MARS/CAP. Hardly used good as new in original box. $80.00

Ray

ray@idsi.net

1113. WTB: Alinco DR-610T Dualband Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Frank <dhf@rmi.net>
Message-ID: <34E39312.2DA3B445@rmi.net>
Source record: 153688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

Reply via direct email, or 303/814-1503, anytime.
Tnx, Don, W9SL, near Denver, CO.

1114. FS-FT101, HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E39B22.AC3@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153689

FT-101 HF SSB tranceiver in very good condition, with manual
$225.00 plus shipping. No microphone or other accesories for rig
available at this time.

Also Optotronics mini counter good to 2.6 Ghz, new in box, never used
with warantee card. Original box and packing Just $100.00 I will pay
shipping.

email Lee....revcon78@hotmail.com

1115. FS-Optotronics counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E39B8D.AEB@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153690

For sale optotronics counter new in box, never used with charger and warantee card. I pay shipping to lower 48 Just $100.00

Email Lee.....revcon78@hotmail.com

1116. FS-Daiwa SWR/PWR meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E39C0D.D8C@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153691

Daiwa Model-660 HF power/swr meter new never used still has original box and warantee card. Price $125.00 and I will ship to lower 48.

E-mail Lee .... revcon78@hotmail.com

1117. FS-RTTY decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E39C83.230B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153692

HAL Electronics model ST-6 in excellent condition. $95.00 and I will pay shipping to lower 48.

E-mail Lee .... revcon78@hotmail.com

1118. FS-J44 CW key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E39CFD.5658@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153693

Model J-44 telegraph key in very good condition. $30.00 and I will pay shipping to lower 48.

E-mail Lee .... revcon78@hotmail.com

1119. FS-4-1000 tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34E39DEC.3D46@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153694

For sale 4-1000 RF power vacuum tube in excellent conditon. Very few hours, no discoloration in glass. $95.00 plus $5.00 for shipping to lower 48.

E-mail Lee ..... revcon78@hotmail.com

1120. Re: FT-101 opinions please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <34E39F88.5DAE@navix.net>
Source record: 153695

If you have an experienced elmer to show you how to properly tune up a rig with tube finals, the FT-101E is a great rig!!

1121. FS: 2M rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Ghioto <ghiotom@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <34E3A526.1E20@mediaone.net>
Source record: 153696

Midland 13-510a. About 20 years old, but basically unused. Still in good shape. Also RS 5/8 wave mobile antenna.Will ship ground UPS in US. $120.

1122. HY-GAIN BALUM FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <34E3A843.2F5C@total.net>
Source record: 153697

FOR SALE***HY-GAIN BN-4000 BALUM***
This is a high power current -type balum for beam antennas
Brand new and never used and still in original factory pack.

Asking ** $50.00 US or best offer.

Josh de VE2JKK

1123. FS: 2M rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Ghioto <ghiotom@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <34E3A55C.19C@mediaone.net>
Source record: 153698

Midland 13-510a. About 20 years old, but basically unused. Still in good shape. Also RS 5/8 wave mobile antenna.Will ship ground UPS in US. $120.
Martin
ghiotom@mediaone.net

1124. FS: FT-101, FL2100B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Garry W. Woods" <kb8sgo@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eKwGEPCO9GA.280@upnetnews04>
Source record: 153699

Posting for a friend.

FT-101EE $350, FL2100B $400, YC-601 $135, SP-101 $65.
This equipment will be at Dalton, GA hamfest. Trades for 2M SSB considered.

Contact Wayne Gardner (423) 483-7794 Knoxville

1125. WTB 6METER AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "john a. ward" <hitech@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E3AF1D.196904E8@erols.com>
Source record: 153700

Wanted sixmeter amplifier with 10 and 50 out if you have one for sale
let me know.....De W3OJ

1126. 2 meter allmode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "john a. ward" <hitech@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E3AE3C.D0A9B8F2@erols.com>
Source record: 153701

For sale Icom 260 with manual and microphone in good condition just upgraded and looking to sale this one make me an offer. De W3OJ

1127. FS TS-940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34E3B40B.710@hauns.com>
Source record: 153702

I have a nice TS-940SAT for sale. Will ship for $925. Bob

1128. WTB: 551 w/working logic unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <887336251.1120337929@dejanews.com>
Source record: 153703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

We need a good working logic unit for a 551 (D). I suppose we can pay up to $300 for the unit. Don't need the PBT or FM units.

If available please email conditions of surender.

Thank you :-)

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1129. How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio? - followup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6c0dqi$449@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 153704

I wrote:
>I'm starting to look for my first mobile rig, having owned only a pair of
>handhelds until now (FT-50 and FT-51). I want it primarily for base
>station use now, but could see transferring it to a car later.

Thank you to all the people who posted, or wrote, their advice. I thought I'd let you know what I eventually did: I bought a used Icom IC-2350H.

It is a dual-band radio, in the sense that it will receive 2 m and 70 cm simultaneously. It will do cross-band repeat. These are two features that many people recommended highly.

However, it will not receive two VHF frequencies or two UHF frequencies simultaneously - each half of the radio is dedicated to one band. And it lacks some features that are now common, such as a removable front panel. It can have CTCSS decoding and DTMF decoding cards added, but this unit lacks them.

All in all, it seems like a good solid dual-band radio.

Dave

1130. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E3B3D4.33FA74BF@together.net>
Source record: 153705
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Actually... the thought of Bill Clinton having sex is rather funny isn't it.. but what's even funnier is imagining Newt Gingrich having sex... hihi ... ;)

Tom
KB1CGA

Martin wrote:

> Tom Repstad wrote:
>
> > Hey Curtis... everybody was laughing because of all the "SEX" in the Benny Hill
> > Show... people always laugh at sex... (well... at least the way they do it over
> > there)... hihi ;)
> >
>
> It's funny as in Presidential behaviour
>
> > --Tom
> > KB1CGA
> >
> > Curtis M LaFon wrote:
> >
> > > Walt Davidson wrote:
> > >
> > > > On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 09:48:05 -0700, "John Warren"
> > > > <John.Warren@colorado.edu> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > >The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is
> > > > >said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.
> > > > >
> > > > .... but only to Americans, who do not share our European sense of
> > > > humor (humour).
> > > > >
> > > >
> > > You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny HillI try to figure out why
> > > everyone is laughing.
> > >
>
> Even none English speaking Europeans find Benny Hill funny, is it too subtle for
> the US or something?
>
> Why was Mr. Bean such a big succes in the USA? It's quite similar, it would have
> been better with Hill's Angels ;-)

1131. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E3B4DA.7290BD5C@together.net>
Source record: 153706
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Now Walt... you know that's not true... Americans are quite comfortable having sex... so long has each partner has a recent blood test, notarized complete sexual history, industrial grade condoms, the lights are out, blindfolds are worn, and it's between the hours of 11:30pm and 11:45pm... there... see we're not uptight at all!

Tom
KB1CGA

Walt Davidson wrote:

> On Thu, 12 Feb 1998 00:31:45 -0500, Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
> wrote:
>
> >Hey Curtis... everybody was laughing because of all the "SEX" in the Benny Hill
> >Show... people always laugh at sex... (well... at least the way they do it over
> >there)... hihi ;)
>
> At least we still do it over here, Tom, even if we do it in a funny
> way! In your country, most people are scared to do it any more.
>
> :-)
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

1132. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Younker <dougy@ruraltel.net>
Message-ID: <34E34F13.22E3@ruraltel.net>
Source record: 153707
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tom Repstad wrote:
>
> Actually... the thought of Bill Clinton having sex is rather funny isn't it.. but
> what's even funnier is imagining Newt Gingrich having sex... hihi ... ;)
>
> Tom
> KB1CGA
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Nothing personal Tom,

If you have thoughts of Clinton having sex and imagining Newt having
sex. I thick to new FCC RF exposure regulations where enacted to late
to save you <g>.

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73, Doug Younker, N0LKK
near Plainville, KS
dougy@ruraltel.net

1133. A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net>
Message-ID: <34E3C013.DF78A5A9@prefer.net>
Source record: 153708

Not sure this is the right group or not..

Consistent, I think, with most articles that I have read, my station ground is a 8ft ground rod which is located within a foot of the exterior wall separating my station from the outside world. I have all my ham gear tied to a copper buss bar at the back edge of my bench. This bar in turn is tied to the the ground rod outside. The length of that conductor is less then 4 feet.

As it happens there is a copper pipe/hose bib projecting from the exterior wall very close to my station ground. This pipe is the source of the ground for the house electrical power system. There is a 8ga (or so) conductor running from that pipe over to the power distribution panel.

The question.. is there a NEC (National Electric Code) requirement that dictates that I tie these two grounds together. and .. if that's not the case, what are the trade-offs for doing it or nor doing it.?

Thanks for any suggestions I might get on this one..

Bill

1134. New chat room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: don l simpkins <donmax@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6c0kaj$k3g$5@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153709

I am a scanner user and have been unable to find an active chat room for scanner users. To fix that problem I have created my own chat room for anyone who loves to scan as much as I do. It is about time we have a room for all scanner users. While you are chatting you can also be scanning. This chat room will be good for many things of interest: New frequinces, New scanners, Who has what scanner, New laws, Scanner stories, Trading freq, Sending freq, Sending pictures, and many other things. As of 02-12-98 there have been 6 ppl come and visit. Everyone I have met has been on around 9:00 p.m. central time.

TO COME AND VISIT AND CHAT COME TO: Irc.dalnet #scanning

TRY TO COME IN AROUND THE TIME POSTED ABOVE IF POSSIBLE.

I LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING SOME OF YOU!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

1135. Re: IC-706 for Marine HF SSB?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. W. Balinski" <eugeneb@nni.com>
Message-ID: <34E3B930.306D@nni.com>
Source record: 153710

Paul Unterweiser wrote:
>
> I'm seriously considering buying either a used IC-706 or the new
> MkII to be installed on my sailboat. Something I was told (more
> than once) was that the IC-706 can be "programmed" to transmit
> outside the Ham bands... Since space and money are always a
> consideration, the thought of having a xcvr capable of transmitting
> on one of the marine emergency or USCG freqs -during times of emergency-
> is very attractive.
>
> My question is this... how do I "program" the 706 to transmit on say
> 2182 kHz?
>
> Paul
>

Paul,

I would seriously advise AGAINST using the IC-706 as your primary
marine HF radio. There are a couple of reasons:

1) There may be the usual legal "problems" especially if the radio
is used in US territorial waters. In other words, the radio is
not type-accepted for use outside the amateur bands (MARS/CAP excluded).
No, they probably wouldn't bother you in an emergency......

2) The radio does not have the new Coast Guard mandated DSC (Digital
Selective Calling) circuitry. In a few years, the old 2182 kHz and
even the CH-16 monitoring will be gone - replaced by DSC. The
Coast Guard has info their web page about this.

3) The radio IS NOT constructed for a salt water environment. It is
NOT sealed. In a shorter time than you think, the inside will be that
wonderful green color, and operation will become spotty and eventually
fail (probably at the worst time).

4) Operation under duress. Now, when the s*#t hits the fan, are you
going to have your wits about you to tune the radio, select the right
memory, etc., or would you rather just be able to go over and hit one
red
button, be automatically switched to 2182 and have the DSC send out all
of the important info ?

Many of the HF marine radios out there now will operate in the ham
bands.
One of the more popular is the SGC line. They have many different

control
heads to allow ham-type operation as well as the more popular
channelized
marine operation. The radio does support more that one control head at
a
time so you may be able to mix and match - typical marine style on the
bridge, and a ham type in your quarters. Combine the SGC radio with
their
EXCELLENT SG-230 tuner, and you will be able to load up your back stay
or a 16 - 32 ' whip without any problem. Your signal will be loud.
BTW, you will need a tuner anyway, so your difference in price may be
between the IC-706 and the SGC-2000 may be less than $500.00.
Check with some of the dealers. SGC runs package deals from time to
time.

Just my .02.

73 and Good Luck,
Gene K1NR/3

1136. WTB TU-7 Tone for TM741a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Sullivan <kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E3E49A.36B1F380@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a TU-7 tone board for Kenwood TM-741a. If you have one to get rid of, drop a line my way. Be sure to remove the xnospamx in the return address. TNX 73 de Pat KK6PD

1137. FS KENWOOD TS830S GOLD EMBLEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB9IOG <WB9IOG@REVEALED.NET>
Message-ID: <34E3F8EC.5523@REVEALED.NET>
Source record: 153712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Sn on this unit is 7,020,090 a 9+ in appearance and 10
in operation. Consistent 20+ reports from the east coast on this unit.
Features:
160-10 including WARC bands
Variable bandwidth tuning
IF notch filter
IF shift
Tubed finals! 6146B w/ 12BY7A driver-finals well matched.
(How many posts have you seen with -"Fried my solid state finals-help!")
Adjustable Noise blanker in RF stage
Digital display (stable)
RF speech processor (really performs)
XIT/RIT

If you need computer control,dual receive,built in keyer,or all those
other "interesting" goodies this is not the rig for you.
If you need a solid performer that hears very well the TS830S is hard to
beat.
(Unless you can afford the OmniVI+)
$500 + shipping from 52753 w/manual.
Mike
Le Claire, Ia
OK QRZ.COM

1138. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Winner's Circle <wincirc@wincirc.com>
Message-ID: <34E3E9ED.1885@wincirc.com>
Source record: 153713
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> > Tom
> > KB1CGA
> ++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++
>
> Nothing personal Tom,
>
> If you have thoughts of Clinton having sex and imagining Newt having
> sex. I thick to new FCC RF exposure regulations where enacted to late
> to save you <g>.
>
> --
> 73, Doug Younker, N0LKK
> near Plainville, KS
> dougy@ruraltel.net

Why don't you guys take this where it's wanted. This NG is NOT the place
for this conversation.

John
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1139. FS Daiwa CN-465M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Sullivan <kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E3E611.AD23CAF@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radip.swap

I have a Daiwa 465M SWR/WATTMETER for sale. Unit covers 140Mhz thru
450Mhz. 75watts MAX power in. $75.00. Unit is Virtually new used less
than 5 times. I pay shipping CONUS
If interested drop a reply my way. Be sure to remove xnospamx in the
return address. 73 de Pat KK6PD

1140. Re: FT-50R current draw when off

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <WVlgVDABHq40EwqI@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153715

I have seen it mentioned on this NG that there is a defect in some
radios in the circuit in the area of the power button. Correction of
the defect involves changing a resistor in the power button circuitry.
This is a fault known to Yaesu and is corrected by the importers for no
charge.
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

1141. Re: Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242 and etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Njnote <njnote@jetcity.com>
Message-ID: <6c0pj7$7n8$1@news4.ispnews.com>
Source record: 153716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

why should she stop using her phone for your convinience.....?

the White Dahlia wrote in message
<01bd377c$eef751a0$e27f2e9c@Phoenixnet.phoenixnet.net>...
>Doesn't your scanner have a "lock out" feature??
>
>
>> >> Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242
>> >> and Pro-26. Pro-2045 receives a little bit, but not much.
>> >>
>> >> Should I complain about this to my neighbour ? Should she stop
>> >> using it ?
>> >>
>> >> It's getting crazy when I scan for the repeater and suddenly I stop
>> >> for cordless which I am not interested in listening to.
>

1142. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <o5ENjGAVS340EweF@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153717
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

In article <34e285b4.19039916@news.onramp.net>, Dave <x3b@netdot.com>
writes
>I smel a T R O L L !
>
>
>
>"Sandro" <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> wrote:
>
>>I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
>
>
Sandro's no troll, but he's been trying to sell all this heavy
commercial equipment for the last few months.
You'd think that would tell him something about the prices he's asking!

Phil / UK

1143. TS-570D TGC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: charlesdavis@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6bum3e$ndb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Can anyone tell me what the TGC settings in the ADJUST mode are for?
Menu, 23 thru 36.
--
-=>Chas<=-
<>

1144. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Grant <bmgrant@nospam.please.erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E2E683.567B@nospam.please.erols.com>
Source record: 153735
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tom Repstad wrote:
>

> I say it's time to retaliate in the "humor war" let's send over re-runs of
> Gilligans Island and Gomer Pyle USMC to Europe!!!!
>
Actually, one of the most requested US re-runs in the UK is Sgt. Bilko

1145. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Grant <bmgrant@nospam.please.erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E2E73F.7FE2@nospam.please.erols.com>
Source record: 153736
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> Hey Curtis... everybody was laughing because of all the "SEX" in the Benny Hill
> Show... people always laugh at sex... (well... at least the way they do it over
> there)... hihi ;)
>
The Benny Hill show in the US was the variety like UK version editted to
a "Laugh In" pace. The two show versions were quite different. FOr
those in the UK, it turned Benny Hill into Kenny Everett.

1146. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Cotton <jcotton@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E2F492.243C@erols.com>
Source record: 153737
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

John Warren wrote:
>
> People, people.....PLEASE.... This group should surely represent the spirit
> of amateur radio first and foremost!!

Is that the spirit of Ham Radio past, present or future....or to
Scrooge?
--
Joseph Cotton
"I'm not a COBOL programmer, but some people say that I look like one."

1147. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin <m.paterson@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <34E2F243.6310FDD4@consunet.nl>
Source record: 153738
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Walt Davidson wrote:

> On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 06:47:34 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
> wrote:
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> >You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny Hill I try to figure out why
> >everyone is laughing.
>
> Hi Hi, Curtis! The reason we laugh at Benny Hill is because all his
> material was so politically incorrect. :-)

It's also because he is funny HA! HA! and a bit in the same way as Chaplin.

> The same applies to Alf
> Garnett, in "Till Death Us Do Part", although I doubt you'd ever have
> seen that show in the States.

In fact it was translated to the USA and called "All in the family"

>
>
> :-)
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

1148. FS TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34E2F66E.BC9@hauns.com>
Source record: 153739

Kenwood TS-830S Gold, with SP-230 and digital VFO-230. Works great,
will ship the whole station for $700, and might take trade.

1149. FS: UHF Repeater w/duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Davis <tdavis@wilmington.net>
Message-ID: <34E2F1AB.5AD8F154@wilmington.net>
Source record: 153740

Motorola C64RCB-6105AT

UHF Repeater currently set for 70 Watts out

RCV: 469.852
XMT: 464.852

Single CTCSS

$750 + shipping from Wilmington, NC

1150. Repost: FS: Collins KWM1, KWM2, 75S3C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Edward H. Scissons " <psa@sk.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd37b6$5d56ff40$0c55a58e@scissons.sk.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 153741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

The following is a repost:

The following COLLINS equipment is for sale. Equipment has been securely stored for the past several years and was operational when stored. All equipment is sold with a 7 day refund policy, less 2-way packing, shipping and insurance charges. Send email requests for JPEG scanned image of all 4 pieces.

Offers in US dollars will be received on these lots until 12:00 noon CST on Sunday, February 15, 1998. All equipment subject to prior sale. Highest or any offer may not be accepted.

Buyer is responsible for pre-payment by money order or bank draft in US dollars of purchase price plus packing, shipping and insurance. Equipment is located in Western Canada, approximately 300 miles North of the Montana/North Dakota/Canada-US border. Shipment by UPS or TBA.

PLEASE PHONE OR EMAIL FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

Lot #1: KWM-2 Winged
Serial Number: 12535
Spinner Knob
No scratches on panels
No rub marks on panels
Includes Collins manual
Includes 516F-2 AC power supply

Lot #2: 75S3-C Meatball Complete with Collins CW Mechanical Filter for 75S Receivers (Filter: F455PA FA05 6735 (526 9494 00)
Serial Number: 13572
Spinner Knob
No scratches on panels
Minor rub marks on front panel
New original equipment dial front has been installed (old one also supplied)
Two screws on dial front may not be original
No extra crystals installed
Recently gone over by technician
S-meter appears erratic in operation
Includes Collins Manual

Lot #3: KWM-1 Winged
Serial Number: 791
Rub marks on knobs
Includes 516F-1 AC power supply (Missing 4 side panel retaining screws for

PS case and one small extra hole (1/4") has been drilled in the top of PS case)
Includes tubular lo-pass filter mounted on back of KWM-1
Includes Xerox copy of manual

Lot #4: KWM-2 Winged
Serial Number: 331
Non-Spinner Knob
No scratches on panels
No rub marks on panels
Zero set does not work (dial cord slipped off)
Includes Collins manual
Includes 516F-2 AC power supply

****
Dr. Edward H. Scissons
psa@sk.sympatico.ca
edward.scissons@usask.ca
Phone: (306) 652-2551
Facsimile: (306) 934-3959

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Ed Scissons VE5VX
Ph.. (306) 653-2305
Fx. (306) 934-3959
eMail psa@sk.sympatico.ca OR edward.scissons@usask.ca

1151. FS: TH-79AD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nibblytim@wolla.com
Message-ID: <34e2f186.64972321@crc-news.doc.ca>
Source record: 153742

Kenwood TH-79AD Dual band hand held with:

1/4 wave Diamond antenna
deluxe hand mike
charger
manuals

$400 canadian

Call Chris at 613-991-4404 if interested

also have a 10A Kenwood power supply FS @ $150 CDN.

1152. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212132001.IAA09536@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153743

Hi

I have a pair of Alinco DJ 580T for sale. Or will trade for a pair of Comm.
HT's. Radio's must be able to program for keypad with PL. (450-470 MHz).

Thank You
Firecomm

1153. W.T.B. KENWOOD MC-50 MIKE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6busk1$s00@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153744

I would like to purchase a MC-50 mike. Must be in excellant shape and reasonably priced. Write with what you have. Tnx. Rich

1154. FS: HT90 Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <34E39FEC.6B79@hnvr.com>
Source record: 153745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: New-old-stock battery for Motorola HT90, I think. It is a
12.5V, rapid-charge, NLN7694A so make sure that is what you need before
responding. $13 priority mailed in the US.
Ken
ken@hnvr.com
(day)314-241-188 Ext.203

1155. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin <m.paterson@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <34E2F376.A1AB7984@consunet.nl>
Source record: 153746
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tom Repstad wrote:

> Hey Curtis... everybody was laughing because of all the "SEX" in the Benny Hill
> Show... people always laugh at sex... (well... at least the way they do it over
> there)... hihi ;)
>

It's funny as in Presidential behaviour

> --Tom
> KB1CGA
>
> Curtis M LaFon wrote:
>
> > Walt Davidson wrote:
> >
> > > On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 09:48:05 -0700, "John Warren"
> > > <John.Warren@colorado.edu> wrote:
> > >
> > > >The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is
> > > >said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.
> > >
> > > .... but only to Americans, who do not share our European sense of
> > > humor (humour).
> > >
> >
> > You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny HillI try to figure out why
> > everyone is laughing.
> >

Even none English speaking Europeans find Benny Hill funny, is it too subtle for the US or something?

Why was Mr. Bean such a big succes in the USA? It's quite similar, it would have been better with Hill's Angels ;-)

1156. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin <m.paterson@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <34E2FB43.C43BAA56@consunet.nl>
Source record: 153747
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> seen that show in the States.
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> :-)
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> 73 de G3NYY
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> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

1157. WTB:Icom Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Beckstrom <danbeck@sherbtel.net>
Message-ID: <6buuqv$67a$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 153748

I have a complete Icom station and would like to buy a Icom clock at a reasonable price.

danbeck@sherbtel.net

1158. Help: Kenwood SM-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: katkey007@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212135501.IAA00400@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153749

I am in need of an Operating manual for the Band Scope SM-230.
If you have one and are willing to photocopy it, I'll gladly pay for your time, cost and postage. What I especially need to know right away is the nomenclature for the eight (8) adjustments on the left side of the unit - that would be a big help for the present time.
Also would like to obtain a copy of the Service Manual.
If you don't have either of these manuals to photocopy, maybe you know where I can purchace them.
Thanks,
Bob, N1KPR

1159. FT-101 opinions please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter E. Orban" <Peter.Orban@thisnrc.ca>
Message-ID: <34E2FCF5.41C6@thisnrc.ca>
Source record: 153750

I might be looking at a FT-101 as a first radio (I am a new ham). I read
the previous thread on this topic and checked out the FT-101 home page
as well. A couple of questions:

How should I check for the condition of the finals?
The radio is the Z variant. Am I going to miss any bands or frequencies?
Is it easy to modify/add those frequencies?
What is a fair value for such a radio?
Am I totally nuts and should I look for something else?

Thanks, Peter, VE3PEY
--
Peter E. Orban
National Research Council of Canada
e-mail: peter.orban@nrc.ca
remove <this> from return address

1160. Re: Kenwood TN-V7 PC Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitchell Hamm <mitch@nospam.palmtop.net>
Message-ID: <34E334B4.7322@nospam.palmtop.net>
Source record: 153751

> Furthermore, a special hardware device (which contains a radio
> transceiver) is required. I believe it was part of the EZClone package.

This is incorrect. The EZ Clone for the V7A has a special serial cable with it. The little RF interface is not used (I think that is for the TH-79A???).

> I was somewhat surprised to learn that the V7A has nothing approaching a
> serial port for control/programming purposes.

The little capped TNC port on the radio's front panel acts as a serial interface for the radio.

The software is limited, but works extrememly well. It's hard to find now, but worth it if you need to do a lot of frequency work. Kenwood is supposedly working on their own version to be given away. Start holding your breath....now!

:)

73,

Mitch N8XS

1161. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Tornow <tornow@zedat.fu-berlin.de>
Message-ID: <6bv23e$h3l$1@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 153752
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ckern@cs.ubc.ca (Christoph Kern) wrote:
>
,
>
>Yup, the computer got that wrong, and I'm pretty sure he did in fact mean
>`backstay'. The backstay is called `Achterstag' in german, and `acht' is
>german for the number `eight', which is how I suppose the rather
>linguistically challenged virtual babelfish that did the translation came
>up with `eightstay'...
>
>[Auf deutsch und in k"urze: Das Achterstag hei"st `backstay' auf englisch]
>

If the german word Achterstag is the backstay in english, how do you
call the german Backstag ?

Andre
>...
>Christoph
>
>--
>Christoph Kern <ckern at cs dot ubc dot ca>
>Dept. of Computer Science
>University of British Columbia, Vancouver

1162. FT 102 relay info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstroppe@uhl.uiowa.edu
Message-ID: <6bv4q4$b0s$1@flood.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Source record: 153753

Does someone have the rec/xmit relay info (new type relay number an
manufacturer) for the Yaesu FT 102. Thanks

john
WA0VYZ

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John Stroppel | Internet: jstroppe@uhl.uiowa.edu
The University of Iowa - Hygienic Lab | Amateur Radio: WA0VYZ
Oakdale Research Campus, OH-M7A | Voice: (319) 335-4500
Iowa City, IA 52242 | Fax: (319) 335-4555

1163. Amplifier Interface: Icom 706 Mark II to Heathkit SB-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: nitz@selectsa.com
Message-ID: <6bv5i1$e4n@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 153754

To Icom 706 Owners who run linear amplifiers:

My friend Bob Clermont, VE3AKV would like to know if there's an 'external relay' device of some kind that would allow an Icom 706 Mark II to key a heathkit SB-200 linear amplifier.

Or for those of you who have built this interface, what does it entail?

Please respond on this newsgroupand/or follow-up to his email address at:

bob@compcon.com

Thank you for your help.

73,

Jim Nitzberg WX3B [nitz@selectsa.com]
Bob Clermont VE3AKV [bob@compcon.com]

1164. FS: 8877 Full Power Medical Pulls

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd37d0$d4629e40$4d8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 153755
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have two 8877 full power medical pulls. Asking $250. each shipped conus.
--
73, DavidC 603-894-1174

1165. KENWOOD DUAL BANDER FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6bv5vs$ltb@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 153756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have the KENWOOD TH78-A 2MTRS/440 ht for sale, desk charger, wall charger, soft case, manual, and 2 batteries. All in like new condition. 325+ shipping.
thanks..
gene.wm9h

wm9h@execpc.com

1166. WTB: YK-88C Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212160600.LAA13047@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153757

Wanted: YK-88C 500 Hz CW filter for use in Kenwood TS-130V. If you have one for sale ple. drop me a note at < rut@mcrut.mv.com >

Thanks/73--Phil (K1HS)

1167. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <gene@continet.com>
Message-ID: <34E31B4E.428580C9@continet.com>
Source record: 153758
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

OK thats it. Boats are one thing but this drivel is not boats. Has not taken very long for me to delete this group

John Warren wrote:

> People, people.....PLEASE.... This group should surely represent the spirit
> of amateur radio first and foremost!!
> Don't slam ... or tease .... or tear at people who come here for help with
> what they are doing for fun.
>
> Please think about sending a helpful or friendly reply (or none at all) and
> read it yourself to see if you can figure out what it might sound like to
> others who are here in good spirit.
> The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is
> said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.
>
> Anyway sorry to seem so serious .... This group really is a lot of fun.
>
> Thanks , 73's John KD0OM
>
> Walt Davidson wrote in message <34e12071.1632934@news.dial.pipex.com>...
> >On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:42:56 +0100, "Woellenweber"
> ><101367.2044@metronet.de> wrote:
> >
> >>Sorry this text is translated with the computer
> >
> >.... and only another computer would be able to understand it.
> >
> >--
> >Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> >The original multiple choice exam question:
> >"To be, or not to be? That is the question!"

1168. Re: Kenwood TH79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn6e694p.917.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>
Source record: 153759

On 12 Feb 1998 04:46:11 GMT, Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
>Hello,
>
>I am wondering what, if any, mods are available for the Kenwood TH79A. If
>anyone
>has info, please email to neltang@hotmail.com

See ftp://ftp.hamrad.com/mods/kenwood/th79mods.zip

--
Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@01.w6swe.ampr.org
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen/

1169. F.S.: Radio Shack 2006, w/user/service manuals $275.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <34E333E4.216A@nidlink.com>
Source record: 153760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Radio Shack 2006, little use because it was a backup rig. Includes user and service manuals. I believe I still have the box.

$275.00 plus UPS

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

1170. Re: ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1pvkszsng.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 153761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Paul Janzen <matrix@vzinet.com> writes:

> I want to get the MK-II for my dads birthday. But he will want to use it
> mobile but he can only use 20 inch or less antenna.

Please clarify this requirement. Does this really mean that the top
of his car is 20 inches below the entrance to the garage? Or does
this mean that there is some legal or spousal limit requiring an
actual 20 inch antenna? :-)

For HF antennas, bigger is better. Most of us HF-ers do park our
vehicls in garages. There are three general forms of solutions to the
general problem you describe:

1) Remove the tall HF antenna from the car before driving into the
garage. I personally use this one.

2) Use a short antenna which supports a fold-down feature, and fold down
the antenna before driving into the garage. Comet makes two
different HF fold-down antennas which support multiple HF bands.
They are pretty short (too short for good HF radiation, in my
personal opinion) but do work on their specified HF bands.

3) Use a medium length antenna mounted on the trunk so that the top of
the erect antenna is low enough to permit the vehicle drive into
the garage without touching the antenna. Depending on what kind of
car your father drives and where/how he mounts the antenna on the
trunk or on the bumper, this technique may be possible. Again, see
the several Comet HF fold-over antennas, the assorted coil wrapped
Valor (TM) and HamStick (TM) mono-banders mounted to the bumper,
the Hustler antenna line mounted to the bumper, assorted short
BugCatcher (TM) mounted to the bumper, and possibly the shorter
screwdriver stule antennas mounted to the bumper.

> Which I understand
> is a problem with 1mhz - 50mhz. I was hopping the at180 antenna tuner
> will allow use of a small antenna but have not been able to find out.

Nope. The AT-180 only handles a maximum SWR of 3:1, which is an
extremely limited range for an automatic antenna tuner. The AT-180
will tune a 9' CB (CB bands are about 11 m) whip to the 10 m and 12 m
bands, but nothing else.

The ICOM AT-H2 and AT-H3 are tuners specifically designed to
automaticaly tune a whip mounted on a vehicle's bumper. ICOM sells an
excellent whip which pairs with one of the two tuners. The

tuner/antenna pair sells for about $800 as I recall, which I personally thought was a pretty steep price. I ended up buying a screwdriver style antenna for less than $200, which has the added benefit of not requiring a tuner at all, while permitting operation on all HF bands.

My personal recommendation is a screwdriver style antenna mouned to the bumer, with a Hustler brand quick disconnect on the whip. This permits the lower portion of the antenna to be securely mounted, and it takes 5 seconds to pop the top portion of the whip off the antenna to permit driving into the garage.

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1171. Re: WTB - 2-meter for first radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Stearnes <kd4upu@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6bv9jo$2e9@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 153762

Check at Radio Shack. The 2-meter HT is a good first radio. There are others around but, I used this one and it worked great.

73, Jim, KD4UPU

e-mail: kd4upu@mindspring.com

wildwolf wrote in message <6btvdl$kv3@bolivia.earthlink.net>...
>Looking for a 2-meter mobile for first radio. Something easy to use. Don't
>have much money to spend. Any body have a suggestion on what radio to look
>for? Thanks in advance.
>
>Roger
>wildwolf@earthlink.net
>
>

1172. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steph <test@test.com>
Message-ID: <6bvbbtrnn1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 153763
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tom Repstad wrote in message
>
>I say it's time to retaliate in the "humor war" let's send over re-runs of
>Gilligans Island and Gomer Pyle USMC to Europe!!!!
>

But wouldn't the programs have to be "humorous"?

1173. Re: 10.000.000 MHz or 10.000.001 MHz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e3328a.204967040@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153764

On 6 Feb 1998 19:49:21 GMT, "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com> wrote:

>> They're on 10.0 MHz because they *say* they are on 10.0 MHz. Since
>> they *are* the legal standard, whatever they say is by definition true.
>
>Sorry, but this just isn't so. The definitions of time, frequency and
>length are now based on atomic measurements that anyone can make and apply,
>and get exactly the same answer. The days when the standard meter was a bar
>of platinum in a French vault are long gone.
>
>Mike, N4PDY

NIST *is* the legal standard in the US. What they say *is* by definition
true. You can build your own atomic standard, of course, but what phase
will you set it too? IE what time is it? You still have to reference to NIST.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1174. Re: ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e331ab.204744325@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 21:01:55 -0600, Paul Janzen <matrix@vzinet.com> wrote:
>I want to get the MK-II for my dads birthday. But he will want to use it
>mobile but he can only use 20 inch or less antenna. Which I understand
>is a problem with 1mhz - 50mhz. I was hopping the at180 antenna tuner
>will allow use of a small antenna but have not been able to find out.
>
>His car already has an antenna for the 144mhz part of the MK-II
>
>Paul

Paul, an antenna that short on the HF bands will have virtually no
efficiency, IE it won't radiate a signal worth spit. About the shortest
thing that works well enough to bother would be at least 60 inches
tall, and something in the 8 foot to 13 foot range will work *much*
better. HF mobile (other than 10m) requires large antennas. It's
the nature of the beast.

Gary
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1175. Motorola Mocom 35 parts needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kllkradio@zapcom.net
Message-ID: <34e3332f.428949959@news.zapcom.net>
Source record: 153766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,

I need some parts for a Motorola Mocom 35 that are no longer
available.

Here's the list:

Mounting bracket and associated hardware. TLN-4693A

Hang up box TLN-4416

Power cable TLN-6445A

Microphone cord 01-80724B92

If you have any of these items, please email me. I have a working
radio that I would like to put into service, but without these parts I
can't use it.

Thanks,

Brian Henry, WB6QED
KLLK Radio
12 West Valley Street
Willits, California 95490
(707) 459-1250
kllkradio@zapcom.net

1176. Re: Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e33393.205232466@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153767

On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 13:07:15 -0800, Cathryn Mataga <cathryn@junglevision.com>
wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>> I hate to see a Novice jump right into QRP. It takes a bit of skill and
>> experience to operate QRP successfully. You're likely to find it very
>> frustrating without that experience.
>
>I agree. The key to ham radio is LOUDNESS. CW or SSB you want to be
>as LOUD as possible.
>
>For radios, they key is three words -- Icom, Yaesu, Kenwood. I'd look
>for something like a used IC730. That's what I had first. Put up
>wire antennas if you have the space -- or a vertical WITH the radials
>and you'll be fine. When you upgrade to General, I'd pick up a big
>amplifier -- if you want to use SSB.

I think you are going overboard the other way. Certainly there are
times when high power is warranted, but in most cases 100 watts
is plenty. As one gains operating experience, it is possible to be
effective with much less power than that. 5 watts will work the
world, but you have to be a pretty clever operator to do it. And
the best way to become clever is to start out with a bit more
than 5 watts of power.

Gary
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1177. Icom IC-W32A Crossband Repeat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ormos@mcs.com
Message-ID: <6bvdasdtu1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 153768

In article <6boc7t$dcu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net> (posted to rec.radio.amateur.equipment on Mon, 9 Feb 1998 20:58:26 -0500), "Richard O. Kinkead" <richard-kinkead@worldnet.att.net> writes:

= However, the W32a does not do one-way x-band rpt like the FT51R.

I haven't tried crossband repeat yet, so I don't know if this works, but...

Couldn't you achieve one-way crossband repeat by enabling the "Tone Squelch" feature on the receiver for the band on which you want to transmit (i.e., the receiver *opposite* the band in which you don't want to transmit), and selecting for that receiver a CTCSS frequency that nobody uses?

Suppose you want to receive signals on 70cm, and retransmit them on 2m, but not vice versa. Couldn't you enable "Tone Squelch" on the 2m receiver and set the receiver CTCSS decoder to some oddball frequency? Then, presumably, the 2m receiver would never open up.

The IC-W32A provides independent transmit and receive CTCSS frequency selections for each band, so the 2m transmitter could still encode a desired CTCSS tone which differs from the oddball selection used to effectively disable the 2m receiver.

--neil ormos wd8bdp ormos@mcs.com

1178. Re: Butternut HF6VX vs. Cushcraft R700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Warren <John.Warren@colorado.edu>
Message-ID: <6bvd87$t52@lace.colorado.edu>
Source record: 153769

Hey Andrew

I have the Butternut in my yard as my first and standby ant. about to
finally get "more serious antenna's up myself.....

It has been up for 8 years and as far as vertical's go is a great one and
lots of fun.
I only run 100 watts. I live near a river bottom so ground water is 18"
under ground this probably helps considering my radials have been mowed and
stepped on by horses the whole time.
I have used old hy-gain 14avq's and 18avq's many years too as secondary ant.

I'm like you..... SPEND THE BUCK'S ELSEWHERE THE BUTTERNUT IS FINE...!!!

John KD0OM

Andrew McFarland wrote in message <34DA5578.F62@symantec.com>...
>Fishing for recommendations. Assuming I don't really care about WARC
>bands, is there a good reason to pay the extra $140 for the Cushcraft?
>I'm aware there's an optional counterpoise kit for the Butternut, but it
>isn't clear if the Cushcraft includes one, won't benefit from one, or
>whatever. Note: I 'm less interested in a discussion of real radials vs.
>counterpoise than I am in getting the best bang for my buck. Any
>first-hand experiences?
>
>-Thanks
>Andrew - N7VTB

1179. Re: TS-570D TGC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34E33925.6AEC@onramp.net>
Source record: 153770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Charles Davis wrote:
>
> Can anyone tell me what the TGC settings in the ADJUST mode are for?
> Menu, 23 thru 36.
> --
> -=>Chas<=-
> <>

Power out..
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1180. For Trade: GRE SuperConverter for HTX-202 / other HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: law@nh.ultranet.net
Message-ID: <6bvfdr$8o1$1@decius.ultra.net>
Source record: 153771
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Will trade a GRE SuperConverter 9001 (like new, w/box,cable,battery)
for a HTX-202 or possibly another HT in good shape that has
accessories included.

Selling because have since aquired radio w/800 MHZ receive.

If interested, please e-mail

Larry
N1ZGI
law@nh.ultranet.com

1181. FS: Oak Hills OHR400/DD-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212190400.OAA14468@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153772

I have for sale an Oak Hills OHR400 four band QRP rig (CW only) covering 80, 40, 30, & 20 meters. Puts out 5 watts+/- (adjustable) and features audio filter, RF gain, built in CW keyer w/ speed control, "tune" control. Rig is in excellent cosmetic and operatiog condition and comes with assembly manual. Also selling unbuilt DD-1 digital display kit. Price for pair is $350.00 shipped CONUS. May separate if rig sells as a stand-alone deal. If interested, pls. drop me a note at: <rut@mcrut.mv.com > or call (603) 673-7204.

Thanks & 73--Phil (K1HS)

1182. Upcoming Gordon West (WB6NOA) Radio School Classes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.980212123257.5177C-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 153773

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Upcoming Gordon West Radio School Classes
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Gordon West, renowned author, teacher, speaker, and amateur radio
operator, will be hosting a Radio School licensing and upgrading class in
Orange County, California (for other dates and locations, see the end of
each class description).

Two classes will be held at Fry's Electronics, 3370 East La Palma,
Anaheim, CA 92805, one for the No-Code Technician License, and one
specifically for General Morse Code (13wpm):

Weekend Technician No-Code Class
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Date: Friday 6th, Saturday 7th & Sunday 8th March

Everything you need to get your Technician No-Code FCC amateur radio
license will be covered in this exciting two-and-a-half *full* days of
class! Class starts on the evening of Friday 6th March, and continues on
both Saturday and Sunday.

The exam questions are taken from the FCC Novice Element 2, and Technician
Element 3A question pools, all of which are covered in the exclusive
Gordon West Technician No-Code Plus text book. All questions are multiple
choice, exactly from the book. Use the pre-study materials to help make
passing the exam on Sunday afternoon even easier! Your license could be
granted in just 72 hours.

Students receive the home study package, containing the Gordon West
Technician No-Code Plus text book, theory cassettes and computer program.
Included in the class fee are beverages, lunch (Saturday and Sunday), live
equipment demonstrations and free workshops after class on Saturday.

Other Technician No-Code classes:
Sunnyvale, CA: May 29, 30 & 31
Huntington Beach, CA: June 19 & 20 (Two days for kids)
San Fernando Valley, CA: June 26, 27 & 28
Alameda Mariners Class: July 24, 25 & 26

For more information, or to register for the class, please call Suzy West
at (714) 549-5000.

Weekend General Morse Code Class
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Date: Saturday 7th & Sunday 8th March
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Are you a terminal Tech? Have you tried to pass the General class code test before, on your own? Have you "hit the wall" at 10 wpm, and need help over the plateau? The General class code weekend course is your answer to the Technician class blues. You will pass the General Class Code and Theory tests, in class, Sunday afternoon, while your spouse and friends pass the No-Code Technician exam in the next room!

Build your code speed, now, to 7-8 wpm with Gordon West's code tapes. This is the speed ticket for entry. We'll do the rest in class together, starting the morning of Saturday March 7th, 1998.

The exciting and entertaining course lasts two *full* days, and includes beverages and lunches, a Saturday night "Operating Session" with Gordon West and the No-Code Technician students, the Gordon West General Class Theory text book, and the 7-15 wpm code cassettes. If you have never copied code before, be sure to ask for the 0-5 wpm tapes too. Several General Class theory review sessions will be held throughout the weekend.

The only prerequisite for this class, is that you be able to copy 8 wpm by the start of class on Saturday.

Other General Code weekend classes:
Fry's Sunnyvale store: May 30 & 31
Fry's Woodland Hills store: June 27 & 28
Fry's Oregon store: August 1 & 2
Fry's Dallas, Texas store: Nov 7 & 8

For more information, or to register for the class, please call Suzy West at (714) 549-5000.

We hope you can make it to class.

1183. Wanted: SWAN 500 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: vroberts_@rpa_.net
Message-ID: <34e35855.52048856@super2.rpa.net>
Source record: 153774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

x:no-archive: yes

Posting for a friend who needs a power supply for a SWAN 500 HF rig, either an OEM unit or suitable replacement. Also, though he can't figure out Usenet, he seems to think he could actually build one if somebody could supply plans :)

Please respond to Bob directly if you can help:

WB2SLYNY@aol.com

1184. Re: Kenwood TM-V7 PC Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Scott <pwscott@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E35D3B.82814370@erols.com>
Source record: 153775

Dan Hopper wrote:

> On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 18:21:55 -0500,
> Rik Rasmussen <rik@vnet.net> wrote:
> >In article <6bo5pk$oo9$1@gestalt.direcpc.com>, "Tim J. Neff"
> ><magician@logancounty.com> wrote:
> >
> >>It is my unsersatnding there is PC software for Programming the
> >>Kenwood TM-V7 dual bander. If you could help me with this please do.
> >
> >You may already be aware of this:
> >
> >EZ clone was a commercial software to do this.
> >Kenwood bought rights to easy clone software.
> >Ez Clone no longer sells the software.
> >Kenwood has not started selling it yet even though they mentioned it in
> >some ads for the radio.
> >Complaints should go to Kenwood.
>
> Furthermore, a special hardware device (which contains a radio
> transceiver) is required. I believe it was part of the EZClone package.
> I wish I knew more about it (I'd build one if I did), but I only
> recently acquired a V7A.
>
> I was somewhat surprised to learn that the V7A has nothing approaching a
> serial port for control/programming purposes. Icom radios with
> C-IV interfaces have a tremendous advantage in this respect, IMO.
>
> Dan
> KU4NF

Actually, the little DIN connector on the TM-V7A _is_ a serial port...or
at least with the EZ Clone software one can up/download the memories
directly with the cable that (used to be) was supplied with the EZ Clone
software. Their sw was not perfect, in fact, I had a lot of problems with
it- although it worked a few times in fact. When they stopped selling it
they stopped supporting it. I am anxious to see Kenwood come out with a
viable version since they advertised the radio as being up/downloadable. As
far as I can tell, the software license still applies and 'emailing' a copy
of it would violate that I would think.

Phil, N3KDJ

1185. 2 meters transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: G&#65533;sta Bengtsson <gosben@algonet.se>
Message-ID: <34E36BFC.A9892250@algonet.se>
Source record: 153776

Anybody who can suggest a transverter for 2 meter (28-144) with low
level mixer.
73 de SM6CYZ

1186. Re: scrambler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6bvq93$8pd$2@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 153777

alon <alon@135.kef.co.il> wrote:

>hello
>i am looking 4 i.c (cheep) that is a scrambler
>so i can add it with circuit i could build to my transiver
>that no one could here me (except the other side) on the air
>-where can i find it ??
>thanks
> alon.b (alon@135.kef.co.il)

I judge from your URL that you are not in the U.S. where it is illegal
to use scrambling and encryption on the amateur bands.

Simple scramblers can be made or purchased as a module that can be
interfaced to a non-SSB radio, such as FM. Try searching the web.

MX-COM is the company that makes many of the simple scrambling chips
and modules and Transcrypt International also manufactures scrambling
modules. Both of these are U.S. companies.

Steve
WB7PSD

1187. WANT HEATHKIT INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: xczarek@apci.net
Message-ID: <34e46dd1.913567@news.apci.net>
Source record: 153778

Looking for schematic, block diagram or manual for Heathkit
Counter Model IM-4100
TIA
W9SAY

1188. fs: computer, radio,packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: byrer1 <byrer1@iswt.com>
Message-ID: <34e37d4c.0@ns2.iswt.com>
Source record: 153779

I have a complete portable packet radio set up for sale.
Tandy 1110HD laptop, PacCom handipacket, synthisized (commercial) vhf radio set to packet freq.
I want to be honest with you right from the start: The hard drive on the computer seems to have failed, still boots and runs from floppy, everything else is fine.
$150.00
just e-mail me if you need any more info.
Thanks, Roy

1189. al82 amp sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <34E37B7A.E8453A2C@freeway.net>
Source record: 153780

the al82 amp i had listed is sold thanks for all your replies
ken we8w

1190. Motorola Repeater Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickd73@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212230100.SAA03852@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153781

Anyone know something about a Moto repeater with part number-
C64RCB-6105AT
-beyond the fact that it is UHF. Easy/hard to move to ham band?

Thanks- Rick, KY0Q rickd73@aol.com

1191. Upgrade Ameritron AL-1200 to AL-1500???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: nitz@selectsa.com
Message-ID: <6bvvn5$1i4@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 153782

A recent 'for sale' post on this group regarding some 'pulled' 8877 tubes got me thinking about this question:

Since the Ameritron AL-1200 and Ameritron AL-1500 are practically identical, is it possible to switch the 3CX1200A7 tube with the 3CX1500/8877, turn the fan speed up to high, and esentially operate it as an AL-1500?

Are there any other internal differences between the AL-1200 and AL-1500?

Thanks for your help.

73,

Jim Nitzberg WX3B
nitz@selectsa.com

1192. F.S. Heathkit Station Console $65.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212001000.TAA21009@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153798

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Have Heathkit Sta. Console
Model SB-634 excell cond.
$65.+Shp. w/manual
Ken WN9N kcoin@aol.com
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1193. Kenwood TH-G71A Comments Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dxr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212005400.TAA28694@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153799

Anyone who's used one have anything good or bad to say about them? I'm thinking of buying one. Thanks.
Mark

1194. FS Heathkit mobile power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E2F185.3AEE@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale 3 Heathkit mobile power supplies...made to run the lunch-box series, the SB series, and Comanche and Cheyenne (also the HX-1 and the HR-1) in the car...can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1195. FS Heathkit SWR Bridge AM-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E2F04D.3E3A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit Reflected Power and SWR Bridge made in the late 50s
pretty good cond...can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1196. FS Heathkit Watt meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E2F298.77A0@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit HW-102 Watt meter ....good shape can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1197. Parting out Heathkit HW-12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E2EEBF.5661@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I am parting out 2 Heathkit HW-12 80 meter ssb monobanders I need to get rig of these for the space docky@earthlink.net Heathkit Collector http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1198. Parting out Mohawk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E2EF90.57C6@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I still have a few parts left from parting out the Mohawk
docky@earthlink.net Heathkit Collector http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1199. FS Q-Multiplyer Heathkit QF-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E2F0C1.5827@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit Q-multiplyer made in the late 50s good cond can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1200. Re: help - recurring noise every 82 khz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4lnm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212010900.UAA19439@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153806

>I'm getting a 'buzzing' noise/signal about every 81-83 kilohertz -
>strong - several S-units over the general noise. Every band - Two
>different radios, both run from a battery. Local computers/tv's off.
> Does this ring any bells for anyone?
>
>Andy N7VTB

Even though one of my TV's is "off", the switching power supply stays connected to the line and operating all the time. Wreaks havoc on HF. The TV is made by Funai.

You said you TV's were off but not disconnected from the line. Try either completely unplugging anything that might have a switcher in it, or try turning off your house breakers one by one to isolate the noise (if it is indeed in your house).

John...

1201. Re: TM-701A Battery Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5kzw@ibm.net
Message-ID: <34e2561f.21152359@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 153807

On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 06:28:56 GMT, mrusso@hoflink.com (Mark Russo)
wrote:

>On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 08:49:38 -0600, Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
>wrote:
>
>>
>>It is a standard CR-2032 Lithium Battery (3.2v) but has solder tabs spot
>>welded on it. Kenwood Part Number W09-0326-05.
>>
>>It is behind the front panel. You have to remove the top and bottom,
>>knobs, and nuts on the mike jack and encoder. The display will come off
>>and then 3 screws removes the control unit and there it is.
>>--
>>Clif @ AVVid
>
>
>Yea, and the Kenwood parts places around will suck about $15.00
>dollars (from your wallet) for a $3 dollar battery. Been there done
>that with my TM-721.
>Good Luck
>73, Mark

Thnaks to both of you. Clif, that is just the information I needed,
Mark, I figured Kenwood was using a stock battery. Now if I can just
figure out why the Digi-Key catalog pages won't play under Adobe
Acrobat, I can check out the lead configuration for their lithium
cells.

73, ES TNX. DE N5KZW

1202. WTB FS-10 Mic for FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <jFsE.2365$nY6.5704007@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 153808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I bought a Yaesu FT-8500 with the MH-39 mike and now want to buy the FS-10 (Mr. potato head) mic for it. If you have one laying around let me know.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

1203. FT-8500: FS-10 Mic wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <zFsE.2366$nY6.5704048@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 153809

I bought a Yaesu FT-8500 with the MH-39 mike and now want to buy the FS-10 (Mr. potato head) mic for it. If you have one laying around let me know.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

1204. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard Heckman"
Message-ID: <6btm65$3th@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153810
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Most of us don't believe in making cruel statements just to be funny.
Perhaps it's a characteristic of your nationality.

1205. FS/FT TELREX TB6EM TRIBAND BEAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: proton@postoffice.ptd.net
Message-ID: <9btE.194$wj.672788@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 153811

I have a Telrex TB6EM that I aquired as part of a package deal and it
is far to big for my operation if anyone is intrested in it you can get
me at proton@postoffice.ptd.net

P.S. I live in NE Pa. so shipping may be a problem but the price is good

73 N3OAP Alex Kishbaugh

1206. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7uqa@gte.net
Message-ID: <6btper$5nh$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153812
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Why even bother posting such stuff like this in this newsgroup? Do you really think anyone here could afford such gear? Maybe you should contact some small countries.....

Later

In article <6bsn0l$no1@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>, s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it says...
>
>I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
>
> Ampli Collins 208U10, autotuning 2-30 Mhz, 10 Kw continues, with exciter
>Redifon/Harris.
>
> Ampli Siemens, autotuning 1.5-30 -Mhz, 10 Kw continues, Siemens.
>
> Ampli Collins 205J3 new, modified by the Collins 45 Kw pep, autotuning
>2-30
>Mhz.
>
>1 Ampli Harris 84V, 13 Kw cw.
>
>4 Antennas Log periodic 2-30 Mhz 10-50 kw.
>
>I have cable, connectrors, end more.
>
>They take an interest you write me.
>
>
>
>
>

1207. AT-150 with ic-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: No_Spam_kiprc@swbell.net
Message-ID: <34e269fe.6677566@news>
Source record: 153813

Will this combo work?
I have an icom at-150 i use with my 735.
Will it work with a ic 706
email me please
km5mz@qsl.net

no spam please!

1208. FS: DX70T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6ir@xxxqsl.net
Message-ID: <34e26f85.9000191@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 153814

I have a DX70T in excellent condition with separating cable and remote
head mounting bracket for sale.
Asking price is $650 or offer.

Contact Hank at W6IR@QSL.NET

1209. RE: Polycom 6 mtr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Soto <bobs@i-2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3769$2f4cd4a0$d3e0e7ce@bobs.i-2000.com>
Source record: 153815

I just picked up and old Polycom 6 mtr.AM rig can anyone tell me the
spec'spower output,rec sen.,etc.Does anyone still use 50.4for am calling
what type of ant.is recommendedhoz. or vert. . Or maybe some one has an old
manual or maybe
photosat a copy I'll would pay for expenses.
thanks in advance.
bob
email bobs@i-2000.com

1210. Re: Info on ADMS-1D and VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6btsqe$ffa@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 153816

baxter@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu wrote:

>However, reading the newsgroup, it seems there have been problems with
>radio settings getting scrambled, etc..

>I would be interested in knowing from the readers of this group what
>experiences they've had, positive or negative, with the ADMS-1D and VX-1R
>combination.

In my opnion, the software is well worth the money for the reasons you have anticipated. It makes the programming a breeze, and adds the benefit of allowing you to maintain different data files for travel. I have seen reports of people losing their squelch setting on the VX-1R, but I believe that is due to a bug in the firmware, not the ADMS software. I could be wrong. In any case, the squelch settings can be restored. This can be done by downloading a file from the RT Systems web site at www.rtsars.com, or manually if you record the settings from your radio.

Personally, I have never had a problem with the software. As for updates, RT Systems puts patch files to the latest version on their web site. I think you would be satisfied.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

1211. Ft-8000 TX Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpf@southeast.net
Message-ID: <6btu2f$dol@news.southeast.net>
Source record: 153817

Hello,

After performing the out-of-band TX mod on the Yaesu FT-8000, what
additional frequencies are opened up for transmitting?

Thanks for any info.

Jim..

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

1212. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: x3b@netdot.com
Message-ID: <34e285b4.19039916@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 153818
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I smel a T R O L L !

"Sandro" <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> wrote:

>I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.

1213. Opinions--Best Legal Limit Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Branch <k4nr@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bd376e$2b4f7600$35f310d1@ms166705>
Source record: 153819

Greetings,

I'm rounding up information to purchase a legal limit antenna tuner. 160-10 meters. Will be running about 1KW primarily CW. Don't want to have problems on 160 meters. The Tentec 229 and 238 have been suggested. I'd be interested in other opinions and experiences with legal limit tuners.

TU es 73 de Tom, K4NR

1214. Kenwood TH79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3771$1706ddc0$440148ca@nelson>
Source record: 153820

Hello,

I am wondering what, if any, mods are available for the Kenwood TH79A. If anyone
has info, please email to neltang@hotmail.com

Thanks,

1215. Re: Help on Kenwood TR-7850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212050600.AAA29864@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153821

The manual shows you where to connect an outboard tone generator. None was built in.

Kï¿½MB

1216. Need Alda 105 Transciever Manual Copy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: K6ITS
Message-ID: <34e28593.12926497@news.badger1.net>
Source record: 153822

Bob, K6ITS needs a manual / schematic for an Alda 105 HF Transciever from the early 80s.

If you have one available or copies there of, please contact him via email at: BobDavis@tstonramp.com

1217. Courter Products anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: trinit69@idt.net.nospam
Message-ID: <trinit69-1102982123440001@ip42.lafayette2.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 153823

I ran across a Veedor Root dial counter for a R-390A made for
Courter Products.

Does anyone know the story behind this company? What did they make?

Thanks
Tom

--
Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

1218. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E28941.7B3B1EE5@together.net>
Source record: 153824
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey Curtis... everybody was laughing because of all the "SEX" in the Benny Hill Show... people always laugh at sex... (well... at least the way they do it over there)... hihi ;)

--Tom
KB1CGA

Curtis M LaFon wrote:

> Walt Davidson wrote:
>
> > On Tue, 10 Feb 1998 09:48:05 -0700, "John Warren"
> > <John.Warren@colorado.edu> wrote:
> >
> > >The written word is very different from verbal communication and what is
> > >said with a lift or a smile may seem hurtful on the page.
> >
> > .... but only to Americans, who do not share our European sense of
> > humor (humour).
> >
>
> You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny HillI try to figure out why
> everyone is laughing.
>
> Curtis..N5HDQ..http//wf.quik.com/n5hdq
>
> > ;-)
> >
> > 73 de G3NYY
> >
> > --
> > Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> > "Linux is to Windows
> > ... as Betamax is to VHS"

1219. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E288DA.58579017@together.net>
Source record: 153825
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

hmmm... humor... well I dunno... Benny Hill I could take... but Mr. Bean.. well... I think it's a conspiracy.. at first just a glimpse here and there (mostly on PBS).. but now a major motion picture.. released into the USA! An obvious evil attemp to warp the minds of our children...

I say it's time to retaliate in the "humor war" let's send over re-runs of Gilligans Island and Gomer Pyle USMC to Europe!!!!

--Tom
KB1CGA

Walt Davidson wrote:

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> <John.Warren@colorado.edu> wrote:
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> .... but only to Americans, who do not share our European sense of
> humor (humour).
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> ;-)
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

1220. Re: Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242 and etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: the White Dahlia <theWhiteDahlia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bd377c$eef751a0$e27f2e9c@Phoenixnet.phoenixnet.net>
Source record: 153826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Doesn't your scanner have a "lock out" feature??

> >> Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242
> >> and Pro-26. Pro-2045 receives a little bit, but not much.
> >>
> >> Should I complain about this to my neighbour ? Should she stop
> >> using it ?
> >>
> >> It's getting crazy when I scan for the repeater and suddenly I stop
> >> for cordless which I am not interested in listening to.

1221. WTB: HF2V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Apostolik <jack26@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6btrah$rbh@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153827

anyone got a reasonably priced HF2V by butternut 40/80 meter vert?

E-mail if you do!

1222. Re: Kenwood TN-V7 PC Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhopper-N0SPAM@ix.N0SPAM.netcom.com
Message-ID: <slrn6e4rcj.n6.dhopper-N0SPAM@dhopper.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 153828

On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 18:21:55 -0500,
Rik Rasmussen <rik@vnet.net> wrote:
>In article <6bo5pk$oo9$1@gestalt.direcpc.com>, "Tim J. Neff"
><magician@logancounty.com> wrote:
>
>>It is my unsersatnding there is PC software for Programming the
>>Kenwood TM-V7 dual bander. If you could help me with this please do.
>
>You may already be aware of this:
>
>EZ clone was a commercial software to do this.
>Kenwood bought rights to easy clone software.
>Ez Clone no longer sells the software.
>Kenwood has not started selling it yet even though they mentioned it in
>some ads for the radio.
>Complaints should go to Kenwood.

Furthermore, a special hardware device (which contains a radio
transceiver) is required. I believe it was part of the EZClone package.
I wish I knew more about it (I'd build one if I did), but I only
recently acquired a V7A.

I was somewhat surprised to learn that the V7A has nothing approaching a
serial port for control/programming purposes. Icom radios with
C-IV interfaces have a tremendous advantage in this respect, IMO.

Dan
KU4NF

1223. Re: Kenwood TH-G71A Comments Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1Eo93C7.Ks@netcom.com>
Source record: 153829

In article <19980212005400.TAA28694@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
K5DXR <k5dxr@aol.com> wrote:
>Anyone who's used one have anything good or bad to say about them? I'm thinking
>of buying one. Thanks.
>Mark

Looks slick in magazine adds, but in person has dimensions of a potato
and long floppy antenna. See one in person before purchasing.

1224. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: billn@peak.org
Message-ID: <6bubcg$s86$13@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 153830
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Craig Petersen (n7uqa@gte.net) wrote:
: Why even bother posting such stuff like this in this newsgroup? Do you really think
: anyone here could afford such gear? Maybe you should contact some small
: countries.....

I expect quite a few of us could afford the gear, if we wanted it. I know that
I could.

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

1225. alinco dj191 mods needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf6lse@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980212085401.DAA02359@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153831

i need to find any mods for alinco dj-191hp ..... looking for xtended tx and rx
but any help will do

thanx.....

Lonny

Goldcup@home.com

1226. FS DENTRON MT-3000A ANT. TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Rosenthall <rosenthallr@claven.fanshawec.on.ca>
Message-ID: <34E2B17D.377B@claven.fanshawec.on.ca>
Source record: 153832

This heavy duty 3KW tuner is in excellent condition. Asking $175 U.S.

Tnx. Richard VE3MG

1227. Re: HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert L. Spooner" <RLS19@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <34E470B1.A0A8ACDD@psu.edu>
Source record: 153537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

The big problem with the HRO 500 was poor dynamic range. At that point in history, it was not generally understood how to make a solid state receiver with good dynamic range. That's why Drake took so long before comming out with a fully solid state design.

73,
Bob AD3K

W. Charles Alexander wrote:

> Anyone have opinions on the HRO 500?
> tkx
> --
> 73 de charlie
> W. Charles Alexander
> KC8IKG

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Robert L. Spooner
Registered Professional Engineer
Research Assistant
Intelligent Control Systems Group

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State College, PA 16804-0030 RLS19@psu.edu

1228. Re: Which filter for TS-450 for FSK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Passaneau <jxp16@email.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <34E4672E.52B18ACA@email.psu.edu>
Source record: 153538

adercole wrote:
>
> George,
> I just purchased a ts-440 and was wondering what is fsk used for these days?
> tony
>
> George Daniel wrote:
>
> > Hello Everyone,
> > I am running FSK w/ TS-450 and want to get a good filter. Which filter do
> > you recommend and which position, 8.83 or 455?
> >
> > --
> > Regards and God bless,
> > George, AB4KN

Well for fsk a 500Hz filter is the best. In the case of the TS450, I don't know of any third party filters that will fit in the radio with out modifying the radio, so the Kenwood filters are for me the best solution. In general its best to get selectivity as close to the front end of the radio so that would argue for putting the filter in the 8.83Mhz IF. But the shape factor of the Kenwood 500Hz filter for the 8.83Mhz IF is not as good as the one for the 455Khz. So I chose the 455Khz IF filter. If I was a very serious digital mode user I would put 500hz filter or even narrower filters at both IF's.

As to the question of what FSK is used for, it's used for all the digital modes except CW (Amtor, Pactor, Packet RTTY etc.)

73 John Passaneau WB8EIY

1229. Re: Which filter for TS-450 for FSK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Welton <John_Welton@unc.NoSpam.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd38ad$e9920340$d5e70298@JWELTON.UNCH.UNC.EDU>
Source record: 153587

George, I have the 270 Hz filter which is "very" tight but works wonders with high QRM contacts for RTTY, It will also work with Pactor/AMTOR modes if you put the IF shift about the 3 o'clock position - you'll have to experiment a little to get this to work but that's about as tight as you can get the Kenwood without going to a DSP (digital signal processor like the JPS unit)

Good luck, John, N4SJW

George Daniel <danielg@avana.net> wrote in article <34e26b92.0@news.avana.net>...
> Hello Everyone,
> I am running FSK w/ TS-450 and want to get a good filter. Which filter do
> you recommend and which position, 8.83 or 455?
>
> --
> Regards and God bless,
> George, AB4KN
>
>
>

1230. Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: seleong@world.northgrum.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f4e075ab69721f1989683@news.northgrum.com>
Source record: 153588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello!

I have an 8-channel Motorola Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Band radio. I have 4 channels programmed to Red Cross frequencies, and used the RSS to successfully program the other 4 channels to local 6 meter frequencies. Is this radio capable of tuning both sets of frequencies without re-tuning the radio? At present, it transmits AOK on the Red Cross frequencies, but does not on the 6 meter channels. I did notice during programming, that the RSS displayed a caution/error message on the need to possibly re-tune. Any suggestions or assistance would be greatly appreciated on this. Thank you in advance!!!

Steve KC6IJM

1231. Unassembled Heathkit on eBay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2ok@ntr.net
Message-ID: <EoByMs.3rB@oswego.Oswego.EDU>
Source record: 153589

Heathkit IP-2760 Unassembled NEW in the box. Heath called it a "Battery Eliminator". According to the Specifications the output voltage is variable from 7.5 to 15 VDC, Output current is 20 amps intermittent and 12 amps continuous, Output Ripple is less than 1% at full load, Output Regulation is Less than 2% variation from no load to full load. It measures 5-1/4" high x 11" wide x 11" deep and weight is 22.5 pounds. It is still packed in its original box and is complete with Manual. Looks like a really neat kit!

Check it out at:

>http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5770941

1232. Re: Amplifier Interface: Icom 706 Mark II to Heathkit SB-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6c28rg$pmf@sjx-ixn11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153590

Found the URL and I spelled Harbach wrong.

http://www.harbach.com

The little board is $14.00 ppd a heck of a deal I'd say.

Jerry

In <6c0l00$p9j@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com> kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald
Schmitt) writes:
>
>
>MFJ makes a device just for this purpose and Richard Harbaugh in Palm
>Bay Florida makes an internal board that does the same thing. His
board
>is about $17 ppd. I don't have the URL handy but you should find it by
>searching.
>
> 73 Jerry
>
>In <6bv5i1$e4n@clarknet.clark.net> nitz@selectsa.com (James A.
>Nitzberg) writes:
>>
>>
>>To Icom 706 Owners who run linear amplifiers:
>>
>>
>>My friend Bob Clermont, VE3AKV would like to know if there's an
>'external
>>relay' device of some kind that would allow an Icom 706 Mark II to
key
>a
>>heathkit SB-200 linear amplifier.
>>
>>Or for those of you who have built this interface, what does it
>entail?
>>
>>Please respond on this newsgroupand/or follow-up to his email address
>at:
>>
>>bob@compcon.com
>>
>>Thank you for your help.
>>
>>73,

>>
>>Jim Nitzberg WX3B [nitz@selectsa.com]
>>Bob Clermont VE3AKV [bob@compcon.com]
>>
>

1233. Re: How important is dual receive on a dual-band radio? - followup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Ll0nJDAAaK50EwC$@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153591

In article <6c0dqi$449@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>, Dave Martindale
<davem@cs.ubc.ca> writes of the Icom IC-2350H:
>All in all, it seems like a good solid dual-band radio.

Agreed.
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

1234. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ckern@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6c29lk$9mo$1@nnrp.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 153592
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

[Followup-To: rec.boats.cruising.
I don't think the radio folks care about this.]

Andre Tornow (tornow@zedat.fu-berlin.de) wrote:
: ckern@cs.ubc.ca (Christoph Kern) wrote:
> >
> ,
> >
> >Yup, the computer got that wrong, and I'm pretty sure he did in fact mean
> >`backstay'. The backstay is called `Achterstag' in german, and `acht' is
> >german for the number `eight', which is how I suppose the rather
> >linguistically challenged virtual babelfish that did the translation came
> >up with `eightstay'...
> >
> >[Auf deutsch und in k"urze: Das Achterstag hei"st `backstay' auf englisch]
> >
>
> If the german word Achterstag is the backstay in english, how do you
> call the german Backstag ?
>
Hmm. From an illustration in a german-language book, I derive that the
`Achterstag' is a single stay that runs down from the top of the mast to
the stern along the centerline of the boat. `Backstagen', of which there
are two, run down sideways, aft of the shrouds, but still forward enough to
be in the way of the boom. Therefore they are kept slack on the leeward
side and need to be adjusted each time you change tack. I guess they're
not very common any more (probably because modern rigs leave room for a
fixed backstay).

As I said, this is just what I'm gleaning from a little figure and may
not be accurate in general. Also, I don't recall the english term for
`Backstag' (`running backstay', perhaps?)

Christoph
--
Christoph Kern <ckern at cs dot ubc dot ca>
Dept. of Computer Science
University of British Columbia, Vancouver

1235. Re: HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34E4AF62.2863@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 153593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

W. Charles Alexander wrote:
>
> Anyone have opinions on the HRO 500?
> tkx
> --
> 73 de charlie
> W. Charles Alexander
> KC8IKG
Hi Charlie OM,

I consider my HRO-500 to be a jewel. It is an
excellent example of the transitional era between
tube and transistorized receiver designs. It was
intended as a surveillance receiver almost certainly,
and, together with its complex construction with lots
of metal castings, was very expensive. I use it
as a general-coverage receiver, as well as on the
air (mostly on CW).

73, Don, W6JL

1236. FS: ---19" rack mount cabinets cheap---

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Chou <sirmike@ns.net>
Message-ID: <34E4AD4C.FEA56727@ns.net>
Source record: 153594

Located in California. I have 2 6' tall cabinets and 4 4.5' tall ones. These are the standard electrical cabinets and have side panels, back doors and roller wheels. Came from Medical equipment which was stripped for parts. Asking $250each Or Best OFFER.

Call or mail for more info

916-927-8800

1237. Re: IC-706 vs. TS-50S?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Reed <jreed@starlink.com>
Message-ID: <01bd38be$adf506a0$8d7f5b89@PCPV04567.APSC.COM>
Source record: 153595

I have owned both the 706, the 706 mkII and the TS50. The 706 is head and shoulders a better radio. The 706 has many features that the TS50 doesn't have, the 706 sounds better on both transmit and recieve, the remotable head is really great for todays cars and the operation is more intutive. If you can afford the 706 mkII it sounds better yet than the 706, puts out more power on 2 meters does split bands for satellite and is well woth the extra money.
73 Jerry W5RCQ

Paul Unterweiser <Xmind_games@earthlink.net> wrote in article <34DF9607.6AFD@earthlink.net>...
> Anyone have experience with both the Icom IC-706 and the Kenwood
> TS-50S? Besides the Icom's VHF capabilities above 30Mhz, how do
> they compare?
>
> Paul
>
>
> --
>
> To reply, remove "x" from address.
> Visit our webpage at:
> http://home.earthlink.net/~mind_games/
>

1238. Xtended vhf tx ic706 need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ronny T Ruud <ronny.ruud@hm.telia.no>
Message-ID: <34e4aeee.0@d2o201.telia.com>
Source record: 153596

Hello is there anyone who knows a simple mod to get wide range
vhf tx on IC706,

Best regards Ronny

1239. TS830S filters for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcotter@pop.uky.edu
Message-ID: <6c2bbf$r2n$2@service3.uky.edu>
Source record: 153597

I have two matched sets of CW filters that fit the Kenwood TS-830S (and 520, 530, 820, etc) available for sale. Both sets are electrically OK and cosmeticaly mint.

The first set is the International Radio #98 400Hz crystal filter for the 8.83 Mhz IF front end and the #99 400Hz mechanical filter for the 455kHz IF. These were purchased in May, 97 and I'll Take $175 for both, shipped.

The second set is the original Kenwood 500Hz crystal YK-88C for the 8.83 Mhz IF front end and the 500Hz mechanical YG-455C for the 455 hz IF. These are new in the box and unused, $125 for both, shipped.

73 es cul Bill N4ALG bcotter@pop.uky.edu

1240. Anyone hear of Kenwood TS-510?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6c2436$n6b$1@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 153598

I posted several messages about the Kenwood TS-510 but
no one seems to have heard of it. What's the story
on this rig?

1241. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Gillman <jimmy@fiber-net.com>
Message-ID: <34E4B407.19C5@fiber-net.com>
Source record: 153599
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am a Ham Radio Operator - over 30 years. I'm also a boater.

Why on earth are you people posting to all these different news
groups? Just because you can?

How about a little consideration, please...

Not everyone (maybe not anyone) on rec.boats.cruising cares about
humor in the UK, especially as interpreted by Hams...

Thanks guys,
73
Jim (N8HVL)
S/V Moonlight Shadow

1242. FS: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gandalf_The_White@nospam.cyber-wizard.com
Message-ID: <34e4b9ae.3@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 153600
Cross-posted to: harvard.marketplace,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For sale via online auction: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB
Cobra portable CB model HH35 w/magnetic mount cobra antenna &
cigarette lighter adapter

Minimum Bid: $20.00
Auction Ends: 2/16 1:01 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=109682

* To learn more about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com
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1243. IC-207H Review?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: NASA/JSC <craig.p.schafer1@jsc.nasa.gov>
Message-ID: <01bd38c7$33413240$173da98b@NASA.jsc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 153601

I'm looking at buying a IC-207H 2m/70cm mobile from ICOM. Has anyone had any experience with one? I'd like to hear about its performance before I buy it. Please reply by email: schafers@ghg.net

Also, are there any web pages which have radio reviews?

Thanks!

1244. Re: Yaesu FT 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bandit@domain.com
Message-ID: <34e4b9aa.349646@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153602

No,
But do you happen to have the cellular mods for this rig?

Thanks,
Chris

On 13 Feb 1998 18:54:33 GMT, k4lrx@aol.com (K4lrx) wrote:

>Anyone received modifications for this rig, relating to whine on 440 mhz? I
>have four of us in the Evansville, Ind area who have 8000s, and all have a
>noticible whine on 440..
>
>Yes, we are using different motor vehicles, different antennas, and the rig is
>clean on two meters.. Changing radios in my car to an Icom 2700h got rid of the
>whine on 440... Anyone else having this problem, or received any information
>from Yaesu? Any direct line E mail to Yaseu, if so would like the E mail
>address.

1245. Re: Equipment for sale. UK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <QjCBoSAYFM50EwAF@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153603

In article <34e3901f.712390026@news.demon.co.uk>, Barry Schofield
<bscho@lioncom.demon.co.uk> writes
>I have a whole setup going cheap, must sell so make offers.
>
>Sorry, if this is not in the correct newsgroup perhaps some kind
>gentleman would point me to a UK newsgroup.
>
>> Large rotary mast for shortwave offers, Morse Key, Katsumi
>> Electronic and Tutor, Yaesu & mikes, YAESU v/u transverter (RF
>> gain and tune). YAESU FV901 synthersized Scannic vfo ï¿½120
>> ono. YAESU FT101ZD HF ssb > transceiver ï¿½400 ono. YAESU ATU
>> FC902 antenna tuner 25-500w ï¿½95 ono. Mini Multi 700 Ex Mobile
>> ï¿½200 ono. YAESU 2meter transeiver FT480R ï¿½250 ono.
>
>The prices are all very flexable.
> see web www.lioncom.co.uk/house at the house in Welling that is for
>sale then go to the small workshop where I have a photo of all the kit
>for sale.

Can't see the FT480R in the workshop. Has it been sold?
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

1246. Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Carpenter <manager@vnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E4EA07.49232DDE@vnet.net>
Source record: 153604

I just got the VC 23 vox headset for my radio. PTT seems to work fine, but I can't get anything to transmit on vox. All the instructions I got were on the back of the box and it said plug it in, switch to vox and set the sensitivity until the transmitter comes on. Mine does not.

Anybody got any ideas??

Apparently there is nothing to set on the radio. I've tried adjusting the SQL but I got no improvement.

Thanks.

sdc

1247. Info needed on Drake DL1000 Dummy Load

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4fb@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34e4c941.174506163@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 153605

I need any information such as spec sheets, or whatever on a Drake DL1000 Fan cooled dummy load Model 1551. I am assuming it can handle a KW for a short period of time. Any information on this item would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks, Terry, K4FB

1248. Re: Anyone have problems w/C-com Industries?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John D. Farr" <johnfarr@ro.com>
Message-ID: <6c2j0n$eb2$1@news.ro.com>
Source record: 153606

Nothing but positive experiences with me. The stuff I bought was promptly shipped, well packed, and in the condition that they said it was in.
John
KC4ZXX

David K- wrote in message <6c1sjj$4fl$4@news.nyu.edu>...
> I'd be interested if you have.
>
> Let me know your story on C-Com industries, found at
>www.ccomindustries.com, and also at email address kseeker@usmo.com.
>
> Thanks in advance.

1249. Re: Which filter for TS-450 for FSK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: km6ce@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213230301.SAA20555@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153607

use the ssb filter you have, and adjust if passband tuning control
to pass more audio highs thru..
ie, shift out audio bandpass about 500 hz, (1/2kc) this will center rcvr
passband response about fsk tone freqs.

1250. Re: 2 meters transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: km6ce@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213230801.SAA10619@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153608

try to find a " microwave module" xvtr
. these can take about 40 mw in, and put out 10w. (ssb,cw,fm)
- has fair rcvr also.

1251. FS:TOKYO HY POWER HL-1KA HF AMP not working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6c2gvm$13g$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 153609

This cute little amp runs a pair of 4X150 or 4CX250B tubes for 500-600 PEP watts out on all bands 10-160 meters.I think the transformer is bad. Was working but now blows the fuse when you turn it on. Peter Dahl stocks the transformer,or can be used as a parts unit.amp is complete w/tubes. I'm asking $175.00 + shipping. AS IS!!

For more info call me @ (530)241-0843 9am-9pm PST

1252. WTB: Kenwood AT-250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4ZZQ@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6c2frm$ru3$1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 153610

I need a AT-250 for my Kenwood TS-430s HF rig. Also if anyone who has one can tell me how much they paid for it so I can get a good idea of a good price. I looked at every hamfest in my area for a year now and I've had no luck finding one.

Thanks,
Al Keen
N4ZZQ

1253. want ad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: km6ce@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213231900.SAA23013@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153611

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WANTED yaesu FT767 Vhf/Uhf modules, working or not
e-mai: l km6ce@aol.com, ph: 209- 432-4254
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1254. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7nono.com
Message-ID: <34e6d91a.19846874@news.dancris.com>
Source record: 153612
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

adercole <adercole@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>I suggest craig take a listen between 14.175 and 14.350.
>He just might be surprised what some are using.
>
>

In Italy these units are called "drivers". <g>

1255. Re: Wire Antenna Info Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E4D0AA.577D1D62@together.net>
Source record: 153613

Yup, I got a Carolina Windom 160, works great.. easy to put up... I get
real low SWR on all bands with my MFJ tuner attached.

Tom
KB1CGA

steve weber wrote:

> Anyone have experience with the "Carolina Windom" or "Carolina Beam"
> wire antennas sold by Radio Works? I am trying to get back on HF after
> losing my tower site in a divorce, therefore "cheap is good!"
> --
> Steve Weber, KD9BO
> seweber@netnitco.net
>
> What did the zen-master say to the hotdog vendor?
> "Make me one with everything."
>
> "It is impossible for a man to learn what he thinks he already knows."
> -- Epictetus

1256. Re: FT-8000 Yaesu mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Landen Stoker <kc5qdz@iamerica.net>
Message-ID: <34E4E4CE.51A28E1@iamerica.net>
Source record: 153614

Hey chris if you get any info please pass along
Thanks
Landen
KC5QDZ@IAMERICA.NET

1257. FS: Yaesu FT 767 GX plus 6 & 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6c37ee$138$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Very good condition, more features than anything I know off!! Satellite tracking, auto tuner, digital watt meter, notch, apf, if shift,keyer, splits, gen. coverage, all mode 160-2 meters!! $1250.oo. Thanks Murray may consider a trade even UP!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1258. FS: Icom 736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "RICHARD J. ALBRIGHT" <airplus1@ezaccess.net>
Message-ID: <2CE1EA5E9FDCA52C.FA7590D3360737B3.118CF5B675CB7A55@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 153616

Icom 736 HF plus 6 meters. Also has built in power supply and antenna
tuner. This radio is a great performer. Absolute like new condition. Non
smoker. Have original box, books and accessories. $1150. Rich KC3QY
days 717 346-8138 evenings & weekends 346-5044

1259. FS FT-707

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34E4F612.5D06@hauns.com>
Source record: 153617

Yeasu FT-707 with ssb filter, mobile bracket, mic, and the rare
subminiture digital vfo. Mounts in the bracket and allows programmed
scan from mic. All hf bands. supurb receiver and excellant xmit power.
$350 shippped.

1260. FS Heathkit MOBILE power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E4F9DA.5F00@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale three different mobile power supplies to power the SB series
the MR-1 and MT-1 the HR-1 and HX-1 and the "lunchbox" series can be
seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1261. FS Heathkit QF-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E4F932.1A1B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit QF-1 Q multiplier can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky good price

1262. Parting out Mohawk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E4F803.184B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153620
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I am parting out a Heathkit Mohawk receiver,,,good parts still
left...What do you need? docky@earthlink.net Heathkit collector
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1263. FS Heathkit AM-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E4F8D7.338F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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For sale Heathkit AM-2 good cond. can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky
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1264. Heathkit Watt meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E4F875.6C4F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit watt meter HM-102 good cond. can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1265. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <34E50ACB.28F9C391@datacomm.com>
Source record: 153623

I am not sure of the results on a RF level, but the NEC requires that you have your electric service grounded by two sources. The water pipe if metallic, is the preferred primary method. In order to qualify there must be at least ten feet of the water pipe outside the house in direct contact with the earth. The grounding point should be within five feet of where the pipe enters the dwelling. In many areas because of poor soil conditions, many inspection authorities require two ground rods spaced at least six feet apart connected by the same ground wire and considered as one ground source.

From an electrical design standpoint, all grounding electrode conductors should be run to the same point, (the service panel) and all equipment grounds should also terminate at that point.

The problem with radio gear as I understand it, is that a long ground wire can become a radiating element, thus the need to keep it as short as possible.

All of the commercial broadcasting installations I have done electrical work on have a substantial ground grid (underground) bonded to the electrical service, with the connection to the transmitter ground being as short as physically possible.

I am sure that some of the more experienced hams on this news group could give you more complete RF level grounding information, or first hand reasons why some layouts work better than others.

Louis

Bill Brannick wrote:

> Not sure this is the right group or not..
>
> Consistent, I think, with most articles that I have read, my station
> ground is a 8ft ground rod which is located within a foot of the
> exterior wall separating my station from the outside world. I have all
> my ham gear tied to a copper buss bar at the back edge of my bench. This
> bar in turn is tied to the the ground rod outside. The length of that
> conductor is less then 4 feet.
>
> As it happens there is a copper pipe/hose bib projecting from the
> exterior wall very close to my station ground. This pipe is the source
> of the ground for the house electrical power system. There is a 8ga (or
> so) conductor running from that pipe over to the power distribution
> panel.
>
> The question.. is there a NEC (National Electric Code) requirement that

> dictates that I tie these two grounds together. and .. if that's not the
> case, what are the trade-offs for doing it or nor doing it.?
>
> Thanks for any suggestions I might get on this one..
>
> Bill

1266. TH-28A Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rescue51@sunherald.infi.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f4ec6aa7952e9ae989686@news.sunherald.infi.net>
Source record: 153624

I need a copy of a manual for the above listed radio. Thanks

1267. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobb <cobb@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <34E51D90.8D4@sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 153625
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Sandro wrote:
>
> I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
>
> Ampli Collins 208U10, autotuning 2-30 Mhz, 10 Kw continues, with exciter
> Redifon/Harris.
>
> Ampli Siemens, autotuning 1.5-30 -Mhz, 10 Kw continues, Siemens.
>
> Ampli Collins 205J3 new, modified by the Collins 45 Kw pep, autotuning
> 2-30
> Mhz.
>
> 1 Ampli Harris 84V, 13 Kw cw.
>
> 4 Antennas Log periodic 2-30 Mhz 10-50 kw.
>
> I have cable, connectrors, end more.
>
> They take an interest you write me.
What size AMP do you have? Im looking for 1400 watts.

Thanks.
Don

1268. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f4ee69d40727182989964@news.planet.net>
Source record: 153626
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <34e5a844.4212184@news.dial.pipex.com>, no.junk.mail@thank.you
says...
> On Thu, 12 Feb 1998 21:50:02 -0500, Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
> wrote:
>
> >Now Walt... you know that's not true... Americans are quite comfortable having
> >sex... so long has each partner has a recent blood test, notarized complete sexual
> >history, industrial grade condoms, the lights are out, blindfolds are worn, and it's
> >between the hours of 11:30pm and 11:45pm... there... see we're not uptight at all!
>
> ROTFL!
>
> I take it "industrial grade condoms" are intended for people who use
> them for professional purposes?
>
> ;-)
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"
>
Actually Walt, there are some that frequent these groups that need body
condoms. Raeson---if they're going to act like a prick, they should
dress like one

Bloody funny if you ask me

--
Steve KF2TI
KF2TI@planet.net
http://www.planet.net/adell

Bring out your Dead <clang>
Bring out your dead <clang>
I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

1269. Re: WANT HEATHKIT INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6c3244$pi7@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153627

Charlie:
I have the IM-4100 manual and the counter. Would you like
me to scan the schematic and post for you?

Roy

Charlie wrote in message <34e46dd1.913567@news.apci.net>...
>Looking for schematic, block diagram or manual for Heathkit
>Counter Model IM-4100
>TIA
>W9SAY

1270. Re: EZ Clone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Miles" <rmiles@oz.net>
Message-ID: <34E52087.E711B586@oz.net>
Source record: 153628

Tim:
The software will do you no good. You need the adapter cable which has a RS232 to TTL lever converter built into to it. I tried to copy one but was not that successful.
73's...Dick

Tim J. Neff wrote:

> Is there anyone that could please email me a copy of EZ Clone software
> for my Kenwood TM-V7a. I would appreciate a copy.
>
> Please email to this address.
>
> Tim KU8F

1271. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8FFG@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6c3754$6kr$1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 153629

Hi Lou,
First, to the best of my knowledge, the NEC requires all grounding systems of a building to be bonded. This is without exception. the NEC also states that the earth shall not be the sole connection between the ground systems.
If you have two grounding systems with separate electrodes, a potential between these systems is possible. The voltages between the two systems can be high enough to cause damage to equipment and harmful to personnel.
Currents circulate through the earth. These currents cause difference of potential. Differences of potential are typically quite small of a limited geographic area. However, during storms, charge clouds create equal but opposite charges to form near the surface of the earth(capitor effect). This formation of charges can create considerable potential differences over a small geographic area.
As the charge clouds move over the area, the potential of the earth underneath the clouds changes. Remember, earth electrodes do not necessarily have a zero potential, but maintain a constant ground potential throughout a facility. If two separate ground systems are present, two different ground potentials are possible. For example, lets say some tube-head grounds his output and antennae to a "isolated" ground. He receives the power for his transmitter from a source that has a ground connected to the power system, another ground rod, and maybe a cold water pipe. A storm comes through and elevates the area around his antennae.
The output ground of the radio is at one potential, the chassis is at the ground potential of the power system. Damage may occur from this potential difference.
I tried not to write a book, but you know how us electricians are, 42+ years with L.U. 82 IBEW.

73,
John

1272. Re: USED RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Lines <nospam>
Message-ID: <6c3e74hks1@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 153630
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ed wrote in message <01bd383e$943e98a0$89aaadce@user>...
>
>
>Toe Jam <toejam@bga.com> wrote in article <34E179CA.47BA734A@bga.com>...
>>
>>
>> Mark Hartman wrote:
>>
>> > I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models
>but
>> > will consider all.
>>
>> What would you give me for a good-working Decatur Hunter
>> hand held moving unit with two tuning forks plus certificates on
>> both the tuning forks as well as the unit itsself ?
>>
>> I also have an MPH K-15 hand held (stationary only) X band
>> that I would be willing to sell, as well as a kUSTOM Trooper
>> model dash mounted moving unit (with tuning forks, bracket,
>> remote, and current certificates).
>
>
>Uh-Oh, trafficking in life-control devices...

Plus, those things will cause your cojones to rot and fall off.

- Harold

1273. Re: Yaesu 51R Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6c3f06$erp@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 153631

"Greg Ottria" <Gottria@Inreach.com> writes:
>I have a FT-530 and I'm interested in the FT-51R and was wondering if you
>can display battery voltage in the sub band like on the 530. The 530 can
>display the battery voltage or the clock.

Yes and no. You can display the battery voltage as a "set" function -
do F+SET, then turn the knob until you get function 25. That's battery
voltage. It takes over the display, though, so you can't see any
frequencies. By default, pressing PTT cancels the set function and
returns you to the normal display, but there is a way to continue
displaying voltage during transmit (to check voltage drop).

There is no clock.

>Also has anybody done the mod for the 51R and what is the new TX/RX ranges.

Can't help you there (mine is unmodified).

Dave

1274. Re: Xtended vhf tx ic706 need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Fitzharris <fitz@ocs.net>
Message-ID: <34E54AB7.253@ocs.net>
Source record: 153632

Ronny T Ruud wrote:
>
> Hello is there anyone who knows a simple mod to get wide range
> vhf tx on IC706,

Check out http://www.qrz.com/mods/ . You should be able to find there.

Sean KE6MOW
fitz@ocs.net

1275. Wanted 23cm Transceiver !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees Brommersma <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <887448483.433645@guust>
Source record: 153633

Hello there,

I (Cees) am looking for a 23cm FM transceiver !!
If You do sell one or know something for me Please let me know !!
Reactions by Email pa3fce@bigfoot,com

Thanks for reading and I am waiting !!

1276. WTB: Battery for DJ-100T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Carter <n4gca@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6c49s4gkl3@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153634

Looking for a used battery pack for the DJ-100T. Must work and be
fairly inexpensive.

Johnny
N4GCA

1277. FS: TenTec Omni-D HF Transceiver PRICE REDUCED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6pv@sfo.com
Message-ID: <6c0jle$cvn@ramona.sfo.com>
Source record: 153635

For sale: TenTec Omni-D. $365. Perfect electrically
and mechanically. Case slightly shopworn - hardly
noticeable - no dings or dents. Owner's manual. PTO
recently rebuilt. Has all options. Internal circuit
breaker; all xtal filters: 2.4, 1.8, 0.5 kHz;
brand new 30 meter kit; power cable; microphone.

JD ac6pv@sfo.com (415) 431-6564

1278. Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <34e3d363.30526187@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 153636

Does anyone know if there is any way to keep the smut adds off this NG. There are quite a few children who are hams. Even reading these titles is enough to make a lot of people sick to their stomach. On the other hand, maybe I am just stupid and old fashioned.

de ... N1MSV

1279. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213051000.AAA14681@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153637

Hello Bill, I am an apprentice electrician, and I have the NEC electrical code book right here in front of me, I will give you an excerp of article 810, which deals with amatuer radio bonding and grounding. First of all, it is OK to have a separate grounding electrode (know as ground rod) for the station equipment, but not a requirement!!! The code calls for grounding of the station equipment to the nearest accesible location, ie. metal water pipe, service enclosure equiment, metal service entrance raceway, or the house grounding electrode itself. Now that is the requirement for grounding. HOWEVER>>>>>>>>

IF: In your case you have sunk a separate grounding electrode for your shack...SO>>>>>article 810-21(j) reads as follows

810-21(j)-Bonding of electrodes. A bonding jumper not smaller than #6 copper or equivalent shall be connected between the radio and television equipment grounding electrode and the power grounding electrode system at the building or structure served where separate electrodes are used.

So what does this all mean? Well lets see, first of all, according to the code, you dont need a separate ground rod for the station equipment, you only need to bond the equipment to a water pipe or some metal associated with the service entrance equipment. In your case, you have decided to use a separate ground rod, which IS permissable by code, but now that you have opted to do so, you must abide by article 810-21(j) and connect tthe station electrode to the power system electrode with a #6 wire. That may be more work for you than yoking the station electrode and connecting the station ground to that water pipe nearby you mentioned.

you asked if it is OK to jump the electrode to the water pipe, WELL.......I might be interpeted that the water pipe is equivalent or better than a #6 wire, so effectively you are doing the same thing that 810-21(j) says, so it seems. But who really knows what they mean by that. Being in this business, this type of thing is ALWAYS subject to interpetation. In my opinion, I would insist highly that in some way or another that there be some kind of common connection bewteen the 2 separate grounding electrodes!! This is very important. So I would say your options are these, to conform to the electrical code...1. disconnect the separate ground electrode you put in, and go to the water pipe only, or 2. jump the electrode to the water pipe (and hope that satisfies 810-21(j)).

I hope this answers your question......73 LOU

1280. Re: USED RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <pariah7@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <01bd383e$943e98a0$89aaadce@user>
Source record: 153638
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Toe Jam <toejam@bga.com> wrote in article <34E179CA.47BA734A@bga.com>...
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>
> Mark Hartman wrote:
>
> > I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models
but
> > will consider all.
>
> What would you give me for a good-working Decatur Hunter
> hand held moving unit with two tuning forks plus certificates on
> both the tuning forks as well as the unit itsself ?
>
> I also have an MPH K-15 hand held (stationary only) X band
> that I would be willing to sell, as well as a kUSTOM Trooper
> model dash mounted moving unit (with tuning forks, bracket,
> remote, and current certificates).

Uh-Oh, trafficking in life-control devices...

1281. Need Mods for IC-W31A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: D C <grasso@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <1QQE.70$ib3.1168833@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 153639

Does any one have Mods to open up tx and rx for this unit . Thanks

1282. Re: Amplifier Interface: Icom 706 Mark II to Heathkit SB-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6c0l00$p9j@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153640

MFJ makes a device just for this purpose and Richard Harbaugh in Palm Bay Florida makes an internal board that does the same thing. His board is about $17 ppd. I don't have the URL handy but you should find it by searching.

73 Jerry

In <6bv5i1$e4n@clarknet.clark.net> nitz@selectsa.com (James A. Nitzberg) writes:
>
>
>To Icom 706 Owners who run linear amplifiers:
>
>
>My friend Bob Clermont, VE3AKV would like to know if there's an 'external
>relay' device of some kind that would allow an Icom 706 Mark II to key a
>heathkit SB-200 linear amplifier.
>
>Or for those of you who have built this interface, what does it entail?
>
>Please respond on this newsgroupand/or follow-up to his email address at:
>
>bob@compcon.com
>
>Thank you for your help.
>
>73,
>
>Jim Nitzberg WX3B [nitz@selectsa.com]
>Bob Clermont VE3AKV [bob@compcon.com]
>

1283. K-band emitter....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34E4091E.2B02@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 153641

Could someone tell me how to assemble or purchase a simple
k-band emitter (15-20mw is good)
horn antenna?
John KF2VW

1284. WANTED: DRAKE SP75 SPEECH PROCESSOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dt <cslc82@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <6c0njg$a64@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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WANTED: DRAKE 75 SPEECH PROCESSOR
Contact Dan, KC0DE
cslc82@email.mot.com
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1285. KDK440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34E409D4.7865@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 153643

I have a KDK440 UHF mobil radio for sale.

16 channel synthisized & PL sub-tones

approx 10 watts output. & "opened up"

$125 dollars. John KF2VW rochester NY (716) 352 8713

1286. Re: Kenwood TH79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3847$8ee5cbe0$ba0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 153644

Thanks a lot !

Rgds

Bob Nielsen <nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com> wrote in article
<slrn6e694p.917.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>...
> On 12 Feb 1998 04:46:11 GMT, Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >Hello,
> >
> >I am wondering what, if any, mods are available for the Kenwood TH79A.
If
> >anyone
> >has info, please email to neltang@hotmail.com
>
> See ftp://ftp.hamrad.com/mods/kenwood/th79mods.zip
>
> --
> Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
> Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@01.w6swe.ampr.org
> http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen/
>

1287. SHOP LAMP WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dt <cslc82@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <6c0npn$a64@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

SHOP LAMP WANTED, LUXO, LEFU, IFM or similar, i.e. flourescent lamp with magnifying lens for close up work.
Contact Dan, KC0DE
cslc82@email.mot.com

1288. "Help" Winpac

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6ci@telusplanet.net
Message-ID: <34e3ebed.277485@news.calgary.telusplanet.net>
Source record: 153646

I need help with Winpac that i have just downloaded, i am using the
Baycom Tnc.
Could someone help me get this working as i have tried almost
everything? I have gone into comm setup and have tried different
things.
ur help would be appreciated.
Don/ve6ci
ve6ci@telusplanet.net

1289. wtb sixmeter am rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "john a. ward" <hitech@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E420DF.FE19CD8B@erols.com>
Source record: 153647

one that works at least 50 watts

1290. FS: Icom 449A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjdyer@nh.ultranet.com
Message-ID: <6c19dg$1i6$1@decius.ultra.net>
Source record: 153648

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Icom 449A Moobile Radio for sale.
Mobile, Previously owned, unused, still in the box.
440-450 Mhz
35/5 Watt
$325
E-Mail to DMERC@Tiac.net
or call Neddy's Electronics at 603-772-7999
Calling hours: Tu-Fri 11-7p Eastern or
Sat 9-5p Eastern
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1291. Kenwood TS790A Triband Allmode Sattelite Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213113701.GAA09990@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153649

Kenwood TS790A 2meter, 440 allmode, you can install the 1200mhz later if you need that band.
Crossband Repeate mod done
Full crossband duplex
CTCSS encode/decode chip installed
Extended TX/RX mod done
Asking 1300.00 shipped to you.... I will throw in the matching SP-31 Speaker for free.
Thanks and 73
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock, AR

1292. yaesu ftl-2001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mkolakov <mihovil.kolakovic@gs.tel.hr>
Message-ID: <6c1b7p$abv@argos.tel.hr>
Source record: 153650

I need all info for YAESU FTL-2001.

Please e-mail to
mihovil.kolakovic@gs.tel.hr

Thanks!

1293. HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Charles Alexander" <charlie@netset.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3872$773f3460$0ee4b7ce@libretto>
Source record: 153651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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Anyone have opinions on the HRO 500?
tkx
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73 de charlie
W. Charles Alexander
KC8IKG
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1294. Re: Is Transciever same as walkie talkie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213122101.HAA11989@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153652

Hey Bill, Hows Betty?

1295. Re: Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213121801.HAA01060@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153653

N1MSV...NOVEMBER-ONE-ME-STILL-VIRGIN

I hate this smut too! but I just could not resist doing this! I agree, this is no place for smut, I just click the delete button on my mailbox, and away it goes. CQ NO LIDS NO KIDS NO SPACE KADETS, NOO SCHOOLBUS RIDERS,AND NO PHONETIC FREAKS......PHONETIC FREAK....THATS ME........

1296. Need Help on ICOM 765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Piotr Tomczak <pito@nera.no>
Message-ID: <34E44048.145CB839@nera.no>
Source record: 153654

Hello...

Is there any user of IC765 who could check one thing for me.
Mine IC765 is dead on TX.

Could one see if there are any voltage readings on the
build in meter while the Meter Knob is switched
into Vc possition. Mine do not read anything.
Can one check it during RX and TX session.

I asssume that I have some problems with switching
the voltage to the RF amplifier.
Somtimes the TX awaik and then works for
a while. The stupid of me that I did not check it
while it worked...

Thank you....

Piotr LA9HFA
Please reply either to the group or on my
e-mail : pito@nera.no

1297. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: duckman_osu@ionet.net
Message-ID: <34e444bd.1864364@news.ionet.net>
Source record: 153655
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 13 Feb 1998 10:36:20 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>On Thu, 12 Feb 1998 22:36:29 -0800, Winner's Circle
><wincirc@wincirc.com> wrote:
>
>>Why don't you guys take this where it's wanted. This NG is NOT the place
>>for this conversation.
>
>Which newsgroup? This thread is being spammed to about twenty!
>
>--
>Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
>"Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

29 last count, this will make it 30.

Hey, Walt! What do you do with fast women from Arkansas???
Put a governer on them.

so much for the Whiners Circle :)

WB5BNQ
"A Proud Hambo"

1298. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wildwolf <wildwolf@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <6c1eij$p4s@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153656
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Since I read most of the posts, and found that nobody was giving information you would find helpful, and since I have no idea personally where to look, I would suggest a library. They often have many volumes available for all sorts of ham equipment, and electronic equipment in general.

Good luck.

wildwolf>Since these antennae cost approx 600 DM would like to build themselves.

>Where I can find a manual?

1299. FT-736 and tve FSTV interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommy Karlberg <tommy.karlberg@ecs.ericsson.se>
Message-ID: <34E44707.52EE@ecs.ericsson.se>
Source record: 153657

Hey!

Our club bought a Yaesu FT-736 and has equipped it with 6 meters and 23 cm. The 23 cm unit seems to be able to handle TV as well. Can anybody tell me what the signals should be to interface these phono jacks? They seem to be in and out but what carrier frequency? Am I to choose AM or FM when I modulate the carrier? I will greatfully appreciate any info!!

Best 73's de SM7PAF/Tommy

1300. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f4e189476c87b3d989963@news.planet.net>
Source record: 153658
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <34e444bd.1864364@news.ionet.net>, duckman_osu@ionet.net
says...
> On Fri, 13 Feb 1998 10:36:20 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
> Davidson) wrote:
>
> >On Thu, 12 Feb 1998 22:36:29 -0800, Winner's Circle
> ><wincirc@wincirc.com> wrote:
> >
> >>Why don't you guys take this where it's wanted. This NG is NOT the place
> >>for this conversation.
> >
> >Which newsgroup? This thread is being spammed to about twenty!
> >
> >--
> >Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> >"Linux is to Windows
> > ... as Betamax is to VHS"
>
> 29 last count, this will make it 30.
>
> Hey, Walt! What do you do with fast women from Arkansas???
> Put a governer on them.
>
> so much for the Whiners Circle :)
>
> WB5BNQ
> "A Proud Hambo"
>
>
Just remember, In Arkansas, harass is 2 words
--
Steve KF2TI
KF2TI@planet.net
http://www.planet.net/adell

Bring out your Dead <clang>
Bring out your dead <clang>
I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

1301. Re: Motorola Repeater Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34e44def.655506865@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 153659

Remove the channel elements from the tx and rx. If they are 450-470
range, it should go no problem.

rickd73@aol.com (Rickd73) wrote:

>Anyone know something about a Moto repeater with part number-
>C64RCB-6105AT
>-beyond the fact that it is UHF. Easy/hard to move to ham band?
>
>Thanks- Rick, KY0Q rickd73@aol.com
>
>

Remove "nospam" in address to reply

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1302. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34e44c0d.13099894@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153660
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 12 Feb 1998 14:48:14 GMT, Andre Tornow <tornow@zedat.fu-berlin.de>
wrote:
>
>If the german word Achterstag is the backstay in english, how do you
>call the german Backstag ?

Good Morning, Andre,

If I correctly understand the prefix "back" in a nautical context, it
would mean "forecastle" or "foc'sle" as we say. If that's the case
then wouldn't the german word Backstag translate to Forestay?
Continuing with that thought, then it's no wonder that languages can
become so confusing. Anyway, makes a nice conversation item.

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

1303. Re: HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Marquie <wb9tow@mailhost.egr.msu.edu>
Message-ID: <34E45399.6F25@mailhost.egr.msu.edu>
Source record: 153661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I worked on a HRO 500 6 months ago. They were a good example of early solid state receivers , but Hammurlund, Hallicrafters, Collins and Drake all offered good rigs of that vintage too which were all solid state. I personally found the operation clunky and not of the best audio. If you want a receiver with that desired quality I'd consider a rx with a broader range of selectivity an dbetter audio output. (I would prefer a Collins 51JX over the HRO 500!)
On cw the HRO was a weak performer. On SSB it was fair.

Good luck on the quest es 73 steve

1304. Re: Kenwood 520s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <34E47041.3D58@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Source record: 153662

KB4AEP wrote:
>
> Doesn't the 520S use 6146 final tubes?
>
> Justin Cascagnett wrote:
>
> > For Sale:
> >
> > Kenwood 520S HF SSB rig.
> > 10, 15 20, 40, 60, 80, 160 meters
> > Straight Key
> > MC-50 Desk Mic
> > Users Manual
> > Service Manual
> > Extra set of Finals (6LQ6 tubes)
> >
> > $200 plus shipping (internet price, advertised locally for $250)
> >
> > ion@gtii.com

I owned one of those. It most certainly
use 6146's for the finals.
Gary - KN0V

1305. WTB Yaesu seperation kit for FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <GVYE.14$QL.270291@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 153663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for the YSK-8500. Separation kit for the FT-8500, working or not. All I really need is the cable from the radio body to the radio face. But if you have the full kit I will still buy that.

E-mail me with your price.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

1306. Re: Amplifier Interface: Icom 706 Mark II to Heathkit SB-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4ijn@awodNOSPAM.com
Message-ID: <34e45b4f.62992256@NEWS-2.awod.com>
Source record: 153664

Another alternative is the Yaesu FRB757 relay (may not be the actual
model #). Operates off of 12V and will key the amp. You can
generally pick them up at hamfests for just a few bucks.
>
>MFJ makes a device just for this purpose and Richard Harbaugh in Palm
>Bay Florida makes an internal board that does the same thing. His board
>is about $17 ppd. I don't have the URL handy but you should find it by
>searching.
>
> 73 Jerry

1307. Re: 30S-1, 30S-1 Parts, 75A4,TS-530S, FT-102,FV-102DM,SP-102P,SP767

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e4606e.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153665

ALL COLLINS 30S-1 PARTS HAVE BEEN SPOKEN FOR AT THIS TIME.

THANKS FOR ALL THE INTEREST.

73....Dennis W4DG

Dennis Griffin wrote in message <34e1da0a.0@news2.ibm.net>...
>SELL: COLLINS: 30S-1 2kw amp. VG condition, $1500. 30S-1 PARTS: Power
>Transformer, $250. PS choke, $150. Screen supply choke, $75. HV caps @ $50
>ea. Misc. parts & panel (call with your needs). 6 ea. Spare 4CX1000A tubes,
>full output, $100 ea. COLLINS: 75A-4, VG condition, all mods with 2 ea.
>2KHz.. Cascaded filters/3.1, $850. KENWOOD: TS-530S, excellent condition,
>$475. YAESU: 2 ea. FT-102 160-10m (including WAC) Transceiver,
reconditioned
>by NC4L, new relays & tubes, 200w output, 1.8KHz. filter, VG condition,
$550
>ea. 2 ea. FV-102DM digital VFO, VG condition, $250 ea., SP-102P
>Speaker/patch, VG condition, $100. SP-767 Speaker/filters, as new in
factory
>box, $75. SHURE 444D mic, dual-impedance, black, $50. BUYER PAYS SHIPPING
>FROM 33708. Dennis, W4DG (813)391-9912.E-mail: w4dg@ibm.net.
>
>

1308. FS: KENWOOD TS-530S MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e4625a.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153666

KENWOOD: TS-530S, excellent condition, $475. BUYER PAYS SHIPPING FROM 33708.
Dennis, W4DG (813)391-9912.E-mail: w4dg@ibm.net.

1309. Kenwood TM-V7A Half Duplex mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Meserve <stevenme@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <6c1ne0$56g@news.microsoft.com>
Source record: 153667

Has anyone found a way to toggle Full/Half Duplex receive on the Kenwood TM-V7A? It seems to only support Full Duplex which can be a problem.

My Alinco DJ-580 HT has the ability to put the subband into standby when transmitting on the main band (i.e. Half Duplex), or receiving on the subband (i.e. Full Duplex) while transmitting. While not used often, this is an essential feature, in my opinion.

The real problem arises when using a cross band repeater (lets say input 146.490, output 443.000). My input (tx on the main, or left band) is repeated on 443.000, which is being received on my subband (right band), thus I get some nasty audio feedback. Kenwood's solution is to turn down the volume on the subband while xmiting, then turn it back up to receive. I think that's a low tech solution to a high tech problem! Any thoughts?

Steve Meserve
N1FZA

1310. FS: YAESU FT-102, FV-102DM VFO, SHURE 444

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e46334.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153668

YAESU: 2 ea. FT-102 160-10m (including WRC) Transceiver, reconditioned by NC4L, new relays & tubes, 200w output, 1.8KHz. filter, VG condition, $550 ea. 2 ea. FV-102DM digital VFO, VG condition, $250 ea., SP-102P Speaker/patch, VG condition, $100. SP-767 Speaker/filters, as new in factory box, $75. SHURE 444D mic, dual-impedance, black, $50. BUYER PAYS SHIPPING FROM 33708. Dennis, W4DG (813)391-9912.E-mail: w4dg@ibm.net.

1311. icom 207h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cascon@in-touch.net
Message-ID: <6c28lj$h4j$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153669

I have a icom 207h this is what i did open top cover
look for diode marked D115 it will de to the left front
of radio the diode will not be ther. next to the missing
diode will be a w25 rester cut it and you will open
your rx up
118.000-135.995 RX vhf TX 140.000 to 150.000
135.000-174.000 uhf TX 440.000 to 450.000
320.000-399.885
400.000-479.000
830.000-950.000MHZ
TX WILL STAY THE SAME
IT WORKS ON MY ICOM 207H

73 and good luck
cass

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1312. COLLINS 75A4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e461e3.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153670

SELL: COLLINS: 75A-4, VG condition, all mods with 2 ea. 2KHz.. Cascaded mech. Filters/3.1 mech. filter, $850.BUYER PAYS SHIPPING FROM 33708. Dennis, W4DG (813)391-9912.E-mail: w4dg@ibm.net.

1313. Help - Tek 2213 Scope Repair - Data on IC's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmiew@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <34e3a3e8.52338175@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 153671

Got a scope cheap at the hamfest. I think the preamps on both channels are bad. So I tried to find some data on the 8 pin dips. Can't find anything that matches up to the numbers on the devices. One part is a Harris, the other is a RCA. The RCA is an original part, the Harris is one that has already been replaced. Does anyone know if Tek uses proprietary parts (vintage 1979). Thanks.

1314. Re: HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher A. King" <cking4@ford.com>
Message-ID: <34E46EC2.60FC2074@ford.com>
Source record: 153672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

W. Charles Alexander wrote:

> Anyone have opinions on the HRO 500?

Usually horrendously overpriced (along with the Hallicrafters SX-88),
for
one thing...

C.K.

1315. WTB:Telegraph-Wireless Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Massey <N6TT@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6c1spr$5va@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153673

Im looking to buy Keys, Keyers, Paddles, Bugs, Code Osc., KOB, Relays,
Sounders, Telegraph Books and Mag's!
Steve K6KEY@yahoo.com
N6TT@telegraph-wireless.com
http://www.telegraph-wireless.com

1316. Anyone have problems w/C-com Industries?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dqk4383@is.nyu.edu
Message-ID: <6c1sjj$4fl$4@news.nyu.edu>
Source record: 153674

I'd be interested if you have.

Let me know your story on C-Com industries, found at
www.ccomindustries.com, and also at email address kseeker@usmo.com.

Thanks in advance.

1317. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: koehl <koehl@et.anl.gov>
Message-ID: <34E47EA7.60A5@et.anl.gov>
Source record: 153675

Is it permissible to _ISOLATE_ the power and RF grounds via a sutiable
transformer? This would remove the noisy utility ground (common) from
the low-level signal ground (the rcvr/ant.). If this is permitted, is a
transformer required, or could the station ground still be separate from
the utility power ground?
thanks. Dick (K9FFK)

1318. Re: Upgrade Ameritron AL-1200 to AL-1500???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Dove <dsp@nbn.net>
Message-ID: <34E41238.5AF3@nbn.net>
Source record: 153676

Hi James,

Without checking, the fil transformer may have to change. For certain, though, on the AL-1500 there is a grid current trip, which judging by the number of times I've tripped mine you really, really need. Or you'll really, really need as many inexpensive 8877 pulls as you can get...

Cheers, 73, Steve W3EEE / G3YDV

James A. Nitzberg wrote:
>
> A recent 'for sale' post on this group regarding some 'pulled' 8877 tubes got
> me thinking about this question:
>
> Since the Ameritron AL-1200 and Ameritron AL-1500 are practically identical, is
> it possible to switch the 3CX1200A7 tube with the 3CX1500/8877, turn the fan
> speed up to high, and esentially operate it as an AL-1500?
>
> Are there any other internal differences between the AL-1200 and AL-1500?
>
> Thanks for your help.
>
> 73,
>
> Jim Nitzberg WX3B
> nitz@selectsa.com

1319. FS: Boatanchors, Keys, Bugs, Sounders, Knobs, etc..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: GK <gkitto@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <34e48d4f.0@news.nova1.net>
Source record: 153677
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

http://web.nova1.net/kitto/boatanchors.htm
http://web.nova1.net/kitto/bugsnkeys.htm

The Dallas ARC was given these goodies to auction at our Ham Radio Auction, which is set for next Saturday, Feb 21 in Dallas, Texas. Many of these items are better served to be sold to those who appreciate them. Please stop by these two pages and look around at the photos. Let me know if you'd like to make an offer. Thanks and 73,

Glen
N5OD
Vice-President, Dallas ARC

1320. Re: HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <34E45C09.18D0@atl.org>
Source record: 153678
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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Christopher A. King wrote:
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> W. Charles Alexander wrote:
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> > Anyone have opinions on the HRO 500?
>
> Usually horrendously overpriced (along with the Hallicrafters SX-88),
> for
> one thing...
>
> C.K.

I'll swap mine for an SX88 :-)
-bob
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1321. Yaesu FT 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4lrx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213185401.NAA07556@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153679

Anyone received modifications for this rig, relating to whine on 440 mhz? I have four of us in the Evansville, Ind area who have 8000s, and all have a noticible whine on 440..

Yes, we are using different motor vehicles, different antennas, and the rig is clean on two meters.. Changing radios in my car to an Icom 2700h got rid of the whine on 440... Anyone else having this problem, or received any information from Yaesu? Any direct line E mail to Yaseu, if so would like the E mail address.

1322. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Swann <n1bs@not_usa.net>
Message-ID: <6c25as$63a@cocoa.brown.edu>
Source record: 153680

Hi Bill:

From a lightning protection standpoint, by all means, securely bond the two ground together, preferably outside the house. The basic principle involved is keeping all grounds at the same potential during a strike event. That way, all "grounds" in your house rise up together in voltage and fall together when the transient is over. The potential difference across a piece of equipment is what kills it, not the absolute voltage.

If you don't tie the grounds together, you will probably get a voltage differential between your ground rod and the water pipe / electrical system. During a transient, this will cause a large voltage to appear between the third wire of the equipment's AC cords, and the chassis ground you have provided - smoke!.

Use big wire, and make secure connections.

The bible for lighning protection was written by Roger Block, "The Grounds for Lightning and EMP Protection" (1993). It is published by PolyPhaser Corp (702-782-2511) for $22.95. They take charge cards. I recommend this book to anyone who is serious about protecting themselves and their equipment from lightning damage.

I'll leave the value of this as an RF ground to someone else with more knowledge of that subject. My primary professional and personal interest has always been the safety and protection angle.

Brian
N1BS
Coventry, RI
n1bs (at) usa.net

Bill Brannick wrote in message <34E3C013.DF78A5A9@prefer.net>...
>Not sure this is the right group or not..
>
>Consistent, I think, with most articles that I have read, my station
>ground is a 8ft ground rod which is located within a foot of the
>exterior wall separating my station from the outside world. I have all
>my ham gear tied to a copper buss bar at the back edge of my bench. This
>bar in turn is tied to the the ground rod outside. The length of that
>conductor is less then 4 feet.
>
>As it happens there is a copper pipe/hose bib projecting from the
>exterior wall very close to my station ground. This pipe is the source
>of the ground for the house electrical power system. There is a 8ga (or
>so) conductor running from that pipe over to the power distribution

>panel.
>
>The question.. is there a NEC (National Electric Code) requirement that
>dictates that I tie these two grounds together. and .. if that's not the
>case, what are the trade-offs for doing it or nor doing it.?
>
>Thanks for any suggestions I might get on this one..
>
>Bill

1323. FORSALE (or trade) Tinsley Labs classical cass telescope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6c257f$ea6@nntpb.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 153681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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FORSALE -- TINSLEY LABS CLASSICAL CASSEGRAIN TELESCOPE !!!
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I have for sale a Tinsley Labs 8-inch Classical Cassegrain
telescope, complete with the original German equitorial
mount and clock drive. Tinsley produced these fine scopes
in the mid 1960s and are known for their fine optical and
mechanical properties. They were (are) research quality
instruments which are quite rare and retain their value.

In mint shape, they go for around $3000. The one that
I have is in very good condition, but needs a few minor
items to bring it to "mint", as follows:

- mirrors are excellent, no scratches or chips, and
bright. Although very good and workable, a
recoating would make them mint.

- clock drive needs an external 12V battery pack and
rheostat to make it operational (this is as it was
intended). A nicad pack or motorcycle battery would
be appropriate.

- A low tripod or pedestal base (about 20" high) and
"rocker box" is needed for the equitorial mount to
sit on.

- the optical tube has some scratches in the paint and
a small dent, which absolutely does NOT interfere with
the optical path. Paint scheme is the original Tinsley
gray.

Thats about it. I just don't have the time to use this
scope and it's too valuable to just let it lay idle.

I'm asking $2150. for scope and mount (and absolutely will
NOT sell them separately).

The equipment is located in Monmouth County, NJ. For
further information, please contact me.

Thanks,

Joe Levantino
Lucent Technologies - Bell Laboratories
732-949-0664 (days)
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jlevantino@lucent.com

PS -- I will consider a trade for equally valued Amateur Radio Equipment, in particular a high quality, heavy duty, HF linear amplifier (Ten-tec, etc).

1324. FT-8000 Yaesu mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bandit@domain.com
Message-ID: <34e498bc.14636638@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153682

Hello everyone,
I have the modifications for MARS/CAP for this radio, but does
anyone have the modifications to restore cellular receive on these
frequencies? Any information would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,
Chris
KC4VTT
Cobb County Composite Squadron

1325. Wire Antenna Info Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve weber <seweber@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <34E449BC.757@netnitco.net>
Source record: 153683

Anyone have experience with the "Carolina Windom" or "Carolina Beam"
wire antennas sold by Radio Works? I am trying to get back on HF after
losing my tower site in a divorce, therefore "cheap is good!"
--
Steve Weber, KD9BO
seweber@netnitco.net

What did the zen-master say to the hotdog vendor?
"Make me one with everything."

"It is impossible for a man to learn what he thinks he already knows."
-- Epictetus

1326. X-band repeater FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Albert Ewe <twewe@pc.jaring.my>
Message-ID: <34E32EF9.9A4@pc.jaring.my>
Source record: 153718

Hi,
I wonder if anyone can help me on this.
I just got a FT50R without the manual.
Can I use it as a x-band repeater? And how?
What is the cw ID. for and how to use it?
Will be grateful for any help.

1327. Equipment for sale. UK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bscho@lioncom.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <34e3901f.712390026@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153719

I have a whole setup going cheap, must sell so make offers.

Sorry, if this is not in the correct newsgroup perhaps some kind
gentleman would point me to a UK newsgroup.

> Large rotary mast for shortwave offers, Morse Key, Katsumi
> Electronic and Tutor, Yaesu & mikes, YAESU v/u transverter (RF
> gain and tune). YAESU FV901 synthersized Scannic vfo £120
> ono. YAESU FT101ZD HF ssb > transceiver £400 ono. YAESU ATU
> FC902 antenna tuner 25-500w £95 ono. Mini Multi 700 Ex Mobile
> £200 ono. YAESU 2meter transeiver FT480R £250 ono.

The prices are all very flexable.
see web www.lioncom.co.uk/house at the house in Welling that is for
sale then go to the small workshop where I have a photo of all the kit
for sale.

Barry Schofield

For ISDN connectors, cables, terminators check out
Lion's web site at www.lioncom.co.uk. Yes you can have
award winning TA modem phones, as well as having BABT
approved equipment and inexpensive active TA modem's.

1328. WTB: ARRL handbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Mc Kie <mjmckie@mail.frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34E3955D.1189@mail.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 153720

WTB: ARRL handbook, prefer recent copy. Please respond via e-mail.
Thanks!

Jack Mc Kie KC2BBW mjmckie@frontiernet.net

1329. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: adercole <adercole@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34E3C408.F2F6AFBE@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153721
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I suggest craig take a listen between 14.175 and 14.350.
He just might be surprised what some are using.

Bill Nelson wrote:

> Craig Petersen (n7uqa@gte.net) wrote:
> : Why even bother posting such stuff like this in this newsgroup? Do you really think
> : anyone here could afford such gear? Maybe you should contact some small
> : countries.....
>
> I expect quite a few of us could afford the gear, if we wanted it. I know that
> I could.
>
> --
> Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

1330. Re: Kenwood TN-V7 PC Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhopper-N0SPAM@ix.N0SPAM.netcom.com
Message-ID: <slrn6e79n2.dp.dhopper-N0SPAM@dhopper.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 153722

On Thu, 12 Feb 1998 09:43:16 -0800,
Mitchell Hamm <mitch@nospam.palmtop.net> wrote:
>> Furthermore, a special hardware device (which contains a radio
>> transceiver) is required. I believe it was part of the EZClone package.
>
>This is incorrect. The EZ Clone for the V7A has a special serial cable
>with it. The little RF interface is not used (I think that is for the
>TH-79A???).
>
>> I was somewhat surprised to learn that the V7A has nothing approaching a
>> serial port for control/programming purposes.
>
>The little capped TNC port on the radio's front panel acts as a serial
>interface for the radio.

Really? I must have been mixing up information on the two radios.
It kind of made sense after I bought it because the pinout of the DIN
doesn't have anything like a serial pin labeled. Do you know which
pin(s) are used? The pinout info I have is:

1 - packet data input (microphone)
2 - microphone ground
3 - packet standby (PTT)
4 - 9600bps RX audio (500 mVp-p, 10 kOhm)
5 - 1200 bps RX audio (500 mVp-p, 10 kOhm)
6 - squelch control output (like COR/COS)
shell - earth ground

>Mitch N8XS

Dan
KU4NF

1331. FS Vintage Catalogs, Mags, Manuals Etc...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hipkat99@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213015401.UAA13268@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153723

HUNDREDS of radio magazines, catalogs, ARRL handbooks, manuals, flyers and much more!!

http://members.aol.com/hipkat99/index.html

1332. Re: Which filter for TS-450 for FSK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: adercole <adercole@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34E3C482.74648DA4@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153724

George,
I just purchased a ts-440 and was wondering what is fsk used for these days?
tony

George Daniel wrote:

> Hello Everyone,
> I am running FSK w/ TS-450 and want to get a good filter. Which filter do
> you recommend and which position, 8.83 or 455?
>
> --
> Regards and God bless,
> George, AB4KN

1333. 2mtr ht fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6c0a1a$ggr@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 153725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have the KENWOOD 27A 2MTR ht for sale. Comes with desk rapid charger,
wall charger, manual, and extra battery. Radio is like new condition.
145.00 + shipping.
THANKS..GENE/WM9H

wm9h@execpc.com

1334. Wanted to buy 6 meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: emittt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213021001.VAA04867@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153726

Wanted to by 6 meter amp 400 plus watts. Please e mail with details and price.

1335. Re: Kenwood 520s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <34E3A95E.BC9D692C@iglou.com>
Source record: 153727

Doesn't the 520S use 6146 final tubes?

Justin Cascagnett wrote:

> For Sale:
>
> Kenwood 520S HF SSB rig.
> 10, 15 20, 40, 60, 80, 160 meters
> Straight Key
> MC-50 Desk Mic
> Users Manual
> Service Manual
> Extra set of Finals (6LQ6 tubes)
>
> $200 plus shipping (internet price, advertised locally for $250)
>
> ion@gtii.com

1336. Re: TS-440S Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7uqa@gte.net
Message-ID: <6c0cgj$b85$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 153728

I had a TS-440S that had distorted (FMed) audio on all modes but wasen't easily detectable when running AM or FM for that matter. Anyway, the problem got worse as I went up the bands. The problem was a shorted band pass switching diode on the RF board.

Hope this helps...

PS

A service bulliten can be downloaded from Kenwoods ftp site. The bulliten you need is the PLL 1 bulliten...

73's

In article <19980208151800.KAA27761@ladder02.news.aol.com>, bull66@aol.com says...
>
>Wondering if anyone else who has a Kenwood TS-440S had any problems with
>distorted audio which gets worse with processor on?
>1. The rig is about 10 years old and has not been aligned since new.
>2. The problem does not appear on AM or FM xmt.
>3. The stock mike was tried with same results.
>4. Mike used now is KW MC-80
>I may have remembered reading a while back another ham stating he had the same
>type problem. Power, RX, etc is fine and I think it just may need a alignment
>in the TX section. Power supply being used is 50A peak Antron. Any help much
>appreciated - Thanks . . . . . .

1337. MFJ 1229 Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtucker@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <34e3b8f4.19383032@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 153729

Anyone have a MFJ 1229 RTTY/CW for sale??

Thanks
Dave/NU4N

1338. Re: Amplifier Interface: Icom 706 Mark II to Heathkit SB-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980213034800.WAA02046@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153730

Hi Jim, George, K1RBS. Look for a Yaesu FRB-757 relay box.
It is a transistor keying a small relay, should be able to be bought
for about $12 to $15. I use one here, built up another. Parts are
available at RTadio Shack.
73, George, K1RBS

1339. INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.com
Message-ID: <34e3c476.43185587@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 153731

Can anyone tell me what an Heathkit DH-1410 Electronic Keyer
is worth?
Thanks

1340. WTD: Pace 2M Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wabate@erols.com
Message-ID: <34e9ce6f.53504227@news.erols.com>
Source record: 153732

Hi and thanks for reading this,

I have a Pace Communicator II 2M FM transceiver that I need a
schematic for. I have the alignment info and the owners manual but no
schematic. Can you help?

Bill Abate, K3PGB
Pennsylvania
wabate@erols.com

1341. FS: TenTec Omni-D HF Transceiver PRICE REDUCED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6pv@sfo.com
Message-ID: <6c0jhc$cvn@ramona.sfo.com>
Source record: 153733

For sale: TenTec Omni-D. $365. Perfect electrically
and mechanically. Case slightly shopworn - hardly
noticeable - no dings or dents. Owner's manual. PTO
recently rebuilt. Has all options. Internal circuit
breaker; all xtal filters: 2.4, 1.8, 0.5 kHz;
brand new 30 meter kit; power cable; microphone.

JD ac6pv@sfo.com (415) 431-6564

1342. FS-Truely 10+ AOR-3000a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6c4tuv$l7p@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

>As stated, with all accessories, computer interface + software - $850 shipped!
>

1343. FS Heathkit SB-303 Receiver Solid State

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5F964.2CC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit receiver solid state cw and ssb SB-303 very good shape plays well very hot receiver, good price, must make room for other equipment. Can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky 73 es tnx

1344. FS Heathkit SB-401

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5F8CD.35FC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit SSB transmitter SB-401 two 6146s SSB and CW has all
the xtals...nice transmitter, good price can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky tnx

1345. FS Heath HW-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5F83C.5E4F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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For sale Heathkit transceiver HW-101 nice shape, works well, good price,
can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky under "For Sale" tnx
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1346. FS Heathkit Transceiver HW-104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5FA11.6945@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153391
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale transceiver CW and SSB Heathkit HW-104 solid state 100 watts
runs good, nice looking transceiver. Can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky 73 es tnx good price

1347. AM-2 reduced price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5FA7A.35CD@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have reduced the price on this AM-2 must sell need the room can be
seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky take a look I need the room

1348. Reduced price QF-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5FAD6.60B3@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have reduced the price on this Heathkit QF-1 check it out at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky I need the room

1349. FS: Scanner, LP Filter, Keyer, 2m Ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f4fc8914019f0c9896ad@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 153394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Bearcat 300 Scanner, 50ch programmable, service search, 120V, 12V, Tape recorder output. Working condition but sensitivity low, needs tune up. With manual $100.

Gold Line LP Filter, 1000 Watts, 0-30MHz. Like new. $30

Cushcraft ARX-2B 134-164 MHz Ringo Ranger II $70

Canadian Prices for US$ divide by 1.4

VA3RH

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banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
remove the NOSPAM from e-mail address

1350. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6c4ut2iqs1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 153395

Sean A. Foley (sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com) wrote:
: I've done this mod on my W32 and it works great. However, when I
: hook it up to a mag-mount gain antenna, I get a lot of intermod/noise.
: I was thinking that the wideband mod makes the W32 more prone to
: intermod. I've tried the partial reset for the radio, but it's still
: wideband. Is there a way to disable the wideband mod short of a full
: reset (will a full reset even work?)

: 73's

: Sean
: KF6OAB

: Gary Pearce KN4AQ wrote:
:
: > To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive (cellular blocked):
: >
: > -- Turn off the radio
: >
: > -- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.
: >
: > -- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
: > wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
: > and squelch buttons.
: >
: > -- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.
: >
: > To enable Crossband Repeat:
: >
: > -- Set the VHF and UHF frequencies you want to use.
: >
: > -- "Lock" the radio by holding down the CALL/LOCK button
: > for two seconds.
: >
: > -- Turn off the radio.
: >
: > -- Hold down the SQUELCH button (above the PTT button),
: > the MAIN button and the BAND button.
: >
: > -- Turn the radio on while holding these buttons. The "LOCK"
: > indicator (a key icon in the upper right side of the display)
: > will be flashing, and the radio will be in crossband repeat.
: >
: > To disable Crossband Repeat:
: >

: > -- Hold the CALL/LOCK botton down for two seconds. The "LOCK"
: > indicator will stop flashing, unless...
: >
: > -- if the crossband repeater is in use, holding the LOCK button
: > won't turn it off. If you must shut it off in that condition,
: > press and hold the SQUELCH button, then hold the LOCK button
: > for two seconds, and the "LOCK" indicator will stop flashing.
: >
: > 73,
: > Gary KN4AQ

: --
: Using cable modem access through @Home network
: http://24.0.146.59/
: sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com

undoing the mod will do NOTHING to improve the intermod-all the mod allows
you to do is to tell the cpu to set the radio to the OOB freqs.
Without the mod, the circutry is still capaible of the wide-band rx, but
the cpu won't let you go there.
As the circutry is still wide-band, the intermod will be the same.
If you want to improve the problem, try a band-pass filter for the freq
range you want to rx.
Or, if the intermod is coming from a narrow range of freqs, then a
band-stop or a notch filter might be better.
An example of this might be:you are getting intermod from a paging
txmtr-you get a filter to notch out that freq-problem solved.

1351. Re: Yeasu VX-1R software problem (ADMS-1D)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Hinkle <ae4rg.nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6c500d$a9q$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 153396

Frank wrote:

> I have a Yeasu VX-1R and am using the ADMS-1D (ver.1.03) programming software.
>
> The software seems properly installed. I can download from the radio to the PC to create an .rdf file. I can also
> create a new .rdf file and save it. Then I can re-open and change these files on the PC. So far, so good.
>
> When I upload an .rdf file to the radio, the upload works (the memories and associated parameters are OK in the radio).
>
> However, after upload of an .rdf file to the radio, the next time I try to run and open that .rdf file on the PC, I get
> the message "Radio data file image is corrupted".
>
> I've reinstalled the software and created a new template a couple of times but the problem persists. Anyone have any
> suggestions about this problem?
>
> Any help or advice would be appreciated.....Frank Kandt N7DGO

Sounds like a template problem. Make sure your yaesu.ini file in your windows directory is pointing to the correct template
file for that radio. If you use more than one radio, then you will have to have separate rdf's for each.

Hope this helps.

73
Barry AE4RG
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Please remove the .nospam from reply to address when responding.

1352. Heathkit WATT METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5FC2B.2993@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For sale Heathkit HM-102 watt meter reduced price to sell I need the
room can be seen at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1353. Heathkit Cap checker FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5FBCA.65FA@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Heathkit cap checker for sale reduced price can be seen at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky priced to move I really need the space

1354. reduced price on Heath mobile PSs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5FB64.5742@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have reduced the prices on the Heathkit mobile power supplies check it
out at http://home.net/~docky ....need the space...

1355. Re: Drake 2-B crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@REMOVETHIS.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <34e60348.25816276@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 153400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For some reason, around 12 Feb 1998 18:38:40 GMT,
sbertsch@x1.us.ohio-state.edu (Steve Bertsch) wrote:

O/:
O/: I plan to order a few accessory crystals for a Drake 2-B. Can
anyone tell
O/: me the correct designation for the holder/package style for 2-B
crystals?

I THINK it wouldbe HC-6/U

Can anyone confirm that?

Bry, AF4K

See http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm
for a great variety of radio files and information.
AF4K / G3XLQ

1356. J-Pole antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: habib10279@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214210701.QAA18949@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153401

does anyone have the plans for making a j-pole antenna?

Andrew Love
kf4tpb

1357. FS Kenwood TS-590D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214211701.QAA09643@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153402

Have for sale a 3-month old Kenwood TS590S in perfect
operating condition. Modified for Mars. Prefer local
pickup. Waranty card not yet filled out. $1200 firm.

Also have an MFJ-941D. Looks its age buts works fine.
$50.00 shipped.

C. Jespersen K2OG
Bridgeton, NJ

1358. TS-690S opions please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net>
Message-ID: <34E5EF4B.561@thezone.net>
Source record: 153403

Hi I have achance to buy one at a good price .I am wondering if this was one of kenwoods goodies or mistakes? Is 100 watts on 6 meters or less also is it possible to put in both 2.4 & 1.8 khz filters?

1359. Telequipment Serviscope O'Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <JLWJ@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6c51ss$plt@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153404

I have an old oscope that I have no information on. Has anyone out there ever heard of a Telequipment Serviscope Model S51 A. I got it from a friend and would like to clean it up and calibrate it. Any info would really help.

Thanks,
Jim

1360. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <6c536vnre1@uranium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 153405
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

There's only one genuine spirit - - - MoonShine !

Lil Abner and Smokey Stover.

1361. VX-1R review please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdems@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <6c4vbi$4tg@news.acns.nwu.edu>
Source record: 153406

Can anyone provide me with a review of the VX-1R? Looks like a neat
little radio. IF this has been discussed here before, please point me
to a faq file or web based review. I am thinking about purchasing one,
and would value your experiences to help me make a wise choice

--
Edward A. Michelson
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL. USA
emichelson@nwu.edu

1362. Re: Yeasu VX-1R software problem (ADMS-1D)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <fkandt@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <34E612DE.C9BD2428@halcyon.com>
Source record: 153407

Since asking this question, I have been pointed to a patch to the ADMS software which is supposed to fix this problem.
It's at:

http://rtsars/rtssoftfaq.htm

I have installed it and we'll see how it goes.....Frank

Frank wrote:

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>
> The software seems properly installed. I can download from the radio to the PC to create an .rdf file. I can also
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> However, after upload of an .rdf file to the radio, the next time I try to run and open that .rdf file on the PC, I get
> the message "Radio data file image is corrupted".
>
> I've reinstalled the software and created a new template a couple of times but the problem persists. Anyone have any
> suggestions about this problem?
>
> Any help or advice would be appreciated.....Frank Kandt N7DGO

1363. frequency counters FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@xxx.com
Message-ID: <EoE2Av.Etq@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 153408

FS 0ne JVC BR7030 duplicator will make 3 copies at a time heads are good. BUT
THEIR IS A LOADING PROBLEM WITH ALL 3 DECKS Asking only $ 600. or BO
New sold for $5000.

TWO JVC BR700U high end tape duplicators FS NEEDS HEADS asking $400.00
new sold for 2100.00

FS FIVE JVC BRS710U High end SVHS duplicating deck. NEEDS HEADS
asking $ 450 or BO New sold for $2600

FS SIX NEC 12 in monitors model c12-202a $30.00 they all work fine

FS TWO Stancore video divices PS 1000 (10 in one out routing switcher)
$100.00 or BO

FLUKE 1901a multi counter ,freq. counter $ 50.00

leader lfg1300s function generator $ 30.00

SENCOPE 10hz- 1ghz freq counter $ 75.00

EICO flyback xfmr & yoke tester model 944 $ 25.00

Tentelometer tape tension gauge $ 75.00

GUZ WILLIAMS PRODUCTIONS 973 773-3559 OR bill@carroll.com

DO NOT USE REPLY DO NOT USE REPLY

1364. FS SABER SI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34E61ECB.5B89@pacbell.net>
Source record: 153409

I have for sale a SABER SI (model 3) on frequency range of 403 to 470 mhz.Has full key pad and 2 line alpha display.Looks like an astro and uses an an astro programming cable.Uses standard saber batteries.$700
AL

1365. FS KENWOOD TS830S GOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB9IOG <WB9IOG@REVEALED.NET>
Message-ID: <34E62F02.2AF3@REVEALED.NET>
Source record: 153410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Sn on this unit is 7,020,090 a good 9 in appearance and 10
in operation. Consistent 20+ reports from the East Coast
Features:
160-10 including WARC bands
Variable Bandwidth Tuning
IF notch filter
IF shift
Tubed finals 6146B w/ 12WY7A driver (finals well matched)
Adjustable noise blanker in RF stage
Digital display (stable too)
RF speech processor (really works)
XIT + RIT

If you need a solid performer that hears well the TS830S is
hard to beat.
$500+ shipping from 52753 w/manual.
Mike
Le Claire, Ia
OK QRZ.COM

1366. WANTED: Yaesu FT-10R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214231300.SAA07132@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153411

Hello,

I am looking for a used Yaesu FT-10R handheld for sale....

Motivated to buy

Jason Hulet
141 West Harbor Hwy
Maple City, Mi 49664

1367. mike jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Blair <fblair@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6c591f$42r$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153412

Can someone describe what wires connect to which connections on a regular mike jack and plug.

please email info.

1368. Parting out Mohawk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E61EEE.25EC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I am parting out a Heathkit Mohawk receiver major parts are still here.
What do you need? docky@earthlink.net Heathkit Collector
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

1369. WTB: Icom IC-745 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <34E62526.50488168@iglou.com>
Source record: 153414

Looking for Icom IC-745 service manual. Good photocopies considered.
E-mail me w/ condition and price.. crslex@iglou.com
Thanks........KB4AEP

1370. Re: J-Pole antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <shortckt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34E62C10.9E238C23@primenet.com>
Source record: 153415

Yes, there are plans for several varieties at my
web page (antenna section): http://www.qsl.net/k7on

Habib10279 wrote:
>
> does anyone have the plans for making a j-pole antenna?
>
> Andrew Love
> kf4tpb

--
Brian Short k7on@qsl.net http://www.qsl.net/k7on
1994 E Laguna Dr Tempe, Az 85282 (602)839-3484

1371. FS: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E62BBF.C36E3604@erols.com>
Source record: 153416

I have a 7 month old Icom IC-756 in Mint condition.
Radio may have 7 hr's on it.

Have original box and book. No optional filters.

No marks and a non smoker.

Just don't have time to play radio anymore, really a nice radio
with a very good receiver.

Price ????.??

Be kind

Steve

1372. Help - Heath HW-16 Neutralization

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4lnm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214234801.SAA12188@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153417

I have an HW-16 with the schematics, but no information on neutralization of the final according to the Heath instruction manual. There is only one chassis mounted variable cap for this purpose. I've tried "twist and try" to get maximum power coincident with plate current dip, but have not gotten close enough this way.

Anyone have the manual and could tell me in a step or two? It has been 30 years since I last did this!! Thanks.

John...
WB4LNM@aol.com

1373. Newark log book

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Steinke <artjez@webspun.com>
Message-ID: <34E65450.DFC1A05F@webspun.com>
Source record: 153418

For sale i vergin Newark station log book. no entries, book is in excellent condition, just a little yellowing from age. $11.00 shipped.

Art WB9JKZ

1374. Re: LOOKING FOR ADMS 1-D VER 1.0, 1.1, 1.2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rrocha@joaoxxiii.ufjf.br
Message-ID: <6c5j23$gh5$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153419

In article <19980214051100.AAA17007@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
metrom129@aol.com (METRO M129) wrote:
>
> IF YOU HAVE ANY OF THESE VERSIONS IF YOU COULD SEND ME THEM I WOULD REALY
LIKE
> THAT THANKS ALOT.
>
>
> to me too.

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1375. Re: mike jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <postmaster@fbi.gov>
Message-ID: <6c5iehghl1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 153420

Sure, if you define a "regular" mike jack ???

73,

<<< DAN >>>

Fred Blair wrote in message <6c591f$42r$1@gte1.gte.net>...
>Can someone describe what wires connect to which connections on a regular
>mike jack and plug.
>
>please email info.
>
>
>

1376. Re: LOOKING FOR ADMS 1-D VER 1.0, 1.1, 1.2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tubbs <piperbill@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34e6617a.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 153421

If you contact RT Systems, they'll be glad to help you out for the usual
cost of the programs. Of course, ADMS isn't share- or freeware. Good luck!

rrocha@joaoxxiii.ufjf.br wrote in message
<6c5j23$gh5$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>...
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1377. What do you think of the Kenwood THG71A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Olsen <ridgerunner@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34E667B0.50E4C5B1@jps.net>
Source record: 153422

I just sent away for a Kenwood THG71A hand held, so its a bit late to ask this but I will anyway. What does everyone think of it?

Ken

1378. Re: Help - Tek 2213 Scope Repair - Data on IC's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Wolke <kc2bog@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6c5pql$8jq@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153423

Jim West wrote:
>
> Got a scope cheap at the hamfest. I think the preamps on both channels
> are bad. So I tried to find some data on the 8 pin dips. Can't find
> anything that matches up to the numbers on the devices. One part is a
> Harris, the other is a RCA. The RCA is an original part, the Harris is
> one that has already been replaced. Does anyone know if Tek uses
> proprietary parts (vintage 1979). Thanks.
Jim,
It it quite possible that some of the ICs used in Tek scopes are
proprietary in that vintage. Their Integrated Circuits Operation (and
foundry) was quite mature at that time. The service documentation cross
references the part numbers to the manufacturer, so its very easy to
tell where they came from.
--
Alan Wolke, KC2BOG
"i usta cuDn't speL enjinere, noW i ar wuN"

1379. WTD: info on 8122 tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6c5r1jkko1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153424
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

looking for a circuit or schematic for the 8122 tube in ab1 or ab2 rf linear amplifier (hf) or vhf(6m)
rich

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1380. Can I use an FRS radio to patch into next town's repeater so my calls are local?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@Spam.Com
Message-ID: <MPG.f500aa21b94f241989682@news.deltanet.com>
Source record: 153425

Can I use a ham radio and only use the phone patch to the repeater?
The next town is only 5 miles away. To get local calls, I have to move
there, and I have not the funds, not now until I graduate and get a job.
I read in Popular Communications that under right conditions, the Kenwood
FRS can broadcast to 50 miles. Can I use this in so. CA? Thanks!

1381. WTD NONWORKING 6MSSB GRAR AND AMPLIFIERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6c5qqu$kd5$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

LOOKING FOR TUBE TYPE SSB 6M GEAR TO RESTORE SWAN,DRAKE,HEALTH ETC.
LOOKING FOR OLD TUBE AMPLIFIERS NONWORKING TO RESTORE
looking for old Drake receivers to restore

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1382. HELP FT-900 not working !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve@honk.org
Message-ID: <6c5t3mlla1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153427

I have an FT900 that just stopped working. I powered it off, and it never turned on again.

I have checked the fuses, and they are fine. there is 13.8v going to the radio, however, when I hold the power button down, it will not turn on.

It's just dead, and my warr. is long past.

I have removed the face plate, and re-inserted it into place, but there is still no change.Does anyone have any ideas on how to fix this ?

Thanks,73's
Steve

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1383. Mototola, Western Electric

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD6VEX@Hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6c5v2mmnn1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The 2SRA was sold.
I have left:

Motorola Mitrek Low Band 60W on 47MHz, comes complete with mic,speaker,wiring harness,control head. Control head is single channel. One pair on channel elements. No Pl/DPL board installed Model # T51JJA2000CK $100.00 +Shipping

Motorola Micor 800MHz (T45RTA6000AA) 35W 800MHz conventional. A Draw unit with a wiring harness, only. Make Offer +Shipping

Western Electric WWII recievers. It is a BC-455-B (6-9.1MHz), ARC-5 (3-6MHz) installed into a FT-277-A Rack. There are no Dynamotors for these, I built a crude powersupply that powered these units. All in working condition with frequency knobs.Comes with replacment tubes and high voltage powersupply. Make Offer +Shipping

Stephen
KD6VEX@Hotmail.com

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1384. Re: Need info on Kenwood TH-K7 for Russian friend...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC7ZRU <KC7ZRUspamsucks@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <34E687A5.ADC4285A@cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 153429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On the first question, if no one gets ya a copy - contact Kenwood, if they're anything like Icom, they'll have manuals they can sell ya. Maybe their web site?

As to the second - check out http://www.hamradio.com http://www.aesham.com and about any other radio retailer and ask for a 5/8's wave antenna for an HT. If I remember right, even Rat Shack can get them via RSU, albeit at a higher price. I've one here (Diamond RH778) that works very well on my Icom W2A. For my 2m only HT, the 'Smiley 5/8ths wave Slim Duck' from AES has worked nicely.

dx60@juno.com wrote:

> Hello all,
>
> I have a friend in Russia, UA0ZC (Valery Makarov) who has
> acquired a Kenwood TH-7K radio, but is lacking the instruction and
> spec sheets for it.
>
> Does anyone have one they could copy?
>
> Also, he is seeking a gain antenna for it (rubber duck
> style) - I have seen 2.5 db gain antennas from Larson
> for such 144/440 radios. Any ideas? Anyone have one
> for sale I could send him?
>
> Any help appreciated - he is in a remote village of the
> Kamchatka peninsula and has almost no access to such
> things.
>
> Many thanks,
>
> Dave WB7AWK
> Tacoma, WA USA

--
Tate Belden | 146.610
Laramie, WY | in Laramie area
KC7ZRU | UARC Repeater

1385. Re: Newbie: Icom-T8A, HP or not ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#6U#hReO9GA.273@upnetnews04>
Source record: 153430

You are right, the only difference between the two is a battery pack. Low power version (2W) is using "BP-199", and high power version (4.5W) is being sold with "BP-200" / 9.6V.

twod@not.valid wrote in message <6c62ri$324$1@vnetnews.value.net>...
>First up : I'm setting out studying for the Novice/Technician exam and
>am considering buying the T8A - mainly on the advice of my brother who
swears
>by his IC-7A.
>
>My budget - c/o IRS :) - will allow for a T8 and I like the construction
and
>size, I do a lot of travelling and a bit of hill walking so the water
>resistance is useful, but am not sure whether to buy the current T8A model
or
>to wait a couple of months and get the HP (high power) model.
>
>Am I correct in assuming that the only difference will be the battery pack
>between the two models ?
>
>I'd like to buy the current model in order to do some listening prior to
>taking the exam, but if the HP model differs markedly maybe I am better off
>waiting.
>
>Any comments would be appreciated.
>
>IAP
>
>--
>I am using anti-spam measures, please replace 'not.valid' with 'value.net'

1386. FS Antenna, Tower, accessories.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alfie <aradzik@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <34E623C3.73B5@injersey.com>
Source record: 153431

I just bought a house from a ham. He left a Rohn 80 foot tower(sectional)..I think he also left a Cushcraft RX7000 antenna on top. You can have the whole shebang for 50 bucks including the guy wire, coax and any other crap he left in the garage. I live in New Jersey. Come and get it!!!

Alfie

1387. WTB: Filters for Yaesu FT-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus Thomerson <markust@lx.net>
Message-ID: <34E5DF53.12A54739@lx.net>
Source record: 153432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello and thank you for reading this post. I am in need of optional crystal filters for the Yaesu FT-102. Specifically I am looking for the following:
XF-8.2HSN 1.8 kHz SSB
XF-8.2 HC 600 Hz CW
XF-455C 500 Hz CW
XF-8.2GA 6 kHz AM
Thanks, Markus.

1388. FS: MOTOROLA UHF MT1000 99 CHANNEL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdemos@cts.com
Message-ID: <34e4df1e.155327@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 153539

For Sale: Motorola UHF MT1000 99channel HT

Included:

* DTMF interface (cost me $150)

* desktop rapid charger

* two antennas, standard and stubby

* PL and DPL

* 438-470 (presently prgrammed for Ham bands)

* documentation

* will program upon request

This radio is in very clean condition, asking $400 (includes shipping).

Please respond by email to: tdemos@cts.com

1389. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd38e1$dcfb5da0$4f8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 153540
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

> In Italy these units are called "drivers". <g>

Italy? Try MA and NH, esp. on 75 & 11 meters.

1390. FS Ten Tec Paragon computer controlled

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: 88 <va3rpw@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6c2ooa$alr@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153541

This transever is in excellent condition.Just returned from factory after complete tune up.It has FM module & 250hz filter.The ten Tec computer interface module is installed. Has Prosoft software & matching cable.50 amp power supply & manual. I am 77 & hate to say it but my little brain cannot learn this new technology. I will ship UPS cod. Asking $995.00 US. Email= va3rpw@juno.com Ray Williamson, 1121 Vineyard St. Lehigh Acres FL. 33936. Phone 941-368-1903. (US call kc4vxu)..

1391. Re: FS: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214011001.UAA09807@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153542

I bid $.02, you pay shipping.

Kï¿½MB

1392. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6c2r81$k2v@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 153543
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Robert Lay <nobody@crosslink.net> wrote:
>If I correctly understand the prefix "back" in a nautical context, it
>would mean "forecastle" or "foc'sle" as we say. If that's the case

The foc'sle is a storage or berthing area towards the bow of the
ship. It's the worst possible area to live, for the motion is
quite violent. Read Dana's "Two Years Before The Mast" to get
a better idea of shipboard living conditions (in that region
of the vessel).
Jeff KH2PZ

1393. Re: Kenwood 520s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony giroux <agiroux@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <34E58FF0.D431B60F@cvn.net>
Source record: 153544

Yepper it does. At least mine looked a lot like 6146B's when I swapped
& balanced the finals in my 520S last month.

WD6AXL

KB4AEP wrote:

> Doesn't the 520S use 6146 final tubes?
>
> Justin Cascagnett wrote:
>
> > For Sale:
> >
> > Kenwood 520S HF SSB rig.
> > 10, 15 20, 40, 60, 80, 160 meters
> > Straight Key
> > MC-50 Desk Mic
> > Users Manual
> > Service Manual
> > Extra set of Finals (6LQ6 tubes)
> >
> > $200 plus shipping (internet price, advertised locally for $250)
> >
> > ion@gtii.com

1394. FS: Icom 745 HF Transceiver & Icom PS-20 Speaker/power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214015201.UAA16343@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153545

For Sale : Icom 745 HF transceiver and matching Icom PS-20 speaker/power supply. Includes Icom HM-12 scanning hand held mic and manual. All in original boxes, one owner, non-smoker, very clean pair.

Asking $550 plus shipping/insurance.

Call Dave, K2DP (St.Louis) at 314-862-5698 or reply via e-mail.

73,
Dave
73,
Dave, K2DP
St.Louis

1395. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: LA8ak@no.direct.Line
Message-ID: <34e5017e.41427349@news.sol.no>
Source record: 153546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 12 Feb 1998 03:14:35 GMT, n7uqa@gte.net (Craig Petersen)
wrote:

>Why even bother posting such stuff like this in this newsgroup? Do you really think
>anyone here could afford such gear? Maybe you should contact some small
>countries.....
>
this NG (rec.radio.amateur.dx) seems to be a mainly
CB-newsgroup, they often have much money..... it was also posted
to a pure cb group and italian group (is the country of pirates?
>
>
some x-post newgroups have been removed when this msg is posted!
---
please do not spread (X-post) amateur radio news to garbage
groups!

(Mr) Jan-Martin Noeding
N-4623 Vaagsbygd (K for WALA)
email: LA8AK@online.no
email for work available on request

1396. ICOM wireless Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Tanner <mtanner@cinergy.com>
Message-ID: <01bd38ed$4203ecc0$6808a8c0@Tanner.CINERGY.COM>
Source record: 153547

I bought one of these in hope of hooking it up to a Motorola radio for commercial use in a power plant control room. I have no manuals, the only one comes with the manual for the ICOM radios that the mic adapts to.

Looking to get PTT and Audio out of the infrared receiver.

Any help would be appreciated.

mtanner@cinergy.com

KC4COV

1397. Re: FS: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: foad2@juno.com
Message-ID: <34e5091f.19676576@news1.channel1.com>
Source record: 153548
Cross-posted to: harvard.marketplace,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On 13 Feb 98 21:22:54 GMT, Gandalf_The_White_dork_or_capret licker
said

>For sale via online auction: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB
>Cobra portable CB model HH35 w/magnetic mount cobra antenna &
>cigarette lighter adapter
>
>Minimum Bid: $20 billion

No one ever says anything about this spam shit!

1398. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.xx.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <34e70ca2.5333058@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 153549

cpatterson@csi.com (Craig Patterson) wrote:

>"Chad Johnston, KI8CU" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> wrote:
>>>(about 16oz). Doesn't do cross band repeat (a hardware mod is
>>>supposedly around).
>>
>>I'm not so sure about the cross-band repeat. It's probably NOT mentioned in
>>the manual, but I'm almost positive the W32A does it. My Icom IC-Z1A does
>>it, the W31A does it, so I'm sure the W32A will CBR also. I've played with
>
>It's not in the manual. THe only mention i've seen has been for a
>hardware mod. If there is a way to do it, I would love to know how...

To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive (cellular blocked):

-- Turn off the radio

-- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.

-- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
and squelch buttons.

-- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.

To enable Crossband Repeat:

-- Set the VHF and UHF frequencies you want to use.

-- "Lock" the radio by holding down the CALL/LOCK button
for two seconds.

-- Turn off the radio.

-- Hold down the SQUELCH button (above the PTT button),
the MAIN button and the BAND button.

-- Turn the radio on while holding these buttons. The "LOCK"
indicator (a key icon in the upper right side of the display)
will be flashing, and the radio will be in crossband repeat.

To disable Crossband Repeat:

-- Hold the CALL/LOCK botton down for two seconds. The "LOCK"
indicator will stop flashing, unless...

-- if the crossband repeater is in use, holding the LOCK button
won't turn it off. If you must shut it off in that condition,
press and hold the SQUELCH button, then hold the LOCK button

for two seconds, and the "LOCK" indicator will stop flashing.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

1399. LOOKING FOR ADMS 1-D VER 1.0, 1.1, 1.2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: metrom129@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214051100.AAA17007@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153550

IF YOU HAVE ANY OF THESE VERSIONS IF YOU COULD SEND ME THEM I WOULD REALY LIKE THAT THANKS ALOT.

METRO

1400. Yaesu 51R Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <XqaF.31$e82.208906@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 153551

I have a FT-530 and I'm interested in the FT-51R and was wondering if you can display battery voltage in the sub band like on the 530. The 530 can display the battery voltage or the clock. Also has anybody done the mod for the 51R and what is the new TX/RX ranges.

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Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

1401. FS - Yaesu FT920 - INRAD 400HZ FILTER - FM BOARD - AM PASSTHROUGH BOARD - $1495.00 SHIPPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <6c3e6b$k28$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 153552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

AS NEW!!! 4 month old, 7h Series, 400hz INRAD CW Filter, FM board, BOX, Mic, etc. NO bugs, no problems, just need the cash. Invested $1870.00, sell for $1495.00 shipped. 73, Mike - WQ0N Email or call 314-947-4155

1402. FS: HTX-202 $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E53E82.3384@hnet.net>
Source record: 153553

Excellent condition. With e box and all the stuff that came in it. My license expired and I lost my interest in ham radio (after 30 years of hamming)
Fuzzy

1403. Yaesu 757GXII & Power Supply - $550

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E540D4.55B6@hnet.net>
Source record: 153554

Yaesu 757GXII with the Yaesu FP757HD power supply. Has DC cables too. $550 firm, and I'll ship (in the United States). Excellent condition. Used about twice per year the last couple of years. I don't remember when I bought it, but I believe it's less than 10 years ago. Getting out of ham radio... after 30 years.

Fuzzy

1404. FS: MFJ Versa Tuner II - $75

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E5420F.47BE@hnet.net>
Source record: 153555

MFJ Versa Tuner II in mint condition. $75 Getting out of ham radio
(after 30 years).

1405. Bencher side paddle key - $35

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E543B3.6780@hnet.net>
Source record: 153556

Mint (never used on the air!!!) I think it's the BY-1 $35 plus
shipping
Fuzzy

1406. WTB: 1960's Popular Electonics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E5470F.466A@hnet.net>
Source record: 153557

Wanted... Pop'tronics from the early 60's. I have many, but am looking
to fill out my collection from my heydays in ham radio. I LOVED
Carl&Jerry episodes.
Fuzzy

1407. WTB Icom AH-20 Antenna for IC-2SRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rca@saber.net
Message-ID: <34e541f9.19703047@news.saber.net>
Source record: 153558
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking to buy Icom AH-20 receiver antenna for Icom IC-2sra.
Also interested in other accessories.

Please respond via email to rca@saber.net

Thank you.
Robert Arge, W4SFL
Covelo
California 95428

1408. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E52622.5DF89BE4@together.net>
Source record: 153559
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Actually, the worst part of the ship to be berthed in is near the Chiefs
mess after "Chili" night... ;)

The back part of the ship is generally referred to as "aft" or "stern"...
old sailing ships used to have a "quarterdeck" which was generally an
elevated deck in the aft of the ship often where officers were berthed.

Tom
KB1CGA

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Robert Lay <nobody@crosslink.net> wrote:
> >If I correctly understand the prefix "back" in a nautical context, it
> >would mean "forecastle" or "foc'sle" as we say. If that's the case
>
> The foc'sle is a storage or berthing area towards the bow of the
> ship. It's the worst possible area to live, for the motion is
> quite violent. Read Dana's "Two Years Before The Mast" to get
> a better idea of shipboard living conditions (in that region
> of the vessel).
> Jeff KH2PZ

1409. unsub Ham-Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pa3erl@hetnet.NL
Message-ID: <01bd391d$8e872be0$LocalHost@hetnethetnet.nl.hetnet.nl>
Source record: 153560
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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Dit is een meerdelig bericht in MIME-indeling.

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unsubscribeHam-Equip pa3erl@hetnet.nl

------=_NextPart_000_0021_01BD3925.F04B93E0

charset="iso-8859-1"

unsubscribeHam-Equip pa3erl@hetnet.nl

------=_NextPart_000_0021_01BD3925.F04B93E0--
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1410. Experience with verticals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: willie@hit.handshake.de
Message-ID: <6nsha-gz83B@hit-willie.hit.handshake.de>
Source record: 153561

Hello, World,

is there anybody having experience with vertical antennas for the whole
ham spectrum? Especially, I'm interested in the following antennas:

Butternut HF6V-X6 and HF9V-X9
Diamond CP5 or CP6
GAP Titan DX

Ciao 4 Now

Uwe

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U \/\/ E Willie willie@handshake.de
Saarbruecken, Germany http://www.handshake.de/user/willie

1411. FS CushCraft R5 Vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kirby.nesbitt@velocity.bc.ca
Message-ID: <887451842@velocity.bc.ca>
Source record: 153562

For Sale:: CushCraft R5 HF vertical
Complete, in excellent condition, including assembly manual.
Stored inside for past 3 years
$ 195.00 US$
If interested please contact:

Kirby Nesbitt VE7RKW
<knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>
PH: 604.574.2316

1412. FS: Oak Hills OHR400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214122001.HAA04767@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153563

I have for sale an Oak Hills OHR400 four band QRP rig (CW only) in excellent cosmetic and operational condition. Covers 80, 40, 30, and 20 meters, and puts out a good 5 watts (+/- adjustable) on all bands. Other features include built in CW keyer option, audio filter, RIT, AGC, RF gain, "tune" switch, and manual. If you're looking to get into QRP and don't want to be stuck on one band, this is an excellent opportunity.

If interested pls. drop me a note at < rut@mcrut.mv.com >

Thanks & 73-- Phil (K1HS)

1413. Re: YAESU FT-102, FV-102DM VFO, SHURE 444

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34e59c21.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 153564

One (1) FV-102DM VFO, the SP-102P and SHURE 444 mic are spoken for at this time however, the remaining gear is still available!

73.....Dennis W4DG

Dennis Griffin wrote in message <34e46334.0@news2.ibm.net>...
>YAESU: 2 ea. FT-102 160-10m (including WRC) Transceiver, reconditioned by
>NC4L, new relays & tubes, 200w output, 1.8KHz. filter, VG condition, $550
>ea. 2 ea. FV-102DM digital VFO, VG condition, $250 ea., SP-102P
>Speaker/patch, VG condition, $100. SP-767 Speaker/filters, as new in
factory
>box, $75. SHURE 444D mic, dual-impedance, black, $50. BUYER PAYS SHIPPING
>FROM 33708. Dennis, W4DG (813)391-9912.E-mail: w4dg@ibm.net.
>
>

1414. Re: FS:TOKYO HY POWER HL-1KA HF AMP not working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6c47hg$5ei$2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 153565

KF6IKC@webtv.net wrote:
: This cute little amp runs a pair of 4X150 or 4CX250B tubes for 500-600
: PEP watts out on all bands 10-160 meters.I think the transformer is bad.
: Was working but now blows the fuse when you turn it on. Peter Dahl
: stocks the transformer,or can be used as a parts unit.amp is complete
: w/tubes. I'm asking $175.00 + shipping. AS IS!!

: For more info call me @ (530)241-0843 9am-9pm PST

I would suspect the diodes before the xformer!

1415. FS Icom 730 w/ power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Sudy <flightdoc@aristotle.net>
Message-ID: <6c47c2$j6c@socrates.aristotle.net>
Source record: 153566

Greetings,

I have an Icom 730 in excellent working condition with 20 amp power supply
for sale. Makes an excellent first time rig or use as a backup/mobile rig.
If interested, please email flightdoc@aristotle.net for more details.

73's
Don
KB7JKA

1416. FS: Icom W21at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lps1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f4f5f76ff1f63ea9896a3@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153567

F O R S A L E

Brand: ICOM
Model: W21AT Dual Band Handheld Transceiver
Rx: 118.000 Mhz - 174.000 Mhz, 406.000 Mhz - 470.000 Mhz,
825.000 Mhz - 950.000 Mhz
Tx: 138.000 Mhz - 174.000 Mhz, 440.000 Mhz - 450.000 Mhz

- dual receive on same band
- Icom BP157 NiCd battery pack (Standard 3 Watt max)
- Icom BP132h 12 volt NiCd battery pack (5 Watt output)
- Icom AC battery charger
- lighted keypad and display
- original box and all manuals included
- full RX/TX crossband repeat enabled
- 48 Memories for VHF/UHF/Cellular
- three power levels 0.5w/1.0w/1.5w
- scan simultaneously on both bands
- large dual band display and signal strength meters
- whisper function enabled with optional microphone in battery pack
- built-in PL encode/decode board
- built-in DTMF encode/decode board with pager function
- 4 different scan types with skip functions and 4 resume conditions
- I have all of the original packaging materials and manuals
- The radio is in very good shape

$ 275.00 obo plus shipping...

If you are interested, please reply via email to 'lps1@earthlink.net
and we can make arrangments from there.

73 de KM5BH

Lewis Stephens

1417. Re: WTB Icom AH-20 Antenna for IC-2SRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6c47ku$5ei$3@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 153568
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

rca (rca@saber.net) wrote:
: Looking to buy Icom AH-20 receiver antenna for Icom IC-2sra.
: Also interested in other accessories.

: Please respond via email to rca@saber.net

: Thank you.
: Robert Arge, W4SFL
: Covelo
: California 95428

this might sound dumb, but have you called ICOM?

1418. HELP!!! heathkit laboratory osilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mp5466@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214151600.KAA19919@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153569

If any has a manual or can direct me to the manual for heathkit osilloscope model number10-18 i would appericate it greatly. the osilloscope works great but i need the manual. i will pay for any cost. thank you all very much!!!

heathkit laboratory osilloscope model# 10-18

thank you mp5466@aol.com

1419. Re: Yaesu FT757GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan E. Hodel" <aehodel@mcs.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.95.980214084159.20643A-100000@Mercury.mcs.net>
Source record: 153570

Dave,

Sorry I don't remember the switch to increase power that you mention. I have a file from one of the other rec.radio newsgroups that describes a Broadbanding Mod to the rig's Control Unit SWO3 (unmarked switch on the upper main board near the display board) which it says will give 100W between 1.5 and 30 Mhz.

Maybe more information could be obtained by using the Fox_Tango mailing list MajorDomo Information:<http://www.qth.net>. I haven't tried yet, but it's just a thought.

I share the same power output concern with my FT757GX. However, mine was just in the factory a short time ago (lightning damage) and it seems the power output is the same as before it was damaged.

My low output may be more related to my antenna configuration and resonance rather than the rig. My antenna is a 570 ft somewhat rectangular loop up about 20 ft that is fed with home-made ladder line. The rig's power out is about 50 (3.7Mhz) and 70 (7.1 Mhz).

When I first got the radio, I was at a different location and used an inverted V (abt 135 ft total length) up about 60 ft and fed with coax. I recall the output (3.7 Mhz) being closer to 100 watts then.
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73 Alan
Alan E. Hodel + KW9T + http://www.mcs.net/~aehodel/
No Spam Please! Send personal replies to: aehodel@mcs.com

On 10 Feb 1998, David A Turpin wrote:

> I believe I have read somewhere that there is a switch to increase output
> on the FT757GX, but have misplaced the post.
>
> Seems it was a switch inside the front cover.
>
> Could someone please help me out on this. Only getting about 25 to 45
> watts output and need to have the 100 the rig is designed for.
>
> Thanks in advance for the help.
>
> Dave KC0CDL
>
> ____
> You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
> Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com

> Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]
>
>
>

1420. tubes wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <34E5C007.EF545641@freeway.net>
Source record: 153571

i am looking for two 8875 tubes please state condx and price in email to

kcubilo@freeway.net thanks

1421. Siltronix VFO Information Req.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214160800.LAA26626@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153572

I have Two Siltronix VFOs One is Model 80-3 (16 MHz range). The other is the model 90-6 CB range is (24-24.5) HF range is (24.5- 25). Then there are 3 crystal positions that you can add crystals in. I would like to get a schmetic or info on what radios they will work on and at what point on the radios are they hooked up.
Thanks
EJ (KC5EPI)

1422. WTD: IRCI Icom newsletters & IC229H Svc Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu
Message-ID: <EoDGyp.FrF@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 153573

Am in need of two issues of the IRCI Icom newsletters dealing
with the IC229 radio - my idex sez either 123 & 124 OR 124 & 125.
Also need service manual for the radio. Clean copies A-OK. Will
be happy to pay for copying and shipping. Pls Email if u cn help.
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Opinions expressed are those of myself and do not necessarily
represent those of my lawyer!

1423. F.S. Yaesu FT101zd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6c4iqv$371$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 153574

I have a Yaesu FT101zd for sale. I've had it about six weeks. It's extremely clean.
Apparently has very little use. Face looks new. No marks or wear whatsoever.
The case has a couple small mars. Works perfectly. Tunes full power.
All hf bands except WARC. Digital freq display.
I have the manual and original sales broshure.

I'm looking to get $375 shipped, or $350 pick-up in Chicago area.
I bought as a backup rig from a local ham. Then I fell into a Kenwood ts930s.
So no longer need it as a backup.

It can be checked out by any local here in near west suburban Chicago.
Trades for older 2m allmode gear (ts700a w/pl board or equiv.) welcome.

Thanks... Mike N9IVO 708-795-7739 home.

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Mike Pender Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
Steam@megsinet.net or N9IVO@Amsat.org
Fax: 708-795-7003
Amateur Radio Call: N9IVO W.A.S. DXCC 10X-66444
A.M.A 529703
I.B.E.W. Local 9 Lineman 17 years.

1424. Wanted Kenwood DSP-10 for TS-950S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John M. Saboe" <viking@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <6c4j1e$j8d@paperboy.world-net.net>
Source record: 153575

Want to buy Kenwood DSP-10, digital signal processor unit, for my TS-950S.
Please send me your offer!
73
Gary AC5OV

1425. Wanted Kenwood Filters TS-950S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John M. Saboe" <viking@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <6c4jln$j8p@paperboy.world-net.net>
Source record: 153576

Want to buy Kenwood YK-88C-1, YG-455C-1, YG-455CN-1 and YG-455S-1 filters
for my TS-950S. Interested in YK-88CN-1 and YK-88SN-1 filter as well.

73

Gary AC5OV

1426. Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980214174900.MAA21104@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153577

FT-1000 Top Cabinet. Small scratch on top. $30 shipped.
Heil CC-1-K Heil HM-10 mic cable for Kenwood. $16 shipped.

Van,
Lincoln, NE

1427. Wanted Kenwood SM-230 with pan display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary AC5OV <viking@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <6c4k31$j9j@paperboy.world-net.net>
Source record: 153578

Want to buy Kenwood SM-230 station monitor with pan display. Model which was recently discontinued from Kenwood product line.

73

Gary AC5OV

1428. Yeasu VX-1R software problem (ADMS-1D)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <fkandt@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <34E5D3F8.1F803089@halcyon.com>
Source record: 153579

I have a Yeasu VX-1R and am using the ADMS-1D (ver.1.03) programming software.

The software seems properly installed. I can download from the radio to the PC to create an .rdf file. I can also
create a new .rdf file and save it. Then I can re-open and change these files on the PC. So far, so good.

When I upload an .rdf file to the radio, the upload works (the memories and associated parameters are OK in the radio).

However, after upload of an .rdf file to the radio, the next time I try to run and open that .rdf file on the PC, I get
the message "Radio data file image is corrupted".

I've reinstalled the software and created a new template a couple of times but the problem persists. Anyone have any
suggestions about this problem?

Any help or advice would be appreciated.....Frank Kandt N7DGO

1429. help on o'scope ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Arend <mc5021x@michiana.org>
Message-ID: <I3Yj1eUO9GA.191@news.michiana.org>
Source record: 153580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I'm looking at getting ahold of a decent oscilloscope - what models, features to look for and what to stay away from?

I primarily use this for vaccuum tube amps and preamps (audio) so I dont need anything too fancy (or expensive). Id like to keep it around $200 or so....

Matt

1430. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@kuentos.guam.net
Message-ID: <6c4ni2$b0p@lehi.kuentos.guam.net>
Source record: 153581
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <34e285b4.19039916@news.onramp.net>, Dave <x3b@netdot.com>
>writes
>>I smel a T R O L L !
>>
>>
>>
>>"Sandro" <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> wrote:
>>
>>>I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
>>
>>
>Sandro's no troll, but he's been trying to sell all this heavy
>commercial equipment for the last few months.
>You'd think that would tell him something about the prices he's asking!

>Phil / UK

Or at least change the subject to 'I ADVERTISE Big Amplifier and Antennas'......

73, Jim KH2D

1431. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean A. Foley" <sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com>
Message-ID: <34E5E0DA.BC7DFA21@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 153582

I've done this mod on my W32 and it works great. However, when I
hook it up to a mag-mount gain antenna, I get a lot of intermod/noise.
I was thinking that the wideband mod makes the W32 more prone to
intermod. I've tried the partial reset for the radio, but it's still
wideband. Is there a way to disable the wideband mod short of a full
reset (will a full reset even work?)

73's

Sean
KF6OAB

Gary Pearce KN4AQ wrote:

> To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive (cellular blocked):
>
> -- Turn off the radio
>
> -- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.
>
> -- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
> wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
> and squelch buttons.
>
> -- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.
>
> To enable Crossband Repeat:
>
> -- Set the VHF and UHF frequencies you want to use.
>
> -- "Lock" the radio by holding down the CALL/LOCK button
> for two seconds.
>
> -- Turn off the radio.
>
> -- Hold down the SQUELCH button (above the PTT button),
> the MAIN button and the BAND button.
>
> -- Turn the radio on while holding these buttons. The "LOCK"
> indicator (a key icon in the upper right side of the display)
> will be flashing, and the radio will be in crossband repeat.
>
> To disable Crossband Repeat:
>
> -- Hold the CALL/LOCK botton down for two seconds. The "LOCK"

> indicator will stop flashing, unless...
>
> -- if the crossband repeater is in use, holding the LOCK button
> won't turn it off. If you must shut it off in that condition,
> press and hold the SQUELCH button, then hold the LOCK button
> for two seconds, and the "LOCK" indicator will stop flashing.
>
> 73,
> Gary KN4AQ

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Using cable modem access through @Home network
http://24.0.146.59/
sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com

1432. FS UHF SPECTRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34E5E1E9.4817@pacbell.net>
Source record: 153583

I have a uhf spectra for sale 440 470 mhz.50 watts,128 channels,a5 model,
all accessories.$550
AL

1433. Re: IC-207H Review?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6c4o74$hq1@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153584

I bought one about two months ago. Works great in my vehicle,
you only can use one band at a time, All of the radios functions
can be done from the mike, I don't seem to hear
any intermod (Here in LA) PL works good, got good reports
on tx audio, rx audio is good..... hope this helps

NASA/JSC wrote in message <01bd38c7$33413240$173da98b@NASA.jsc.nasa.gov>...
>I'm looking at buying a IC-207H 2m/70cm mobile from ICOM. Has anyone had
>any experience with one? I'd like to hear about its performance before I
>buy it. Please reply by email: schafers@ghg.net
>
>Also, are there any web pages which have radio reviews?
>
>Thanks!

1434. Re: Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E5EA1C.711EB1CA@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On that wide a split, you will need to retune...MAYBE able to get it
to cover both freqs....but depends on the tuning range of the
radio....

I got a GE Delta to cover 48 and 52 MHz but the rcvr was now at .7uv
up from .2uv when tuned on one channel....

PS dont post non-for sale/swap msgs in the SWAP area please!

Chris
WB5ITT

Steve Leong wrote:
>
> Hello!
>
> I have an 8-channel Motorola Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Band radio. I have 4
> channels programmed to Red Cross frequencies, and used the RSS to
> successfully program the other 4 channels to local 6 meter frequencies.
> Is this radio capable of tuning both sets of frequencies without re-
> tuning the radio? At present, it transmits AOK on the Red Cross
> frequencies, but does not on the 6 meter channels. I did notice during
> programming, that the RSS displayed a caution/error message on the need
> to possibly re-tune. Any suggestions or assistance would be greatly
> appreciated on this. Thank you in advance!!!
>
> Steve KC6IJM

1435. FS:Icom 751-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "RICHARD J. ALBRIGHT" <airplus1@ezaccess.net>
Message-ID: <3F6A2167E1650BA1.060068084AC232A4.BC58AD72F51959C0@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 153586

Icom 751-A with PS-55 power supply. This radio is in perfect cond. No marks, scratches and has never been tampered with. It does not have any optional filters but doesn't need them anyway.. Have box-books-and original accessories.. Non smoker $800
No tire kickers Please! Serious calls only. days 717 346-8138 eves. & weekends 346-5044
Thanks for reading this listing........Rich KC3QY

1436. Re: HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@antispam.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E7E1A9.ECA@antispam.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----

.............................
note: please remove the
"antispam" reference in my
e-mail address when replying
.............................

My father used to be a coastal telegraph
operator. Their station used to have
HRO500's. The biggest complaint was
the dial lights. If they go out
you have to do MAJOR disassembly
of the receiver in order to get
to the dial lights in order to
replace them .. be warned !!

Trish

Patricia E. Gibbons
City of San Jose - ITD/communications
Mobile Radio shop supervisor
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu/pks-commands.html>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!
-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
Version: 4.5
Comment: Free speech is also the right to speak privately

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W. Charles Alexander wrote:
>
> Anyone have opinions on the HRO 500?
> tkx
> --
> 73 de charlie
> W. Charles Alexander
> KC8IKG
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1437. FS: ALINCO Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erv <kb8tnq@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <34E7AFDB.DFE648C4@voyager.net>
Source record: 153338

I have an Alinco DR599 mobile for sale. This is being sold for a friend without internet access. It comes with manual and original packaging and is in excellent condition. Price is $400 shipped via UPS. Please email for information. Thanks

7-3,
Erv KB8TNQ

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Please visit our Web Site at:
http://www.qsl.net/kb8tnq

"Dare to Dream, It Sets Your
Spirit Free!"

1438. Re: Help - Tek 2213 Scope Repair - Data on IC's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmiew@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <34e77fbe.128602261@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 153339

Thanks for everyone's help. The consensus is that these are CA3080's with maybe a selection critera for transconductance. We got lots of old data books at work and there is a good chance that I can scare-up a datasheet. If I cant find a replacement in a junk drawer at work, there are some vendors that we work with that specialize in hard to find components. Again, thanks for all the help.

On Fri, 13 Feb 1998 01:42:31 GMT, jimmiew@sprynet.com (Jim West) wrote:

>Got a scope cheap at the hamfest. I think the preamps on both channels >are bad. So I tried to find some data on the 8 pin dips. Can't find >anything that matches up to the numbers on the devices. One part is a >Harris, the other is a RCA. The RCA is an original part, the Harris is >one that has already been replaced. Does anyone know if Tek uses >proprietary parts (vintage 1979). Thanks.

1439. AZDEN Pro2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry Singer <singer@henge.com>
Message-ID: <34E7AEA5.BD9EC638@henge.com>
Source record: 153340

Does anyone know anything about this 2M radio, channels, does it have PL, what the hi and lo power outputs are, programming info, Any info will be appreciated...Thanks...Gerry KC0CAT

1440. Help-How Can I Use Callbook CD with Log Windows ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl <colson@chesapeake.net>
Message-ID: <34E72027.1CD5@chesapeake.net>
Source record: 153341

Just got Amateur Radio Callbook 1998 CD...which runs with its own search
program...but I want to look up Calls when I's running LogWindows 3.0..
The "callbook" option in Logwindows is 'grey-ed out' like it doesnt
know there is a callbook CD available????
Thanks
Carl K3Sk

1441. FS: Alinco DX-70 HF+6m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.H. Oemar" <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <34E5CFC3.3FAF@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 153433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Like new, 8 months old, excellent condition (used as base unit only) for sale:

ALINCO DX-70T tranceiver + hand mic.
HF + 6m, Tx 100W, general coverage receive, CWN/CW/SSB/AM/FM 0.5 1 2.4 9 Khz, 100 ch memories, dual VFO, noise blanker, RIT/TxIT, High/Low power setting, separate antenna terminals for HF and 6m, detachable face plate.

Accessories:
ALINCO EDX-1 Manual Antenna Tuner Unit
User Manual
Circuit Diagram

All in original box, asking $850 shipped by FedEx airfreight.

Detailed info can be found at:
http://alinco.com./Products/DX-70T.shtml
http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/hf_trxvr/1662.html#feature

Please email if interested.

73,
Richard H. Oemar

1442. FS: Yaesu FT920 HF + 6M - 400HZ CW - MARS - $1450.00 SHIPPED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <6c5f3m$92i$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 153434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Yaesu FT920 with INRAD 400HZ CW filter, only 4 months old,
as NEW!!!! NO scratches, NO bugs, late 7h series serial number, box
manuals, mic, etc, MARS mod. Invested over $1800.00, need cash,
must sell, $1450.00 shippped.

I guarentee this rig or your money back!!! Mike - WQ0N

Email tenorman@i1.net or call 314-947-4155 evenings and weekends.

1443. BASE HF RADIO WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6c5evf$4fc@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 153435

Hello. I&#65533;m interested in getting a used base HF radio. Not looking to spend a lot, but I got some to spend. Please e-mail with model number and make, full list of features, any mods done, condition, and how much you want for it. Here&#65533;s mainly what I&#65533;m interested in in one:

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-100 or more watts (200 PEP is a big plus)
-VFO tuning knob
-all mode (AM/FM/SSB/CW)
-160m-10m coverage (transmitting and receiving)
-volume, squelch, NB, etc.
-general coverage receive would be a plus, but not necessary
-built in CW keyer would be a plus, but not necessary
-manual, box, power cords, microphone, etc. are a plus
-built in meters are a big plus
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Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW
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1444. Re: VX-1R review please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: robtwitte@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215011601.UAA24746@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153436

Check out
members.aol.com/RobtWitte

Also, search this newsgroup via www.dejanews.com
and you will find lots of comments.

Bob KB0CY

1445. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan Morris, G4ENS" <alan@mainline.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bd39a0$68e60ea0$01010101@p133.access.co>
Source record: 153437

Gary Pearce KN4AQ <kn4aq.xx.gary@mms.xx.net> wrote a lot about the
IC-32A?

Here in England we each have an Icom IC-W32E. (144-146) They replaced the
2 Kenwood TH-77. Please note that the twin mic/spkr connectors are not the
same.

Will the "A" mods work on the "E" versions?

Alan G4ENS
Carol G1UGK
Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, UK.

1446. Re: Heathkit Cap checker FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bea and Marvin Jones <jonz@rmi.net>
Message-ID: <6c7cu9eju1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 153438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

In rec.radio.amateur.equipment Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net> wrote:
: Heathkit cap checker for sale reduced price can be seen at
: http://home.earthlink.net/~docky

: priced to move I really need the space

?? !! Do you "really need the" web *space* , or the shack *space*?
I've got one of these -- it's about the size of two pocket
kleenex packets...

Jonesy W3DHJ

I know -- I know... Various words and letter sequences above
are registered trademarks of any number of corporations on
this planet.

1447. Operating experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W.Schlifer" <n9nrf@iname.com>
Message-ID: <6c7fpo$5ue@tricia.msn.fullfeed.com>
Source record: 153439

There are 2 areas of curiosity:

Having read that the sunspot cycle is increasing, 6M is being touted
as the "new arena" to explore. I'd like some input from Ops that
actually use 6M & whether it'd be advisable to invest in such equipment?
Locally, there's only 4 Hams that use 6M (out of a 88 member club) &
they've advised me to seek info on a newsgroup.

Second, I remember reading about freqs below 160M a year or 2 ago in
QST. Is there much activity there and what's the usual cost of equipment
were I to explore that avenue?

Thanks for replies!

73

Walter
n9nrf@lse.fullfeed.com

1448. FS: Heath HW12A 75m SSb w HP-13 $65

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1lpi@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215193100.OAA17812@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153440

For Sale

1. Heathkit HW12A 75m SSB transceiver with HP-13 DC supply & cables. Untested.
$65 plus shipping from Los Gatos CA or pick up.

3.8 to 4.0 mhz USB,LSB, Vox, PTT

2. Spare HP-13 DC PS, Untested.
$25 plus shipping from Los Gatos CA or pick up.

Email in interested.

73

Dave K1LPI

1449. FS: Butterfly Beam HF5B $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1lpi@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215193600.OAA07642@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153441

For Sale:

Butternut HF5B 5 band beam $125 plus shipping from Los Gatos CA or pick up.
For complete specs see web page at http://www.bencher.com/hf5b.html

If interested email K1LPI@aol.com

1450. WTB Six Mtr, SSB Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <34e773a1.544032@165.87.194.238>
Source record: 153442

I need a clean 6 Mtr. SSB Rig.

Albert Wa3fib
215/673-0485
aldel@ibm.net

1451. Re: Operating experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E749B7.1315@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153443

W.Schlifer wrote:
>
> There are 2 areas of curiosity:
>
> Having read that the sunspot cycle is increasing, 6M is being touted
> as the "new arena" to explore. I'd like some input from Ops that
> actually use 6M & whether it'd be advisable to invest in such equipment?
> Locally, there's only 4 Hams that use 6M (out of a 88 member club) &
> they've advised me to seek info on a newsgroup.
>
> Second, I remember reading about freqs below 160M a year or 2 ago in
> QST. Is there much activity there and what's the usual cost of equipment
> were I to explore that avenue?
>
> Thanks for replies!
>
> 73
>
> Walter
> n9nrf@lse.fullfeed.com

Hi Walt -- I was wondering the same thing. One of the Ham Magazines
answered the question by an article as to what to expect on 6M on and
off the solar cycle. Sounds exciting so I bought a TS-60S.

Maybe someone can quote the magazine article publication date.

As to low freq operation -- see Longwave Club of America at
URL:http://members.aol.com/lwcanews/index.html
--
73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 70 PAGES AND 2000 LINKS
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

1452. TS-50 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmgillah@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6c7holnao1@bumbletown.me>
Source record: 153444

Hi! A friend has a TS-50 and had a question about the 4 programmable buttons on the mic. He's programed buttons 1-3 just fine, but he cannot get button number 4 to program--it continues to act like the DWN button on top of the mic. Any suggestions?

Thanks

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Dave Gillahan dmgillah@mtu.edu Michigan Technological University
Office: (906) 487-3443 ki8dl@usa.net http://radiolink.net/ki8dl
ki8dl@w8yy.#upmi.mi.usa.noam
Amateur Radio: work long hours,
get no money, and call it fun. Without integrity, one has nothing
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1453. VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Degnan <tdegnan@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6c7j99$bo7$1@nnrp3>
Source record: 153445

I have a 2 month old Yaesu VX-1R that is for sale. It comes with the ADAMS software and cable and also the soft case made by Yaesu. It has been modified with the software to extended receive and transmit and also receive on cell. Has all boxes, manuals, and printed instructions on how to modify. If interested let me know. I paid 350.00 for everything am asking 310.00.

Tony Degnan
KC0CSD

1454. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34e5eef4.22211049@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153446
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 14 Feb 1998 01:15:45 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>The foc'sle is a storage or berthing area towards the bow of the
>ship. It's the worst possible area to live, for the motion is
>quite violent. Read Dana's "Two Years Before The Mast" to get
>a better idea of shipboard living conditions (in that region
>of the vessel).
Hello Jeff,

I'm perfectly aware of what the foc'sle is, having spent some time on
sailboats as well as 41/2 yrs in the U. S. Navy. I don't understand
what your point is. My discussion refers to the meaning of the german
prefic "back" in the context of Backstag, which I believe is the
german for "forestay". Perhaps my meaning wasn't clear.

>Jeff KH2PZ

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

1455. Re: Mobile rigs in Ford SUV's, problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dothetime@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215210301.QAA01930@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153447

Bob,
I run a Icom 706 in my 96 explorer sport. Works out ok, but I have a lot of what I believe is ignition noise. I also have this noise in the AM car radio. The dealer put a RFI capacitor on the electric fuel pump per a service bulletin. Did not make much difference. The explorer uses a distributorless ignition system with dual coils and I believe this is the source of the noise. When the engine is not running I get no noise.
I have a pretty good screwdriver antenna setup and all my grounds are ok.
I haven't pursued it much more because it does work,
but low signals get pretty much buried in the S7 noise level.
I may try shielding the spark plug wires and coils at some future date. Let me know if you find someway to improve the situation.
Dave WA2HFN

1456. Re: IC-PCR1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6c7m2l$4l5$1@news4.ispnews.com>
Source record: 153448
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.digital,mi.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

This item has been sold.

Bill Crocker wrote in message <6btnii$n34$1@news2.ispnews.com>...
>FOR SALE: ICOM PCR1000, computer controlled "Black-Box" radio.
>Like new "10", complete with original box, manual, warranty, software, etc.
>
>$450.00
>
>Bill Crocker
>
>p.s. Email for details!!!
>
>

1457. For Sale: Decibel Products DB304 VHF collinear array $250 or B.O.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1lpi@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215214300.QAA08291@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153449

For Sale: Decibel Products DB304 $250 or B.O. plus shipping/packing.
BROAD BAND ANTENNA

4-stack collinear array of dual dipoles to prpovide broad bandwidth, high gain circular pattern. It mounts to the top or side of the tower.

6.7 dB GAIN, 150-174 MHz (Will also work on 2M amateur band)

�Broad Response - 10 MHz bandwidth �Moisture Resistant - VAPOR-BLOC� cable harness gives weather protection and iinsures inphase signal distribution to radiating elements.
�Circular Pattern - DB304 provides an omni pattern when two dual dipoles at the top are aligned at a 90 degree angle from the two dipoles at the bottom.
�
Each antenna is isolated from the other by 30 dB, and each has a separate feed line terminating at the base.
�Field Changeable - Patterns can be adjusted with ordinary hand tools.
�Lightning Resistant - The radiators operate at DC ground,
�Two-Piece Mast
Can be inspected and picked up Los Gatos, CA. Will ship, plus extra cost for packing & shipping.

Photo available at:
http://www.decibelproducts.com/marketing/catalog/db304/db304.html

If interested email K1LPI@aol.com

73
Dave
K1LPI

1458. Re: Repeater audio???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike & Jayne Goad <ka4ezy@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <34E762BE.7329@flinet.com>
Source record: 153450

Sean P Murphy wrote:
>
> I am interfacing the audio from the receiver of a General Electric
> Mastr II to the transmitter of the same radio. Does anyone have any ideas
> on how to do this. I should say any other ideas. I have tried building an
> op-amp/ de-emphasis circuit and picking the audio from the vol/sq hi. This
> works great but I wonder if anyone has any different ideas. (easier?) I
> guess I might be looking for different circuits. Anyone?
>
> Sean N5MWM 444.375 Kenner, La.

GE used to build repeaters using this same radio platform. I've seen the books for them at many hamfests. If you can find one, then you should be able to duplicate their circuitry. If you don't come up with one, let me know. I may be able to locate one.

Good Luck.

73 de Mike, KA4EZY

1459. Re: marine and ham band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike & Jayne Goad <ka4ezy@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <34E760C2.770D@flinet.com>
Source record: 153451

Lab Assistant wrote:
>
> Has anyone ever tried modifying a marine band radio to work on the
> 2m band? I they may have gotten me by their advertising, but the marine
> radios
> seem to be built to take more punishment than a typical HT or even
> a "MIL-810" version (I have never owned one though). Some claim
> waterproofness even in a saltwater
> environment. It seems like they would be a good choice for hiking,
> emergency or a radio that needs to stand up to the elements.
> It would also seem to get around the problem of using a ham radio
> outside
> of the ham bands, you would then be using a marine radio on the ham
> bands, which should be OK. Along these lines is it possible to use an
> aircraft band radio on the ham bands (is there 2m AM? or is it
> modifiable to SSB or some form of FM?
> Has anyone ever tried any of this?
> KS4TY, Eddie
> reply to: gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove 1's from address)

It may be a more rugged radio if you get into the high dollar equipment but for my money, the true ham gear is the way to go. I've found my Kenwood, Icom, and Yaesu portables to be just as rugged as most of the marine stuff I've seen. Some of my gear even rivals my commercial band Motorola HT's in terms of toughness and reliability. And I've been a Motorola trained tech for 17 years.

As far as modifying the marine radio for ham use, it would require some signifigant hardware rework as well as the ability to reprogram the radio. Neither of these would be worth the fuss. Plus, once it was modified, the type acceptance would be voided and you could no longer use it on the marine band.

My suggestion would be to go get yourself a good 2 meter HT and enjoy. I recently purchased a Yaesu FT-50RD and have found this to be one tough little rig. By the way, Yaesu makes single band versions of the FT-10/40/50 in their commercial line, Vertex. So, I would say it must be a pretty tough little radio.

Good Luck.
73,
Mike Goad, KA4EZY

1460. Ts-820s rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <general@inspace.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3a5d$c5c47cc0$1ed98fd0@general.evcom.net>
Source record: 153452

Purchased a kenwood ts-820 s at the orlando hamfest. can anyone give any pointers on this unit? I am using a dipole which is receiving very well. I am a general, but this is my first HF rig. Thanks for your replies.

1461. Lots of Heathkits for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary K0IMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E76503.38AF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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Lots of Heathkits for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky look
under "for sale" Heathkit Collector Site
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1462. FS ICOM 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <34E7AEDA.3A958D3A@voicenet.com>
Source record: 153454

I have a ICOM 706 for sale in perfect condition. Up-grading to IC706 MKII. The offer includes: IC706, Microphone, Manuals, fused power cable and original carton. The radio is 14 months old and has less than 50 hrs of use.

Will sell to first offer over $800.00. Will ship next day service via FED EXPRESS at my expense after recipt of bank check or money order.

If interested please send e-mail or call days 610-429-1514 - Evenings 610-429-1297

Joe
K3JV

1463. WTB-220mhz Mobile Xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Brooks <kk6pa@ridgenet.net>
Message-ID: <34E77401.9CA59F3B@ridgenet.net>
Source record: 153455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I am looking for a good single band 222 Mhz xcvr in the
$200-$300 range for our RACES group. No crystal rigs or
HT's please.

If you have one for sale message me at the BBS given.
Note how much you want for it a complete description of
the gear,your phone number, call and what state you are in.

Thanks. Jerry

Jerry Brooks,KK6PA

1464. Help with identification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KenB <ken_bNOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6c7t0d$sa7$1@usenet49.supernews.com>
Source record: 153456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a device called a Digital Frequency Display, which has no manufacturer ID on it anyplace. I picked it up at a yard sale and hoped to use it with my Kenwood TS-520 transceiver, but can't figure out how. The transceiver manual is no help.

It has three buttons on top marked "PWR", "MODE", & "Hzx100". It has a selecter knob on the left front with 3.5 through 29.1 bands marked on it, plus WWV. There are also led's to indicate upper and lower sideband. Near the knob is a square with a red "S" in it...I guess that is a logo for the manufacturer.

It has a LED type frequency display, and above that is an apparent model #: DD-1K. It has a heat-sinked power transistor on the rear, and the it has one phono jack for input or output.

Does anyone recognize this?

KenB

1465. Impedance Meter 252 [Electro Scientific Industries]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: LS50@RV12P2001.nil
Message-ID: <34e76b9f.10897571@news.sol.no>
Source record: 153457

I have the Electro Scientific Industries: Impedance Meter 252 - for measuring inductance and capacitance, but it needs calibration. Unfortunately I lack any handbooks or information for it. Do you have any experience with servicing this? I need circuit diagrams, believe I don't need a complete book. I have several friends in the business to help me getting it to perform better - provided I have some details or circuit diagrams.

Hope to hear from you

73

(Mr) Jan-Martin Noeding
N-4623 Vaagsbygd (K for WALA)
email: LA8AK@online.no
email for work available on request

1466. Re: WTD: info on 8122 tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: LS50@RV12P2001.nil
Message-ID: <34e76b39.10795518@news.sol.no>
Source record: 153458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 15 Feb 1998 10:12:10 -0800, John Strupat
<john.strupat@sympatico.ca> wrote:

>rcf@crosslink.net wrote:
>>
>> looking for a circuit or schematic for the 8122 tube in ab1 or ab2 rf linear
>> amplifier (hf) or vhf(6m)
>> rich
>>
>> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
>Hi Rich,
>
>I've been looking for 8122 tubes for my old National rig.
>
>Do you have some that you would sell or swap for 4CX250's?
>
>I have some good articles from ARRL handbooks on high power VHF amps
>using the 4CX250, but I've never seen any homebrew articles or
>commercial companies other than National use the 8122 back in the 1970's.
>
>A few posting on the ham newsgroups suggest that they are very fragile
>mechanically as RCA built them less ruggedly than the Eimacs.
>
>
indeed they are 'fragile' - if this is the right word for it
we used 4x 8122 in 6 TX's for coast stations in this area. You must
check every valve for screen to controlgrid short circuit using a VOM,
up to 30% of the delivered goods showed this failure, and we could not
return them to the manufacturer! Similar experience applies for the
Danish manufacturer 'Sailor' which used 8122 in earlier shortwave
transmitter.

First time you test av valve be sure to run it with heater only for at
least one hour. But still some valves will have inter-electrode
short-circuit during first tests, so it is indeed a time-consuming
affair to find 4 valves to use in each transmitter.
It is important to use some grid bias circuit which will immediately
switch off the transmitter when screen-control grid shortcircuit occur,
or at least use some low resistance back-up negative grid voltage in
parallell with the variable, 18V transformer with 1N4007 diode, 1000uF
filter capacitor and a second 1N4007 gate diode (normally biassed off)
is a suggestion for secondary bias voltage to avoid screen voltage go

into the bias of the parallell valves (it is bad enough to ruin one valve!)

(Mr) Jan-Martin Noeding
N-4623 Vaagsbygd (K for WALA)
email: LA8AK@online.no
email for work available on request

1467. ref: FS TS940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Van Randolph <wovan@ultravision.net>
Message-ID: <6c7ta5$jr8$1@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 153459

This listing can be deleted.. It is gone, gone, gone. Thanks.
Van
Randolph

wovan@ultravision.net

1468. CHEAP HF AMPS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E7749E.33A8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153460

I just found a couple of Web sites with HF Amps that are very inexpensive.

http://users.aol.com/rfelectron/rfelect.htm

http://coaxkid.simplenet.com/amplist.htm

1469. WANTED>>DEAD OR ALIVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur R. Howard" <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <34E77D64.989CC844@ncia.net>
Source record: 153461

High power linear or AM transmitter projects,preferably in
Me,NH,Mass or VT area for pick up

1470. Re: WANTED>>DEAD OR ALIVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur R. Howard" <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <34E77E85.DD0F7ABF@ncia.net>
Source record: 153462

Forgot to say I want homebrew projects,the older the vintage the better

Arthur R. Howard wrote:

> High power linear or AM transmitter projects,preferably in
> Me,NH,Mass or VT area for pick up

1471. Re: Wire Antenna Info Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hoodlaw@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <6c7vj0ojk1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153463

Steve,

Good antennas, perform better than most G5RV configurations. Also look at the "half-square" from Antennas West (website but I don;t kow the address) - I have not used one, but heard good comments.

73 - Chip -- KM4AF

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1472. CAY-46076 and 77

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur R. Howard" <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <34E77FA8.F3372BCE@ncia.net>
Source record: 153464

I recently aquired these two rcvrs with the 117V power supply.They are marked with matching serial numbers(941)Navy Department-Bureau of ships,unit of model RBM-5 radio equipt.The 076 covers from 200kc to 2 meg,the 077 covers from 2 to 20 meg.These units are extremely clean and work flawlessly.Have anything interesting to trade??

1473. Re: Anyone hear of Kenwood TS-510?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hoodlaw@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <6c7vsn$on0$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153465

In article <6c2436$n6b$1@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>,
sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:
>
> I posted several messages about the Kenwood TS-510 but
> no one seems to have heard of it. What's the story
> on this rig?
>

Its been a long time, but if memory serves me correctly, 510 was a non-import model (i.e. not normally sold in US), but was manufactured with English manual and labels. Try Kenwood homepage and post a message to them.

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1474. TM V7E and packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fjfernandez@ctv.es
Message-ID: <34e639e7.60626835@news.ctv.es>
Source record: 153466

I want to use a TM V7E for packet radio, but I don?t know wich pin of
the data connector switches the TX.
In the manual the pins are numbered as shown:
1- Data from TNC to radio
2- Ground
3- Standby
4- Data at 9600 from radio to TNC
5- Data at 1200 from radio to TNC
6- Squelch
Where do I connect the PTT line from de TNC?

1475. Re: scrambler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: HAWK <rogerd@chisp.net>
Message-ID: <34E7925B.7406@chisp.net>
Source record: 153467

alon wrote:
>
> hello
> i am looking 4 i.c (cheep) that is a scrambler
> so i can add it with circuit i could build to my transiver
> that no one could here me (except the other side) on the air
> -where can i find it ??
> thanks
> alon.b (alon@135.kef.co.il)
A B CD GOLDFISH........
M N O GOLDFISH........
O S A R!

1476. Trade 75A2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur R. Howard" <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <34E784FE.3A922553@ncia.net>
Source record: 153468

I have a 75A2 in fair shape.It plays well but has a broken function switch(am cw fm) these are availabe.I would like to trade for a 390A,R-1051,or similar rcvr>>tnx>>arthur

1477. Johnson 275 watt matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur R. Howard" <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <34E7858C.41C5953C@ncia.net>
Source record: 153469

Still looking for the band coil for one or a junker to salvage

1478. Re: TS-50 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmgillah@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6c82qg$57t$1@bumbletown.me>
Source record: 153470

Dave Gillahan (dmgillah@mtu.edu) wrote:
: Hi! A friend has a TS-50 and had a question about the 4 programmable
: buttons on the mic. He's programed buttons 1-3 just fine, but he cannot
: get button number 4 to program--it continues to act like the DWN button on
: top of the mic. Any suggestions?
:

We found a short on the back of the board the switch was mounted to.
Boy it sure is small in that hand mic for all that stuff!
--
____
Dave Gillahan dmgillah@mtu.edu Michigan Technological University
Office: (906) 487-3443 ki8dl@usa.net http://radiolink.net/ki8dl
ki8dl@w8yy.#upmi.mi.usa.noam
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1479. 4X500,s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur R. Howard" <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <34E79D99.EEA0FF5D@ncia.net>
Source record: 153471

Can anybody give me an idea of the value of 4X500,s and sockets and chimneys(sk-906 chimney>>SK-900 socket)>>Thanks>>Arthur

1480. WTT: UHF Commercial HT for PDA or SW Rx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Marsh <nickwb4sqi@wwd.net>
Message-ID: <34E79747.1705@wwd.net>
Source record: 153472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Midland 70-254B UHF HT, 16 channels, 5 watts, 440 to 470
coverage, PL encode/ecode, 13.2 volt 1000mah battery, manual and service
manual copy. No charger. I also have an Icom CM35 charger and Icom Super
BP-8 battery that works on this radio.

I am looking for a handheld PDA, like Apple Newton model 120/130, WinCE
1.0 or 2.0 models or ?

Or I would like to find a good table top SW receiver with digital
display and usb/lsb capabilities.

What do you have to trade?
--
73
Nick Marsh
WB4SQI

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1481. Bradymarker XC Plus Printer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: lps1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f515b04956463a09896a5@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153473
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,dfw.forsale,fidonet.amateur_radio,houston.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

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with 24 characters per line

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See at http://www.whbrady.com/cgi-bin/genobject/document_2_85

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lps1@earthlink.net

1482. Re: TM V7E and packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34E7A82D.27B0@onramp.net>
Source record: 153474

javier Fernandez de la Mela wrote:
>
> I want to use a TM V7E for packet radio, but I don?t know wich pin of
> the data connector switches the TX.
> In the manual the pins are numbered as shown:
> 1- Data from TNC to radio
> 2- Ground
> 3- Standby
> 4- Data at 9600 from radio to TNC
> 5- Data at 1200 from radio to TNC
> 6- Squelch
> Where do I connect the PTT line from de TNC?

Pin 3
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1483. Re: E-mailng RT Systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones Beasley <jones1@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <6c873p$o441@news1.alltel.net>
Source record: 153475

Yes I have and they have always E-Mailed be back in a very quick response.
The guys name was Rob who E-Mailed me back. I guess this doesn't help much.
SORRY! I had several problems with there software but they took care of it.
I still cannot print out my configuration on my IC 32A.
73
N4VNI
Hadley Allhands wrote in message ...
>Hi All,
>
>Has anybody had luck e-mailing RT systems with ADMS problems?
>
>I have tried to get a response on a ADMS-1D question three different
>times and get no answers from them.
>
>Thanks,
>Hadley
>
>--
>Hadley, K7MLR
>had@halcyon.com

1484. Need help identifying part...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: chastain@whidbey.com
Message-ID: <34E7AEA3.629F@whidbey.com>
Source record: 153476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It's some sort of rf module made by motorola, about 1"x.5" and has 5 holes for some sort of pin like connectors. The numbers on the module are:

NDL6942A
M77D12 B
8529 A4 MAL

The connections are as follows:
Pin: 1 - input (???16 vrf???)
2 - 12 to 15 VDC
3 - choke to b+
4 - Gnd
5 - Rf out

Motorolas web site is of no help. Does anybody have any specs on this module??

Thanks for your time,

Matt. C

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ICQ#: 756934 Callsign: N7YCK
http://www2.whidbey.com/chastain/
http://www.planetquake.com/swat/

1485. Wanted Alpha 89 amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <shfoster@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34E7B2C3.372CE67D@usa.net>
Source record: 153477

Looking for mint 89a. Steve WB5OMP

1486. Wanted command tech amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <shfoster@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34E7B311.73160137@usa.net>
Source record: 153478

Wanted command tech. 1250 single tube hf amp. Must be mint, no smoker.
Steve Wb5omp

1487. FS: Kenwood TM-221A 2mtr 50watt Mobile Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Penguin@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <34e73172.0@news6.kcdata.com>
Source record: 153479
Cross-posted to: alt.forsale,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,uwisc.forsale,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I have forsale a Kenwood TM-221A 2 meter 50/10 watt Ham Radio Mobile for sale.
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email: penguin@thepentagon.com

--Talin

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1488. Mods for Kenwood TS-950S/SD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Barlament <kc9id@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <6c8ckv$q5i$1@news.inc.net>
Source record: 153480

Anyone have the info on any modifications/improvements (MARS, xmit, receive, etc.) for the Kenwood TS-950S/SD. Thanks for reading this.

Jim B. KC9ID
kc9id@netnet.net

1489. FS: NOS 6AZ8 Philips, $3.25 each, 10 or more $3.00 each

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Harlan <sales@emodus.com>
Message-ID: <6c8g52$qo3$1@ha1.rdc1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 153481

NOS Tubes, large quantities of each available.

FS: NOS 6L6GC, GE, $22.00 each, 10 or more $20.75 each
FS: NOS 6V6GT, made in France, $8.50 each, 10 or more $8.00 each
FS: NOS 6AZ8 Philips, $3.25 each, 10 or more $3.00 each
FS: NOS JAN 12AT7WC, $4.50 each, 10 or more $4.00 each
FS: NOS JAN 5751 GE, $3.50 each, 10 or more $3.25 each
FS: NOS JAN 6922(E88CC, 6DJ8) Philips,$3.25 each,10 or more $3.00 each
FS: NOS 7062 (E180CC) Amperex,$3.75 each, 10 or more $3.50 each
FS: NOS 6186W (6AG5WA) Phillips $.20 each, or $12.00 per 100 tubes(BOX)

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1490. Yaesu FT-6200 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: lasergod <lasergod@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34E7C577.9B669213@usa.net>
Source record: 153482

I'm looking for a mod for the FT-6200 dual band radio. I would like to be able to access the 460 freq's.
Can anybody help?

Thanks,

Jer

1491. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: destill <destill@northstate.net>
Message-ID: <34E7083A.4BFC@northstate.net>
Source record: 153483

Bill Brannick wrote:
>
> Not sure this is the right group or not..
>
> Consistent, I think, with most articles that I have read, my station
> ground is a 8ft ground rod which is located within a foot of the
> exterior wall separating my station from the outside world. I have all
> my ham gear tied to a copper buss bar at the back edge of my bench. This
> bar in turn is tied to the the ground rod outside. The length of that
> conductor is less then 4 feet.
>
> As it happens there is a copper pipe/hose bib projecting from the
> exterior wall very close to my station ground. This pipe is the source
> of the ground for the house electrical power system. There is a 8ga (or
> so) conductor running from that pipe over to the power distribution
> panel.
>
> The question.. is there a NEC (National Electric Code) requirement that
> dictates that I tie these two grounds together. and .. if that's not the
> case, what are the trade-offs for doing it or nor doing it.?
>
> Thanks for any suggestions I might get on this one..
>
> Bill
Don't forget that the purpose of the length of the ground rod is to
reach constantly moist earth. Also, have your power utility check the
effectiveness of the ground rod at your transformer.

1492. ADMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <onpoint@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <34E7DBB2.7333@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 153484

Hello,

can anybody tell me if there is a website that has saved ADMS files for
The FT-3000 in various cities? Especially southern Ca.

Thank you,

Mike

1493. Re: Schematic for IC27A 2meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#dI4rMqO9GA.256@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 153485

Aha, no audio trick! Try wiggling the volume pot, if you don't hear any change your problem is probably open 4.7 ohm fuse-resistor on VCC line to audio amp. Amp is popular 5-pin 2002 on the left side of PC board, resistor in question is also at the very left edge closer to the back side (heatsink).

Adnan, Icom America

Marwynne wrote in message <6c81dgqvh2@uhura1.phoenix.net>...
>I have a sick IC27A 2meter FM mobile rig. I am looking for a copy of the >schematic. I believe the problem is in the audio section. If anyone has one
>that they could copy or scan and send to me. I would appreciate it very much.
>
>If anyone has one and has had audio problems, Please let me know what you >found wrong. The rig appears to be working with the exception of the audio >section.
>
>Thanks in advance for your help.

1494. Re: Newbie: Icom-T8A, HP or not ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <OzNRMPqO9GA.171@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 153486

You are talking about T7A if I'm not mistaken. "T8A" is a brand new handheld tribander 6m-2m-70cm. It uses different battery packs than current Icom handhelds.

Adnan

Rick Kirchhof wrote in message <34e7a9df.15196040@news.jump.net>...
>On Sat, 14 Feb 1998 23:33:40 -0800, "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
>wrote:
>
>
>I got mine in July of 97. They were using the BP180 (7.2V 600mah) for
>4w on 2M and 3w on 440.
>
>I echo the reports. Excellent radio, and the wide band front end is
>really nice as a scanner. 60 memories is not a lot, but enough for my
>repeaters and favorite PS band freqs.
>
>Rick
>KD5ABM
>
>>You are right, the only difference between the two is a battery pack. Low
>>power version (2W) is using "BP-199", and high power version (4.5W) is
being
>>sold with "BP-200" / 9.6V.
>>
>>
>>twod@not.valid wrote in message <6c62ri$324$1@vnetnews.value.net>...
>>>First up : I'm setting out studying for the Novice/Technician exam and
>>>am considering buying the T8A - mainly on the advice of my brother who
>>swears
>>>by his IC-7A.
>>>
>>>My budget - c/o IRS :) - will allow for a T8 and I like the construction
>>and
>>>size, I do a lot of travelling and a bit of hill walking so the water
>>>resistance is useful, but am not sure whether to buy the current T8A
model
>>or
>>>to wait a couple of months and get the HP (high power) model.
>>>
>>>Am I correct in assuming that the only difference will be the battery
pack
>>>between the two models ?
>>>

>>>I'd like to buy the current model in order to do some listening prior to
>>>taking the exam, but if the HP model differs markedly maybe I am better
off
>>>waiting.
>>>
>>>Any comments would be appreciated.
>>>
>>>IAP
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>>>I am using anti-spam measures, please replace 'not.valid' with
'value.net'
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>>
>

1495. FS DRAKE 2-NTand2-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: landaircom@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215023200.VAA05604@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153487

The best starter cw station around.$400.00 for both units

1496. FS ICOM 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <34E6A451.7FFFB6F5@voicenet.com>
Source record: 153488

For Sale IC706. In perfect shape, rig is 14 months old used very little
with narrow SSB filter, microphone, manuals and original carton.
will sell to the first offer over $800. If interested reply via e-mail
or phone day time 610-429-1514 evenings 610-429-1297.

Joe
K3JV

1497. FS: Near Mint TS930S/AT - Reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <34E65F41.4FC0@mci.com>
Source record: 153489

Hello Friends,

I still have a near mint TS-930S/AT transceiver for sale.

Electrically, it's perfect. It has been checked and aligned by
the Kenwood experts at International Radio in Florida.

Cosmetically, it's in super clean condition.

With original manual and box.

Just reduced to $775 + shipping, Or Best Reasonable Offer.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

1498. Info wanted (if it exsists!) On ANY type of HF HT for 20 meters up to 160!??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6c5n4poct1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 153490

Well, I guess my main question is DOES a radio for this band OR ANY
of the HF bands exsist in HT form? I was just curious, and think that the
idea would be great, but I also think that the electronics required might
be too much for a small enough package. Please feel free to comment on this
and let me know. Thanks...

========****----====
73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

1499. Re: Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmuddx@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd39c3$96fcd580$1ca4cacc@rickmudd>
Source record: 153491

Yup. If you plug it in while it is on, the VOX won't work. Turn the unit off, plug in the unit, turn unit on. It should work.

Steve Carpenter <manager@vnet.net> wrote in article <34E4EA07.49232DDE@vnet.net>...
> I just got the VC 23 vox headset for my radio. PTT seems to work fine,
> but I can't get anything to transmit on vox. All the instructions I got
> were on the back of the box and it said plug it in, switch to vox and
> set the sensitivity until the transmitter comes on. Mine does not.
>
> Anybody got any ideas??
>
> Apparently there is nothing to set on the radio. I've tried adjusting
> the SQL but I got no improvement.
>
> Thanks.
>
> sdc
>

1500. FS: TUBES-8 PIN, $1.00 ea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd39d1$2e7353a0$82dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 153492

2ea 0A3, 2ea 0B3,2ea 0C3, 2ea 5Y3, 1ea 6AH4, 1ea 6AU4, 1ea 6AX4, 1ea 6BL7,
1ea 6BX7,
1eaa 6C5GT, 1ea 6SK7, 6ea 6SN7, 1ea 6W4, 2ea 6Y6, 1ea 12AV5, 1ea 12AX4, 1ea
50L6, 1ea 3692

DWIGHT RADDATZ
email draddatz@gwe.net 970-626-5111

1501. ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: metrom129@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215054601.AAA03851@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153493

HELLO IF YOU HAVE ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE VERSIONS 1.01 OR 1.02 COULD YOU PLEASE SEND IT TO ME I NEED IT FOR A VX-1R RADIO THAT I AM TRYING TO MODIFY SO IF YOU HAVE IT I WOULD REALY LIKE THAT THANKS ALOT!!

METROM129@AOL.COM

METRO

1502. Re: Anyone hear of Kenwood TS-510?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdmilner@ns.auracom.com
Message-ID: <34e680c0.22035305@news.auracom.com>
Source record: 153494

sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:

>I posted several messages about the Kenwood TS-510 but
>no one seems to have heard of it. What's the story
>on this rig?

I can't supply too many technical details but just some brief ones. I have seen a picture of one of these I was sent after a QSO. It is a hybrid solid state/tube rig. HF, 10-160metres, 100W+. It had a remote VFO. A little heavy but was a fairly reliable radio. It was the TS-520's predecessor.

Hope it helps :)

Dean, VE1CBF VE1CBF@qsl.net
10-X 31826 FN96VC

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! to reply remove ns from domain name above

1503. Newbie: Icom-T8A, HP or not ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: twod@not.valid
Message-ID: <6c62ri$324$1@vnetnews.value.net>
Source record: 153495

First up : I'm setting out studying for the Novice/Technician exam and
am considering buying the T8A - mainly on the advice of my brother who swears
by his IC-7A.

My budget - c/o IRS :) - will allow for a T8 and I like the construction and
size, I do a lot of travelling and a bit of hill walking so the water
resistance is useful, but am not sure whether to buy the current T8A model or
to wait a couple of months and get the HP (high power) model.

Am I correct in assuming that the only difference will be the battery pack
between the two models ?

I'd like to buy the current model in order to do some listening prior to
taking the exam, but if the HP model differs markedly maybe I am better off
waiting.

Any comments would be appreciated.

IAP

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1504. Re: Help - Tek 2213 Scope Repair - Data on IC's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark McPherson <markm@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <34E695C8.3C231746@teleport.com>
Source record: 153496

Jim,

I can't tell you whether or not the 2213 used Tek-proprietary ICs in its front end, but I did work in Tek's Integrated Circuit Operation during that period. As I can best recall, all the parts we produced for Tek applications were labelled as "Tektronix" parts, with a Tek part number on the package plus the usual date code. It is pretty unlikely that an RCA- or Harris-labelled part in a 2213 would be Tek proprietary, especially if it's in the signal path, and I think it is even less likely to be proprietary if one brand has been replaced with the other.

Kind regards,
Mark
K7MPH

Alan Wolke wrote:
>
> Jim West wrote:
> >
> > Got a scope cheap at the hamfest. I think the preamps on both channels
> > are bad. So I tried to find some data on the 8 pin dips. Can't find
> > anything that matches up to the numbers on the devices. One part is a
> > Harris, the other is a RCA. The RCA is an original part, the Harris is
> > one that has already been replaced. Does anyone know if Tek uses
> > proprietary parts (vintage 1979). Thanks.
> Jim,
> It it quite possible that some of the ICs used in Tek scopes are
> proprietary in that vintage. Their Integrated Circuits Operation (and
> foundry) was quite mature at that time. The service documentation cross
> references the part numbers to the manufacturer, so its very easy to
> tell where they came from.
> --
> Alan Wolke, KC2BOG
> "i usta cuDn't speL enjinere, noW i ar wuN"

1505. fs kenwood ht's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6c64vl$nte@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 153497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have 2 Kenwood HT'S for sale, both are in like new condition.

1. KENWOOD TH27A. (2-MTRS), Two batteries, wall charger, rapid desk charger, manual.
145.00 +shipping.

2. KENWEED TH78A DUAL BANDER 2MTRS/440. Has opened receive all the way up to and through the 800mhz band. 40 mem channels. Two batteries, wall charger, desk rapid charger. manual.
325.00 I pay shipping.

AGAIN, BOTH RADIOS ARE IN NEW/PERFECT CONDITION. leave replies to wm9h@execpc.com

1506. fs kenwood hts for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6c65lj$nte@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 153498
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have two kenwood hts for sale. Both are in like new condition. One owner, never dropped, and are perfect.

1. Kenwood TH-27A 2MTR HT. Comes with 2 batteries, wall charger, rapid desk charger, rubber duck antenna, manual. 125.00+shipping.

2. Kenwood TH-78A DUAL BANDER 2MTR/440. 40 MEM CHANNELS, RECEIVE OPENED UP TO AND PASS THE 800MZ BAND. Comes with 2 batteries, wall charger, rapid desk charger. manual, and soft case.

thank you for reading this.
genno/wm9h

wm9h@execpc.com

1507. Re: Help - Tek 2213 Scope Repair - Data on IC's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6c68f8$ida@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 153499

jimmiew@sprynet.com (Jim West) writes:
>Got a scope cheap at the hamfest. I think the preamps on both channels
>are bad. So I tried to find some data on the 8 pin dips. Can't find
>anything that matches up to the numbers on the devices. One part is a
>Harris, the other is a RCA. The RCA is an original part, the Harris is
>one that has already been replaced. Does anyone know if Tek uses
>proprietary parts (vintage 1979). Thanks.

What are they labelled?

If the 2213 uses the same preamp board as the 2215 (and it probably
does - I think the only real difference is the dual sweep timebase
of the 2215), and if the ICs you are talking about are U120 and
U220 on the attenuator/sweep board, then they are CA3080s. These
are described as an "operational transconductance amplifier". If you
can't get the originals, the NTE cross reference lists a replacement.

Dave

1508. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215084601.DAA19214@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153500

VERY WELL SAID JOHN!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
In other word guys, bond all grounding electrodes together!
End of story, its the LAW!

1509. FS/Trade Motorola/Other

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: TIMOTHY TABOL <TTEMTP@USA.NET>
Message-ID: <6c6bal$pe5$1@server3.mich.com>
Source record: 153501

I have for sale/trade the following:

Motorola MT1000's UHF...8 channel with new battery....$250/obo

Motorola Converta-Com for MT1000, like new 1 year old...Best offer

Kenwood TK801s 25 watt UHF Mobiles 6 channel> $175

16channel> $225

Uniden VHF Mobiles 16 channel 30watt (???) $175ea

Relm Slope front 16 channel 25 watt (external programming switch)
$225

I will consider all offers and trades.....I can provide programming for
Motorola equip.

I am looking for Motorola MT2000's in VHF and UHF 160 channel models only.
If you have one to trade or sell, let me know.

Email at ttemtp@usa.net

Thanks,
Tim

1510. logsat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ta2nc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6c6gh4vst1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153502

Hi..
Does anybody have password for logsat??
73's
TA2NC

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1511. Re: FS Kenwood TS-590D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215123201.HAA27177@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153503

The radio listed for sale is actually a Kenwoord TS-570D. Sorry for the mistake.

Chris K2OG

1512. FS VHF PORTABLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <34E6EE2F.6CD0@total.net>
Source record: 153504

THE FOLLOWING ***BRAND NEW FOR SALE**********

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal
controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. @ $75.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used W/HX- 300V.
Brand new (No Box). @ $30.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. @ $10.00

All in Us dollars. Shipping xtra.

Josh Kayson VE2JKK

1513. DRAKE TR-7 service manual et. al.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215133301.IAA01111@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153505

Due to moving later this week, I will be off line for a couple of weeks. I can still provide copies of the TR-7 service manual, R7 service manual, and copies of almost all owner's manuals for 7 line accessories, and modification instructions for general coverage transmit and receive and VLF receive. However, shipment might be after the move.

Thanks.

Evan

1514. WTB! Kenwood Band Scope SM-230?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Holmstr&#65533;m <paulho@everyday.no>
Message-ID: <6c6lr2$39b$1@news1.c2i.net>
Source record: 153506

Want to by Kenwood SM-230 station monitor.
Pse reply to paulho@everyday.no
73 de LA9JDA Paul

1515. Re: Anyone hear of Kenwood TS-510?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <34e6f7eb.2866409@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 153507

On 13 Feb 1998 18:40:38 GMT, sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:

>I posted several messages about the Kenwood TS-510 but
>no one seems to have heard of it. What's the story
>on this rig?

A bit older than my TS900. Competed with last of American tube rigs (Heath, Swan etc.)
There was an Allied radio which was the same rig I think
Check older QSTs. Its very easy to find.
...Dave

1516. Re: Yaesu 757GXII & Power Supply - SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E6FCB3.33B8@hnet.net>
Source record: 153508

Yaesu GXII and PS is sold.

1517. Re: Can I use an FRS radio to patch into next town's repeater so my calls are local?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E6F72C.FD8F0DE@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153509

Using amateur radio to get around the long distance tarrifs may be
illegal under certain circumstances (it depends on the tarrifs in
your state) FRS is NOT allowed phone patching at all nor can FRS use
rptrs...

Best bet would be get a cellular or PCS phone...sometimes they
have great deals which include a WIDE calling area...
or else check with the phone company on EAS or EMS..
(Extended Area or Extended Metro Service)....
but ham radio is for RADIO communications 1st....not to bypass
the phone company...

Chris

No@Spam.Com wrote:
>
> Can I use a ham radio and only use the phone patch to the repeater?
> The next town is only 5 miles away. To get local calls, I have to move
> there, and I have not the funds, not now until I graduate and get a job.
> I read in Popular Communications that under right conditions, the Kenwood
> FRS can broadcast to 50 miles. Can I use this in so. CA? Thanks!

1518. FS: Oak Hills DD-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215144501.JAA26640@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153510

FS: Oak Hills Research DD-1 digital display kit-- new in box/ unbuilt. Will sell for $55.00 shipped CONUS.

Thanks/73--Phil (K1HS) < rut@mcrut.mv.com >

1519. Re: WTD: info on 8122 tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Strupat <john.strupat@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34E72FFA.4548@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 153511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

rcf@crosslink.net wrote:
>
> looking for a circuit or schematic for the 8122 tube in ab1 or ab2 rf linear
> amplifier (hf) or vhf(6m)
> rich
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Hi Rich,

I've been looking for 8122 tubes for my old National rig.

Do you have some that you would sell or swap for 4CX250's?

I have some good articles from ARRL handbooks on high power VHF amps
using the 4CX250, but I've never seen any homebrew articles or
commercial companies other than National use the 8122 back in the 1970's.

A few posting on the ham newsgroups suggest that they are very fragile
mechanically as RCA built them less ruggedly than the Eimacs.

73's

John VE3PCN

1520. Re: Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michal Retelewski <sq3gne@friko2.onet.pl>
Message-ID: <6c70bt$4rb$1@newsfeed.onet.pl>
Source record: 153512

Hi Steve
>I just got the VC 23 vox headset for my radio. PTT seems to work fine,
>but I can't get anything to transmit on vox. All the instructions I got
>were on the back of the box and it said plug it in, switch to vox and
>set the sensitivity until the transmitter comes on. Mine does not.

You're quite right ! The instructions does not say one important thing...
Before operating in the VOX mode plug the device (VOX Headset) to radio
and then switch your HT on.Trying to use VOX if you first switch the radio
and then plug VOX in will be no good.

73 de SQ3GNE

1521. Re: X-band repeater FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michal Retelewski <sq3gne@friko2.onet.pl>
Message-ID: <6c70bv$4rb$2@newsfeed.onet.pl>
Source record: 153513

Hi Albert
> I wonder if anyone can help me on this.
> I just got a FT50R without the manual.
> Can I use it as a x-band repeater? And how?
> What is the cw ID. for and how to use it?
> Will be grateful for any help.
FT-50R does not support crossband operating.It has built-in Dual Watch mode
only which is
rather less useful than crossband.
CW-ID is your ID (Ham call) which radio sends when you're using VPMS.
First you have to enter your call to radio's memory and then activate VPMS.
Have you tried with ARTS ?
73 de SQ3GNE
Michael

1522. TM-V7A PRO's & CONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Ouellette <Rouelle1@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <34E7E2E3.5634@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 153514

Hello and thanks for reading this message. I'm thinking of buying this
radio and would like to know your pro's and con's of the radio !
thanks ! and 73 Russ

1523. Re: Is Transciever same as walkie talkie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdepab@rs6000.cmp.ilstu.edu
Message-ID: <6c75s4$a98$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153515

In article
<19980208193601.OAA06504@ladder02.ne
ws.aol.com>,
davybarr@aol.com (Davybarr) wrote:
>
> I am a bit ignorant in this field...please help. Can a Maxon 49 Mhz short range
> transciever serve the purpose of a in >house walkie talkie(between

It's very likely that the radios will serve your
purpose. Even if you're only planning on using one
channel, I suggest that you buy the
multiple-channel units, so that you can switch
to a clear channel when you receive interference
from other users or cordless phones (the 46/49
MHz types, not the 900 MHz types.) Kid's
walkie-talkies may work for you, but they have
two drawbacks when compared to the Maxon or
RS 49 Mhz radios. First, they usually use AM
instead of FM, so the voice clarity may not be
quite as good. Second, most toy walkie-talkies
don't have a "squelch" feature, so you would be
listening to constant noise while noone
transmitted.

Hope that this helps,

- MD

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1524. Re: ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: AndyC <andy@vais.net>
Message-ID: <34E73542.240E@vais.net>
Source record: 153516

METRO M129 wrote:
>
> HELLO IF YOU HAVE ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE VERSIONS 1.01 OR 1.02 COULD YOU
> PLEASE SEND IT TO ME I NEED IT FOR A VX-1R RADIO THAT I AM TRYING TO MODIFY SO
> IF YOU HAVE IT I WOULD REALY LIKE THAT THANKS ALOT!!
>
> METROM129@AOL.COM
>
> METRO

Hahaha...that's very funny. While we're at it, can we break any other laws on your behalf? Perhaps you'd like us to rob a convenience store and send you the cash? Or maybe we can rip off a couple of Rolex's? How about a "CAPS LOCK" key? Oh never mind, you already have one. I'd better sign off now, and reserve the bandwith for all the hams who paid good money to PURCHASE the software and are really gonna want to send YOU a copy!!

1525. Re: STANDARD C-528 INFO NEEDED.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Collingwood <chris.collingwood@dbcs.kzn.school.za>
Message-ID: <34E70F5B.E66F4B16@dbcs.kzn.school.za>
Source record: 153517

I have had one of these for about 5 years. Only problems so far have
been open circuit in Ducky antenna, and a split battery case from a fal
of about 7' onto concrete.

Other than these a neat unit.

73
Chris ZR5UW

SLB wrote:

> Is this HT as rugged as it looks and feels? The receive audio is
> awesome.....something these new hts cant obtain. I would like to
> hear from users of this ht.....what do you think about this HT?
> SLB
> ****Remove"NOSPAM" from the email address****
> \\///
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1526. Re: STANDARD C-528 INFO NEEDED.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Collingwood <chris.collingwood@dbcs.kzn.school.za>
Message-ID: <34E71039.DE95C13D@dbcs.kzn.school.za>
Source record: 153518

Chris Collingwood wrote:

> I have had one of these for about 5 years. Only problems so far have
> been open circuit in Ducky antenna, and a split battery case from a fal
> of about 7' onto concrete.
>
> Other than these a neat unit.
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> 73
> Chris ZR5UW
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> SLB wrote:
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> > Is this HT as rugged as it looks and feels? The receive audio is
> > awesome.....something these new hts cant obtain. I would like to
> > hear from users of this ht.....what do you think about this HT?
> > SLB
> > ****Remove"NOSPAM" from the email address****
> > \\///
> > (o o)
> > -----OOOo---(_)---oOOO---------------

1527. WTD: Icom IC-25H manuals/diags etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Collingwood <chris.collingwood@dbcs.kzn.school.za>
Message-ID: <34E7111B.DF4C2C30@dbcs.kzn.school.za>
Source record: 153519

I recently acquired one of these mobile rigs, and now need to re-attach the microphone plug. I have tried to work it out, but the UP/DN buttons are not very clear to me.

I also would like to know how to operate this unit. When my father emmigrated he could not find the manual, and doubts he ever had one.

Can anyone help with a brief set of operating instructions and a mike pin function diag?

73
Chris ZR5UW

1528. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A Half Duplex mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrhodes@iti2.net
Message-ID: <34e70bc5.37942887@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 153520

>The real problem arises when using a cross band repeater (lets say input
>146.490, output 443.000). My input (tx on the main, or left band) is
>repeated on 443.000, which is being received on my subband (right band),
>thus I get some nasty audio feedback. Kenwood's solution is to turn down the
>volume on the subband while xmiting, then turn it back up to receive. I
>think that's a low tech solution to a high tech problem! Any thoughts?

Unplugging the mic seems to work. If you've got the mic mod done, it
shouldn't happen anyway. I have one v7a with the mic mod and one
without.

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John Rhodes amateur radio--KCOARV Clifton, Colorado USA
http://www.iti2.net/~jrhodes/ http://www.qsl.net/~kc0arv/
jrhodes@iti2.net kc0arv@qsl.net
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1529. WTB Kenwood Tone Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Edwards <omega@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6c74st$omf@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153521

I would like to bub a Kenwood TU-79 tone board for the Kenwood TR-7950.
Contact me here or call me collect at 919-266-7373 week days.

Thanks,

Bill K4BWC

1530. Re: Experience with verticals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <ebGMLxiO9GA.364@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 153522

Look at the MFJ verticals. They are half-wave and center fed. The
"ground-side" traps are at a right angle, but it doesn't seem to matter
much. The antenna has survived storms that other stuff didn't and I make
plenty of QSOs with it.

Used to have a Hustler 4BTV ground fed 1/4 wave. Unless you live on a flat
copper plate, don't bother.

73,

Al WD5GNR
http://www.al-williams.com/awce.htm

Uwe Willie wrote in message <6nsha-gz83B@hit-willie.hit.handshake.de>...
>Hello, World,
>
>is there anybody having experience with vertical antennas for the whole
>ham spectrum? Especially, I'm interested in the following antennas:
>
>Butternut HF6V-X6 and HF9V-X9
>Diamond CP5 or CP6
>GAP Titan DX
>
>Ciao 4 Now
>
>Uwe
>
>
>--
>--
>U \/\/ E Willie willie@handshake.de
>Saarbruecken, Germany http://www.handshake.de/user/willie
>--

1531. Mobile rigs in Ford SUV's, problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobw@col.hp.com
Message-ID: <6c76f1dkq1@nonews.col.hp.com>
Source record: 153523

I am interested in people's experience with RFI problems due
to amateur radio operation in a Ford Explorer, Expedition and
F150 trucks. More specifically, does the engine control and other
electronics radiate in the 2M, 6M, 70cm or HF ham bands?
Any experience, positive or negative of operating radios in
these vehicles would be helpful.

Anyone have any problems with this?

Thanks in advance,

Bob KB0CY

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Bob Witte bobw@col.hp.com
Electronic Measurements Division (719) 590-3230
Hewlett-Packard Company KB0CY 7J1AUE

1532. FS: Mirage D-15-N 440 15W amp $80

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Tenison <btenison@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6c76ol$rk4$0@198.79.30.89>
Source record: 153524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have forsale a Mirage 440 MHz amp (1 watt in 15 Watts out).
Mirage asks $185 for these, and AES wants $169.

Here's some of the features
Special for ATV Service as well as SSB and FM
All Solid State - No Relays
No Remote Outlet
Excellent for H/T's
Specifications:
RF Power In
250 mW to 2 W
RF Power Out
2 W In 20 W Out
Current
3 Amps nominal
Size
7ï¿½" x 3ï¿½" x 2"
Weight
1.5 lbs.

Used for about a month on 9600 baud packet. Still in great shape.

Bruce
btenison@dibbs.net

1533. Yaesu FT-847 440-450MHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Luigi Greco <llgreco@westnet.com>
Message-ID: <34E721A6.72F1@westnet.com>
Source record: 153525

Hi all,

Does anyone know if the new Yaesu FT-847 HF+VHF+UHF rig includes transceive from 440 to 450MHz? So far I've only seen references that imply that the FT-847 can only cover up to 440MHz. This smells of the Kenwood TR-851 design which also covered 430-440 only.

Regards,
Luigi
N2CWV

1534. E-mailng RT Systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: had@halcyon.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f50c13abe867fde989688@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 153526

Hi All,

Has anybody had luck e-mailing RT systems with ADMS problems?

I have tried to get a response on a ADMS-1D question three different
times and get no answers from them.

Thanks,
Hadley

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Hadley, K7MLR
had@halcyon.com

1535. Shack clean out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34E72A77.451E@hauns.com>
Source record: 153527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Following for sale, all excellant condition: Kenwood TS-940SAT, works and looks great, $900, TS-830S Gold Label with SP-230 and mic, $450, TS-930SAT, beautiful rig, $750, Yeasu FT-707 with Digigal VFO and Mic, plus mobile bracket, $350. RS DSP, $35, Kenwood TS-830S, looks mint, no power out. Receiver works great, you fix, $225. 505-437-8658 or email.

1536. Re: FS Kenwood R-2000 with VHF converter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: No_Spam_kiprc@swbell.net
Message-ID: <34e824c7.1546813@news>
Source record: 153528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 06 Feb 1998 11:53:45 GMT, No_Spam_kiprc@swbell.net (Kip
Chatterson) wrotf:

>Kenwood R-2000 general coverage receiver for sale.
>The frequency range is 200 kHz to 30 MHz
>Plus 117 MHz - 179 Mhz. FM, AM, SSB, and CW.
>Features are as follows:
>10 Memories.
>Scan memories or scan freq range.
>Bright blue digital frequency readout plus analog dial.
>2 Clocks and timer that will turn the unit on an off.
>Plus front panel jack for tape recorder.
>Push button mode selection. For FM, AM, USB, LSB and CW
>RF gain control.
>Squelch,
>Attenuate with 4 levels
>Illuminated S meter.
>Noise blanker and panel light dimmer.
>Am filter wide and narrow.
>VC-10 VHF converter in stalled.
>Remote jack.
>Front panel earphone jack.
>Rear panel has three antenna connectors, 50 ohm coax, 50 ohm wire or
>300 ohm wire ground lug, AC power connector.
>with switch for 100, 120, 220, 240 volts AC.
>Ownerï¿½s Manual included.
>The radio is in excellent condition.

Price is $375 OBO!

>Please respond by e-mail.
>Thanks
>
>km5mz@qsl.net
>-

1537. yaesu ft-51r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwm@reidnet.com
Message-ID: <6c7d11$e3t$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153529

Hello People,

Does anyone have any infomation on how to use the MH-29
speaker mike for the FT-51r. I got the mike but didnt get
any instruction book with it. Help!

73
Al
mwm@reidnet.com

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1538. yaesu ft-51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwm@reidnet.com
Message-ID: <6c7d2h$e40$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153530

Hello People,

Does anyone have any infomation on how to use the MH-29
speaker mike for the FT-51r. I got the mike but didnt get
any instruction book with it. Help!

73
Al
mwm@reidnet.com

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1539. Winterfest, Vienna, Va.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdivineb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980215173000.MAA29654@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153531

Don't miss the Winterfest, sponsored by the Vienna Wireless
Assn., in Vienna, Va., Feb. 22, 1998. Proceeds benefit our
scholarship programs. Directions: Interstate 66, to the Vienna
exit. Three lights, and right on Courthouse St. Through the
3 way stop, to the light at Rt. 123, and right. Approx 1 mile,
and right on Park St. Down a few blocks to the Vienna
Community Center, on the right. Talk in 146.685- and
146.91-. For more info, contact Mike, K3MT, 703-834-5000,
ext. 2729.
Going to be another great show. Bring your hand truck.
Thank you,
Lon, KB3BVY

1540. FS: TS-50/AT-50 KENWOOD HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kent Hufford <khufford@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6c79jikkp1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 153532

FOR SALE TS-50/AT-50 KENWOOD HF TRANCEIVER w/AUTO TUNER

TS-50S KENWOOD HF TRANCEIVER includes
- all standard cables, mic, mount, manuals
- MARS/CAP mod applied
- IRCI 2.1 KHZ 8 Pole SSB Crystal Filter
- MB-13 Quick-release Mount
- PG-4M 4 Meter long control cable
- TS-50 Kenwood Service manual
AT-50 KENWOOD AUTOMATIC ANTENNA TUNER

$800 US In the Washington DC area. COD UPS, pickup, or?. (703)-494-3063

Khufford@erols.com

Kent Hufford
KQ4KK

1541. FS: TS940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Van Randolph <wovan@ultravision.net>
Message-ID: <6c79ta$at0$1@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 153533

I have a Kenwood TS940SAT with matching speaker and M-60A mic. $900.00
Call(915)943-8520 or wovan@ultravision.net

1542. Repeater audio???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean P Murphy <spm03@gnofn.org>
Message-ID: <6c7a0g$gl5@junkie.gnofn.org>
Source record: 153534

I am interfacing the audio from the receiver of a General Electric Mastr II to the transmitter of the same radio. Does anyone have any ideas on how to do this. I should say any other ideas. I have tried building an op-amp/ de-emphasis circuit and picking the audio from the vol/sq hi. This works great but I wonder if anyone has any different ideas. (easier?) I guess I might be looking for different circuits. Anyone?

Sean N5MWM 444.375 Kenner, La.

1543. FS: TUBES 7 PIN (Miniature) $1.00ea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3a0f$ed4b56e0$a8dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 153535

3ea 1R5, 1ea 1U4, 1ea 3AE5,,2ea 3S4, 4ea 4BZ6, 1ea 4DT6, 1ea 6BA4, 5ea
6AG5,
4ea 6AH6, 1ea 6AK5, 6ea 6AL5, 4ea 6AQ5M, 9ea 6AU6, 2ea 6BC5, 1ea 6BE6,
1ea 6BF5, 1ea 6BN6, 1ea 6BZ6, 2ea 6C4, 4ea 6CB6, 1ea 6CW4A, 1ea 6DT6, 3ea
6EW6,
1ea 6GY6, 3ea 6HZ6, 4ea 6J6, 1ea 6JH6, 1ea 6X4, 2ea 12AV6, 1ea 35B5, 1ea
35C5,
1ea 35K5, 1ea 35W4, 1ea 407A, 1ea 5654, 1ea 5726

DWIGHT RADDATZ
draddatz@gwe.net 970-626-5111
Ridgway, Co, 81432-0086

1544. FS: TUBES 9 PIN,$1.00ea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3a12$6c9a0f20$a8dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 153536

2ea 1V2, 1ea 2AV2, 1ea 5U8, 1ea 6AM4 new, 2ea 6AN8, 1ea 6AT8, 1ea 6AU8, 3ea 6AW8A,
1ea 6BA7, 1ea 6BN11, 1ea 6BQ5/EL84, 1m/pr 6BQ5/EL84 $10.00/pr, 1ea 6BZ7,
1ea 6CG8A,
3ea 6CL6, 1ea 6CL8, 2ea 6DE7, 1ea 6DR7, 5ea 6EA8, 1ea 6EJ7, 1ea 6FM8, 3ea 6FQ7/6CG7,
5ea 6GH8A, 1ea 6HS8, 1ea 6JC6A, 1ea 6JU8A, 1ea 6JW8, 1ea 6LE8, 4ea 6S4, 1ea 6U8,
2ea 6X8, 1ea 7AU7, 1ea 8AW8A, 1ea 8CG7, 1ea 8CS7, 1ea 8FQ7, 1ea 11KV8, 1ea 11RV8,
4ea 12AT7, 13ea 12AU7A, 1ea 12AV7, 17ea 12AX7/A, 2ea 12AZ7, 5ea 12BH7A, 3ea 12BY7

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Ridgway, Co, 81432-0086

1545. Knwd FS: TS 820 S digi read NICE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6caphikbr1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

TS 820 S very nice condition. Mic, manual, near collectible condx. Maybe is. Asking $395 or will trade UP or for an amp or ?>>. This is a KEEPER so if you want one, this is a good choice. Has 11 meter crystal in place of 10 but is easily cured!! (I didnt own it and I dont do Childrens band) It doesnt really look like a CBer couldve owned it. Maybe a bi-radiol !! hi. Thansk Murray Neece Odessa, TExas

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1546. FS: 3 KW tuners several

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6caq4jkor1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

OK.....listen to me!! I have 1 MFJ 989C tuner in great shape.$225 shipped and gauranteed. I have 1 Dentron MT 3000A (fixed inductance) in good shape, same $225. shipped and insured. I have 3 (three) MT 2000 A's (beside the 2 Im keeping) and they are really the best deal. They are un metered so put your favorite cross needle or double needle meter with them, you probably do anyway, they are the same as MT 3000 in handling power 2kw out easy!! Will take $175 and ship, they all look great in and out, and work very well. If your rig has swr meter, thats all you really have to have. I use the Autek WM 1 computing meter (129 new) with mine and it is the GREATEST. Faster and easier to tune than roller inductor, and more reliable!! Thanks, will trade for interesting stuff even way up if you want. Want Icom 756 or Yaesu FT 920. Murray Neece Odessa, TX

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1547. Let's build some gear and some good will!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E8EC95.E95D8D17@erols.com>
Source record: 153239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I see a lot of discussions that I wouldn't put my name to. I fail to understand why they occur. Amateur Radio is a hobby folks. It also performs a public service in many instances and ways. I have participated in providing a communications link when a tornado dropped out of the clouds with no warning and destroyed a town. I've worked with parades and holiday celebrations put on by cities and counties.

I'm far from alone. Many clubs do this. Clubs provide equipment and operators for city emergency centers. Not uncommon at all.

I have 'Elmered' at least two hams that I know have gotten their tickets. I have helped folks when they have asked questions on 'How to...'.

I qualify in many eyes as an 'Old Fuddy Duddy'. That is because I have tendencies to be conventional or to some 'conservative'. I run older tube type equipment. I horse traded for a Collins Winged station; 32S3, 75S3, 312B-5, 516F-2. I also have an Heath SB-102, Kenwood TS-900, and a TS-820S.

I have built an amplifier with a pair of 813s. It met its demise when the movers packed [sic] it and shipped it to Asia. They shortened a Hallicrafter's SX-28A cabinet by about 1 1/2". I got lucky and received an insurance payment that allowed me to buy a Heath SB-201. (The 813s had a blower, a silver plated roller inductor with turns counter, and some serious air variable capacitors.

I've built my share of antennas, used frequency generators and oscilloscopes to repair rigs.

I am absolutely not an engineer. I simply found a hobby that I enjoy. My wife has told her friends, "I know where he is and what he is doing."

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1548. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "h.lamourt" <harryele@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <6car2q$o1p$1@usenet53.supernews.com>
Source record: 153240
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Yeah send them a check, you going to get, oh yes
hershman wrote in message <34E8B782.46A4@ix.netcom.com>...
>Gary - KJ6Q wrote:
>>
>> YOU should be aware this outfit ALSO sells bridges from their Brooklyn
>> location, and swampland down in Florida...
>>
>> Caveat Emptor....
>>
>> --
>> Gary - KJ6Q
>> ====================
>> THIS generation whines about Social Security and Medicare,
>> THEN "buys" THEIR security by saddling future generations
>> with NAFTA and GATT... All, "for the children..."
>> hamsupplies@trust-me.com wrote in message
>> <6c98a2$f7k$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>...
>> >Dear Prospective Customers,
>> >
>> >We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
>> >equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
>> >Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
>> >discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
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>> >For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please
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>> >fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of
>> >your queries.
>> >
>> >Sincerely,
>> >
>> >Megat Farez (Managing Director)
>> >HamSupplies International
>> >(Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)
>> >

>> >-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> >http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
>You can get a IC-706 MK II from the USA DEALERS for $1150 including
>shippling/DSP/Separation Cable.

1549. FOR SALE: KENWOOD TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34E8EDB7.59D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153241

I have for sale in very good condition, A Kenwood 820-S with
CW filter installed.. Will sell for $375 + shipping.

Thanks for reading

Steve-WA6GSD

1550. Re: Let's build some gear and some good will!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <34E8FAC3.172189EF@datacomm.com>
Source record: 153242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Amen.

Louis

Bob Bethman wrote:

> I see a lot of discussions that I wouldn't put my name to.
> I fail to understand why they occur. Amateur Radio is a
> hobby folks. It also performs a public service in many
> instances and ways. I have participated in providing a
> communications link when a tornado dropped out of the
> clouds with no warning and destroyed a town. I've worked
> with parades and holiday celebrations put on by cities
> and counties.
>
> I'm far from alone. Many clubs do this. Clubs provide
> equipment and operators for city emergency centers. Not
> uncommon at all.
>
> I have 'Elmered' at least two hams that I know have gotten
> their tickets. I have helped folks when they have asked
> questions on 'How to...'.
>
> I qualify in many eyes as an 'Old Fuddy Duddy'. That
> is because I have tendencies to be conventional or to
> some 'conservative'. I run older tube type equipment.
> I horse traded for a Collins Winged station; 32S3, 75S3,
> 312B-5, 516F-2. I also have an Heath SB-102, Kenwood
> TS-900, and a TS-820S.
>
> I have built an amplifier with a pair of 813s. It met its
> demise when the movers packed [sic] it and shipped it to
> Asia. They shortened a Hallicrafter's SX-28A cabinet by
> about 1 1/2". I got lucky and received an insurance
> payment that allowed me to buy a Heath SB-201. (The
> 813s had a blower, a silver plated roller inductor with
> turns counter, and some serious air variable capacitors.
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1551. FS or Trade UP: Yaesu FT 767 GX plus 6 & 2 meters....cheep!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6cave3$j5n$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a very nice Yaesu FT 767GX with 6 and 2 meter modules. Its clean and working fine!! Just ready for sumthin else, its MINE> Want a 756 or an FT 1000 or a 950, or MONEY! All the ones Ive seen in past few months (not many) have been 1500 bux. This one is just $1200, for quick sale. I wont take the modules out, unless of course you want to buy the radio for $995 and leave me the modules. It would be well worth it , its a great HF rig. But with 2 and 6 all it becomes quite a bargain. Low time on this unit as I mainly use it for a 2 meter rig. And I dont much like 2 meters. Anyway, email me with your shipping instructions and send me a money order, you know you want it!! Thanks and 73 for now. Murray

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1552. Re: Help - Tek 2213 Scope Repair - Data on IC's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34E8985D.77F@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 153244

Jim West wrote:
>
> Got a scope cheap at the hamfest. I think the preamps on both channels
> are bad. So I tried to find some data on the 8 pin dips. Can't find
> anything that matches up to the numbers on the devices. One part is a
> Harris, the other is a RCA. The RCA is an original part, the Harris is
> one that has already been replaced. Does anyone know if Tek uses
> proprietary parts (vintage 1979). Thanks.

Whoa. What evidence suggests that you have not one but TWO bad preamp
chips?!??

Have you checked the rest of the vertical amplifier signal chain to make
sure? It is hard to see how two completely independent input chips
could be blown, barring exceptionally-destructive stupidity on the part
of the previous owner. :(

-- jm

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

1553. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E8F848.9CE8F066@together.net>
Source record: 153245
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Hmmm... $1289.00 - $1120.00 = $169.00 ... wonder what shipping, handling,
import & duties are from Kuala Lampur to the U.S.....

Tom
KB1CGA

hamsupplies@trust-me.com wrote:

> Dear Prospective Customers,
>
> We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
> equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
> Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
> discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
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1554. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

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Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34E910BA.5524228D@together.net>
Source record: 153246
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Although... I wouldn't mind a QSO from Kuala Lampur... don't have that one
yet !!! hehe :)

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1555. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernest Stracener <ernest@itis.com>
Message-ID: <34E91F21.5F8ADBF0@itis.com>
Source record: 153247

Find someone with the software or purchase the software...then you can turn the extended receive on or off at will. The intermod will always be there, though....the nature of the beast with handhelds, especially attached to any kind of an antenna with any gain. I've got the W32A and really love the radio, but the intermod makes it virtually unuseable on some frequencies in certain locations....to compensate, I've learned where I can't use it.

Hope this helps.

73,
KB9RBZ
Madison, WI

Sean A. Foley wrote:
>
> I've done this mod on my W32 and it works great. However, when I
> hook it up to a mag-mount gain antenna, I get a lot of intermod/noise.
> I was thinking that the wideband mod makes the W32 more prone to
> intermod. I've tried the partial reset for the radio, but it's still
> wideband. Is there a way to disable the wideband mod short of a full
> reset (will a full reset even work?)

1556. Re: Let's build some gear and some good will!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34E91FD7.1AED@ibm.net>
Source record: 153248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Louis Bybee wrote:
>
> Amen.

> Bob Bethman wrote:
>
> > I see a lot of discussions that I wouldn't put my name to.
> > I fail to understand why they occur.

Hi Louis and Bob, maybe r.r.a.policy is just not your cup of tea. The r.r.a.policy newsgroup was created to take the code testing debate off of r.r.a.misc If you don't like never ending debates, then you probably won't like r.r.a.policy but some people are addicted to it.

73, Cecil, W6RCA

1557. FS:YAESU FT-757gx & FP-757 P/S $500.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6cb9k0$7ud$1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 153249

Very clean 757gx with the matching FP-757 switching power supply. Comes with MH-1 hand mic,manule,and org. box for $500.00 + shipping. This is a super radio at a super price.I just need some fast cash!!

For more info call Stan at (530)241-0843

1558. Re: AZDEN PCS2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry Singer <singer@henge.com>
Message-ID: <34E87E75.47FA7B21@henge.com>
Source record: 153250

I'm sorry, that's a pcs2000

Gerry Singer wrote:

> Does anyone know anything about this 2M radio, channels, does it have
> PL, what the hi and lo power outputs are, programming info, Any info
> will be appreciated...Thanks...Gerry KC0CAT

1559. New Web address for Craftsman's Morse Keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jagon@poboxes.es
Message-ID: <34e8996e.12162097@diana.ibernet.es>
Source record: 153251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi!

The new Web address for Llaves Telegraficas Artesanas (Craftsman's Morse Keys) is: http://www.arrakis.es/~llatelar/

If you love CW take a look at http://www.arrakis.es/~llatelar/ this is the web site of Llaves Telegraficas Artesanas (Craftsman's Morse Keys) a spanish manufacturer of hand made keys.

I am not involved in that business, I only love and enjoy CW and its equipment.

73 ES DX

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Jose Antonio Gonzalez Lorenzo - jagon@poboxes.com - Amateur Radio: EA2BSN
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1560. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <34e7c3c5.3440585@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 153252
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

On Sat, 14 Feb 1998 08:24:49 GMT, kh2d@kuentos.guam.net (Jim Kehler)
wrote:

>Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
>>In article <34e285b4.19039916@news.onramp.net>, Dave <x3b@netdot.com>
>>writes
>>>I smel a T R O L L !
>>>
>>>
>>>
>>>"Sandro" <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> wrote:
>>>
>>>>I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
>>>
>>>
>>Sandro's no troll, but he's been trying to sell all this heavy
>>commercial equipment for the last few months.
>>You'd think that would tell him something about the prices he's asking!
>
>>Phil / UK
>
>Or at least change the subject to 'I ADVERTISE Big Amplifier and Antennas'......
>
>73, Jim KH2D
>
I've been looking for a Gates 10B to convert to 6 meters,
I wonder if he has one of them.. Shipping will be a killer.

Bob
>

1561. Re: I sell big amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gray Frierson Haertig <gfh@haertig.com>
Message-ID: <34ED355C.3754@haertig.com>
Source record: 153253
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Sandro wrote:
>
> Collins 208U10:
> It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
> Power: 3Kw carrying fixed, 10 Kw pep, tone cw 10 Kw.
> Consumptions: with tone cw 22.5 nominal Kws, factor of power 0.98 .
> Input power 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
> Inclusive of exciter Redifon EK203N or Harris 131
> Aplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe 4CX10000D
> Dimensions: Height 175 cm, Depth 70 cm, Width 108 cm, Weight 760 Kg
> Autotunig.
>
> Siemens:
> It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
> Power: Telegraphy power on A1,F1,F4 and F6 = 5 Kw
> RF troppower on A3A, A3j and A3B = 10Kw
> Carrier by A2 and A3 =2.5 Kw
> Input power: 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
> Inclusive of filter of the air, exciter Siemens.
> Amplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe RS2010 Siemens
> Dimensions: Heigt 160 cm, Width 150 cm, Deep 60 cm, Weight 1500 Kg
> Autotunig.

Hey, I LIKE this idea of calling tubes "pipes." Those Italians are
pretty slick.

Take that and put it in your 4-400 and smoke it. (c:

Gray

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Gray Frierson Haertig & Assoc.
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Portland, Oregon 97227
503-282-2989
503-282-3181 FAX
gfh@haertig.com

1562. ICOM 706 - $800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <34E85B24.C911A3C2@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 153287
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have a clean IC-706 for sale. $800 plus shipping
Frank 630-653-9090 home

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1563. Information Needed???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: aeromed2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980216153301.KAA08453@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153288

I am looking for Pro's and Con's from HAMS that have used either the ICOM 2000H or Yaesu FT-2500M. Which do you prefer and why? Please e-mail aeromed2@aol.com Thank You

1564. Drake Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Simon <dsimon@electrotex.com>
Message-ID: <34E85531.3062@electrotex.com>
Source record: 153289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

1. Drake TR7/Manual/NB7/Aux7/FA7/CW and SSB Filters/Service manual/MS7/ Matching Speaker (Unused)/Service Manual -- $650.00

2. Drake R4245 Receiver/Manual/Service Manual -- $450.00

3. Drake SP75 Speach Processor/Manual -- $75.00

4. Drake Theta 9000E RTTY/Morse/Baudot/ASCI II/Manual -- Needs cleaning, key operation sticking. -- $75.00

5. Timewave DSP-59+ Version 3.0/Manual -- $150.00

6. Rapar TE-1 Phone Patch/Manual -- $50.00

7. Turner Desk Mic Dynamic -- $40.00

Please reply by EMail: dsimon@electrotex.com
Don Simon, W5JPD

1565. Re: Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: HAWK <rogerd@chisp.net>
Message-ID: <34E86A68.6895@chisp.net>
Source record: 153290

Steve Carpenter wrote:
>
> I just got the VC 23 vox headset for my radio. PTT seems to work fine,
> but I can't get anything to transmit on vox. All the instructions I got
> were on the back of the box and it said plug it in, switch to vox and
> set the sensitivity until the transmitter comes on. Mine does not.
>
> Anybody got any ideas??
>
> Apparently there is nothing to set on the radio. I've tried adjusting
> the SQL but I got no improvement.
>
> Thanks.
>
> sdc
Hi Steve,

I'll just be you didn't get the correct headset for your XCVR. The FT-50 does not have built in VOX therefore it must be a function of the mic/headset. Check and see if yours has circuitry inline to the headset.

Next, my experience with the FT-50 MIC/AUDIO jack is it is really picky. I have the one plug to two jack adapter. When I was checking out several mic's to see if they would work.....very few regular mic's did because of special tricks they to with those lines. I ended up buying an aftermarket speaker mic made for the radio.

Hope this is of help.

'73

Roger

1566. [TIP] Sound deflector for communications equipment.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Bellville <rob@acol.com>
Message-ID: <34E85CB5.520A19C5@acol.com>
Source record: 153291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.acanner

[TIP]

For all who are interested, I've put up a page that contains a simple project for redirecting and improving the sound from your CB, scanner, ham radio, etc.

Go to:
http://rob.acol.com/radio/sound_deflector.html

-- Rob

=-=
Rob Bellville PO Box 515
Email: rob@acol.com Millbury, MA 01527
=-=

1567. Re: ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: baxter@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu
Message-ID: <1998Feb16.101405@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu>
Source record: 153292

In article <01bd3ab7$ee06ef60$011871ce@default>, "N1rsq" <kimo9@idt.net> writes:
> your missing the point. the man is looking for someone to be goodhearted
> enough to provide him with the software. now, while i understand your
> sarcasim, the idea was suppose to be to help each other out in ham radio.
> possibly, he just might have something that you could use, like a service
> manual, or maybe a database program.
> thats what neighbors do for each other, at least my neighbors do
> don N1RSQ
> btw if anyone wants to send me a copy, im sure i might something you might
> need.

Also, there is a very valid reason for wanting the older versions of ADMS software. The 1.00, 1.01 and 1.02 versions allowed some software modifications such that extra receive capabilities which were possible with the VX-1. The latest version of software, 1.03, does NOT allow this --- so it is quite reasonable to want to trade "down" to an earlier version.

In fact, as a registered owner of the ADMS 1D software, ver. 1.03, if someone out there would be so kind to share an earlier version, say 1.02 or 1.01 with me I would be most grateful.

1568. F.S.: Sony SW1S mini AM/FM/SW complete outfit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <34E87517.5D65@nidlink.com>
Source record: 153293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Sony SW1S outfit:

Radio -- about the size of a pack of cigarettes, covers FM (76-108), MW, and SW (.5 -- 30.00 mHz)

AM only (no SSB/CW)

includes a.c. supply, manual, "wave book", soft slip cover for radio, and active antenna in portable case (case has shoulder strap that hasn't been used.

9.5 on a scale of 10 (actually, pretty much like new).

$150 shipped ConUS.

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

1569. Need EDACS MDX help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: baxter@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu
Message-ID: <1998Feb16.101808@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu>
Source record: 153294

Is anyone familar with the Ericsson MDX radio??? In receive only use, we're trying to program in an EDACS system, and the radio only will hold 16 talk groups. However, another identical radio seems to hold 128 talk groups.

It is our guess that the features of the radio, like how many groups it will hold, are settable by the features string in the radio.

Does anyone know how???

Thanks.

1570. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e86685.76610279@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153295

On Sun, 15 Feb 1998 10:22:34 -0500, destill <destill@northstate.net> wrote:
>Don't forget that the purpose of the length of the ground rod is to
>reach constantly moist earth. Also, have your power utility check the
>effectiveness of the ground rod at your transformer.

There's some truth to that for AC and DC safety, but the main reason is to engage as large a volume of soil as possible. Earth is a sheet resistance, and the more contact you have, the lower the net resistance will be. Deep grounds have virtually no value at RF. Skin effect keeps RF currents near the surface. Shallowly buried radials are more effective than deeply driven rods for RF grounding (and for lightning mitigation, that's a surface charge effect too).

It is worth noting that the NEC *preferred* ground is the Ufer ground. Underground water piping is second choice, and a made electrode (ground rod) is the choice of last resort if you can't obtain a better Earth termination.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1571. Al. flashing as ground strap? another IRF and lightning question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lab Assistant"
Message-ID: <34E8778D.513C@prism1.gatech1.edu1>
Source record: 153296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have been looking for copper flashing or grounding strap and it is
expensive and rather hard to find, but Aluminium flashing that is
used for roofing is quite common and affordable. Is this an acceptable
alternative? I want to install a correct lighting and RF ground and
was thinking about using 12in. or 6in. wide Al flashing as the ground
strap to a 3/4 in. copper pipe (as gound bus in the shack) and entrance
box (for antenna lightning arrestors), then connecting this
to a star ground system which is also tied into the phone, power and
tower grounds. Is this a good setup? I would like to do it right the
first time.
How do you attach a wide strap to a gound rod anyway??
thanks,
KS4TY, Eddie
Please reply to: gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove one's)

1572. FS: HT 32, SB-400 PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6c9qk3$nlc@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153297

Have ht 32 and sb 400 parts rigs. If you need a specific part contact:
WS0E (Joe) at Joe.7hc@juno.com

1573. ICOM 706 MK II FS (Will include DSP when arrives)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Charles Alexander" <charlie@netset.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3af3$3314b160$0ee4b7ce@wca-nec>
Source record: 153298
Cross-posted to: cmh.forsale,osu.for-sale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I just purchased an ICOM 706 MK II, and I need to sell it.
Mobile HF rig with 6 & 2 Meter
It will include the DSP when it arrives along with the seperation cable,
that ICOM is offering.
As NEW condition never xmit with it.
925.00 shipped to 48 ! (And inc.)

--
W. Charles Alexander
charlie KC8IKG
charlie@netset.com

1574. Re: Help with identification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@USA.NET
Message-ID: <6c9ufc$1hf$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> It has three buttons on top marked "PWR", "MODE", & "Hzx100". It has a
> selecter knob on the left front with 3.5 through 29.1 bands marked on it,
> plus WWV. There are also led's to indicate upper and lower sideband. Near
> the knob is a square with a red "S" in it...I guess that is a logo for the
> manufacturer.
>
> It has a LED type frequency display, and above that is an apparent model #:
> DD-1K. It has a heat-sinked power transistor on the rear, and the it has
> one phono jack for input or output.

Ken,

I never heard of a DD-1K, but I know of a couple devices called
DD-1. One was (is?) made by Oak Hills Electronics, and another
DD-1 was made by a company called Spectronics. With the "S" logo,
that might be related to the one you have. The ARRL web site lists
a product reviews for that unit in July 74 QST.

Both the items above were digital displays, thus the "DD" in the
model name.

73, de Hans, K0HB/4ID

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1575. FS: Kenwood TS-700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Bennett <jasonb@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <34E86E0C.7E12@alaska.net>
Source record: 153300

Hi, have for sale a Kenwood TS-700A, 2 meter multimode with usb/lsb/cw/am and fm. This is an older model 2 meter radio with analog display. Radio has built in ac power supply and puts out 10 watts. Great for getting started on 2 meters for satellite or weak signal work. Radio was recently aligned by Kenwood factory rep. Includes microphone and manual - condition is very good-excelent. Price is $275. Thanks in advance.

Mike
WL7U

1576. FS: Ten-Tec Argonaut 509

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Fritsch <xxxxxlandcruiser@vt.edu>
Message-ID: <34E8B120.3754@vt.edu>
Source record: 153301

For sale:

* Argonaut 509 - worked great last time I used it 7 years ago. its been in its original box since. face plate is perfect, all knobs good. in stock condition

* Ten-Tec 205 cw filter - in original box. same as above.

* MFJ Model MFJ-16010 antenna tuner. Used maybe twice.

* panasonic microphone = old converted cb mike. has plugs for 509

* most of the cabeling necessary to hook the stuff together.

everything worked well the last time that I used it, I contaced australia from the east cost with it.

all or nothing $400.00 + shipping

jon kc4vmw
xxxxxlandcruiser@vt.edu (remove the x's to reply)

1577. Re: E-mailng RT Systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.R. Smullen" <maccpl@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6c9vod$589$1@news00.us.hsanet.net>
Source record: 153302

I had no problems at all. In fact, they contacted me when I posted a problem with software for my ICOM W32A. They included a phone number that I called. They even e-mailed me the patch for the s/w when I asked if they had an FTP site (which they didn't). Bottom line: they seemed very responsive...
Hadley Allhands wrote in message ...

Regards,
J.R. Smullen, KB3BYZ

>Hi All,
>
>Has anybody had luck e-mailing RT systems with ADMS problems?
>
>I have tried to get a response on a ADMS-1D question three different
>times and get no answers from them.
>
>Thanks,
>Hadley
>
>--
>Hadley, K7MLR
>had@halcyon.com

1578. Yaeswu FT-920 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Milton Krain <milt@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3b1f$f14e2fe0$37f6face@6648hvy6e066>
Source record: 153303

Hi,

Yaesu has a modification for an FT-920 with low average talking power
outout
on sideband. The expected results of the modification is improvement of
average
talking power. The modification procedures are documented by Yaesu in
File No.
TSN-9743, Trouble Shooters Note.

How can i tell if my FT-920 has low average talking power output and
requires
this modification.

73

Milt, W2UNL

Over fifty years of ham radio.

1579. Re: Yaesu 757GXII & Power Supply - SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34E882E0.4136@hnet.net>
Source record: 153304

The Yaesu has been sold.

1580. Re: ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tubbs <piperbill@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34e8840e.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 153305

N1rsq wrote in message <01bd3ab7$ee06ef60$011871ce@default>...
>your missing the point

Despite the sarcasm, this forum is designed as a legitimate swap medium; not a black market for thieves. While undoubtedly some stolen material gets transferred here once in a while, I've yet to see a message like:

" FS: Hot TX-xxx for sale cheap. Found it sitting in a car and
not being
used at the time. Great deal to first reasonable offer..."
or;

"WTB: Got an extra FG-xxxx that you walked out of the store
with didn't get caught? Email me for a quick turnaround..."

If you pirate software you steal it. Plain and simple. No equivocation. If people really want to steal software, at least have the courtesy to guise in some sort of code so that you don't get caught easily and/or offend straight readers.

1581. Re: ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tubbs <piperbill@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34e88546.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 153306

Sorry. I've already been informed via email that I'm not "the internet police". I knew that, but I forgot. Dang. Ignore the preceding message. Thanks.

1582. FS: Yaesu FT912R 1.2ghz Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lichtenhan <david-lichtenhan@home.com>
Message-ID: <6ca0mundk1@ha2.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 153307

I have a Yaesu FT912R 1.2ghz Mobile with manual, mike and bracket. Maybe 10 hrs total used.

$500.00 obo plus shipping.

Please reply via Email: k6dav@home.com

Dave in Fremont, Ca.

1583. F.S LAB METERS AND STANDARDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: miniver@srv.net
Message-ID: <34e878a6.348663@news.srv.net>
Source record: 153308

GOV. SURPLUSS ANALOG LAB METERS AND STANDARDS, AC DC UA MA V A . LARGE SELECTION. $25-75 + SHIPING.SEND ME YOUR REQIREMENTS. 73 DE WA7KRP.

1584. F.S. HAM COMPUTER.GOOD FOR THE HAMSHACK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: miniver@srv.net
Message-ID: <34e87a78.814208@news.srv.net>
Source record: 153309

IBM 286 W.COPROCEROR,REAL TIME CLOCK,TURBO,MONITOR. LOADED WITH HAM
SOFTWARE.)MORSE CODE PRATICE,MORSE CODE READER,PACKET,SAT.TRACKING
E.T.C PERFET FOR UR FIRST MASHINE IN THE HAMSHACK. $250 O.B.O + SHIP.

1585. SWAN 500, HW18, FS or SWAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <"markw(NOJUNK)"@iconnect.net>
Message-ID: <34E7F67C.7A10@iconnect.net>
Source record: 153310
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

New baby forced relocation of my shack to different room, need money or smaller bookends!

Swan 500, cosmetically looks great, with manual (copy). With 117CX power supply (also looks great). Has a bad connection in the jones plug in the back of the pwr supply, you have to wiggle it a little to get the speaker to work.

Heathkit HW18 100 watt 3 band cw rig (80, 40, 15 meters), with manual (original) has non-heathkit tuning knob, tuning window is a bit yellowed so this is not a showpiece. Needs final tube (6GE5).Construction workmanship is good quality. I have not used this rig but has great potential for a CW boatanchor first rig.

I can e-mail images of these radios to anyone interested in them, including underside/construction detail pix of the heathkit. If you reply be aware of the change in my e-mail header which those of us who can't eat spam resort to.

Pricing: I will sell both radios for $210 and split the shipping with the buyer. I believe this to be a very fair price but if you don't and are interested in them convince me in some rational way, I'll listen- I can put a monetary value on the high SWR generated by my wife! I would also be interested in swapping for some VHF gear, namely a 2 meter amp, 2 meter transverter, or vhf all-mode rig- As long as they are smaller than what I have! Thanks for wading this far!

Mark White N9OHS

1586. MFJ-969 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jragsdal@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <6ca345$m6n$1@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 153311
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Brand new MFJ-969 300W roller inductor tuner for sale. $150 COD and I will pay to ship to continental US.

Jim W5LA

1587. FS: Mot S-1059A Test Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <34E88ECC.90F8F477@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 153312
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have a clean Motorola Test for sale or trade.
This is the test set that is 14" x 14" x 10" or so, and has the
peaking generator, deviation meter and the meter
Comes complete with cables, etc.
I would like to trade for a two meter 45 watt rig or so.
Frank

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1588. Re: ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6ca2u6$f64$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 153313

N1rsq (kimo9@idt.net) wrote:
: your missing the point. the man is looking for someone to be goodhearted
: enough to provide him with the software. now, while i understand your
: sarcasim, the idea was suppose to be to help each other out in ham radio.
: possibly, he just might have something that you could use, like a service
: manual, or maybe a database program.
: thats what neighbors do for each other, at least my neighbors do
: don N1RSQ
: btw if anyone wants to send me a copy, im sure i might something you might
: need.

: > Hahaha...that's very funny. While we're at it, can we break any other
: laws on your
: > behalf? Perhaps you'd like us to rob a convenience store and send you the
: cash? Or
: > maybe we can rip off a couple of Rolex's? How about a "CAPS LOCK" key?
: Oh never
: > mind, you already have one. I'd better sign off now, and reserve the
: bandwith for all
: > the hams who paid good money to PURCHASE the software and are really
: gonna want to
: > send YOU a copy!!
: >

Unless he has, or can duplicate the interface(it's more than a simple
cable), the S/W will do him little good anyway.

1589. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmuddx@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3b11$19c70c80$1fa4cacc@rickmudd>
Source record: 153314
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Go ahead...send them money!

hamsupplies@trust-me.com wrote in article
<6c98a2$f7k$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>...
> Dear Prospective Customers,
>
> We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
> equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
> Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
> discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
> competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
> due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.
>
> All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
> from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
> freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
> dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
> checks. We accept checks in US funds only.
>
> For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please
> e-mail to hamsupplies@trust-me.com or phone ++ 603 9439284
> fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of
> your queries.
>
> Sincerely,
>
> Megat Farez (Managing Director)
> HamSupplies International
> (Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

1590. Christie Aponte, WP4MTI Fundraising Update: THANKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: spambuster@greeneggs.com
Message-ID: <6ca4bt$o10@elf.wang.com>
Source record: 153315

Good Day!

I wanted to send out this update to make everyone aware of the results of the Christie Aponte Fund Drive.

As most of you know, Christie is an 11 y/o ham from Puerto Rico who has familial ties to the Boston area. This past Christmas, the Boston-area ham population set out to raise funds to replace Christie's two meter radio that was stolen while she was undergoing surgery at Children's Hospital. Christie was seriously injured in an auto accident four years ago, and has undergone 11 separate surgical procedures to correct the damage caused by a drunk / drug affected driver.

To date, we have raised over $1000 in cash contributions. Needless to say, we are all amazed. We can't thank the ham radio community enough for the incredibly generous contributions to our informal fundraising activities. We honestly expected to have difficulty raising $250 for a small 2 meter radio. Instead, hams responded over a short, two week period with a substantial outpouring of support for this family.

The night of the joint, January meeting with BARC and WARC members, we had collected around $800 of the final amount, and presented these funds to the family. In addition, hams donated a Drake HF rig, coax, two antennas, an Alinco 2M FM radio, a 35 amp Power Supply and an SWR meter. Finally, hams donated an ARRL membership, an YLRL membership, a Waltham Club life membership (BARC had already made Christie a member of their organization), and enough money to pay for ARRL insurance for her station. The remainder of the funds that continue to trickle in will be presented to Christie when she returns for a spring tune up this March.

Thanks to the incredible generosity of the Hotel Sontesta - Cambridge, the club had use of a great conference room, and overnight accommodations for Christie and her family. All of these benefits were provided at no cost to the ham community or to the Aponte family. The hotel staff performed above and beyond the call of duty, and guaranteed the success of our project. Scott, WB1F, dressed up as Santa Claus, and presented the gifts to Christie, who in spite of acute post-operative pain thanked each and every person who attended her presentation. She even made a short speech to the assembled throng. She is one fantastic ham!

(If you ever need accommodations in the Boston area, please consider the Hotel Sonesta. They are a fantastic group of people!)

At present, we are trying to work with her family to set up a scholarship fund to help pay for Christie's college education. Christie

is exceedingly bright, and more dedicated to her schoolwork than anyone I know. She even demanded that her parents return her to Puerto Rico just days after surgery so that she wouldn't miss a day of school.

Christie's medical bills are substantial, and will put significant pressure on the family's ability to save for a college fund. As a result, we are exploring ways that we can help out with this issue.

We'll keep everyone posted regarding Christie's recuperation, and feel free to email if you have questions.

Kip - N1AUP (n1aup@amsat.org)
Joe - W1EK (W1EK@amsat.org)
Anne - KA1PON

Web Info (under construction)
Christie Web Page #1
http://www.melrose.org/christie/index.htm

Christie Web Page #2
http://vbos.net/public/christie/christie.htm

We are assembling a final list of donors, and will email this document shortly.

1591. fs Yaesu 726R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Holcombe <n5zdf@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <6ca58o$72t$1@usenet49.supernews.com>
Source record: 153316

430 module, Sat board, 2meter and 6 meter modules added external tone encoder. 601/894-5210 Gene N5ZDF

1592. Re: HAM shop in Ft. Collins, CO ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <34E8B9A0.514D@frii.com>
Source record: 153317

Ulrich Kienzle wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I will be travelling to Ft. Collins, CO, next week and would like to know
> if there's a HAM radio store in this area.
>
> I'm looking for the ADMS-1D software to program the Yaesu radios. The
> software is not yet availabe in Germany (at least my dealer is telling
> me this). Programming the VX-1R by hand is a real pain.
>
> Thanks for any hints,
>
> Ulli (DL1SBL)
> --
> --
> Ulrich Kienzle Phone : (+49) 7031-14-2893
> OpenView Software Division (OVSD) Telnet : 778-2893
> Hewlett-Packard GmbH Email : ulki@bbn.hp.com
> Herrenbergerstrasse 130 FAX : (+49) 7031-14-4346
> D-71034 Boeblingen, Germany
> --

Ulrich,

I live a few miles south of Ft. Collins. There are no Ham stores there.
The closest Ham stores are in Denver.

Dave - W0MAY

1593. Re: HRO 500 Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Miller <bmiller@calweb.com>
Message-ID: <34E8A286.1193C6CC@calweb.com>
Source record: 153318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Probably true, but oh what a toy to look at! Who needs to turn it on.
Bob

Robert L. Spooner wrote:

> The big problem with the HRO 500 was poor dynamic range. At that point
> in history, it was not generally understood how to make a solid state
> receiver with good dynamic range. That's why Drake took so long before
> comming out with a fully solid state design.
>
> 73,
> Bob AD3K
>
> W. Charles Alexander wrote:
>
> > Anyone have opinions on the HRO 500?
> > tkx
> > --
> > 73 de charlie
> > W. Charles Alexander
> > KC8IKG
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> Robert L. Spooner
> Registered Professional Engineer
> Research Assistant
> Intelligent Control Systems Group
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> Applied Research Laboratory Phone: (814) 863-4120
> The Pennsylvania State University FAX: (814) 863-7843
> P. O. Box 30
> State College, PA 16804-0030 RLS19@psu.edu

1594. Concurrency Control and Recovery features

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kfriese1@io.uwinnipeg.ca
Message-ID: <6ca8rr$au7$1@titan.uwinnipeg.ca>
Source record: 153319

Hello,

I need to find some web documentation regarding the concurrency control and recovery features of MS Access. If you know of any location please let me know.

Thank you...

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Kenton Friesen Undergraduate at the University of Winnipeg
Business Computing and Geography (GIS)
kfriese1@callisto.uwinnipeg.ca Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
zeq795@freenet.mb.ca

http://callisto.uwinnipeg.ca/~kfriese1/
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1595. CW Morse Decoder MRP373 now available.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Norbert Pieper <POLAR.Electric@cww.de>
Message-ID: <34E8A8DB.30FF@cww.de>
Source record: 153320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Latest version of Morse Decoder MRP37[3] is officially released !

MRP37 is a software-based Morse decoder developed as an MS-DOS
application by Polar Electric Engineering. It uses the audio output of
your radio receiver connected to your computer's sound card to decode
the CW audio signal to ASCII text.
A comfortabe CW-send function is included!
Now you can have a QSO at CW speeds of 20 wpm or more and make even more
contacts during CW contests! And by careful listening, we think you'll
notice an improvement in your own code copying ability.

For more info and instant download and test of MRP37[3] go to
http://members.tripod.com/~PEeng/morse

For additional information send mailto: POLAR.Electric@cww.de

POLAR Electric Engineering
Norbert Pieper

1596. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <gary@cwnet.com>
Message-ID: <6ca780$bqh@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 153321
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

YOU should be aware this outfit ALSO sells bridges from their Brooklyn
location, and swampland down in Florida...

Caveat Emptor....

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Gary - KJ6Q
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THIS generation whines about Social Security and Medicare,
THEN "buys" THEIR security by saddling future generations
with NAFTA and GATT... All, "for the children..."
hamsupplies@trust-me.com wrote in message
<6c98a2$f7k$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>...
>Dear Prospective Customers,
>
>We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
>equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
>Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
>discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
>competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
>due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.
>
>All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
>from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
>freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
>dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
>checks. We accept checks in US funds only.
>
>For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please
>e-mail to hamsupplies@trust-me.com or phone ++ 603 9439284
>fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of
>your queries.
>
>Sincerely,
>
>Megat Farez (Managing Director)
>HamSupplies International
>(Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1597. SGC 2020 - anyone have one?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <6caamt$90b$2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 153322

Does anyone have the new SGC 2020? I'd like to hear your comments on it.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
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1598. F.S. Few LARGE Variac's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: miniver@srv.net
Message-ID: <34e8b185.402270@news.srv.net>
Source record: 153323

Have a few LARGE variacs for sale. 5kw single phase 110V $75, 110/220V single phase $100, dual gang 220V (either 2 phase or three phase open delta) 5KW each gang $130, 3gang 220V three phase 5KW each gang $200 Multi gang units are usable on single phase @ double/triple rating. Also can be split into separate units. Additional 1/2 inch shaft reqired if split.Used good and tested.No control knobs. 73 de WA7KRP

1599. Yaesu FT-8000 mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bandit@domain.com
Message-ID: <34e8b884.1856277@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153324

I am looking for the cellular restoration for this radio.

Thanks,
Chris

1600. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E8B782.46A4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153325
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

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> Gary - KJ6Q
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You can get a IC-706 MK II from the USA DEALERS for $1150 including shippling/DSP/Separation Cable.

1601. Re: SGC 2020 - anyone have one?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E8B7E7.68B7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153326

Ed G. wrote:
>
> Does anyone have the new SGC 2020? I'd like to hear your comments on it.
>
> Ed W7DXZ
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>
>
> REPLY INFO:
> ==
> Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
> TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
> ==

Yes, please plost your candid comments!!

1602. Re: Need help identifying part...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmartin560@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980216223300.RAA11892@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153327

call motorola parts ID division @ (847) 538-0021

1603. Re: Can I use an FRS radio to patch into next town's repeater so my calls are local?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6cahkq$e4r@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 153328

No@Spam.Com <No@Spam.Com> wrote:

: Can I use a ham radio and only use the phone patch to the repeater?
: The next town is only 5 miles away. To get local calls, I have to move
: there, and I have not the funds, not now until I graduate and get a job.
: I read in Popular Communications that under right conditions, the Kenwood
: FRS can broadcast to 50 miles. Can I use this in so. CA? Thanks!

The Kenwood FRS is *not* a ham radio. The absolute best range for FRS radios that I've heard about is about half what you read, and *only* because it was mountain top to mountain top ("normal" range is 2 miles or less) There is _no_ provision for repeaters on FRS either.

Most repeaters that have phone patches usually require you to be a dues paying member. MOST of those don't have the capability to recieve incoming calls (IMHO something that is against the rules anyway) And further, no "business" calls are allowed over ham radio. And it would be a highly unususal for a club to tolerate someone using it's phone patch for his only telephone access.

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Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

1604. FS:AOR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jopp@erols.com
Message-ID: <jopp-1602981827550001@207-172-175-105.s42.as3.hck.erols.com>
Source record: 153329

Just arrived from javiation in england a brand new no gaps ar8000 with all of javiation's mods done plus a leather case. comes with box, ac adaptor, manual etc etc. used it once. pristine. warranty from javiation included. $600 firm. Someone gave me another one as a gift.

1605. f.s. ts870s /w accesories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahmd@netrover.com
Message-ID: <N.021698.183647.94@LOCALNAME>
Source record: 153330

ts870s with digital voice recorder and mc60 mike boxes/manuals/h.mike/ 4 months old ....$1850.00 u.s. shipped call 905-836-0052 or e-mail grahmd@interlog.com
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1606. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <billclarke@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <34E8D997.6A8B649B@mindspring.com>
Source record: 153331
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I'd sooner pay $1500 for that 706 MkII to a US business!

Bill W2BLC

1607. Re: Mike Connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tosca@warwick.net
Message-ID: <34f6e571.23389265@news.warwick.net>
Source record: 153332

On Mon, 16 Feb 1998 06:50:30 -0600, "Fred Blair" <fblair@gte.net>
was lurking in rec.radio.amateur.equipment, and composed the
following about "Mike Connections":

> Could someone explain which wires go on which connections on a regular mike
> connection?

What's a "regular" mike connection?

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ï¿½ase ELECTRONICA! ï¿½1976 TE Inc.
mailto:tosca@warwick.net

==PLEASE E-MAIL AS WELL AS POST;
ISP HAS BEEN PURGING QUICKLY! ==

1608. Re: Mobile rigs in Ford SUV's, problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rocky Davis <ac5io@seacove.net>
Message-ID: <34E8E66D.53AC@seacove.net>
Source record: 153333

DOTHETIME wrote:
>
> Bob,
> I run a Icom 706 in my 96 explorer sport. Works out ok, but I have a lot of
> what I believe is ignition noise. I also have this noise in the AM car radio.
> The dealer put a RFI capacitor on the electric fuel pump per a service
> bulletin. Did not make much difference. The explorer uses a distributorless
> ignition system with dual coils and I believe this is the source of the noise.
> When the engine is not running I get no noise.
> I have a pretty good screwdriver antenna setup and all my grounds are ok.
> I haven't pursued it much more because it does work,
> but low signals get pretty much buried in the S7 noise level.
> I may try shielding the spark plug wires and coils at some future date. Let
> me know if you find someway to improve the situation.
> Dave WA2HFN
Subject:
Fuel Pump EMI - Ford Products
Date:
16 Feb 1998 04:03:51 GMT
From:
"Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>
Organization:
All USENET -- http://www.Supernews.com
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've looked recently after someone had a problem with Ford fuel
injection,
noisy fuel pumps, for the part number.

Ford Part # is F1PZ18B925A Filter-Radio Rec (cost in 1996 was 45.09)

This must be mounted close to the fuel pump in the tank. I chose to use
the
approved Ford part since it was going in the fuel tank, at least they
would
never be able to say I used the wrong part if the Bronco blows up, HI !

So there it is for future reference and it does work.

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO
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Spend each moment perfecting the next, not correcting
the last.
--Scott Michael Durski

1609. FS: FC 10 auto tuner for Yaesu $200 as new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6caooojtf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The fc 10 tuner has almost no use on it is about 5 monthes old and in jperfect shape. SAVE!! Shipped and guaranteed to your door $200. Matches FT 840 and I presume it would work with most late yaesus. Thanks Murray Neece

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1610. FS: Knwd TS 530 and VFO 230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6caovp$k09$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

TS 530 is in collectible shape, very very nice, 230 not quite that good but good enough to go with it! $650 and I ship both to you! Split em? Maybe, lets talk, or make me an offer!! Thanks Murray

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1611. FS: Heathkit SB 221 AMP NICE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6cap6l$k7l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

$575 and split the shipping. This thing is NICE and full output too. Just a little scratch or so, look close or you miss em.!! Full output, smooooothe! Thanks Murray: Can trade but current hf stuff or any amps!

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1612. Re: FS: Butterfly Beam HF5B $125 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1lpi@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980216000901.TAA20611@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153342

HF5B SOLD

1613. Schematic for IC27A 2meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: marwynn@phoenix.net
Message-ID: <6c81dgqvh2@uhura1.phoenix.net>
Source record: 153343

I have a sick IC27A 2meter FM mobile rig. I am looking for a copy of the schematic. I believe the problem is in the audio section. If anyone has one that they could copy or scan and send to me. I would appreciate it very much.

If anyone has one and has had audio problems, Please let me know what you found wrong. The rig appears to be working with the exception of the audio section.

Thanks in advance for your help.

1614. What's the best PC wide band radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: MelissaQ@famnix.com
Message-ID: <6c81ql$g3k_002@dialup1.den.amnix.com>
Source record: 153344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I received a brochure in the mail a few months ago for a WinRadio
that plugs into a PC and uses Windows. It looks very cool except
that when I visited their web site, the sensitivity specs don't seem
to match the better ones in the brochure.

What's the best thing like this out there?

It would be really cool to have a super sensitive and selective wide
band radio receiver like that for the PC and Windows (still using
3.11). But $500 seems pretty steep for it too, being there's no
case, dial, massive hardware, or any of that involved.

Is that the best thing like it on the market now?

Please email me on this too, as I may not get back here in time & my
ISP erases posts every day.

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Melissa My web pages: http://www.amnix.com/~melissa/links.htm

To email me, remove the spam proofing character on both sides of the @ in my address.

My posting to Usenet does not imply permission, or a request, to email me,
though kind supportive comments are always welcome. (To email me, remove
the spam proofing character on both sides of the @ in my address.)
Hostile, harassing, religious harassment and/or abusive email may be posted
and result in complaints to your provider.

1615. WTB: moble ten meter rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sciguy8000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980216004900.TAA07865@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153345

anyone got extra ten meter rigs for sale?
(used but in good shape); ??

I would even like a mobile 10 watt
six meter mobile rig (used).
73

W7 GGR

1616. FS HF-5 Mini-beam- $ 65

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: celliott14@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980216010000.UAA09686@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153346

For Sale: HF-5B mini-beam $ 65. Pick up only central VA.

Carter

1617. Tailtwister rotor man need.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd5hni@io.com
Message-ID: <6c85lv$hp3$2@nntp-2.io.com>
Source record: 153347

Hello to all!, got a Hygain tailtwister rotor hr, and need a owners manual for it, would like a copy or
a original one if could? Will be glad to pay for cpying, mailing expense. Need to have the schematic also in
it. Thanks for reading,

73's Steve WD5HNI

in Texas hill country....

1618. WTB Kenwood TM742 220 Module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Oberg <jeffkathy@att.net>
Message-ID: <6c86m9$9tk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153348

Looking for a good 220 Module for my TM742. I have a 6 Meter Module
that I would be willing to sell or trade.
Please post reply to KB8SXK@JUNO.COM

1619. FS Kenwood TM742 6 Meter Module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Oberg <jeffkathy@att.net>
Message-ID: <6c86qp$9tk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153349

Have a Tm742 6 Meter Module for sale. Asking 250.00 or would consider
trade for 220 Module. Please reply to KB8SXK@juno.com

1620. FS-Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980216023900.VAA26176@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153350

For sale---Kenwood TS870-----Mint condition---No scratches or dents. Bought new for $2,300.00. Will sell for $1,800.00--shipping included. You save $500.00 over new. Excellent rig----I just don't use it all that much----No sense in letting it sit around.
N8WGM---

1621. Re: Mobile rigs in Ford SUV's, problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kovar <kovar@ia.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3a83$37784e80$376b78c7@kovar.inav.net>
Source record: 153351

Try isolating the radio from dash ground.
Jack
--
Jack Kovar
k0var
Iowa

DOTHETIME <dothetime@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980215210301.QAA01930@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> Bob,
> I run a Icom 706 in my 96 explorer sport. Works out ok, but I have a
lot of
> what I believe is ignition noise. I also have this noise in the AM car
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> me know if you find someway to improve the situation.
> Dave WA2HFN
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1622. Re: Newbie: Icom-T8A, HP or not ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@kirchhof.com
Message-ID: <34e7a9df.15196040@news.jump.net>
Source record: 153352

On Sat, 14 Feb 1998 23:33:40 -0800, "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
wrote:

I got mine in July of 97. They were using the BP180 (7.2V 600mah) for
4w on 2M and 3w on 440.

I echo the reports. Excellent radio, and the wide band front end is
really nice as a scanner. 60 memories is not a lot, but enough for my
repeaters and favorite PS band freqs.

Rick
KD5ABM

>You are right, the only difference between the two is a battery pack. Low
>power version (2W) is using "BP-199", and high power version (4.5W) is being
>sold with "BP-200" / 9.6V.
>
>
>twod@not.valid wrote in message <6c62ri$324$1@vnetnews.value.net>...
>>First up : I'm setting out studying for the Novice/Technician exam and
>>am considering buying the T8A - mainly on the advice of my brother who
>swears
>>by his IC-7A.
>>
>>My budget - c/o IRS :) - will allow for a T8 and I like the construction
>and
>>size, I do a lot of travelling and a bit of hill walking so the water
>>resistance is useful, but am not sure whether to buy the current T8A model
>or
>>to wait a couple of months and get the HP (high power) model.
>>
>>Am I correct in assuming that the only difference will be the battery pack
>>between the two models ?
>>
>>I'd like to buy the current model in order to do some listening prior to
>>taking the exam, but if the HP model differs markedly maybe I am better off
>>waiting.
>>
>>Any comments would be appreciated.
>>
>>IAP
>>
>>--
>>I am using anti-spam measures, please replace 'not.valid' with 'value.net'
>

>

1623. Re: Ts-820s rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <34e7ace2.49200281@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 153353

On 15 Feb 1998 22:05:17 GMT, "mike" <general@inspace.net> wrote:

>Purchased a kenwood ts-820 s at the orlando hamfest. can anyone give any
>pointers on this unit? I am using a dipole which is receiving very well. I
>am a general, but this is my first HF rig. Thanks for your replies.
>
If the digital display goes crazy, reseat the connector for it.
Otherwise a great rig, very good in high sig strength areas, perhaps
due to single conversion design.
Real pretty as well!
...Dave

1624. FS: KENWOOD TS-850-AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4dh@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980215.223354.7423.0.n4dh@juno.com>
Source record: 153354

Kenwood TS-850AT, built in antenna turner. Excellent condition.
Orginal boxes manual & receipt. One owner, non smoker.
$1100.

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Bill Richarz <N4DH> ex WA4VAF | Internet: wricharz@charlotte.infi.net
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1625. Fuel Pump EMI - Ford Products

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Orrico WB6HRO <eugene@loop.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3a8f$26a2f4f0$aa3dd3cf@joe>
Source record: 153355

I've looked recently after someone had a problem with Ford fuel injection, noisy fuel pumps, for the part number.

Ford Part # is F1PZ18B925A Filter-Radio Rec (cost in 1996 was 45.09)

This must be mounted close to the fuel pump in the tank. I chose to use the approved Ford part since it was going in the fuel tank, at least they would never be able to say I used the wrong part if the Bronco blows up, HI !

So there it is for future reference and it does work.

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

1626. FS - MINT Icom IC-781 Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6c8i27$7g3@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.hams,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.misc,rec.radio.boatanchors

Mint in the original box with all of the packaging and maual. This
radio comes with all the standard accessories. It has never needed
repairs, or ever been modified in any manner.

$4000.

1627. FS: Knwood TS180S w/ filters & WARC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6c8iav$3dfs$1@newssvr09-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 153357

I Have a Kenwood TS180S w/ WARC bands, SSB & CW filters & copied manual.
Power cable & noise canceling mic included.
425.00 OBO (+ shipping) Good condition.
mor55ac@prodigy.net

73's
N1FRH
Nahum

1628. Used Police Radar Guns WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6c8i2i$jf4$10@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 153358

I am buying used police radar guns, handheld or 2 piece. Please E Mail me with model number and or description along with your asking price. Thanks

1629. -FS- HP model 427a Voltmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6c8ji6$7od$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 153359
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,mi.forsale,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

For Sale

HP model 427a AC/DC Analog Voltmeter

1 mV to 1000 volts DC
0.3mV to 300 volts AC from 10Hz to 1MHz
Resistance from 0.2 ohms to 500 megohms

like new condition.

Has internal AC Power Supply option.

Has hardshell carring case.

$120. shipped usa48

email me.......

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

1630. Re: ADMS 1D PROGRAMING SOFTWARE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3ab7$ee06ef60$011871ce@default>
Source record: 153360

your missing the point. the man is looking for someone to be goodhearted enough to provide him with the software. now, while i understand your sarcasim, the idea was suppose to be to help each other out in ham radio. possibly, he just might have something that you could use, like a service manual, or maybe a database program.
thats what neighbors do for each other, at least my neighbors do
don N1RSQ
btw if anyone wants to send me a copy, im sure i might something you might need.

> Hahaha...that's very funny. While we're at it, can we break any other laws on your
> behalf? Perhaps you'd like us to rob a convenience store and send you the cash? Or
> maybe we can rip off a couple of Rolex's? How about a "CAPS LOCK" key? Oh never
> mind, you already have one. I'd better sign off now, and reserve the bandwith for all
> the hams who paid good money to PURCHASE the software and are really gonna want to
> send YOU a copy!!
>

1631. Re: Repeater audio???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rich M." <right@home.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3aa0$d66714a0$a9efd8c0@default>
Source record: 153361

Mike & Jayne Goad <ka4ezy@flinet.com> wrote in article
<34E762BE.7329@flinet.com>...
> Sean P Murphy wrote:
> >
> > I am interfacing the audio from the receiver of a General
Electric
> > Mastr II to the transmitter of the same radio. Does anyone have any
ideas
> > on how to do this. I should say any other ideas. I have tried building
an
> > op-amp/ de-emphasis circuit and picking the audio from the vol/sq hi.
This
> > works great but I wonder if anyone has any different ideas. (easier?) I
> > guess I might be looking for different circuits. Anyone?

Try this web site, Lots of good info.

http://www.mindspring.com/~otterson/nhrc/

N7JPO

1632. Re: TM-V7A PRO's & CONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Elwan Smotinedde <molden1@wanway.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3aa0$0ac06040$619192ce@default>
Source record: 153362

Compared to Icom and Yaesu, it is an intermod sponge. It was totally unusable even near a city because all I heard were pagers and dispatchers. Yaesu is easily the best here.
Four, yes 4 channel per second scan rate. This is 50's technology. It makes a career out of scanning the memory banks. Compare this to Icoms 8 per sec which is still slow and Yaesu's 26 channels per sec in their FT 8000 and 8100. Unfortunately the 8100 has some other strange quirks.
The blue on white or white on blue is very difficult to see when used mobile. The worst color scheme of all, even with the revised and new version. Worse when viewed at an angle.
I consider this unit completely unacceptable and unuseable.

Russ Ouellette <Rouelle1@bellatlantic.net> wrote in article <34E7E2E3.5634@bellatlantic.net>...
> Hello and thanks for reading this message. I'm thinking of buying this
> radio and would like to know your pro's and con's of the radio !
> thanks ! and 73 Russ
>

1633. Knight R55A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Bowmer <jbowmer@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34E7DDD4.77A@ibm.net>
Source record: 153363

I would like a copy of the circuit diagram or other information on a
Knight R55A receiver. It was produced by Allied Radio, Chicago.

Reasonable costs refunded, of course.

Thank you.

Jim Bowmer, VE3YOG.

jbowmer@ibm.net

1634. Manual needed for KDK 2025 MKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: trbarber@earthling.net
Message-ID: <34e7e03e.50513015@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153364

I need a manual for the KDK 2025 MKII 2M mobile. I will be willing to pay for copying and postage. If a manual is not available, I can use the information on the use of the TONE switch on this rig. Any information will be appreciated. Reply by E-Mail if possible.

Thanks, 73, and may all your signals be rare DX.
Tom

1635. -FS- Motorola Chargers for MX300-MT500-HT220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6c8l06$7qq$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 153365
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,mi.forsale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

for sale....

Motorola HT Drop-in Chargers.....

model NLN8858 1 hour charger for MX300 type radio/batterys

model NLN8856 14 hour charger for MX300 type radio/batterys

model NLN4569B 1 hour charger for MT-500/HT220 radio/batterys

model NLN6892 mobile drop-in charger for MT-500/HT220, works
off vehicle 12volt dc

all are extra clean, work fine. i have a few of each type....

$20 each + shipping of $5

e-mail-me......

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

1636. -FS- Motorola Mocom 10 Base on 46.02Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6c8oc6$7va$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 153366
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale....

Motorola Mocom 10 Base Station
with built-in AC Power Supply
and Microphone.
currently on 46.02 Mhz
works fine. Very Very Clean!!!
could probably be put on 6m FM.
$30 plus shipping of about $6.
email me....

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
5885 Galbraith Line Road
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

1637. -FS- Motorola Mocom 10 on 30.92Mhz $30

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6c8p4p$80f$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 153367
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale.......

Motorola Mocom 10 Mobile, 30watts,
with mounting bracket, currently
on 30.92 Mhz with a PL of 88.5
with Microphone, DC cable.
works perfect.
could probably be put on 10m FM
$30. + shipping of $6.00

email me.........

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

1638. FS IC900 w/ 2m 50w, 220, & 440 $690

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim McGhee <jmcghee@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <34E7F284.2E53@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 153368

Hi all,
I have an IC900 with the 2 meter hi power, the 220, and the 440 modules for sale. It has the remote mounting with the optical cable and everything so you can stack up to 6 modules in your trunk and mount the display on you sun visor. It also has the optional tone unit and the manual. I'll throw in a speaker. It works fine. The buttons on the console look a little used but everything else looks new. I would like to have $690 plus shipping. Or make me an offer.

Thanks for your interest,
Jim McGhee N5FZT

1639. KENWOOD TV506 6M TRANSVERTER : FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6c8tve$gc2$1@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 153369

I HAVE A KENWOOD TV 506 6M TRANSVERTER (RARE UNIT) FOR SALE .
ITEM IS IN FANTASTIC CONDITION (NOT A SCRATCH ON IT) . COMES WITH MANUAL AND
ALL CABLES/CORDS.

I AM ASKING $285 + SHIPPING/MAIL COSTS.

EMAIL ME .
THANKS.!

1640. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Tornow <tornow@zedat.fu-berlin.de>
Message-ID: <6c903p$og4$1@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 153370
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

nobody@crosslink.net (Robert Lay) wrote:
>On 12 Feb 1998 14:48:14 GMT, Andre Tornow <tornow@zedat.fu-berlin.de>
>wrote:
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>>If the german word Achterstag is the backstay in english, how do you
>>call the german Backstag ?
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>Good Morning, Andre,
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>If I correctly understand the prefix "back" in a nautical context, it
>would mean "forecastle" or "foc'sle" as we say. If that's the case
>then wouldn't the german word Backstag translate to Forestay?
>Continuing with that thought, then it's no wonder that languages can
>become so confusing. Anyway, makes a nice conversation item.
>
>

Robert,
the word back for the forcastle is also known in germany. BTW the backstag
is not the forestay (Vorstag in german). If a boat has backstags it has two
of them. They go from the mast backwards to either side of the boat, while
only on one side, the leffward, is tight.
I hope this description helps to locate that stay.

Andre

1641. FS: Alinco DJS11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: eddie.salonga@livewire.com.ph
Message-ID: <9802161617414284@livewire.com.ph>
Source record: 153371

Many of you will have files to share. I suggest the following:

Send a message to the list. Tell the list about your file and ask anyone
who wants a copy to email you privately. Then you can email only that
person the file, instead of the entire list. Alternatively you can place
your file on a web page and post the URL to the list.

For the benefit of Spambots everywhere:
webmaster@localhost
abuse@localhost
postmaster@localhost
Stop Internet Spam.

>From: "Ray" <ray@idsi.net>
>Subject: FS: Alinco DJS11

>Alinco DJS11 HT with belt pouch, VHF FM, 50 mw low power 340 mw high power.
>Already internally modified for MARS/CAP. Hardly used good as new in
>original box. $80.00

>Ray

>ray@idsi.net

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* OLXWin 1.00b * LiveWire! Manila * http://www.livewire.com.ph * 634-2120 *

1642. Re: TM V7E and packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Marius Evang <jane@ifi.uio.no>
Message-ID: <xml90rb6d70.fsf@hrotti.ifi.uio.no>
Source record: 153372

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>> javier Fernandez de la Mela writes:

jFdlM> I want to use a TM V7E for packet radio, but I don?t know
jFdlM> wich pin of the data connector switches the TX. In the manual
jFdlM> the pins are numbered as shown: 1- Data from TNC to radio 2-
jFdlM> Ground 3- Standby 4- Data at 9600 from radio to TNC 5- Data
jFdlM> at 1200 from radio to TNC 6- Squelch Where do I connect the
jFdlM> PTT line from de TNC?

3- Standby

73 LC1MAT
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-O /\\ | Jan Marius Evang |
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\ /\ | /In Aurum Veritas/ |

1643. Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamsupplies@trust-me.com
Message-ID: <6c98a2$f7k$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153373
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Dear Prospective Customers,

We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.

All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of checks. We accept checks in US funds only.

For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please e-mail to hamsupplies@trust-me.com or phone ++ 603 9439284 fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of your queries.

Sincerely,

Megat Farez (Managing Director)
HamSupplies International
(Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1644. CT interface cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: franky B <frankyb@glo.be>
Message-ID: <34E8A66D.7C61@glo.be>
Source record: 153374

has anyone the description of the CT interface cable.

LPT or COM <----> TX

tnx, ON4CEL

frankyb@glo.be

1645. Mike Connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Blair <fblair@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6c9cra$1q$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153375

Could someone explain which wires go on which connections on a regular mike connection?

Thanks

1646. Re: SSB (what is a Backstag)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Tornow <tornow@zedat.fu-berlin.de>
Message-ID: <6c9dsu$rq1$2@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 153376
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>then wouldn't the german word Backstag translate to Forestay?
>Continuing with that thought, then it's no wonder that languages can
>become so confusing. Anyway, makes a nice conversation item.
>
>
>
I've just learned, that in a dictionary for sailors these two stay are called this:

Achterstag=(standing) backstay
Backstag = running backstay

Andre

1647. WTB Altair computer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: RWood54741@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6c9dfp$66j@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I would like to buy one of the following
early micocomputers...

Altair 8800
Altair 8800b
Altair 680
Altair 680b

Also Altair floppy drive
Also SOL computer
Also Sceli computer

Thanks,

BOB

1648. WTB: YK-88C Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980216131001.IAA23566@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153378

WTB: YK-88C 500 Hz CW filter for use in Kenwood TS-130S. Pls. drop me a private e-mail if you have one for sale.

Thanks/73--Phil (K1HS) < rut@mcrut.mv.com >

1649. Re: Mike Connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "chris dot muriel at analog dot com"
Message-ID: <34e83fc1.10732653@news.analog.com>
Source record: 153379

On Mon, 16 Feb 1998 06:50:30 -0600, "Fred Blair" <fblair@gte.net>
wrote:

>Could someone explain which wires go on which connections on a regular mike
>connection?
>
>Thanks
>
There's no such thing as a "regular mike connection".
There are 4,5,6,7, & 8 pin mic connectors for a start.
Also an 8 pin mike socket from (for example) Kenwood will use
different pin connections to an 8-pin from Yaesu -different again
for Icom.
You need to specify the intended purpose -which rig ?? (make & model)
& then someone can look it up in the handbook for their rig (if they
happen to possess that particular rig).

73 de Chris Muriel (G3ZDM)

1650. FS: AZDEN AZ-61 6 METER HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul M Koplow <pmkoplow@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E84675.8627015D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153380

I have for sale an Azden AZ-61 Handi Talkie, with stand-up charger, manual. Excellent condition. $250 shipped in US.

Paul WA1VEI
pmkoplow@ix.netcom.com

1651. Re: ICOM - 706 vs. Mk-II --- Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Hind <jonhind@cix.co.uk>
Message-ID: <VA.00000bc8.0076af9c@autronica-offshore.compulink.co.uk>
Source record: 153381

what is a screwdriver antenna ?

jon hind

1652. FS: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34E84C83.1337D9EC@erols.com>
Source record: 153382

Have a 7 month old Icom IC-756 like new condition.
About 15 hr's on it. No Marks or scratches. Non smoker.
Have original box and book. No optional filters.

Price 1650.00 plus shipping.

Steve

1653. ** Yaesu VX-1R CELLULAR MOD/OPEN transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: petervee@hotmail.COM
Message-ID: <19980216143322.29547.qmail@hotmail.com>
Source record: 153383

I bought a Yaesu VX-1R and somehow have managed to open it for both cellular receive and open transmit.

It receives up to 999MHz and transmits 420MHz to 470MHz as well as 136MHz to 170MHz.

No hardware change was ever done. The jumpers are as when shipped. However, there must be some combination of frequency that sets it on. I dont want to experiment with it, because the general receive may turn off.

I seem to remember however that the 747 turns general TX on or off when the frequency 12.3456 is on the display and then turning the radio off and then on. Maybe this is similar.

It is a great radio and I plan to get a second one for my daughter.

Best,
Peter, KC1QF

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Get Your Private, Free Email at http://www.hotmail.com

1654. Re: FS: Near Mint TS930S/AT - Reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34E855CF.4B10@hauns.com>
Source record: 153384

Saad Mahaini wrote:
>
> Hello Friends,
>
> I still have a near mint TS-930S/AT transceiver for sale.
>
> Electrically, it's perfect. It has been checked and aligned by
> the Kenwood experts at International Radio in Florida.
>
> Cosmetically, it's in super clean condition.
>
> With original manual and box.
>
> Just reduced to $775 + shipping, Or Best Reasonable Offer.
>
> 73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas
Saad, I am in New Mexico. If you will ship the rig to me for $700 I
will take it. Bob

1655. HAM shop in Ft. Collins, CO ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ulki@hpbblb.bbn.hp.com
Message-ID: <34e81581.0@isoit370.bbn.hp.com>
Source record: 153385

Hi,

I will be travelling to Ft. Collins, CO, next week and would like to know
if there's a HAM radio store in this area.

I'm looking for the ADMS-1D software to program the Yaesu radios. The
software is not yet availabe in Germany (at least my dealer is telling
me this). Programming the VX-1R by hand is a real pain.

Thanks for any hints,

Ulli (DL1SBL)
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Ulrich Kienzle Phone : (+49) 7031-14-2893
OpenView Software Division (OVSD) Telnet : 778-2893
Hewlett-Packard GmbH Email : ulki@bbn.hp.com
Herrenbergerstrasse 130 FAX : (+49) 7031-14-4346
D-71034 Boeblingen, Germany

1656. AOR AR 160 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: HAWK <rogerd@chisp.net>
Message-ID: <34E868CD.3223@chisp.net>
Source record: 153386

Help,

Does anyone have information on this scanner? Mainly an operation manual or info to get started programming. This is a tough nut to figure out without one.

Thanks in advance.

'73

Roger KA4LDN

1657. Re: Yaesu FT 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@see.sig.to.reply
Message-ID: <MPG.f5375bc117b6cfd9896bc@news.richmond.edu>
Source record: 153137

On Fri, 13 Feb 1998 21:23:06 GMT, Chris wrote:
> But do you happen to have the cellular mods for this rig?

Monitoring the cellular band is ILLEGAL. As a law abiding amateur radio operator, you should heed this warning. Use the radio for its intended purpose (talking with other hams) instead of trying to eavesdrop on private conversations.

--Steve K4GBA

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To reply via email, remove one 'r' from my address:
szinski@rrichmond.edu

1658. FS:****YAESU FT-757gx & P/S $500.00****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6cc842$ar3$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 153138

Very clean FT-757gx with the matching FP-757 switching power supply.
Also comes with MH-1 hand mic,manual,and,original box for $500.00 +
shipping.

If you need more info, call Stan at (530)241-0843

1659. FS: Kenwood TM255A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary <gwatts@qni.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3bce$ed132ac0$1b0595d0@gary.ns.mci.com>
Source record: 153139

Kenwood TM255A 2-Meter ALL MODE
Detachable fron panel design NEW in the BOX
VS-2 voice synthesizer
TSU-8 CTSS board installed

price $800.00

call Bill Sykes N0JHZ
816-924-1248 H
913-791-8493 W

1660. KB8UYZ.COM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <dan@kb8uyz.com>
Message-ID: <6cccb8$pl6$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 153140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

February 17, 1998

KB8UYZ.COM's newest site is that of Dave AA2DW. Dave's links page is still growing, but contains many different links to sites all across the internet. You can access his page at http://kb8uyz.com/aa2dw.

Also, we have taken our American Patriot News page offline, due to lack of time. In its place, we have added a Patriot Links Page, which can be found at http://kb8uyz.com/patriot. This page will continue to be updated.

Anyone wishing to access our DHCOM.COM server may have noticed some trouble. The server went offline last week, and we are working to quickly resolve the situation. All of the sites on DHCOM.COM can still be accessed on our MEGAMAN Server, at http://megaman.dhcom.com.

And don't forget to visit http://kb8uyz.com ... your amateur radio news and information source on the internet!

73's
Dan KB8UYZ
dan@kb8uyz.com

1661. Re: Crack fot WinAPRS Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Booher <kbooher@gate.net>
Message-ID: <34E9B826.62630A71@gate.net>
Source record: 153141

Yes the easiest way is to contact the author, he will give you
detailed
instructions for doing what you want to do with his software...

Ken

1662. Re: Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Freeland <kf4u@digital.net>
Message-ID: <6cceh3lia1@ddi2.digital.net>
Source record: 153142
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

A URL would be helpful
de KF4U

W5IDX wrote in message <6cbqaj$age@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>I Am In The Process Of Setting Up A Home Page For Amateur Radio & Texas
>Stop By My Pages & Sign My Guest Book & Drop Me Any Comments Or Suggestions
>You Might Have.
>Coming Soon A Call Sign Server & Other Neat Stuff.
>Gregg W5IDX Houston Texas

1663. R5 4 SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <6ccehh$1e3@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153143

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CUSHCRAFT R5 LIKE NEW IN BOX
BEST OFFER OVER $125.00 WILL SHIP C.O.D.
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1664. Re: TM-V7 Radio Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ccepk$3n3@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153144

On Tue, 17 Feb 1998 06:24:08 -0600, lopes@originet.com.br wrote:

>I need some information about TM-V7 radio modifications.
>Tnx in advance.
>
>73
>Lopes - PY2SM
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Here's what i got:

I got this off this newsgroup awhile after the radio was introduced.
It worked for me.
All caveats apply!

Remove both top and bottom covers.
Unplug the speaker and set the covers aside.
Lift up on the 6 tabs on the top and bottom of the front of the radio
and remove it.
We should now be looking at the back of the faceplate receptical.
Position it so that the voice modual is at the top while looking down
on it.
Below and to the left of the modual is a V shaped copper spring.
The resistor we want to remove is in the 0 (zero) position
Remove nothing else.
Do a full reset per the instruction manual
You should now have 300 to 470mhz receive on UHF
410 to 470 mhz transmit.
118 to 174 mhz receive
and 136 to 174 mhz transmit.

I have heard that 800 mhz reception is possible, but I haven't been
able to find much on it except a posting on packet from a guy in
Belgium. His description of the mod sounded cryptic at best so I left
it alone.

Randy

Randy
Greater Cincinnati Northern Kentucky Scanner Page
http://home.fuse.net/rwtrue00

Remove the detatchable face and the bottom cover. Look at the pcb
that
is vertical behind the the front of the radio. There will be 5-6 sets

of solder pads numbered 0-whatever. There will be 2 chip resistors on the first two pads, the rest are empty. Remove the resistor on the first pad (the one closest to the grounding spring-should be #0). The new range should be VHF 136-173.995TX 118-174RX UHF 410-469.995TX 300-470 RX.

This is directly from the Kenwood Supplementary Info sheet TM-V7A Beyond MARS Modification.

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Rik Rasmussen Direct Call, Inc. Durham/Raleigh, NC
USA
rik@vnet.net visit my homepage at http://users.vnet.net/rik/
AOL Instant Messenger: Rik Rass ICQ#7920695 Amateur Radio:
WA4BAN

1665. Re: Ham Radio Equipment For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e9c227.128580478@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153145
Cross-posted to: alt.rock-n-roll.metal.death,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 16 Feb 1998 21:39:04 -0500, Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net> wrote:
>Hmmm... $1289.00 - $1120.00 = $169.00 ... wonder what shipping, handling,
>import & duties are from Kuala Lampur to the U.S.....
>
>Tom
>KB1CGA

Aye, there's the rub. Even if this is a legitimate business, which it may be
(though anyone with a domain name of "trust-me" is suspect in my book),
there is the little matter that this will be a grey market radio with no US
warranty, and the shipping and duties will eat up any savings.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1666. Re: Al. flashing as ground strap? another lRF and lightning question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34e9c2e5.128770789@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 16 Feb 1998 12:29:49 -0500, Lab Assistant <@prism1.gatech1.edu1> wrote:
>I have been looking for copper flashing or grounding strap and it is
>expensive and rather hard to find, but Aluminium flashing that is
>used for roofing is quite common and affordable. Is this an acceptable
>alternative? I want to install a correct lighting and RF ground and
>was thinking about using 12in. or 6in. wide Al flashing as the ground
>strap to a 3/4 in. copper pipe (as gound bus in the shack) and entrance
>box (for antenna lightning arrestors), then connecting this
>to a star ground system which is also tied into the phone, power and
>tower grounds. Is this a good setup? I would like to do it right the
>first time.
>How do you attach a wide strap to a gound rod anyway??
>thanks,
>KS4TY, Eddie

Eddie, the problem with aluminum flashing is achieving a
good permanent electrical bond between it and the copper.
You'd need specially fabricated clamps and plenty of
NoAloX to keep an insulating aluminum oxide layer from
forming in the joint. You can do it, but it is probably more
trouble than just forking over the money for copper flashing.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1667. For Sale RS Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: geaugalake@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980217174400.MAA21964@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153147

Radio Shack/Realistic, whatever Pro-2006 Scanner
Instructions, Box(with the little strings on it.), Unit in Excellent Condition.
Make me a resonable offer.

Cleveland, Ohio Area KB8ZIK

1668. FS: Sony ICF-2010 SW Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ylshih@alumni.caltech.edu
Message-ID: <6cckgr$boq@gap.cco.caltech.edu>
Source record: 153148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Sony ICF-2010 Shortwave receiver in excellent condition. If you're unfamiliar with this radio, it is one of Sony's best, including HF, AM, FM, Aircraft, USB/LSB, synchronous detection, memories, etc. Includes manual, power pack, antenna, etc. US$215 plus shipping.

Contact:

Yin Shih, N9YS
ylshih@alumni.caltech.edu

1669. Re: INDEX LABS QRP Phone number?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <6cciv4$h8h$1@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 153149

Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> writes:
Hi Tom,

Index labs is no more. SGC is marketing a new rig that is the sucessor
to the qrp plus. The only way you will get a qrp plus is used.

cheers, Paul
VE7CQK
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

>I have been unable to contact Index Labs maker of QRP HF rigs.
>The phone number on the Web page has the wrong area code. When I got the
>right area code a freaking Fax answers!

>Some way to run a company. Anyone have a valid phone number for this
>company.

>I have to tell you I am reconsidering my purchase if the company is this
>hard to contact!

>Thanks
>tnic@idt.net

1670. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Planet Nik <Nick@greenhse.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <uq80gNAqvd60EwOK@greenhse.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153150
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6bq0c0$lu5@lace.colorado.edu>, John Warren
<John.Warren@colorado.edu> writes
>People, people.....PLEASE.... This group should surely represent the spirit
>of amateur radio first and foremost!!
>Don't slam ... or tease .... or tear at people who come here for help with
>what they are doing for fun.

I'm now as guilty as you and everyone else, but *please* stop cross
posting this thread out of your own newsgroup. John, for your
information to me this group should not 'represent the spirit of amateur
radio first and foremost' because to me this is rec.boats.electronics !

Lets kill this (boring) thread once and for all...

Nick
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Nick Smeltzer CNE
nick@greenhse.demon.co.uk (home)
nsmeltzer@groundwork.org.uk (work)
ICQ: 2030895

1671. WTB: Alinco DR-610T Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Frank <dhf@rmi.net>
Message-ID: <34E9B269.38289546@rmi.net>
Source record: 153151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have just acquired an Alinco DR-610T dualband mobile, and need the
operators manual and an EJ-24U Tone Decode module.
If anyone has either of these for sale, please reply via direct email.
TIA, Don

1672. BK Precision Capacitance Meter For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Wong <alwong@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <34E9E5A5.81F0140F@mitre.org>
Source record: 153152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Fore sale...

Manufacturer
BK Precision

Model
830 Autorange Capacitance Meter

Price: $100.00

Description
4x6x1, accepts standard banana connector leads, have slotted contact for those tiny tine ceramic disc caps. Runs off batteries or wall adapter.

Auto range with LED range indicator, LCD display, have fold out legs for bench use.

History
Bought new back in 1989 when I was into high end car audio. Used for approximately 1 year tuning filters (part time on weekends, less than 30 hours total).
Cardboard box is wasted, and can't find meter leads (probably with my VOM), and the wall power adapter has been long gone(probably used for some other gadget).

If interested, please email me at the following

NOTE I hate spammers, so if replying, please remove the c from my name in the reply address.

Thanks,
Al Wong
KF4GDD
al.wong@usa.net
alwong@mitre.org

1673. Want Yaesu Filters YF-112 C/A for FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: aaker@apple.com
Message-ID: <aaker-1702981227340001@aakema.apple.com>
Source record: 153153
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Wanted: Yaesu Filters YF-112C or YF-112A for Yaesu FT-840 transceiver.
Thanks,

aaker@apple.com

Mark Aaker K6UFO
Cupertino, CA 95014
Tel. (408) 974-4347
FAX (408) 974-5436

1674. Icom T8A Features

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: birt <birt@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <34E9F8D6.A3F416E0@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 153154

Hello all,
Would like to get a T8A, I have been looking at that rig on the UK pages

for some time.
Can anyone tell me how much range the key pad mod gives you.
Will it go below 50mhz, looking at it as a scanner while traveling also.

Will it do AO-27, tx on one band and rx on the other ?
How is the scan speed.
Thanks in advance !
de Birt

1675. Good Deal. 890XLT FOR $125.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: slkdealr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980217210400.QAA18916@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153155

I am selling the BC890XLT w/ctcss board in it & operating manual
telescopic antenna with a BNC connector on it & 110 volt AC to
12 volt DC wall plug adaptor. All for $125. (firm)
and you paid for the shipping. It is in good shape no cracks or
scratches on it but the receive is lot to be desirable!!!!!
(in other words it sucks on the receive)
This is the only reason why I am selling the scanner!!

If you like something like this e-mail me at SLKDEALR@aol.com*

1676. Memory chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Smith <wa4puf@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34E9E135.CAC73D02@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have a quantify of memory chips as follows. Parity, 4 & 8 meg, 72 pin, 70 nano second simms. Asking $10.00 ea. for 4 megs & $14.00 ea. for 8 megs. You pay shipping. Respond to e-mail address below.

wa4puf@earthlink.net

Ralph

1677. Kenwood R-5000 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trofimow Aleksander <abtrof@home.com>
Message-ID: <34E993DC.E161690D@home.com>
Source record: 153157

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Kenwood R-5000 for sale:
includes external speaker, SSB filter
$500, OBO
Alex
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1678. FS: Kenwood TS-520/DG-5 Digital Readout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EA054F.406F@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153158

Excellent condition. Complete with original box, manual. No Mike.

Non-Smoker.

$400 + COD shipping from Boston or can arrange pickup if not too far.

Steve Ross, N1IBS

1679. WTB : RF Signal Generator + VTVM with RF probe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN-MARIE CHERRY <jmc@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd3bf4$1c4fe920$700c0dc3@Jammy>
Source record: 153159

Hi gang,

WTB : a accurate RF Signal Generaton, not too expensive, with continuous variable output. Min 10 kHz to 40 MHz.

WTB : VTVM with RF Probe.

Please email direct

Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

1680. EARPIECE RECEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ccvsm$od5@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153160

Come view our selection of earphone kits and earpiece receivers.
TACTICAL-COMMAND
http://www2.netcom.com/~bumper09/earpiece.html
Kindly,
TCC

1681. MOTOROLA GP68 PROGRAMMING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ccvu8$oe4@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153161

Anyone know how to key-pad program this radio? If so, please email
tac-com@ix.netcom.com

Kindly,
TCC

1682. Help With Heath IT-17 Tube Tester?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3bf5$c86db060$108a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 153162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have a Heath IT-17 tube tester. It covers a whole lot of tubes, but doesn't list 6LQ6 and other similar sweep tubes, anyone have the settings for these? Anyone have a collection of settings for other tubes that work with this tester, please?
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

1683. FS: MuTek Low Noise Front-end for FT-221

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <6cd3f9$6rv$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For Sale: MuTek front-end board for Yaesu FT-221 2 Meter Transceiver.

Bought but never used. Still for sale at ssbusa.com Can't beat this price.

$50 plus $5 S&H, CONUS.

73, Al, NW2M

nw2m@qsl.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1684. Mods for Yaesu FT-8100R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Kirkner <billrk@desupernet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3b7c$1fbe7180$0254f6cd@hp-customer>
Source record: 153164

Does anyone have the mods for the Yaesu FT 8100r. If so please e-mail or
post Thanks
73 N3PZA
billrk@desupernet.net

1685. IC-756 spectrum analyzer display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <34EA084B.7DFD@amsat.org>
Source record: 153165

After I purchased my Icom IC-756, I noticed the vertical amplitude on the spectrum analyzer display is quite low on the higher band (ie: 18 MHz and above), unless the receiving signal is +20db over S-9.

I called Icom support on the telephone and they informed me that the spectrum analyzer display amplitude is derived from the front RF section of the receiver. The signal level to the spectrum analyzer is a fixed value. What I have notices is the vertical amplitude of the spectrum analyzer display can be increased on the higher bands if the RF pre-amp #2 is selected. However the vertical gain is still somewhat low.

Does anyone know what component (resistor/op-amp) to change to allow more signal into the spectrum analyzer so the vertical amplitude can be increased?

NE7X...

1686. Help on Console, Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34EA23A5.1E34@erols.com>
Source record: 153166

Looking for information on any company that sells radio consoles. (Not the typical computer type, but the type you might find in a police communications center, 911, radio station etc.) Pse email me only. Thanks.

1687. WTD: AN/URR-69 R-1444/UR receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean McCarthy <wx8l@home.com>
Message-ID: <6cd695$18$1@ha1.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 153167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Wanted: R-1444 military receiver

Sean McCarthy
wx8l@home.com

1688. WTB: Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <34E9ACB7.649D@nwlink.com>
Source record: 153168

Hi to all that read this, I'm looking for a Kenwood TS870 in as new cond only! with options, ie...DRU-3, MC-60 Desk Mike. I will pay up to $1,750.00 depending on options. I will only except cod.

Mark KB7OID 253 581-9907 (WA)

1689. Looking for information on ARP company

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Willliam L. Turini" <turinib@wdni.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3bfd$99a56540$e837280a@flounder>
Source record: 153169
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I'm looking for information on ARP, Box 164, Cataula, Georgia 31804. They published reviews of equipment a number of years ago. Any leads (owner, publisher, etc.) would be appreciated.

Thanks

Bill

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Bill Turini KA4GAV/7 turinib@wdni.com
h (360) 825-1167 w (253) 924-5890
S/1
S/1 Always looking for Signal/One equipment, accessories, documentation, etc.
S/1

1690. Pakratt for Windows ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Charles Alexander" <charlie@netset.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3be4$9e0d5ca0$0ee4b7ce@wca-nec>
Source record: 153170
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Is there any way to get Packratt for Windows now?
Program for AEA PK232 MBX
I just bought one and was told it had this software but it only had Pakratt
II
the Windows version has a Signal Analysis Module and a few other nice
things for my use which is Rx only

Tkx

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73 de charlie KC8IKG
W. Charles Alexander
charlie@netset.com

1691. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: xfmr@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6cd9m9$m8u$1@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 153171

It's only the LAW if the NEC has been adopted by the local governmental agency.

Juan

1692. Re: Passed Novice Today -- Please Advise on Rigs & Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34EA38A7.262B@pacbell.net>
Source record: 153172

> <<Some things were cut to save space.>>
>
> Hi All,
>
> I just passed the Novice test today and I was wondering if some of you
> would give me some input / info. / advice on rigs and ARRL books.
>
> Rigs --
> I would like to get some info. on QRP rigs and how to adapt them for
> backpacking. Info on kits / plans for transceivers, baluns, antenna
> tuners, antennas, keyers, etc. for the backpacker would be great.
> Anyone know of any good books or clubs?

I suggest you take a look at the ARRl WEB page:

http://www.arrl.org/

http://www.arrl.org/field/club/clubsearch.phtml

They are a very good source for both books and club information.

If you can join a local club, I'm sure that there are there are members in
every Ham Radio Club that might have some ideas / tips / suggestions.
Just remember, there's no one single "ideal" radio for everyone. The
name brand products are all very good. If you want to see what others
have posted in the past, just check out:

http://www.dejanews.com/

I've found it to be a very helpful source for user comments.

73,
Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

1693. f/s drake c-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: emory peters <emoryp@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <34EA4A57.1AF14CA5@surfsouth.com>
Source record: 153173

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drake c-line f/s t-4x transmitter r-4c receiver w/ ac-4 p/s work's well
a few scratches on cabinet's all manual's. no mic no spk. $275.00 w/half
ship in L/48 tnx. emoryp@surfsouth.com
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1694. FS: Boatanchors ETC:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Leishman <leishman@michcom.com>
Message-ID: <34EA12AB.B711C1EB@michcom.com>
Source record: 153174
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

This is a new news group provider, I hope this first time attachment
works. Open to all offers or trades. 73 Jack k8xx

FOR SALE OR TRADE

Clegg Model 001, 12 VDC supply 50.00
KLM Echo 70 432 CW/SSB transceiver 150.00
ERC audio Filter Model SL-55 35.00
Heathkit Dx-60 and Hr-10 150.00
AM-6155 70cm 400+ watt amp (many sold) 250.00
4-1000A tubes (many sold) 150.00
Lampkin 107B/C service monitor to 1 Ghz 200.00
Army Surplus RT-77/GRC 9 100.00
KLM KT-34 4-ele tribander (pick-up) 250.00
BW-5100 AM/CW transmitter 300.00
NC-300 receiver 250.00
4cx5000a and socket 400.00
4cx10000 300.00
4cx1000 and socket 100.00
Heath AR-3 75.00
Murch UT-2000a antenna tuner 100.00
Layfette HE-30 receiver 100.00
Viking II and 122 VFO 300.00
Heath SBA-1400 and PS, all options like new 650.00

Jack Leishman
1551 Hammond Rd. E.
Traverse City, MI 49686
616-947-9062

1695. Oryx Skylab Model DD Soldering Station Tips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Sage <pool-tec@hitter.net>
Message-ID: <6cdi8oqfc1@usenet47.supernews.com>
Source record: 153175

Does anyone have or know where to get Tips for an Oryx
Skylab Soldering Station?

Alan
pool-tec@hitter.net

1696. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Burch <Libertybell7@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EA523D.9FD1C26F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153176
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) wrote:

> In article <34e1eb7b.288369@news.dial.pipex.com>, no.junk.mail@thank.you
> says...
> > On Wed, 11 Feb 1998 06:47:34 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
> > wrote:
> >
> > >You got that right. Everytime I watch Benny Hill I try to figure out why
> > >everyone is laughing.
> >
> > Hi Hi, Curtis! The reason we laugh at Benny Hill is because all his
> > material was so politically incorrect. :-) The same applies to Alf
> > Garnett, in "Till Death Us Do Part", although I doubt you'd ever have
> > seen that show in the States.
> >
> > :-)
> >
> > 73 de G3NYY
> >
> > --
> > Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> > "Linux is to Windows
> > ... as Betamax is to VHS"
> >
> I was a big Fawlty Towers fan myself
> --
> Steve KF2TI
> KF2TI@planet.net
> http://www.planet.net/adell
>
> Bring out your Dead <clang>
> Bring out your dead <clang>
> I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

I loved watching Benny Hill! Mike K8MB... Ok I know it ain't ham stuff
but Benny was a ham...

1697. FS:IC-T22A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell, Jr." <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6cdlmuddn1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 153177
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,tnn.radio.amateur
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Daniel Bell, Jr..vcf

Icom IC-T22A 2 meter ht for sale all mods performed. Radio in excellent
cosmetic condition, comes with battery , wart charger, beltclip, and case.
First $180 plus shipping gets it.

73 Daniel KC4OXP
kc4oxp@flash.net

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J. Daniel Bell, Jr. KC4OXP
$13.95/Month* Internet Service
Independent FlashNet Distributor
http://www.flash.net/~kc4oxp/index.html
*One Year PrePaid @ $167.40 Other Plans Available!

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Daniel Bell, Jr..vcf]

end

1698. WANTED KENWOOD 430S CW FILTER YK88C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwhyte <mwhyte@tinet.ie>
Message-ID: <6ccnps$tju2@kirk.tinet.ie>
Source record: 153178

Hello,

SEEKING PURCHASE OF CW FILTER FOR KENWOOD 430S EITHER A YK-88C OR YK-88CN

1699. Wide Recieve Dual Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34ea52d4.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 153179

Hello Im looking for a Dual band mobile Tranceiver with wide band rx.
(including Cellular) I know the Yaesu FT-8000 did this. What about the
Icom 207 or the Icom 2710?

Any suggestions?

Thanks

Lou...

1700. WANTED KENWOOD 430S CW FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwhyte <mwhyte@tinet.ie>
Message-ID: <6ccoca$rug7@kirk.tinet.ie>
Source record: 153180

Hello,

Wanted for purchase a Kenwood - 430S cw filter either a YK-88C OR YK-88CN
.Please send private e-mail to mwhyte@tinet.ie

1701. Re: Question re: Neutralizing FT-101B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34EA7182.5874@onramp.net>
Source record: 153181

Jim Barrett wrote:
>
> I recently picked up an old Yaesu FT-101B, which works well, though it
> definitely needs a new set of 6JC6C finals. I've ordered a matched pair.
>
> At some point in my web browsing, I came upon a site related to the FT-101
> series, in which it stated that the fixed 100 pF @ 1000V mica capacitor
> connected in series with the 10 pF variable neutralizing cap should be
> replaced with a 10 pf fixed silver mica. It was explained that the reason for
> this was due to differences in the characteristics of late-model American-made
> 6JS6C's compared to the Japanese NEC tubes that came with the FT-101 as
> original equipment.
>
> 100 pF to 10 pF seems to be a rather drastic change. I'm wondering if any
> FT-101 owners have performed this mod? Is it indeed necessary? At present, my
> Yaesu has one Japanese final of unknown maufacture, and one RCA final. There
> is indeed something screwy with the neutralization, as I can't get a
> symetrical IC dip at any point in the variable cap's adjustment range. Not
> sure if this is due to lack of the modification, or to using unmatched tubes
> of different manufacture/vintage.
>
> Thanks in advance for any info.
>
> Jim Barrett
>
> /* Please remove "remove" from my email address for replies. */
>
>

Did it ever occur to you that if you need help that you should remove
the anti-spam rather than forcing someone trying to help to do it???
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1702. Need wilson chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bohica@i-link-2.net
Message-ID: <34EA8195.3B36@i-link-2.net>
Source record: 153182

I need wilson HT chargers. If you have any please contact me.

1703. FS Kenwood Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Magruder <n5qde@vicksburg.com>
Message-ID: <34EA3842.D4DD8C5F@vicksburg.com>
Source record: 153183
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS-450S (No Auto=Tuner) $650
All-Mode HF 160-10 Meters

Kenwood TS-50S $650
All-Mode HF Mobile 100 Watts

Kenwood TS-60S $700
All-Mode 6 Meter 100 Watts

Kenwood MB-13 Quick-Release Bracket $ 35
To Be Sold With Above TS-50 or TS-60 Only

All items in excellent condition both cosmetically and electrically - No problems with any of them. Each includes mike, power cable, and manual, TS-450 also includes service manual. Shipping extra on all items.

TNX Ed ..... N5QDE Located in Vicksburg, MS 39180

1704. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanmanX@online.no>
Message-ID: <6cf46jeno1@o.online.no>
Source record: 153184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

J M N&#65533;ding skrev i meldingen <34e5017e.41427349@news.sol.no>...
>On 12 Feb 1998 03:14:35 GMT, n7uqa@gte.net (Craig Petersen)
>wrote:
>
>>Why even bother posting such stuff like this in this newsgroup? Do you
really think
>>anyone here could afford such gear? Maybe you should contact some small
>>countries.....
>>
>this NG (rec.radio.amateur.dx) seems to be a mainly
>CB-newsgroup, they often have much money..... it was also posted
>to a pure cb group and italian group (is the country of pirates?

Hrmmm... :-)
>>
>>
>some x-post newgroups have been removed when this msg is posted!
>----------------------------------
>please do not spread (X-post) amateur radio news to garbage
>groups!
>
>
>
>(Mr) Jan-Martin Noeding
>N-4623 Vaagsbygd (K for WALA)
>email: LA8AK@online.no
>email for work available on request

1705. Mobile HF with true IF DSP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <pAedNQA0We60EwdE@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153185

Can anyone on the ng tell me if any of the current crop of mobile HF
transceivers have IF DSP or are they all AF based?
Anything on the horizon from the manufacturers?

Tnx

Phil G4ZOW/M
PS. Great conditions on 18 & 24Mhz today into US and pacific.

1706. Re: VX-1R review please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <LufS7bAzVf60EwrO@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153186

>In article <6c4vbi$4tg@news.acns.nwu.edu>, mdems@sprintmail.com (Ed M) wrote:
>
>> Can anyone provide me with a review of the VX-1R? Looks like a neat
>> little radio. IF this has been discussed here before, please point me
>> to a faq file or web based review. I am thinking about purchasing one,
>> and would value your experiences to help me make a wise choice

I have a VX1 and an FT51.

Good points:

Very small but full featured handset.

Long battery life and built-in rapid charger.

Loud audio plus good quality wide band FM.

The battery (approx AA size) fits inside the handset and takes up half
the internal volume. So Yaesu have managed to build a dual-bander into
the other half which is the volume of a single AA cell!

Bad points:

The firmware in the VX1 is poorly written. As a consequence, it can
sometimes be a pain to use. For instance, to move between memory
channels you need to use the UP/DOWN buttons rather than the tuning
knob. Also, the entire receiver coverage is split into 8 bands so it is
difficult to easily switch between 2m/70cms bands (eg. if you want to
keep an eye on the local 2m repeater and also the local 70cms repeater).
Also the switching between GRP-1 and GRP-2 memory banks is a pain.

The low power can be a serious limitation is your favorate repeaters are
not local.

HUGE battery charger!

Non-standard 4-pole 3.5mm jack for speaker mike and data.

Conclusion:

Nice toy but the firmware is beginning to irritate me...I am finding
myself using the FT51 more as time passes as the FT51 is such a joy to
use. I'm waiting for Yaesu to bring out the successor to the FT51 -
will it be triple-band?
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

1707. L-band antenna construction???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonny Shinfield <jonny@drgnet.com>
Message-ID: <34E9E829.22A4@drgnet.com>
Source record: 153187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk

-- Hello,
Does anyone know how to construct high frequency antennas? such as
L-band S-band? or can point me in the direction of a site containing
such information.
I am interested in receiving European satellites ..Inmarsat,Meteorsat
and some Ameteur Satellites.
My receiver is an AOR 8000 (.1 mhz --1950 mhz)..and MFJ-1278B multi mode
data controller ,Diamond 130 Antenna.
I am a newcomer to this,so any info would be greatly apreciated.

Thanks..Jonny.
Alicante,Spain.

mailto:jonny@dragonet.es

1708. f.s. icom 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <34E96AFA.9BC4C4F4@mc.net>
Source record: 153188

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nice icom 706 hf/6/2/meter radio f.s.
asking$835.00 shipped
73 jack n9iif
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1709. f.s. cherokee ah-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <34E96B40.3831161D@mc.net>
Source record: 153189

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cherokee ah-100 handheld cb with 10 meter mod. am/ssb
$150.00
thanks jack n9iif
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1710. w.t.b. kenwood twins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <34E99905.2B85AD70@mc.net>
Source record: 153190

looking for a nice set of kenwood twins
r-599 and t-599 something working and looking good
thanks 73 jack n9iif

1711. wtb atlas 110 transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <34E9C51C.93098040@mc.net>
Source record: 153191

looking for a nice atlas 110 transceiver(rx110 tx110)
thanks 73 jack

1712. wtb kenwood ts-120 or 130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <34EA68D6.4B093CEA@mc.net>
Source record: 153192

looking for a kenwood ts-120 or 130 nice looking and working condition
thanks
73 jack n9iif

1713. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34e84277.3220740@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153254
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 16 Feb 1998 09:15:37 GMT, Andre Tornow <tornow@zedat.fu-berlin.de>
wrote:
>Robert,
>the word back for the forcastle is also known in germany. BTW the backstag
>is not the forestay (Vorstag in german). If a boat has backstags it has two
>of them. They go from the mast backwards to either side of the boat, while
>only on one side, the leffward, is tight.
>I hope this description helps to locate that stay.

Hello Andre

Thank you for the explanation. That clears it up for me. It also
proves that languages are not always consistent.

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

1714. WTB mb63 - 706 face mount and opc 599

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: No_Spam_kiprc@swbell.net
Message-ID: <34e8d83c.7237177@news>
Source record: 153255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for these items.
I need the bracket for the faceplate and the opc 599 cable that will
allow the attachment of acc1 and acc2
km5mz@qsl.net

1715. Heath HW-16: AGC where AGC has never gone before

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4lnm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980217005900.TAA07134@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153256

Thirty years ago, as a novice, I built an HW-16. It worked great, and I loved using it.

Three weeks ago, I purchased a nice, used HW-16 in great condition (I am revamping it for my 7 year old son who is in a novice / tech plus class). Thirty years of experience and an EE degree now makes me realize that the HW-16 never had AGC! I guess what you never experience, you never realize what you are missing. Now I know why the radio always sounded so "transparent".

I'm looking at adding AGC to the receiver so that my son won't hurt his hearing as I probably did listening to static crashes on 80 meters many years ago. Although it is probably closing the barn door after the cows are out, I'm looking at audio-derived AGC as a simple possibility, thinking that with CW this is probably an effective solution. This was the approach used by several Heath radios including the HW-12/22/32/18 series and others.

I'm wondering if I am reinventing the wheel here. Sure, I could add another parallel IF stage with an MC1350 IF amp and IF rectifier, but I'm looking for something fairly simple. It looks like the RF gain pot varies the bias to the RF and IF amp tube cathodes from about 0.2V to 3V for cutoff. I'm thinking that I can rectify some of the AF and use it to control the gain at that same point. Has anyone tried this or other solutions for AGC on the HW-16 and what has been your experience?

Please reply directly to WB4LNM@aol.com or to the list. Thanks.

John...
WB4LNM

"One of the Hams From Heath (1979-1981) (VHF/UHF design engineer, amateur radio products)"

1716. Re: SWAN 500, HW18, FS or SWAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@REMOVETHIS.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <34e8e4f4.4738729@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 153257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For some reason, around Mon, 16 Feb 1998 00:19:08 -0800, Mark White
<"markw(NOJUNK)"@iconnect.net> wrote:

O/: New baby forced relocation of my shack to different room, need
money or
O/: smaller bookends!
O/:
O/: Swan 500, cosmetically looks great, with manual (copy). With 117CX
power
O/: supply (also looks great). Has a bad connection in the jones plug
in the
O/: back of the pwr supply, you have to wiggle it a little to get the
O/: speaker to work.
O/:
O/: Heathkit HW18 100 watt 3 band cw rig (80, 40, 15 meters), with
manual
O/: (original) has non-heathkit tuning knob, tuning window is a bit
yellowed
O/: so this is not a showpiece. Needs final tube (6GE5).Construction
O/: workmanship is good quality. I have not used this rig but has
great
O/: potential for a CW boatanchor first rig.
O/:
O/: I can e-mail images of these radios to anyone interested in them,
O/: including underside/construction detail pix of the heathkit. If
you
O/: reply be aware of the change in my e-mail header which those of
us who
O/: can't eat spam resort to.
O/:
O/: Pricing: I will sell both radios for $210 and split the shipping
with
O/: the buyer. I believe this to be a very fair price but if you don't
and
O/: are interested in them convince me in some rational way, I'll
listen- I
O/: can put a monetary value on the high SWR generated by my wife! I
would
O/: also be interested in swapping for some VHF gear, namely a 2 meter
amp,
O/: 2 meter transverter, or vhf all-mode rig- As long as they are
smaller
O/: than what I have! Thanks for wading this far!

O/:
O/: Mark White N9OHS

1717. TOROID INDUCTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: toroids@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980217015400.UAA17067@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153258

We have written a Toroid software package for use DC to 300 Mhz. Many Years of research has gone into error corrections for the low perm cores , 200 & 360 degree coverage as well as SRF for series and shunt coils. Much of this has come about as a request from Micrometals. The pin point accuracy allows us to add a custom core feature for custom shaped cores, stacking cores side by side and machining cusom phenolic cores from plastic, teflon, wood, ect...
Download a demo or just view the software main screen at our web
http://members.aol.com/Toroids/johnindx.htm
or click below
Best Regards John Bellora @ B&E Engineering Software
B and E Engineering

1718. FS: FT900AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rs2bk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980217015701.UAA06990@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153259

I have an FT900AT with the antenna tuner, optional collins filter and
the YSK-900 separation kit. This was a hamfest prize.
The boxes have never been open.
$1375.00 ups paid to your door.
e-mail rs2bk@aol.com or land line 309-799-7447
Jim, w9ud

1719. Re: TM-V7A PRO's & CONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6car3i$kd9@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 153260

I'm really disappointed to hear the bad experience. I have not owned any Kenwood radios before, so I have no direct experience to share. However, I was recently thinking that some of the features which the TM-V7A has are nearly extinct on other radios. For instance, it still has the remote control via DTMF capability like my ICOM 2700. It also has the option of a voice module. I believe that Icom has eliminated the voice option on their newer version, the 2710. It is a useful feature for me, and I was glad that Kenwood was keeping it alive.

Another feature I like is the ability to tag frequencies with alpha labels instead of channel numbers, but to display the frequency at the same time. The only thing missing is the software, which I take it got hung up as the developers of EZ Clone went out of business.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

"Elwan Smotinedde" <molden1@wanway.net> wrote:

>Compared to Icom and Yaesu, it is an intermod sponge. It was totally
>unusable even near a city because all I heard were pagers and dispatchers.
>Yaesu is easily the best here.
>Four, yes 4 channel per second scan rate. This is 50's technology. It
>makes a career out of scanning the memory banks. Compare this to Icoms 8
>per sec which is still slow and Yaesu's 26 channels per sec in their FT
>8000 and 8100. Unfortunately the 8100 has some other strange quirks.
>The blue on white or white on blue is very difficult to see when used
>mobile. The worst color scheme of all, even with the revised and new
>version. Worse when viewed at an angle.
>I consider this unit completely unacceptable and unuseable.

1720. Old spider antenna question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: No_Spam_kiprc@swbell.net
Message-ID: <34e9f012.13340380@news>
Source record: 153261

Does anyone have one of these?
I have spider antenna with the 75 and the 15 m elements.
This looks like it has been around a while.
What kind of mast does this need and does it need a whip too.
If you know about these antennas please respond.
BTW the 75 has a ring you move up and down to tune I think????

Help if you know.
Kip
km5mz@qsl.net

1721. FT-50R current draw when off -- SUMMARY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
Message-ID: <34e8ead1.9897692@news>
Source record: 153262

Thanks to all who responded to my question Re: FT-50 power usage.

The responses I got indicated that the FT-50 would, under certain circumstances, use about 6mA when off. Cycling power on it -- turning it on and off again -- would often drop the current draw to the specificied 250uA. For my own FT-50 I was unable to cause it to draw 6 mA but was able to drop my measured 350uA to 250uA by cycling power.

For those who do see the 6mA current draw, Yaesu has a fix for it.

My own difficulties appear to be caused by battery pack problems. Deep-cycling the packs seems to be helping them.

Thanks again to all of those who responded!

1722. Crack fot WinAPRS Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4vez@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34e8fe3e.531795592@news.abts.net>
Source record: 153263

Looking for a crack for the APRS Software; WINAPRS

Can anyone Help!

Email: tobyw@abts.net

1723. vco voltage???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3b73$f17caec0$021871ce@default>
Source record: 153264
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

I need some clarafication on something i was told in line with a power output problem IVE been having.
first ....i have a dualbander that on UHF puts out more power on the lower edge of the band than the top.

now another ham told me after getting the repair manual from yaseu that i should check the vco voltage and compare it with the specs in the manual.

well, the voltage is a little low, but the radio is on freq across the band.

so, my question- is the other ham right in saying that the vco voltage is causing the low power output. and if this is true do i need to realign the radio according to the procedure in the repair manual

DON N1RSQ

1724. TMV-7A Mod Question???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cb3nj$kib@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153265

The mod I have for the Kenwood TMV-7A says to do the following

Remove both top and bottom covers.
Unplug the speaker and set the covers aside.
Lift up on the 6 tabs on the top and bottom of the front of the radio
and remove it.
We should now be looking at the back of the faceplate receptacle.
Position it so that the voice module is at the top while looking down
on it.
Below and to the left of the module is a V shaped copper spring.
The resistor we want to remove is in the 0 (zero) position
Remove nothing else.
Do a full reset per the instruction manual
You should now have 300 to 470mhz receive on UHF
410 to 470 mhz transmit.
118 to 174 mhz receive
and 136 to 174 mhz transmit.

I've had that done by a tech and I do believe it worked when checked.
Know that I've got the radio home and I've spent some time learning
the many different features of this radio, it no longer transmits
where the mod says it will. Like I said,I do believe it did when
tested at the techs.
I can't find anything that I've locked out via the different key
functions and the like. And IT DOES transmit in the normal 2m and 70
cm ranges.
Does anyone have any ideas on what I may be doing wrong.
Thanks

swtempo@worldnet.att.net

1725. NEED info on Kantronics Mini-Reader for CW/RTTY.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6carvu$1r0$2@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 153266

Looking for any info on Kantronics Mini-Reader for
CW/RTTY including hints on use or a owners manual.

This is a model similar to the MFJ-462B that decodes
CW/RTTY on it's own LCD or LED display when connected
to your shortwave radio's earphone jack.

What other models are similar to the Kantronics
besides the MFJ unit with a built-in display?

1726. FS: TI 320C5x DSKs (DSP Starter Kits)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Cole <cole@netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34E93292.A48@netcom.com>
Source record: 153267

Some time ago I purchased a bunch of new, unopened TI 320C5x DSP Starter Kits (DSKs) that were sold as surplus by TI. The TI part number is TMDS3200051. I have five DSKs left, and I will sell these last ones for $50 each, including USPS Priority Mail shipping within the U.S.

These kits are designed for students, experimenters, and developers who need a simple, low-cost way to prototype DSP-based applications for the TI 320C5x series of DSP chips. The kit includes a small (2.5" x 4") PC board with a TMS320C50 processor, a TI Analog Interface Circuit (AIC) chip with 14-bit A/D and D/A capable of sample rates to 19.2 K samples/sec, RCA jacks for analog I/O, and a 9-pin RS-232 host interface. The kit also includes a simple assembler, loader and debugger for the PC, a kit manual and a TMS320C5x manual.

The latest versions of the software as well as several user-written demo programs can be downloaded from TI. The URL is:

ftp://ftp.ti.com/mirrors/tms320bbs/c5xdskfiles/

The board requires a 9 volt *AC* power supply capable of >250 ma. A 9 VAC 780 ma supply with the right plug is available for $8.99 from Radio Shack (Part # 273-1630).

Price is firm, units are guaranteed against DOA. MO gets next-day shipment, personal checks OK but I may wait for them to clear. At this price UPS or USPS COD just isn't worth the hassle, but I'll ship FedEx COD if you want to pay the extra cost. Sorry, no non-US shipments.

If you want one send me a message and I'll reply with the information you need to order one.

Thanks,
Randy Cole
KN6W

1727. WTB : RF Signal generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN-MARIE CHERRY <jmc@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd3b61$50afb1c0$250c0dc3@Jammy>
Source record: 153268

Dear Friend,

i buy your 2b/2BQ

I pay cash S and FeDex shipping. I am FeDex custopmer 160270101

Waiting for your mail,
regards,

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Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

1728. Re: Knight R55A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: zilassoc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980217050300.AAA20466@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153269

Heck, I would like to buy the receiver. Anyone got one for sale?
de Pete Zilliox - K5PZ

1729. Icom T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: captain <ka8wpc@repairman.com>
Message-ID: <6cb819$6d1$0@192.153.35.44>
Source record: 153270

Hello,
I recently purchased the new Icom T8A ht. Performed the keypad extended mod, and in looking
at the main board, I find the usual Icom diode matrix. Without Icom including the schematic, I need
the mod for extended tx. If anyone can help, pse let me know.

tnx es 73, "the Captain"

1730. FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3b6c$c84df1a0$ae0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 153271

I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other HT like Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.

73

1731. Re: AOR AR 160 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: slkdealr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980217062301.BAA20700@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153272

Here is the Tele. for aor 1-800-445-7717
so you can order manual??

1732. Re: VX-1R review please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: _chip_@ct2.nai.net
Message-ID: <_chip_-ya02408000R1702980138390001@news.nai.net>
Source record: 153273

In article <6c4vbi$4tg@news.acns.nwu.edu>, mdems@sprintmail.com (Ed M) wrote:

> Can anyone provide me with a review of the VX-1R? Looks like a neat
> little radio. IF this has been discussed here before, please point me
> to a faq file or web based review. I am thinking about purchasing one,
> and would value your experiences to help me make a wise choice

Great little radio. I purchased one to add to my collection. My first handie was a FT-470. I loved it, but when the FT-530 came out I sold it and bought the 530. Over the years I decided to get a second handie for special purposes. To that end I got a FT-50R. The 50 is the first and only Yaesu I've ever owned that I was disappointed with. I purchased the VX-1R to replace the 50. It is great. It is VERY compact. A couple limitations to acknowledge up front because if you can't get past them you won't be happy. (1) it is strictly lower power ops (2) it stinks at DTMF (clumsy, especially in manual mode). The receive on this is solid coverage from 76-999 MHz (broken into 8 bands) plus AM broadcast bands.

I love my VX-1R and my FT-530, I won't part with them anytime soon. I also love my FT-5100. (PS I do have a Kenwood that I love too, so I'm not just a Yaesu nut.)

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Chip G. (N1MIE)
- Technical Advisor to TRAUG
- Co-Chairman Technical Committee for NIDCS
<mailto:_chip_@ct2.nai.net> (remove "_" from urls)
<http://nw3.nai.net/~_chip_/>

1733. WTB:732 separation kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete Greene <pjgreene@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3b75$5e277ae0$0cb804d0@pbcustomer>
Source record: 153274

Hello All!

I need the separation kit for the Kenwood 732A dual band radio. It would be the PG-4K or the PG-4L.

Let me know!

Pete, N8WGE
pjgreene@harborcom.net

1734. TMV-7A MODS WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cbi1e$jd8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153275

Does anyone has the mods for the Kenwood TMV-7A? If so could you
please email them to me.
Thanks

swtempo@worldnet.att.net

1735. Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6cbqaj$age@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153276
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I Am In The Process Of Setting Up A Home Page For Amateur Radio & Texas
Stop By My Pages & Sign My Guest Book & Drop Me Any Comments Or Suggestions
You Might Have.
Coming Soon A Call Sign Server & Other Neat Stuff.
Gregg W5IDX Houston Texas

1736. FS: Ameritron ALS-600 $725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9MDX Larry <webmaster@netohio.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3b92$06c6d580$ad27a2ce@console>
Source record: 153277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am selling an Ameritron ALS-600 with the 10 meter kit installed. It is solid state. It is broadband, no tuning and puts out between 500 and 600 watts.

419-433-2930 or email w9mdx@netohio.net

Larry

1737. Re: SWAN 500, HW18, FS or SWAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@REMOVETHIS.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <34e8e4da.4713112@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 153278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Can you break it down by - how much for each one please???

For some reason, around Mon, 16 Feb 1998 00:19:08 -0800, Mark White
<"markw(NOJUNK)"@iconnect.net> wrote:

O/: New baby forced relocation of my shack to different room, need
money or
O/: smaller bookends!
O/:
O/: Swan 500, cosmetically looks great, with manual (copy). With 117CX
power
O/: supply (also looks great). Has a bad connection in the jones plug
in the
O/: back of the pwr supply, you have to wiggle it a little to get the
O/: speaker to work.
O/:
O/: Heathkit HW18 100 watt 3 band cw rig (80, 40, 15 meters), with
manual
O/: (original) has non-heathkit tuning knob, tuning window is a bit
yellowed
O/: so this is not a showpiece. Needs final tube (6GE5).Construction
O/: workmanship is good quality. I have not used this rig but has
great
O/: potential for a CW boatanchor first rig.
O/:
O/: I can e-mail images of these radios to anyone interested in them,
O/: including underside/construction detail pix of the heathkit. If
you
O/: reply be aware of the change in my e-mail header which those of
us who
O/: can't eat spam resort to.
O/:
O/: Pricing: I will sell both radios for $210 and split the shipping
with
O/: the buyer. I believe this to be a very fair price but if you don't
and
O/: are interested in them convince me in some rational way, I'll
listen- I
O/: can put a monetary value on the high SWR generated by my wife! I
would
O/: also be interested in swapping for some VHF gear, namely a 2 meter
amp,
O/: 2 meter transverter, or vhf all-mode rig- As long as they are
smaller

O/: than what I have! Thanks for wading this far!
O/:
O/: Mark White N9OHS

1738. Re: Home Page *** http://home.att.net/~gregg.e/index.html

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6cbvsr$54h@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153279
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

*** http://home.att.net/~gregg.e/index.html

1739. TM-V7 Radio Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: lopes@originet.com.br
Message-ID: <6cbvh7$d6n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153280

I need some information about TM-V7 radio modifications.
Tnx in advance.

73
Lopes - PY2SM

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1740. INDEX LABS QRP Phone number?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6cc38o$ni4@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 153281

I have been unable to contact Index Labs maker of QRP HF rigs.
The phone number on the Web page has the wrong area code. When I got the right area code a freaking Fax answers!

Some way to run a company. Anyone have a valid phone number for this company.

I have to tell you I am reconsidering my purchase if the company is this hard to contact!

Thanks
tnic@idt.net

1741. hf....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ta2nc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6cc73f$ht6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153282

Hi all..
I'm going to buy an hf..
I got limited money and I don't know what to buy..
Icom IC-707 seems like cheap but I'm not sure..
Somebody help me????

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1742. Question re: Neutralizing FT-101B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbarrett@remove.stny.lrun.com
Message-ID: <6cc59u$om7$1@m5.stny.lrun.com>
Source record: 153283

I recently picked up an old Yaesu FT-101B, which works well, though it definitely needs a new set of 6JC6C finals. I've ordered a matched pair.

At some point in my web browsing, I came upon a site related to the FT-101 series, in which it stated that the fixed 100 pF @ 1000V mica capacitor connected in series with the 10 pF variable neutralizing cap should be replaced with a 10 pf fixed silver mica. It was explained that the reason for this was due to differences in the characteristics of late-model American-made 6JS6C's compared to the Japanese NEC tubes that came with the FT-101 as original equipment.

100 pF to 10 pF seems to be a rather drastic change. I'm wondering if any FT-101 owners have performed this mod? Is it indeed necessary? At present, my Yaesu has one Japanese final of unknown maufacture, and one RCA final. There is indeed something screwy with the neutralization, as I can't get a symetrical IC dip at any point in the variable cap's adjustment range. Not sure if this is due to lack of the modification, or to using unmatched tubes of different manufacture/vintage.

Thanks in advance for any info.

Jim Barrett

/* Please remove "remove" from my email address for replies. */

1743. Re: INDEX LABS QRP Phone number?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: janwillem.luiten@neuronsys.com
Message-ID: <janwillem.luiten-1702981539290001@hgl0030.wxs.nl>
Source record: 153284

In article <6cc38o$ni4@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>, Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>I have been unable to contact Index Labs maker of QRP HF rigs.
>The phone number on the Web page has the wrong area code. When I got the
>right area code a freaking Fax answers!
>
>Some way to run a company. Anyone have a valid phone number for this
>company.
>
>I have to tell you I am reconsidering my purchase if the company is this
>hard to contact!

Hmmm, I used to have no problems contacting them. Last year I purchased a
few QRP-Plus's from them for sale here in PA-country. Their address and
phonenumber used to be:

Index Laboratories
9318 Randall Dr. NW
Gig Harbor, Washington 98332
T:(206)851-5725
F:(206)851-8385

On the other hand, the QRP-plus is now sold through SGC. The did a
wonderful remake in my opinion. You can contact SGC at
<http://www.sgcworld.com>

Kind regards,

Jan Willem Luiten.

1744. Kenwood TH-205AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rescue51@sunherald.infi.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f53648091ae8c1e989688@news.sunherald.infi.net>
Source record: 153285

For sale or trade Kenwood TH-205AT with drop in charger. Send me offers.
Thanks

1745. Drake Station Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Simon <dsimon@electrotex.com>
Message-ID: <34E9A3AE.C06@electrotex.com>
Source record: 153286

1. Drake TR7/Manual/NB7/Aux7/FA7/CW and SSB Filters/PS7 Power Supply and Manual/TR7 Service manual -- $650.00

2. Timewave DSP-59+ Version 3.0/Manual -- $150.00

3. Rapar TE-1 Phone Patch/Manual -- $50.00

4. Turner Desk Mic Dynamic/PTT Stand -- $40.00

1746. FS: MFJ 1270B TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6cfhop$9c1$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 152999
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The Husky Amateur Radio Club is offering for sale 1 (one)
MFJ 1270B TNC-2. This TNC allows operation of both HF and VHF packet at
300baud and 1200baud.

Items included:
-power connector with molded attached cable (new)
-Manual.
-Fast-Start guide.
-Box

We are asking $60, OR BEST OFFER, for the unit. It is in fine working
order and has served us well for years. The only reason we are selling it
is that the 1270B has an internal delay in KISS mode only. So if you are
the SYSOP of a BBS that runs on your computer, it may be a slow TNC for
you. In normal packet operation it works fine. Only in the KISS mode does
it have this delay.

If you are interested, Please reply via email to jrerlewe@mtu.edu
or call (906)-487-4151 and ask for me, Joe.

Thanks, 73,
Joe N8OUZ
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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

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Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited
commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a
download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees
incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating
and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail.
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

1747. IC-2710 Extended TX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean M. Gilligan" <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <34EB4A12.9B32669F@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 153000
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For the IC2710, a modification made note that
the TX range on 440 can be expanded up to 479.
Does anyone know if this is including or
discluding the 479.000 - 479.995 range?
Basically I need clarification as to if this
one MHz is usable or not. Email replies greatly
appreciated, thanks in advance.

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Sean M. Gilligan * smg3@lehigh.edu
UNI 4055292 * AOL IM smg295

Lehigh University, Box C252, 39 University Drive
Bethlehem, PA 18015-3041 * (610.758.1188)

"I can't get through a sentence without the "F"
word; if bad language is a crutch, then I am a
cripple!" -Howard Stern

1748. For Sale ADI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Woodson <nc5s@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EB4A2B.34FC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 153001

For Sale:

ADI AT600HP dual band hand held (5w version), with extra 12v
NiCad battery Pack and larsen dul band rubber duck.

Purchased new last October and in excellent condition.

$300 you pay freight

Ed Woodson

nc5s@earthlink.net
nc5s@juno.com

1749. Re: CT interface cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jagon@lander.es
Message-ID: <34eac7ad.11458508@diana.ibernet.es>
Source record: 153039

On Mon, 16 Feb 1998 12:49:49 -0800, franky B <frankyb@glo.be> wrote:

>has anyone the description of the CT interface cable.
>
>LPT or COM <----> TX
>
>tnx, ON4CEL
>
>frankyb@glo.be

Hope this helps:

SENDING CW

Morse code is sent by keying the DTR line of COM1, COM2, or the
STATUS line of LPT1 or LPT2.

The circuit needed to key positive keyed radios from COM1 or
COM2 is a 1K resistor from DTR (pin 20 on a DB25, pin X on a DB9) to
the base of an NPN small signal transistor (for example, a 2N4400, a
2N3904, etc.). The emitter of the transistor and the ground lead of
the transmitter keying cable are connected to SIGNAL GROUND (pin 7 on
a DB25, pin X on a DB9). The collector of the transistor is connected
to the transmitter keying cable (hot, not ground side).

The circuit needed to key positive keyed radios from LPT1 or
LPT2 is a 1K resistor from SLCT (pin 17 on a DB25) to the base of an
NPN small signal transistor (for example, a 2N4400, a 2N3904, etc.).
The emitter of the transistor is connected to STROBE (pin 1 on a
DB25). The ground lead of the transmitter keying cable is connected
to SIGNAL GROUND (pin 18 on a DB25). The collector of the transistor
is connected to the transmitter keying cable (hot, not ground side).
Best 73

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Jose Antonio Gonzalez Lorenzo - jagon@poboxes.com - Amateur Radio: EA2BSN
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1750. WTB: CW Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <34EB0EA0.7B40@ccnet.com>
Source record: 153088

I am looking for a keyer to use with an electronic keyer.....either an double or single paddle.....Vibroplex, Bencher ?????

dt

1751. Yaesu MD-1b8 to Kenwood 870 Microphone Connection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nitz@selectsa.com
Message-ID: <6cf36a$r1g@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 153089

I have a Yaesu MD-1b8 Microphone which I'd like to hook up to My Kenwood 870.

I do not have the MD-1 wiring diagram, but Kenwood's 8 pin plug looks like
this:

Mic connector front view with lip at top:
pin connections in counter-clockwise order

1 = mic
2 = ptt
3 = down
4 = up
5 = 8v (10mA max)
6 = nc
7 = gnd (mic)
8 = gnd(stby) [center pin]

Thanks for your help!

73,

Jim Nitzberg WX3B
nitz@selectsa.com

1752. Repeater Controllers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave@hamnet.org
Message-ID: <EoL2G0.16I@hamnet.org>
Source record: 153090

Our organization is looking to replace the controllers on our repeaters
the 146.76 and 146.88 in Cleveland, Oh...

I am looking for comments on new controllers to replace the ACC RC-850
controllers. What is out there in radio land that will replace the
RC-850 controllers ????

We need to have pretty much the same capabilities as the 850.. And
something phone patch wise that will handle more than 2 area codes..

What is available ??????

If possible, reply to dave@hamnet.org

Thanks!

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Dave Foran Cleveland Hamnet BBS (440) 942-6382
Email address: dave@hamnet.org http://junior.apk.net/~dforan/hamnet

1753. HELP! ID my GE LMR protable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tham@fas.harvard.edu
Message-ID: <6cf2cf$bl2$1@news.fas.harvard.edu>
Source record: 153091

I have a GE portable with the following part numbers in the back.

19B801501P4

I would like to find out what the GE model name is? such as MP?? and is it VHF or UHF and freq range?

It apparently used security guards at a company, so it is a commercial portable, programmable, and scan capable. got 3 buttons on top, HOME, VOL and CH. 4 buttons in front above speakers, SCAN on/off, SCAN ADD, SCAN DEL, LOCK/UNLOCK.

Any info is greatly appreciated.

Fu KA1NUB

1754. 10 Meter Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <34EB17FE.7E2B@ccnet.com>
Source record: 153092

Fremont Amateur Radio Transmitter Society (FARTS) Will have a net at 28.380. This is the Novice/Tech Plus SSB/Phone portion of the band. This net is to generate interest in HF. The net will consist of a check in and Rag-Chew..... If the band is open it could get interesting. The time is Sundays at 9 am PST. All welcome.

73's
Don, W6IQ

1755. Re: WTB: 2meter All mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bri2294@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218173200.MAA26522@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153093

Matt, I have this radio for sale it might be a bit more"Upper class" than what you might be looking for but Im sure if its multi band multi mode you want this is the ticket.
FOR SALE:
Yaesu FT-736R All mode multi band Satellite Transceiver
Excellent condition - better than a 9 on a 10 scale
Includes 2M, 70CM, and 6M modules plus CTCSS encode/decode board,Keyer,and CW filter Original box, operator's manual, and technical supplement manual which contains all schematics for the radio and modules plus alignment procedures, etc.
$1500.
Brian Walek KF6AL
Bri2294@aol.com

1756. a little humor for you stuffy people

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3c97$b790f2a0$0a1871ce@default>
Source record: 153094

There was a man who really took care of his body. He lifted weights and jogged 6 miles a day. One day, he took a look in the mirror and noticed that he was tan all over except for his penis. So he decided to do something about it. He went to the beach, completely undressed himself and buried himself in the sand, except for his penis, which he left sticking out!

A few minutes later, two old ladies weere strolling along the beach,> one using a cane. Upon seeing the thing sticking up from the sand, she began to move it around with her cane. Remarking to her friend she said "There's no justice in the world". Her friend asked what she meant?

She replied: "When I was 20. I was curious about it,
when I was 30, I enjoyed it!
when I was 40, I asked for it.
when I was 50, I paid for it,
when I was 60, I prayed for it,
when I was 70, I forgot about it,
now I'm 80 and the damn things are growing wild on the beach and I'm to old to squat! "

1757. Re: Hunting AMP Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34EB1DE1.AF7BED12@erols.com>
Source record: 153095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Bob Bethman wrote:

> Have on hand to trade:
>

Also have on hand:

Leader LAC-895 200W antenna coupler w/manual bandswitched,
3.5, 7, 14, 21, 28 MHZ Probably an 8~8.5 some scratches on
cabinet. (Some may rate it as a 7.)

Heath SB-620 - works, pots cruddy, no manual

Another 813 - Collins, pull, no discernible envelop discoloration

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> Thanks to all,
>
> Bob Bethman
> N0DGN
>
> Any personal replies will receive home QTH address if desired.

1758. Re: Let's build some gear and some good will!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34EB1FEE.9C8780AC@erols.com>
Source record: 153096
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

N1rsq wrote:

> LOUIS & BOB are right, we need a little more input and good will from
> each
> other, and a lot less debate on the merits of a test.
>
> I also would like to add that if I knew the hobby was so full of these
>
> "twits", I would have stayed with radio control.

Well, the world is full of different people. That's what makes it interesting. Old Chinese saying or curse; "May you live in interesting times."

I didn't give up R/C, srill build and fly. Latest project currently underway, 1/4 Scale Boeing PT-17 Stearman. Have Robart R780 7 cylinder cycle 128cc radial for powerplant. Turns a 26-16 prop.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN

1759. Konel Radiotelephone manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris@chrisss.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <34ec25c0.872224@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153097

Hi
I am trying to help some cruising freinds of mine to sort out there marine SSB Tranceiver it is a rather ancient Konel Radiotelephone model KR85SB what I am after is a manual so does any one have one or information on where I might get hold of one?

I would of course meet any costs

Any help would be much appreciated

Thanks

Chris

Chris Selwyn-Smith Landscape Services
chris@chrisss.demon.co.uk
http:\\www.chrisss.demon.co.uk
G1RQZ Hampton Court

1760. Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cf9qd$6qf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153098

I performed the mod to my TMV-7A and the radio still performs like the mod wasn't done.
I have done the full reset to my radio with both the reset button behind the face plate and by holding MR while turning the radio on. The radio still operates as though the mod wasn't done. I even took a magnifying glass and looked closely at where the resistor was removed to be sure the area was clean and no solder splashed to make a bad contact somewhere. Everything was very clean and just fine.
Just to be sure, I removed the chip resistor that had the number "0" right below it. The only other chip that was there had a number "1" below it. I did not remove that one, just the chip next to the number "0". The green jumper wires that the supplement talked about are still intact. They were never touched.
I do remember that I did not reset the radio right after performing the mod, and that I started using the radio and programming some of the memory features and things like that. After realizing that the radio would not go below 410 mhz, I did a full reset of the radio to see if that would make the mod work. It did not. I've tried resetting the radio many times and still it performs as though the mod wasn't done.
I don't know what else I can do. I've double checked the work and reset the radio many times. I even put the chip resistor back into the radio, did a full reset, programmed some features and used the radio normally. Then I started all over again and removed the chip and did a full reset before doing anything else. It still did not work.

1761. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@nospam.itl.net>
Message-ID: <34EB98C3.D45100D9@nospam.itl.net>
Source record: 153099
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

moss.i@virgin.net wrote:
>
> To all that can offer assistance
>
> I believe there are things called packet radio internet gateways. What
...blah blah blah.......

Do you have an Amateur Radio Licence?

1762. Re: Question re: Neutralizing FT-101B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbarrett@remove.stny.lrun.com
Message-ID: <6cfak4lla1@m5.stny.lrun.com>
Source record: 153100

In article <19980218135400.IAA02412@ladder02.news.aol.com>, shephed@aol.com (Shephed) wrote:
>Jim,
>You might want to go to Yaesu's web site to get a good answer, if you can't
>find someone to help you there E-mail me directly and I will try to find you
>some answers.
>
>73's
>Dan, N8VZU/AG
>Know Coder and LID Free Operations

Since posting, I found a source of NOS 6JS6C tubes that have an inter-electrode capacitance rating equal to the original NEC tubes, and thus, don't require the mod. (SND Tube Sales).

Appreciate the response.

Jim Barrett

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1763. WTB: Bird 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benjamin Webster <bwebster@capital.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3ca6$f0277f80$14ae61cc@bwebster.capital.net>
Source record: 153101

I am looking for a good, used bird 43 wattmeter. Any leads on a good
priced unit are appriciated. Might even be interested in a new one if
price is right. . .
Tnx, Ben bwebster@capital.net
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The opinions expresses here are mine! but if you are nice, I'll share!!!

Benjamin G. Webster N2ROQ

1764. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <6cfehp$87o$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 153102
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>I need to know what equiptment I will need to do this, the cost, and
>if there are local gateways operating in the MHZ freq. range that will
>be able to cope with a high speed packet radio modem (56K + baud),
>in the NorthWest region of England. From reading stuff off the net it
>wont cost a fortune to implement all this. I apparently need a TNC
>(Terminal Node controller), radio, amplifier, and Antenna, and
>anything else you might think I should need.

Only problem I see is your expectation of 56K access over the amateur VHF
bands with (ordinary?) radios. NOT easily possible, if at all. You'd need a
broad band type transmitter receiver (2) and that won't be as easily obtained.
Most high speed amateur user operations are at 9600 baud now... that's about
the limit of ordinary ham gear... and far too slow for regular internet web
access.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
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1765. Motorola Mocom 35 parts needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kllkradio@zapcom.net
Message-ID: <34eb4190.231863854@news.zapcom.net>
Source record: 153103

Hi,

I need some parts for a Motorola Mocom 35 that are either no longer
available or prohibitively expensive from Motorola.

Here's the list:

Mounting bracket and associated hardware. TLN-4693A

Hang up box TLN-4416

Power cable TLN-6445A

Microphone cord 01-80724B92

If you have any of these items, please email me. I have a working
radio that I would like to put into service, but without these parts I
can't use it.

Thanks,

Brian Henry, WB6QED
KLLK Radio
12 West Valley Street
Willits, California 95490
(707) 459-1250
kllkradio@zapcom.net

1766. Re: Mods for Yaesu FT-8100R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aveiro <aveiro@mandic.com.br>
Message-ID: <6cfjb0$q9s$1@news.mandic.com.br>
Source record: 153104

Try www.appr.org.br em MODS directory.
A lot of MODs available.
73 Hernrique
aveironospam@mandic.com.br
please remove
nospam

Bill Kirkner escreveu na mensagem
<01bd3b7c$1fbe7180$0254f6cd@hp-customer>...
>Does anyone have the mods for the Yaesu FT 8100r. If so please e-mail or
>post Thanks
> 73 N3PZA
>billrk@desupernet.net

1767. FT-920 Yaesu control software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6cfjmd$d00$1@news4.ispnews.com>
Source record: 153105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Is there any software available for the Yaesu FT-920 transceiver?

Thanks,
Bill Crocker

1768. VARIAC TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cfkh7$8js@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153106

Hi !. All
I have for sale.
I have aTwo Stock (Unused) New in Box
$ 100.00 / EA Plus Shipping
Model:W20
Mounting Hole Diameter : 0.281 onches Nominal Single Group
Frequency Rating : 50.0 Hertz Nominal Single Componet or 60.0 Hertz

Nominal
Input-output Phase Relationship :Single Phase to Single
Length : 7.500 inches nominal
Width : 4.625 inches nominal
Height : 8.062 inches nominal
Distance between Mounting Facility Centers :6.250 inches nominal Single

Mounting
Facility Single Center Group
Scale Direction and Range : 0.0/140.0 Clockwise
Inclousure Type : open
Mounting Factility Quantity : 4 Single Group
Mounting Method :Unthreaded Hole Single Group

1769. Help with Alinco DR-130T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Dias <KB2WNR@Yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <34EB4FEB.2FA9@Yahoo.com>
Source record: 153107

I am looking for a supplier of the final transistor for this radio.
Noone seems to know where to get it. The figures on the transistor are
as follows:

TOSHIBA
S-AV17
3F
JAPAN

I hope someone can help. Tried through Mouser and Digikey with no luck

Thanks in advance

Pat

1770. Re: HF vertical townhouse options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1ra50h7hm.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 153108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

nobody@crosslink.net (Robert Lay) writes:

> On Wed, 18 Feb 1998 02:51:34 GMT, cphillips@engineer.com (Curt
> Phillips) wrote:
>
> I'm going to be stuck in a townhouse for a while, but I think
> maybe I can get up a vertical for HF. I have a micro-postage stamp
> sized "back yard", where I was thinking of putting up a vertical
> as follows:
>
> Get a 21' piece of chain-link fence type post, and put a CB 108" whip on
> top of it (electrically and mechanically connected to make a vertical of
> about 30'). The pole, will also be a flag pole, to make it socially
> acceptable (I hope).

You might look at "Simple Low-Cost Wire Antennas for Radio Amateurs", by William I. Orr (WA6SAI) and Stuart D. Cowarn (W2LX), Radio Amatuer Callbook, 1990, ISBN 0-8230-8707-7. This US$13.95 paperback book discusses several home-brew verticals which might meet your needs. In the chapter on "Invisible Antennas" on page 134 the authors describe a "flagpole" antenna, constructed from readily available Aluminum tubing, set in concrete in the ground, inside a PVC insulating collar.

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(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

1771. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jodeb@carrinter.net
Message-ID: <6cfngn$72e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153109

In article <34E86E0C.7E12@alaska.net>,
jasonb@alaska.net wrote:
>
> Hi, have for sale a Kenwood TS-700A, 2 meter multimode with
> usb/lsb/cw/am and fm. This is an older model 2 meter radio
> with analog display. Radio has built in ac power supply and
> puts out 10 watts. Great for getting started on 2 meters for
> satellite or weak signal work. Radio was recently aligned by
> Kenwood factory rep. Includes microphone and manual - condition
> is very good-excelent. Price is $275. Thanks in advance.
>
> Mike
> WL7U
> Mike have the same radio bought at a swap a while back.
do you know the trick to make it transmit on the repeater
function at 145.47 ???? can't do it on mine ???
any imput would be appreciated email at jodeb@carrinter,net
Thanks 73's KC8DCP John

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1772. FS ETO Alpha 76A - Attention Florida Hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: art2@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <34ec6487.12383481@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 153110

I have for sale the following piece of equipment:

One - ETO Alpha 76A, HF linear power amplifier.
Plate power input: to 2.5 kw PEP/SSB, 1 kw average or carrier, CCS.
Drive power: nominal 100-120 watts PEP, 60 - 80 watts carrier. Tube complement: Two Eimac 8874 ceramic triodes in grounded-grid. Primary power: 220-259V/10A or 110-130V/20A, 50-60 Hz, single phase.
Size: 7.5" h x 17" w x 14.75" d. Weight: 65 lbs.

This unit was in occasional service prior to hurricane Andrew ('92) and has been in storage since then. About a year ago it was taken out of storage and an attempt was made to put it on the air but the unit would not load. After investigations by a qualified technician it was detemined that the filament in one of the tubes was gone. Also, there's a strong possibility that the capacitor bank would have to be replaced as evidenced by a very ocassional sparking sound (probably the result of being off the air for so long). Power supply appears to be OK. Everything else seems to be in good condition. The only thing marring it's physical appearance is some discoloration and minor spot blistering of the front panel's paint.

I will take the best offer over $ 250 with pick up at my Miami address. Otherwise, shipping charges will be by the buyer and I will take care of the packaging. Please note: this is a heavy piece of equipment.

This is a good chance for someone to acquiere a fine amplifier if willing to do the necessary repair work..

Please E-mail to art2@pipeline.com

Art, WB4VVO

1773. Re: F.S. Yaesu FT101zd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6cfo8j$n34$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 153111

Rudy Marcelletti wrote in message <01bd3c17$f0afa840$6d849cd0@rudym>...
>Mike: Why doesn't your FT-101ZD have the WARC bands? Mine does. Rudy,
>K8SWD
>

Hi Rudy. There were a few versions of the zd. Yaesu seemed to really have a thing for the 101 name. I know of the one without warc, notch, or fm, and the one with. Any others, maybe in between these??

The manual I got with this one does show the warc bands and notch! I guess it's not the manual that came with this particular radio. Since ten meters uses four crystals for the different parts of the band, I can put in crystals for the warc bands in the upper ten meter positions and lose 29 to 30 mhz, which I don't use, since it's mainly fm anyway.

Thanks for the interest!!

Mike...

Mike Pender Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
Steam@megsinet.net or N9IVO@Amsat.org
Fax: 708-795-7003
Amateur Radio Call: N9IVO W.A.S. DXCC 10X-66444
A.M.A 529703
I.B.E.W. Local 9 Lineman 17 years.

1774. Re: 10 Meter Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cfqdl$jug@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153112

How long has your group been around?
Just wonder if you qualify to be called Old FARTS....... :-)

T E I X E I R A wrote in message <34EB17FE.7E2B@ccnet.com>...
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>28.380. This is the Novice/Tech Plus SSB/Phone portion of the band.
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>time is Sundays at 9 am PST. All welcome.
>
>73's
>Don, W6IQ

1775. WTB: Yaesu FT101E Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Vincent <cvincent@usit.net>
Message-ID: <6cfquo$f1f$1@news.usit.net>
Source record: 153113

I'm Looking for a service manual for a Yaesu FT101E. May consider photocopy.
Email me with price. cvincent@usit.net

Thanks
Charlie
KE4DFQ

1776. WTB dual band HT Atlanta area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John C. Galgano" <jgalgano@America.Net>
Message-ID: <34EB6E3B.507D@America.Net>
Source record: 153114

Hi all.....I'm a newbie to this group and hope to find it useful.
I'm looking to purchase a 5W dual band HT as a first "rig". (taking my
Tech plus test this Sat). Will consider anything
reasonable.....including HF equipment as well. Only wish to trade
locally. (within 100 miles of Atlanta metro). Please contact by E-
mail, jgalgano@america.net as my ISP doesn't do such a great job with
newsgroup messages.
Thanks in advance and hope to work you soon.
73,
John Galgano

1777. Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: seleong@world.northgrum.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f5502639fdda142989684@news.northgrum.com>
Source record: 153115
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello!

I have an 8-channel Motorola Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Band radio. I have 4 channels programmed to Red Cross frequencies, and used the RSS to successfully program the other 4 channels to local 6 meter frequencies. Is this radio capable of tuning both sets of frequencies without re-tuning the radio? At present, it transmits AOK on the Red Cross frequencies, but does not on the 6 meter channels. I did notice during programming, that the RSS displayed a caution/error message on the need to possibly re-tune. Any suggestions or assistance would be greatly appreciated on this. Thank you in advance!!!

Steve KC6IJM

1778. Re: Repeater Controllers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wendell Millman <wmillman@pei.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34EB8781.B0EF8976@pei.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 153116

Link Communications is the only way to go, they have several different
models too choose from.

73-Wendell.

VY2CC

Dave Foran wrote:
>
> Our organization is looking to replace the controllers on our repeaters
> the 146.76 and 146.88 in Cleveland, Oh...
>
> I am looking for comments on new controllers to replace the ACC RC-850
> controllers. What is out there in radio land that will replace the
> RC-850 controllers ????
>
> We need to have pretty much the same capabilities as the 850.. And
> something phone patch wise that will handle more than 2 area codes..
>
> What is available ??????
>
> If possible, reply to dave@hamnet.org
>
> Thanks!
>
> --
>
> ---
> Dave Foran Cleveland Hamnet BBS (440) 942-6382
> Email address: dave@hamnet.org http://junior.apk.net/~dforan/hamnet

1779. Spam filter NOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail. E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <34EB7BE1.6922@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 153117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Is this true? Is it enforceable?

Joseph wrote:

>
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> E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.
>
> --
> Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
> http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

1780. Re: Spam filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6cfuqjenh1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 153118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Yes, to a search on the web for "US CODE" and find the subchapter and
notice how this adaptation can actually be used to do what it says! :)
although, good luck finding a valid email address to send the bill to, and
have fun convincing them not to laugh at you.... i got a couple guys
scared real good though, thought it was funny as hell! :)

-joe

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:
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: > --
: > Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
: > http://radiolink.net/n8ouz
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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

1781. Re: FS: Astron RS-35M PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <34EB7B1E.26A3@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 153119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'll offer $75 and you pay shipping

1782. Need Help Audio and COR circuits for Mobile Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: janran@pathcom.com
Message-ID: <janran-1802981556240001@ts30l6.pathcom.com>
Source record: 153120

Hello
I am trying perhaps am imposible project. I'm trying to convert a Motorola Mocom 70 to a mobile repeater for the Fire Department I work for.
The input and output frequencies are approx. 8 mhz apart.
I have managed to get the receiver and Transmitter operating separately.
I have also managed, although not perfectly, to couple the audio from the receiver to the transmitter, but I believe I need a matching network to provide the proper impedance between the two stages.
I also need to build a COR circuit
I need help from anyone that can help me to finish this project with any ideas you might have for matching circuits and COR circuits and where to properly place them.
Any helpful comments are welcome.
Thanks for taking the time to read this.

Randy Elliott
VE3JPU
janran@pathcom.com
905-427-6853
Bus. 905-683-3050

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Randy Elliott VE3JPU

1783. Re: Heath HW-16: AGC where AGC has never gone before

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <"markw(NOJUNK)"@iconnect.net>
Message-ID: <34EB9909.695C@iconnect.net>
Source record: 153121

WB4LNM wrote:
>
> Thirty years ago, as a novice, I built an HW-16. It worked great, and I loved
> using it.

> Thirty years of experience and an EE degree now makes me realize that the HW-16
> never had AGC!
> I'm looking at adding AGC to the receiver so that my son won't hurt his hearing
> as I probably did listening to static crashes on 80 meters many years ago.
> Although it is probably closing the barn door after the cows are out, I'm
> looking at audio-derived AGC as a simple possibility, thinking that with CW
> this is probably an effective solution.
Has anyone tried this or other solutions for AGC on the HW-16 and what
> has been your experience?
>
> Please reply directly to WB4LNM@aol.com or to the list. Thanks.
>
> John...
> WB4LNM

John:

First off, congrats for your son! Mines only 3 but he already knows "A"
and "T".
Anyway, instead of building an AGC have you thought of adding filtering
to the audio stage? I wonder if a DSP filter would be a more effective
solution, but having no first hand experience I do not know if DSP can
offer any clamping action to limit tstorm crashes and the like. Anyone
else out there know if this is a valid route of thinking?

Just my 2cents
Mark White

1784. Re: Spam filterNOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Strohm <jstrohm@taxes.net>
Message-ID: <34EB895A.1238@taxes.net>
Source record: 153122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Enforceable?

Send the SPAMmers a bill, then turn the bill over to a
collection agency when they don't pay. It's your
word against theirs, and there's a growing body
of case law supporting SPAMmed users and punishing
SPAMmers.

For more information, check into this newsgroup --
news.admin.net-abuse.email

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1785. Re: a little humor for you stuffy people

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Strohm <jstrohm@taxes.net>
Message-ID: <34EB8888.2F7B@taxes.net>
Source record: 153123

Normally I'd fuss about off-topic stuff, but
you make a really good point for all the people
who can't figure this out!

It is my prayer for the future of ham radio
that we never grow too old to laugh, and we
never grow too old to seize an opportunity like
that old lady saw (figuratively speaking, of course).

N6OTQ

1786. Alinco VR-590 help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rankin A. (Army) Curtis" <acurtis@inu.net>
Message-ID: <34EB8AED.725C3CB3@inu.net>
Source record: 153124

Can someone please tell me how to set an Alinco VR-590 for cross band operation?
Thanks.

Army - AE5P

1787. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Jurek <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <6cg405$rh2@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153125
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Ian,

try this links:
http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/pkthome.html (and many from here),
http://www.bogo.co.uk/amprnet/

Cheers

Michael

moss.i@virgin.net wrote:
>
> To all that can offer assistance
>
> I believe there are things called packet radio internet gateways. What...

1788. For Sale: KWS-1 and 75A4....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Gentile <ranger1@freewwweb.com>
Message-ID: <34EB9E74.81620887@freewwweb.com>
Source record: 153126

KWS-1 and 75A4 for sale: If instrested please e-mail me and I will
answer as soon as possible.....Jerry n4hoq

1789. Re: CHEAP HF AMPS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34EBA99F.3E571A94@erols.com>
Source record: 153127

hershman wrote:

> I just found a couple of Web sites with HF Amps that are very
> inexpensive.
>
> http://users.aol.com/rfelectron/rfelect.htm
>
> http://coaxkid.simplenet.com/amplist.htm

Well folks, I have taken a trip to both sites. The first one is definitely a ham site.

As to the other.....There is a segment called "care and Feeding". It states that these are designed for '4 Watts dead key" or "12 Watts PEP". Care to make a guess what they are for? Unless the major part of ham radio has gone QRP, these aren't for us. I only wish these pieces could be taken off the market. I've seen some in the past. What a mess as far as how they are built and the signals--- wow, what a mess.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN

1790. WTD Plectron radio info!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Bodin <rbodin@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34EBA961.21A56D0E@ibm.net>
Source record: 153128

Hello,
I'm looking for a schematic for some of the Plectron Alert receivers. In

particular the model 700 and the newer model r8200 by W.E.I. The 8200
has a label from Butler national corporation ,Lenexa,Kansas. Any
information on how to obtain information in these will be appreciated. I

am trying to convert these to the 2m band for LITZ receivers for out
repeaters...thanks Rich N2EYH
rbodin@ibm.net

1791. Re: FT980 - Good rig ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <34EBC823.500@frii.com>
Source record: 153129

N3BJ wrote:
>
> I'm unfamiliar with the radio....guess I was sleeping during the 80's. Would
> appreciate some details on the radio, weaknesses, quirks, value ??
>
> Thanks,
>
> Alan, N3BJ

Alan,

I bought one new and still use it. I have been very satisfied with the radio. The anti-vox is a little weak, but easily fixed. The VOX adjustment for the MIC is not what I would like; seems low on sensitivity. Those are my only complaints. Be aware that the radio cannot be run on an external 13Vdc supply.

Dave - W0MAY

1792. FS Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34EBC0A6.4018@hauns.com>
Source record: 153130
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Heath 2KW tuner. SA2040. Roller inductor, easily handle full limit and more. Excellant condition. $100.

1793. Kenwood??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: swldd@proaxis.com
Message-ID: <34EBB505.232E@proaxis.com>
Source record: 153131

I have lost my info on how to subscribe to Kenwood. Would
someone please e-mail me direct and tell me? Tnx in advance!
73 Doug swldd@proaxis.com

1794. Opinions on Yaesu FT-900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EBB64F.36C6@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 153132

Hi,

Thinking of buying one for base and mobile use. What do you think of
this radio.

Steve Ross

1795. Re: Need Help Audio and COR circuits for Mobile Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyberhax <i676532@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <34EBBC3A.4228@thegrid.net>
Source record: 153133

Randy Elliott wrote:
>
> Hello
> I am trying perhaps am imposible project. I'm trying to convert a Motorola
> Mocom 70 to a mobile repeater for the Fire Department I work for.
> The input and output frequencies are approx. 8 mhz apart.
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> properly place them.
> Any helpful comments are welcome.
> Thanks for taking the time to read this.
>
> Randy Elliott
> VE3JPU
> janran@pathcom.com
> 905-427-6853
> Bus. 905-683-3050
>
> --
> Randy Elliott VE3JPU

Randy:

I'm no expert on Mocom 70's by a long shot. But I do know that you'll
likely find the biggest swing in voltage in, or near the squelch
circuit of the radio. Take some measurements with a voltmeter
and note the voltages, or lack of, with no signal present.
Now do the same with a signal present. The location of the
greatest voltage swing is your best shot at coupling a
COS to the radio (your looking for at least a 3VDC change
either way). Coupling the output from the radio to the base
of a transistor (done properly) is about the most fundemental
COS there is. If you need to switch larger voltages, use the
transistor to switch a relay, etc. If you have a ARRL Handbook,
take a look at the section on transistors..you'll like
find just what you need.

Goo luck,

Shawn WB6JWB

1796. Re: vco voltage???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Robert Walker <Ian@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <0pPt+xAnHz60Ewso@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153134
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

In article <01bd3b73$f17caec0$021871ce@default>, N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
writes
>I need some clarafication on something i was told in line with a power
>output problem IVE been having.
> first ....i have a dualbander that on UHF puts out more power on the
>lower edge of the band than the top.
>
> now another ham told me after getting the repair manual from yaseu that
>i should check the vco voltage and compare it with the specs in the manual.
>
>well, the voltage is a little low, but the radio is on freq across the
>band.
>
> so, my question- is the other ham right in saying that the vco voltage is
>causing the low power output. and if this is true do i need to realign the
>radio according to the procedure in the repair manual
>

Don't touch the VCO. The voltage for the VCO (and most other) test
points is nominal. The change in power across the band suggest a
mismatch to the antenna. By how much is it changing and what are you
using to measure the power?
--
Ian Walker G8ILZ on packet as G8ILZ@GB7SRC

I have an IQ of 6 million, | How will it end? | Mostly | Out of cheese
or was it 6? | In fire. | harmless | error

1797. Atlas 210

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sanderson <steve1945@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6cfgrb$634$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 153135

I have an Atlas 210x with mobile mount, digital dial, and homebrew power supply for $290 contact Steve It was just tuned and worked on. steve1945@sprynet.com

1798. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34EBE39C.49B3@pacbell.net>
Source record: 153136
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Robert Lay wrote:
>
> On 14 Feb 1998 01:15:45 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
> wrote:
>
> >The foc'sle is a storage or berthing area towards the bow of the
> >ship. It's the worst possible area to live, for the motion is
> >quite violent. Read Dana's "Two Years Before The Mast" to get
> >a better idea of shipboard living conditions (in that region
> >of the vessel).
> Hello Jeff,
>
> I'm perfectly aware of what the foc'sle is, having spent some time on
> sailboats as well as 41/2 yrs in the U. S. Navy. I don't understand
> what your point is. My discussion refers to the meaning of the german
> prefic "back" in the context of Backstag, which I believe is the
> german for "forestay". Perhaps my meaning wasn't clear.
>
> >Jeff KH2PZ
>
> 73 de Bob, W9DMK
> Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

Another short point. In a sailing vessel, the foc'sle (derived from forecastle?) was also the most likely downwind point in the vessel. Therefore, the least desirable real estate, especially after six weeks at sea hauling a cargo of goats.

1799. -FS- VHF Bandpass Cavity Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6cd9e0$25p$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 153193
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

For Sale...

Bandpass Cavity Filter. Tuneable 136-174 Mhz.
Presently tuned in 2m band. Cavity is 7" diameter by
2 feet tall, (overall height is 30"). N type
connecters. Manufactured by Sinclair Radio Labs.

It has 1db insertion loss and signals 2Mhz
away from the tuned frequency are down 18db,
signals 5Mhz away are down 26db.

I can also tune it to your freq.

$ 75. + shipping (about $10.)

73,

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

1800. -FS- HP model 427a Voltmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6cdb21$28c$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 153194
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,mi.forsale,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

For Sale

HP model 427a AC/DC Analog Voltmeter

1 mV to 1000 volts DC
0.3mV to 300 volts AC from 10Hz to 1MHz
Resistance from 0.2 ohms to 500 megohms

like new condition.

Has internal AC Power Supply option.

Has hardshell carring case.

$100. shipped usa48

email me.......

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

1801. FS: Absolutly Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: geaugalake@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218013801.UAA25900@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153195

Sorry, I have nothing for sale today, and obviously a lot of time on my hands..

73's everybody!!

1802. Re: Manual Needed-Knwd TR751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: geaugalake@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218013900.UAA06963@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153196

I just threw that one out, Fire destroyed my equipment, I had the manual, but I threw it out... Sorry...

1803. Re: F.S. Yaesu FT101zd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Marcelletti <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3c17$f0afa840$6d849cd0@rudym>
Source record: 153197

Mike: Why doesn't your FT-101ZD have the WARC bands? Mine does. Rudy, K8SWD

1804. FS: Alinco DX-70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.H. Oemar" <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <34EA4B4E.6634@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 153198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Alinco DX-70 + EDX-1 antenna tunner, all band + 6m, GC receiver, all mode, 100W, NB, PBT, TXIT/RIT, dual VFOs, speech processor, with hand mic, user manual, schematic, and original box.
Perfect working order and extra clean.

Will ship COD for $650 to 48.

73,
Richard

1805. Used FT-767GX or New IC-706MkII ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: park@cascade.kriss.re.kr
Message-ID: <6cdl86$a4c$1@usenet.kreonet.re.kr>
Source record: 153199

I have an opportunity to buy one of these at a comparable price.
Which would be better ?
I have no intention for mobile operation.

I would appreciate any comment.

Regards,

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�� �� �� (Yongsup Park), DS3GLW | +82-42-868-5397(O), 5032(F)
Surface Analysis Group, KRISS | park@kriss.re.kr
P.O. Box 102, Yusong | http://www.pas.rochester.edu/~park/
Taejon, 305-600, KOREA |

1806. HF vertical townhouse options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cphillips@engineer.com
Message-ID: <6cdm1l$5dt@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm going to be stuck in a townhouse for a while, but I think
maybe I can get up a vertical for HF. I have a micro-postage stamp
sized "back yard", where I was thinking of putting up a vertical
as follows:

Get a 21' piece of chain-link fence type post, and put a CB 108" whip on
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acceptable (I hope).
Feed it with "ladder line" at the bottom into a tuner. The "other"
side of the ladder line will be connected to radials, of which I can get
three or four of about 30' (hidden and routed outside of
my micro-postage stamp lot). As "great?!" as this is, it is complicated
by a long carport with a metal roof which will be about 3 feet from
the vertical. The 8 foot high carport runs along behind the townhouses,
providing covered parking for all of them, and is probably at least 100'
long.
I was thinking of trying to load this on 40-10 meters.
BTW, I've used chain link fence type poles in the past as antenna
mounts, and am familiar with what they can stand mechanically.

However,given the carport, I was thinking of maybe using the 21' flag
pole to mount a mobile type "HamStik" type antenna might be better, and
use the carport top as the "ground plane" for 20-10 meters, and
try to sneak a horizontal wire out for 40 and 80 meters.

Your opinions would be appreciated.

========= Opinions expressed are solely those of the author ==========
Curt Phillips, CEM W4CP exKD4YU;WB4LHI|"I don't want to achieve
Senior Engineering Project Manager | immortality through my work.
CES/Way Energy Services, Houston, Tx | I want to achieve it through
ARRL Life; QCWA;NRA;AEE;ASHRAE;ISA,AFE| NOT DYING." -- Woody Allen
=== cphillips@engineer.com === [Copyright 1998 All rights reserved] ===

1807. Re: Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Marcelletti <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3c1c$d56a3460$6d849cd0@rudym>
Source record: 153201

Steve and Roger: The VC-23 is the correct headset to operate the FT-50R in vox mode according to Yaesu. I had one. It did not work. I sent it back to AES and they sent me another. While it was in transit, I read somewhere that the two pots under the NiCd sticker could be tweaked up a bit to increase the tx audio. I did this. Vox worked. For awhile. I re-tweaked the pots. Vox worked, for a while longer. Vox no longer works. About a week ago I talked to tech at Yeasu who told me the 2 pots I was messing with did not have anything to do with vox (he did not know why vox started to work when I messed with them). The tech said there is another internal adjustment for vox trip. With my vox gain wide open, I need to scream to get a trip. I will call them tomorrow and if I find out anything further, I'll post it. Mine was worked nicely last hunting season with just a whisper, and that is the way it is supposed to work according to Yaesu. Also, the FT-50 does have some of the vox stuff built in, unlike the Yaesu VXR1 and and the FRS rigs, which take a different head set (which contains the vox circuitry). The vc23 will work in ptt mode only on those rigs, however. By the way, I tape recorded my audio from my FT-50R and the audio using the headset is very nice and is almost equal to or in some cases better than the rigs own mic. I have the Yaesu speaker mic and transmitted audio from it is very poor in comparison--very tinny and loud. I had called Yaesu about the shorter pwr switch mod to hopefully prevent the radio from inadvertently turning on in a pocket or briefcase. I was sent two replacements. I also was sent two replacement function knobs. Maybe a misunderstanding. Maybe they have had some fall off. No charge for either.

If you guys find something out about the vox, please let me know. I'll do the same. Thanks.
Rudy, K8SWD

1808. Please compare TS-570D & TS-440s/at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: printer@cheerful.com
Message-ID: <34ea5abd.8008820@scan.missouri.org>
Source record: 153202

Would someone please compare the Kenwoods ts-440s/at and the ts-570D -

Which is the better radio if the prices are close.
Bob Rierfan

1809. FS: Heavy Duty tower sections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1lpi@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218040000.XAA21604@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153203

For Sale: Heavy duty 10 foot tower sections. Rohn 25HD. These sections are ten feet long. Mates with Rohn 25G sections. Difference is the bracing which uses a flat welded brace around all three legs instead of the Z wire welded brace.

Three available at $60 each. Pick up in Los Gatos CA near San Jose or will deliver in central CA at additional charge.

Email K1LPI@aol.com with phone number.

73
Dave
K1LPI

1810. FS: Ten Tec PS and Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34EA674F.45CAC3B0@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Ten Tec model 961 PS and model 238 antenna tuner
961 PS $125 + shipping
238 tuner $250 including shipping

I have an Astron RS-35M PS in excellent condition for $110 + shipping.

contact via email.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
KU4IT Amateur Op
ku4it@bellsouth.net
KU4IT@WD9AGK.SIN.IN.USA.NA
http://personal.sdf.bellsouth.net/sdf/k/u/ku4it/pers1.html

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1811. FS: Astron RS-35M PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34EA67C4.5EE1B487@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Astron RS-35M hardly even used, in excellent condition has had under 1
week use since bought new.

$110 + shipping

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
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1812. Re: Absolutly Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwkelly <dwkelly@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3bf7$e8c30de0$37c3b8cd@eee>
Source record: 153206

Then, perhaps you have some time for sale. If I could Find Time In a bottle there are a few things that I'd like to do.

GeaugaLake <geaugalake@aol.com> wrote in article <19980218013801.UAA25900@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Sorry, I have nothing for sale today, and obviously a lot of time on my hands..
>
> 73's everybody!!
>

1813. FS or trade: Cherokee AH-50 6 meter HT! Great rig! only 3 months old! E-Mail for info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6cdpsinmf1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 153207

I have a Cherokee AH-50 6 meter HT for sale, or would like to trade
for a WORKING 2 meter amp or whatever you may have to offer. E-Mail me for
info and I'll get back to you. I will also sell the radio out right for
$150 (I pay shipping). I have the radio, an extended range antenna, and the
leather case for the radio. 1 battery and Wall charger. 1 watt on low and
5 Watts on high. GREAT radio for moile and/or portable use. E-Mail me for
more info etc... and/or with offers for trade. thanks...

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73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

1814. Kenwood TMV-7A MOD QUESTION???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cdrkg$6pt@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153208

Does anyone know if the TMV-7A has been updated? I performed the
extended rx and tx mod and the radio still performs as though the mod
was not done. I got a copy of the mod that came right from Kenwood and
the mod was performed exactly as it was suppose to. After putting the
radio back together and doing a complete reset, the radio still
operates like the mod was never done.
I'm wondering if Kenwood updated the radio and there's something
different that has to be done.
Please post or email your ideas or thought on my problem
Thanks

swtempo@worldnet.att.net

1815. ***STOLEN*** Kenwood TM-241A S/N 70105076

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: toddp611@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218055001.AAA20111@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153209

I had my 2mtr mobile stolen Monday(2/16) morning. It's a Kenwood TM-241A, with a serial number of 70105076. It was stolen from Chicopee, MASS. Anyone seeing it or hearing of a 'good deal' can E-Mail me at ToddP611@aol.com or call (413)538-6215.

TNX
Todd
N1MHM

1816. FS: MOTOROLA UHF MT1000 99 CHANNEL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdemos@cts.com
Message-ID: <34ea78cd.94745679@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 153210

For Sale: Motorola UHF MT1000 99channel HT

Included:

* DTMF interface (cost me $150)
* desktop rapid charger
* two antennas, standard and stubby
* priority scanning
* PL and DPL
* 438-470 (presently prgrammed for Ham bands)
* documentation
* will program upon request

This radio is in very clean condition, asking $400, obo.

Please respond by email to: tdemos@cts.com

1817. KWOOD TV506 6M TRANSVERTER / CPI 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6ce477$t6a$5@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 153211

I HAVE A KENWOOD TV506 6M TRANSVERTER IN FANTASTIC CONDITION WITH ALL CABLES
AND ORIGIONAL MANUAL FOR SALE ..... OR SWAP FOR A CPI 2000 BASE + ANY ACCESORY

THANKS ! ... EMAIL ME.

1818. DAI WA 2 mters, 200 watt, linear amp, for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dov <dov@methow.com>
Message-ID: <887789494.20301@express.ior.com>
Source record: 153212

I have a DAIWA LA-2155E 2 meters, 200 watt, linear amp for sale.
with delay, protection circuit and can be mobil.
pleas make offer

1819. WTB: Bird Slugs for VHF/UHF+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1QVE <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <34EAC5F8.5DC9FF9E@connix.com>
Source record: 153213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi and thx for reading.
Looking for various Bird slugs 50 MHz thru 1296 MHz, low-to-moderate
power levels.
Thanks & 73
Harry
N1QVE

1820. AZDEN AZ-61 6 METER HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul M Koplow <pmkoplow@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34EAC971.8FCBADB4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153214
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale an Azden AZ-61 Handi Talkie, with stand-up charger, manual. Excellent condition. $250 shipped in US.

Paul WA1VEI
pmkoplow@ix.netcom.com

1821. Re: VOX Device for Radio Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christine McNeill & Tony Stewart <tonys@awnet.com>
Message-ID: <34EA7A5C.4B01F3B5@awnet.com>
Source record: 153215
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.design,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

> > I'm looking for a commercial voice activated switch product to provide
> > automatic keying of a radio. The features that I am looking for are as
> > follows:
> >
> > 1. Accurate voice detection with minimal false triggering.
>

The principles used in speaker phones work well. Use amplitude peak detection with some filtering of your "Voice Source" to create the envelope or a DC signal. Then use a comparator between the Received Signal Strength Indicator, RSSI or Rx meter voltage to produce an output that enables the transmitter. So if you will trasnmit when your voice level overcomes the voltage detected by a received carrier. The trick with speaker phones is that they cancel feedback between speaker and microphone by balanced feedforward and a fixed position between the two. Otherwise you may need to use headphones.

There's not much to it when the design is right. (I once designed one in the late 70's for a VOX using a "throat microphone" in high ambient noise.)

Tony Stewart
P.E. 25 yrs

1822. Ten Tec model 238 and 961 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34EADC94.BF892957@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ten Tec gear: 238 and 961 SOLD
Thanks to all who inquired.

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73 dit dit,

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1823. Astron RS-35M SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34EADCD7.2D192843@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Astron RS-35M SOLD thanks to all who inquired.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
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KU4IT@WD9AGK.SIN.IN.USA.NA
http://personal.sdf.bellsouth.net/sdf/k/u/ku4it/pers1.html

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1824. WTB:SM-220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell, Jr." <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6ceng5$js2$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 153218
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,tnn.radio.amateur
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Wanted SM-220 With Pan Adapter (BS-8). Best deal gets my money! Side note here - I have a FT-50R that I would be willing to trade for the SM-220 if your interested. Excellent condition, includes 5 watt battery and battery case for 2 AA batteries.

E-mail with price and condition.

73 Daniel KC4OXP
kc4oxp@flash.net

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J. Daniel Bell, Jr. KC4OXP
$13.95/Month* Internet Service
Independent FlashNet Distributor
http://www.flash.net/~kc4oxp/index.html
*One Year PrePaid @ $167.40 Other Plans Available!

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1825. Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218132701.IAA29868@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153219

Hi

Looking to trade my Alinco DJ 580T for a BC 895XLT scanner.
Thanks

1826. Re: Manual MFJ 1270b TNC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218134500.IAA01513@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153220

Have you tried MFJ's website? They a loto of the manuels there for downloading.

http://mfjenterprises.com

73's
Dan, N8VZU/AG

1827. Re: Question re: Neutralizing FT-101B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218134900.IAA12462@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153221

Way to go Clif, you know how to make people feel like shit!
Do you treat your customers like this?

>Did it ever occur to you that if you need help that you should remove
>the anti-spam rather than forcing someone trying to help to do it???
>--
>Clif @ AVVid
>AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center

1828. Re: Question re: Neutralizing FT-101B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980218135400.IAA02412@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153222

Jim,
You might want to go to Yaesu's web site to get a good answer, if you can't find someone to help you there E-mail me directly and I will try to find you some answers.

73's
Dan, N8VZU/AG
Know Coder and LID Free Operations

1829. Re: Question re: Neutralizing FT-101B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clair J. Robinson" <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <3502C66B.2C4E@wavefront.com>
Source record: 153223

Jim Barrett wrote:
>
> I recently picked up an old Yaesu FT-101B, which works well, though it
> definitely needs a new set of 6JC6C finals. I've ordered a matched pair.
>
> At some point in my web browsing, I came upon a site related to the FT-101
> series, in which it stated that the fixed 100 pF @ 1000V mica capacitor
> connected in series with the 10 pF variable neutralizing cap should be
> replaced with a 10 pf fixed silver mica. It was explained that the reason for
> this was due to differences in the characteristics of late-model American-made
> 6JS6C's compared to the Japanese NEC tubes that came with the FT-101 as
> original equipment.
>
> 100 pF to 10 pF seems to be a rather drastic change. I'm wondering if any
> FT-101 owners have performed this mod? Is it indeed necessary? At present, my
> Yaesu has one Japanese final of unknown maufacture, and one RCA final. There
> is indeed something screwy with the neutralization, as I can't get a
> symetrical IC dip at any point in the variable cap's adjustment range. Not
> sure if this is due to lack of the modification, or to using unmatched tubes
> of different manufacture/vintage.
>
> Thanks in advance for any info.
>
> Jim Barrett
>
> /* Please remove "remove" from my email address for replies. */
>
>

Jim -

Its really not too big a change. 10 pf in series with 100 pf amounts to
about 9 pf effective. 10 pf in series with 10 pf comes to 5 pf.

Capacitors in series are sorta like resistors in parallel. Not really
but the calculations similar.

73, CJ K0CJ

1830. FORSALE (or trade) Tinsley Labs classical cass telescope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6cer78$983@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 153224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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FORSALE -- TINSLEY LABS CLASSICAL CASSEGRAIN TELESCOPE !!!
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I have for sale a Tinsley Labs 8-inch Classical Cassegrain
telescope, complete with the original German equitorial
mount and clock drive. Tinsley produced these fine scopes
in the mid 1960s and are known for their fine optical and
mechanical properties. They were (are) research quality
instruments which are quite rare and retain their value.

In mint shape, they go for around $3000. The one that
I have is in very good condition, but needs a few minor
items to bring it to "mint", as follows:

- mirrors are excellent, no scratches or chips, and
bright. Although very good and workable, a
recoating would make them mint.

- clock drive needs an external 12V battery pack and
rheostat to make it operational (this is as it was
intended). A nicad pack or motorcycle battery would
be appropriate.

- A low tripod or pedestal base (about 20" high) and
"rocker box" is needed for the equitorial mount to
sit on.

- the optical tube has some scratches in the paint and
a small dent, which absolutely does NOT interfere with
the optical path. Paint scheme is the original Tinsley
gray.

Thats about it. I just don't have the time to use this
scope and it's too valuable to just let it lay idle.

I'm asking $2150. for scope and mount (and absolutely will
NOT sell them separately).

The equipment is located in Monmouth County, NJ. For
further information, please contact me.

Thanks,

Joe Levantino
Lucent Technologies - Bell Laboratories
732-949-0664 (days)
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jlevantino@lucent.com

PS -- I will consider a trade for equally valued Amateur Radio Equipment, in particular a high quality, heavy duty, HF linear amplifier (Ten-tec, etc).

1831. Re: HF vertical townhouse options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34eae9ea.7771537@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 153225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 18 Feb 1998 02:51:34 GMT, cphillips@engineer.com (Curt Phillips) wrote:

> I'm going to be stuck in a townhouse for a while, but I think
>maybe I can get up a vertical for HF. I have a micro-postage stamp
>sized "back yard", where I was thinking of putting up a vertical
>as follows:
>
> Get a 21' piece of chain-link fence type post, and put a CB 108" whip on
>top of it (electrically and mechanically connected to make a vertical of
>about 30'). The pole, will also be a flag pole, to make it socially
>acceptable (I hope).

Hello Curt,

It would be helpful to know whether or not this "flagpole" is electrically grounded at its base. I will assume that it is, because it would seem to be very difficult for it not to be.

> Feed it with "ladder line" at the bottom into a tuner. The "other"
>side of the ladder line will be connected to radials, of which I can get
>three or four of about 30' (hidden and routed outside of
>my micro-postage stamp lot).

Adding that information into the equation makes my assumption less viable. If you were going to connect one side of the ladder line to the radials, it is only reasonable that those radials are also connected to the base of the "flagpole".

It is very unclear as to how you would connect the "hot" side of the ladder line to the flagpole. Lacking any real information on that point does make it difficult to continue with any meaningful analysis or suggestions.

> As "great?!" as this is, it is complicated
>by a long carport with a metal roof which will be about 3 feet from
>the vertical. The 8 foot high carport runs along behind the townhouses,
>providing covered parking for all of them, and is probably at least 100'
>long.
> I was thinking of trying to load this on 40-10 meters.

No matter how long the run of carports is, and no matter how well you "load" it, it's only 8' above ground, which is pretty poor.

> BTW, I've used chain link fence type poles in the past as antenna
>mounts, and am familiar with what they can stand mechanically.

I'm thinking that I would like to recommend some sort of gamma match device to match the flagpole. That way you can avoid the problems of putting an insulator at the base of the pole. The downside of that would be that it would be a single band antenna with difficulties in QSY'ing around. On the other hand, for any band you choose up to and including 10M, you should be able to use coax instead of ladder line, if you do the gamma match correctly. I have tried such a match with grounded pole verticals and it works quite well.
>
> However,given the carport, I was thinking of maybe using the 21' flag
>pole to mount a mobile type "HamStik" type antenna might be better, and
>use the carport top as the "ground plane" for 20-10 meters,
Sorry to break your sentence in half there, but if you put a ground plane antenna on the top of a 21' pole, you don't have a ground plane until you fan out some radial/counterpoise rods/wires. Just being on the pole doesn't do it. Also, just being several feet above some metal garage roof doesn't do it either. The base of the antenna itself should connect directly to the ground plane, which is either horizontal or bent down at about 45 degrees.

> and
>try to sneak a horizontal wire out for 40 and 80 meters.

Now that is the best idea, so long as you can make it balanced and not "end fed". Is there any possibility of putting a 10' section of TV mast on top of the 21' pipe and putting an inverted vee on that for 40M band?. Then you would have a decent antenna.

If you feed it with ladder line, you could have your all band antenna, but it would still be too low to the ground to be a real performer on 40 and 80M.

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

1832. Re: Help - Tek 2213 Scope Repair - Data on IC's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <34EAF65F.B8C8802B@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 153226

John Miles wrote:

> Jim West wrote:
> >
> > Got a scope cheap at the hamfest. I think the preamps on both channels
> > are bad. So I tried to find some data on the 8 pin dips. Can't find
>

> Whoa. What evidence suggests that you have not one but TWO bad preamp
> chips?!??
>

The previous guy blew out one channel and used the other one until he blew it out. Not too unusual, but I like your logical approach.

> Have you checked the rest of the vertical amplifier signal chain to make
> sure? It is hard to see how two completely independent input chips
> could be blown, barring exceptionally-destructive stupidity on the part
> of the previous owner. :(
>
> -- jm

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1833. Any TNC's have EAS/SAME capability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <6cet4k$hhi@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153227

I was wondering if there are any TNC's currently on the market which can decode the EAS/SAME protocol used by the National Weather Service as well as commercial broadcasters. In a nutshell, the signal is a 520.83 baud AFSK signal as specified in FCC part 11. I just picked up a Radio Shack NWR-SAME receiver and after doing some research on SAME it looked like something a TNC should be able to do with the right firmware.

73,
Robert, N2JTX
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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
****

1834. Icom 706 Mk-II DSP price???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Message-ID: <6ceu7k$q48$1@news1.norlight.net>
Source record: 153228

Does anyone know what this upgrade will cost?
73 de Eric KB9QAI
No.Spam@add-inc.com
--
"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.
Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, any
and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is construed
as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.

1835. FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: moss.i@virgin.net
Message-ID: <34eb0068.23239366@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 153229
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

To all that can offer assistance

I believe there are things called packet radio internet gateways. What i want to do is to have FULL Internet access (not just EMAIL) through packet radio, via the said gateways so as to do away with my ISP which costs me £12/month, and the PHONE bill, which I think is a disgrace that we have to pay for. We pay for calls to the Internet in England!!!!!!

PLEASE NOTE:-If you have never heared of an packet radio internet gateway, DONT reply to me saying youve never heard of it, and its not possible, because I jolly well know it is possible, this would obviously be the first time you have heard of it, so DONT bother to reply to me. If you DO know what I am talking about, I would very much welcome your input.

I need to know what equiptment I will need to do this, the cost, and if there are local gateways operating in the MHZ freq. range that will be able to cope with a high speed packet radio modem (56K + baud), in the NorthWest region of England. From reading stuff off the net it wont cost a fortune to implement all this. I apparently need a TNC (Terminal Node controller), radio, amplifier, and Antenna, and anything else you might think I should need. Read some info about JNOS too, presume its possible to run TCP/IP over that, with WIN95, and all the traditional internet application programs running all above that, FTP, email, Netscape browser etc etc etc. I hope to run all that little lot from a 486AMD5x86-P75 ,256K cache,16MB, WIN95, which will more than meet the needs of the Packet radio interface.

If you can help would appreciate it

Cheers

Ian

1836. ic-2710 tx/rx specs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean M. Gilligan" <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <34EAFDE4.C5F17AD1@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 153230

I'm trying to get more info. on this radio, and
there's definately a lack of it on the internet
for whatever reason. I'm curious what the RX
range is out of band? I guess stock it doesn't
even do out of band... what can the radio be
modified to do as far as TX/RX on VHF/UHF? My
primary concern is to be able to RX UHF-hi/Tband
for commercial freqs., but homefully it has
transmit capability as well. Any info on the
TX/RX ranges would be greatly appreciated.
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UNI 4055292 * AOL IM smg295

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Bethlehem, PA 18015-3041 * (610.758.1188)

"I can't get through a sentence without the "F"
word; if bad language is a crutch, then I am a
cripple!" -Howard Stern

1837. Re: Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: boneye@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <34ec08a0.79643429@news.wgn.net>
Source record: 153231

On 18 Feb 1998 03:24:45 GMT, "Rudy Marcelletti" <rudym@net-link.net>
wrote:

>Steve and Roger: The VC-23 is the correct headset to operate the FT-50R in
>vox mode according to Yaesu. I had one. It did not work. I sent it back
>to AES and they sent me another. [clipped]

I am told that you must turn the FT50 off before you plug in the VOX
microphone. If you plug it in while the radio is operating, the VOX
won't function. I have found this to be true. Give it a try.

Take care...
Mark

1838. Hunting AMP Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34EB0757.A13E62E5@erols.com>
Source record: 153232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I am off on a building project. I am going to build both a pair of
3-400s and a single 4-1000.

Looking for the following, will trade, buy, scrounge, and or beg.
Donations accepted and appreciated. Pointers to sources appreciated,
thanks in advance.

Large roller inductor for PI network
Air Variables for PI network
Vacuum variables for PI network
High wattage resistors for input T-pad
Sockets for 3-400s for use with chimneys
Another 3-400
Socket for 4-1000
Chimney for 4-1000
4-1000
Plate transformers - 3KV to 4KV
Filament transformers for 3-400s and/or 4-1000
Miscellaneous door knob and blocking capacitors
B&W bandswitch with inductor(s)

Anyone with a fried, trashed, or otherwise AMP with parting value, i.e.,
SB220/221 or something similar. Homebrewed certainly acceptable.

Have on hand to trade:

SB-102 w/Power supply. Tubes overall in good condition. Finals fine.
Can and will pull all to test.
One Westinghouse 813 - New.
EF Johnson socket for 813
Plate cap for 813 and similar sized caps
Junker HW 2036A
Stack of Heathkit manuals - New.
Also have typical parts horde.

Hope to get some good hits!

Thanks to all,

Bob Bethman
N0DGN

Any personal replies will receive home QTH address if desired.

1839. Re: Let's build some gear and some good will!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1rsq <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3c92$b7c3dbc0$0a1871ce@default>
Source record: 153233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

OK< so why are you posting to other groups if your talking policy. and are you one of those " self important twits" I was talking about before. you know the type:

1) he sits back at a club meeting till an argument starts then he's in it throwing around comments that have nothing to do with the original question.

2) ask him a question on how to do something,and he'll bore you with what he thinks will be a better idea.(ie.you want to build a dipole-he thinks a yagi is better)

3)and lets not forget the one who buys a radio,opens it up, plays with every setting to make it work better. fries the radio. sends it back to the store"saying I want my money back" then post's on the ng's on what a peice of crap it is.

LOUIS & BOB are right, we need a little more input and good will from each other, and a lot less debate on the merits of a test.

I also would like to add that if I knew the hobby was so full of these "twits", I would have stayed with radio control.
W6RCA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote in article <34E91FD7.1AED@ibm.net>...
> Louis Bybee wrote:
> >
> > Amen.
>
> > Bob Bethman wrote:
> >
> > > I see a lot of discussions that I wouldn't put my name to.
> > > I fail to understand why they occur.
>
> Hi Louis and Bob, maybe r.r.a.policy is just not your cup of tea. The
> r.r.a.policy newsgroup was created to take the code testing debate
> off of r.r.a.misc If you don't like never ending debates, then you
> probably won't like r.r.a.policy but some people are addicted to it.
>
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA
>

1840. sb200 linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ci960@freenet.buffalo.edu
Message-ID: <EoKz53.73H@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 153234

need help need to known output of sb200 linear
alc my rig icom 707 only can take 0 to -4 volts alc input voltage
also hookup of relay for send

1841. Re: Manual MFJ 1270b TNC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn6em3ep.clv.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>
Source record: 153235
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.packet,aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You can download the TAPR TNC-2 manual, on which the MFJ manual is based,
from ftp.tapr.org in /tapr/software_lib/tnc/tncdocs.exe (self-extracting).

Bob

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 00:05:04 +1030,
Stef Daniels <sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au> wrote:
>G'Day...
> Thanks for reading this...!! If someone who has a copy of
>the manual for MFJ-2270b 1200\2400bd TNC, could arrange a copy of the this
>for me.. it would be very much appreciated.!! If there are any reasonable
>costs incurred, will endeavour to refund the cost.
>
> Your replies can be either email or packet..not real worried
>about which.!!
>Thanks in advance, and also for reading this message.. All the best.!!
>
>--
>73 Stef_D
>VK5HSX@VK5TTY
>sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au
>nos.vk5hsx.ampr.org
>
>

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@01.w6swe.ampr.org
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen/

1842. Re: SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam@No.Spam
Message-ID: <34EB0E73.8DB95133@No.Spam>
Source record: 153236
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Richard Heckman wrote:
>
> Most of us don't believe in making cruel statements just to be funny.
> Perhaps it's a characteristic of your nationality.

Gotta be a liberal! What a stupid response.

1843. FT51R Unique Hardware Defect...have you seen this?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Martin <davidm@intermetrics.com>
Message-ID: <34EC66B4.3C248810@intermetrics.com>
Source record: 152939

All:

I'm going to have to send my FT51R from Yaesu in for repairs. It turns out that the radios BNC connector is now free turning in a 360 degree circle. The radio still functions, but I cannot remove the antenna. Yeasu advices me that a solder joint in the radio is loose and that it needs to be resoldered to hold the antenna in place. I was wondering if someone else experienced this problem. It seems to me that the BNC would be a little bit better reenforced than it appears to be.

David

1844. >>>>>>>>> RE: CHEROKEE AH 50 6 M HT <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6chq5b$ch9$1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 152940

The radio is SOLD! Sorry, and thanks for the reply. But someone
else has already bought it.

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========****----====
73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

1845. RE:Manual MFJ 1270b TNC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hstam@flevoland.xs4all.nl
Message-ID: <0ba_9802191838@flevoland.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 152941
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.packet,aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Am 18 Feb 98 11:35:04 schrieb sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au an All zum Thema
<Manual MFJ 1270b TNC.>

s> G'Day...

Hallo,
> Thanks for reading this...!! If someone who has a copy
s> of the manual for MFJ-2270b 1200\2400bd TNC, could arrange a copy of the
s> this for me.. it would be very much appreciated.!! If there are any
s> reasonable costs incurred, will endeavour to refund the cost.
I can send you a text with all the tnc commands in it.. but maybe you have
already one..
So please let me know..

Hans

1846. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@abcnycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34f26cd3.6189402@news>
Source record: 152942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 07:36:58 GMT, moss.i@virgin.net wrote:

>On Wed, 18 Feb 1998 18:28:19 -0800, Geoff <equinox@nospam.itl.net>
>wrote:
>
>>moss.i@virgin.net wrote:
>>>
>>> To all that can offer assistance
>>>
>>> I believe there are things called packet radio internet gateways. What
>>>...blah blah blah.......
>>
>>Do you have an Amateur Radio Licence?
>
>DO YOU HAVE A BRAIN?
>
>NEVER MIND BLAH BLAH BLAH, and DO you have an Amateur Radio Licence.
>You probable never heard of a Packet Radio Internet Gateway ANYWAY,
>HAVE YOU? JUST WANNA FLAME DONT YOU OR SPOUT YOUR OPINION. WELL WHO
>ARE YOU MATE? NO ONE SO GO AWAY.
<snip>

Well Moss, if you would stop screaming and foaming at the mouth for a
few minutes, you might realize that Packet radio doesn't have the
bandwidth or speed necessary to carry a full internet connection.
Besides, the rest of us have to pay, why not you?
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Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
abc from my address.

1847. tentec 1202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Marriott <mmandmm@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <6chqd0$34d$1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 152943

Does anyone have any experience with the tentec 1202 swr meter? I need one with hf and 2m capability, and this seems too good to be true... any comments?

thanks,

Mark Marriott, wa6jiq

1848. Re: tentec 1202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: spammers@must.die.com
Message-ID: <wsandersEon1p1.MDx@netcom.com>
Source record: 152944

Just built one. Took about 4 or 5 hours, a pretty easy project, a couple of very minor bugs involving the fab of the HF pickup loop (a length of coax that runs through a toroid), but the kit
provides 3 times as much material as you need so you can experiment. One of the four supplied diodes for the bridge was 40 mV off from the rest, but I used it on the HF side so it shouldn't present too much of a problem.

The unit contains two separate circuits for VHF and HF - the VHF side is a monimatch-style - on separate ends of the circuit board. The circuit uses op-amps to isolate and amplify the power readings, so DC power from a 9V battery or wall-wart is required.

I can't calibrate mine exactly because I don't have a known-accurate RF wattmeter but it seems to work just fine. My antennas are indoor, I live in California, my SWR readings look a little higher than usual, but, then, my roof hasn't been dry for a month.

A great project for anyone who needs a two SWR/wattmeters for the price of one.

Wiley KF6IIU

1849. WTB: 300 Baud Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: svoigt7386@aol.com
Message-ID: <6chtpphmd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152945

Wanted: 300 Baud Modem for dial up morse. Need manual answer/originate control. Prefer Radio Shack DCM series modem.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1850. FS: Heathkit ID-4001 Weather station at Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ricky <*ricky-ponder@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6chtps$i2@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have a complete and working Heathkit ID-4001 Weather Station at Ebay,
it also comes
with a non-working unit that could be fixed or saved for parts if
needed.

Here's the address:

http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6549888

Ricky

To reply by email remove the * from the front of my address

1851. Re: 13 Pin Din Plug Sleeves

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34ec7fc3.264911710@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152947

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 09:43:50 -0600, Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net> wrote:
>Cmjk2og wrote:
>>
>> Has anyone out there ever heard of snap-on or slide-on sleeves for the 13 pin
>> Din plug used in Kenwood accessory sockets. If you've ever tried to solder
>> wires to those pins you will know why I ask. Any information would be
>> appreciated by me and thousands of others.
>>
>> Thanks for looking,
>>
>> Chris Jespersen K2OG
>
>The easy was is to mark the pins you need and cut the rest off. If you
>look you will notice that the needed pins are scattered, not all bunched
>up. Makes life a lot easier.
>--
>Clif @ AVVid

Clif's suggestion is good. But on the matter of sleeves, just use short
pieces of heatshrink on each wire. Shrink each one over its pin after
you've soldered the wire. This makes a neat and short-proof mass
termination.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1852. I sell big amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6chq9p$ohp@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 152948
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Collins 208U10:
It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
Power: 3Kw carrying fixed, 10 Kw pep, tone cw 10 Kw.
Consumptions: with tone cw 22.5 nominal Kws, factor of power 0.98 .
Input power 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
Inclusive of exciter Redifon EK203N or Harris 131
Aplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe 4CX10000D
Dimensions: Height 175 cm, Depth 70 cm, Width 108 cm, Weight 760 Kg
Autotunig.

Siemens:
It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
Power: Telegraphy power on A1,F1,F4 and F6 = 5 Kw
RF troppower on A3A, A3j and A3B = 10Kw
Carrier by A2 and A3 =2.5 Kw
Input power: 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
Inclusive of filter of the air, exciter Siemens.
Amplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe RS2010 Siemens
Dimensions: Heigt 160 cm, Width 150 cm, Deep 60 cm, Weight 1500 Kg
Autotunig.

1853. Re: FT51R Unique Hardware Defect...have you seen this?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonk <jonk@moonlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EC8723.702139FA@moonlink.net>
Source record: 152949
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I most certainly did see this problem, but on a Kenwood 79A HT. I have the Yaesu also, but I think the problem we've experienced is mostly the nature of the beast: Long antennas and hanging next to one's body ona belt clip puts a lot of stress on that connector.

73s and CUL de Jonathan ko6xs

David Martin wrote:

> All:
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> antenna in place. I was wondering if someone else experienced
> this problem. It seems to me that the BNC would be a little
> bit better reenforced than it appears to be.
>
> David

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1854. {{{{WTB Vibroplex-Vibrokeyer}}}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6ci1hd$dbu@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152950

I would like to purchase a Vibroplex-Vibrokeyer or possibly a lambic. Please check your drawers, drawers, attic, cellars, etc. etc.. I will put it to good use. Please advise model, condition, price and your location... I Thank You; Rich

1855. Re: I sell Big Amplifier and antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <$MwYuDAJEC70EwWz@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152951
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

>>>>>I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
>>>>
>>>>
>>>Sandro's no troll, but he's been trying to sell all this heavy
>>>commercial equipment for the last few months.
>>>You'd think that would tell him something about the prices he's asking!
>>
>>>Phil / UK
>>
>>Or at least change the subject to 'I ADVERTISE Big Amplifier and
>Antennas'......
>>
>>73, Jim KH2D
>>
> I've been looking for a Gates 10B to convert to 6 meters,
>I wonder if he has one of them.. Shipping will be a killer.
I'd like a Harris SX1 for topband, buy one, get one free.

Phil G4ZOW/M

1856. Re: TM-V7A PRO's & CONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: enzo <enzo@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3d70$770e4fa0$ac3ed3cf@default>
Source record: 152952

I haven't had any problems at all with intermod with my V7A, even when in really bad areas that make my HT totally useless. Normally the V7A also picks up a lot of intermod in those areas too, but I just turn on the AIP (Advanced Intercept Point) feature and it kills the intermod perfectly. It's almost too good to be true. Maybe the users reporting intermod problems haven't tried this feature?

The Blue on White/White on Blue doesn't bother me. I would normally prefer red or orange, but actually I've gotten used to the blue now. The display isn't sealed perfectly though - and all the V7As I've seen have some dirt or dust inside the display. That's kind of lame. Also, the VS3 voice synth doesn't seem to be adjustable for audio level, and it's **blaringly** loud compared to the RX audio output. So it has a few quirks, but it has a very good interface IMHO - and I find the remote control option to be VERY valuable. When I need to hit a repeater outside of my school campus, I just activate the V7A's cross band remotely just long enough for the QSO and shut it off afterwards. That way I don't use the battery so much and there's minimal chance of interfering with other stations.

As far as being difficult to read, here's how I solved the problem - you might like this solution - it's really pretty cool. After I heard about problems with readability in sunlight and such - and seeing a friend's Yaesu 8500 mounted in his overhead console, I got to thinking that a similar mount would be good for my car. Unfortunately, my car doesn't have an overhead console, and aftermarket ones are very expensive. The easiest and best solution was to buy the Kenwood remote mounting kit (I used the DFC-4) and get a rear view mirror replacement mounting arm - you can find them at most Chief Auto or Kragen auto supply shops. Glue the mounting shoe in the right location and let it cure for 36 hours. Drill a hole in the back of the DFC mount and "dremel" off the extra length of the mounting screw after screwing in the arm through the mount. (I reccomend mounting over the rear view mirror if you have the room, but it's up to you) Fit the arm on the shoe after it cures and adjust to taste.

That's basically it! You now have an "overhead" display that can be viewed without having to divert your eyes off the road (much) to see or adjust. By mounting high, you are keeping the display facing away from incoming sunlight, and by mounting it on a rear view mirror stalk, you can aim it any way you please, for either you, or your navigator, or whatever. No viewing problems at all. Best of all, you get the feeling like you're operating radio equipment on a large airliner or other sophisticated aircraft. 8o)

73 de KF6JBJ
Neil M.

Elwan Smotinedde <molden1@wanway.net> wrote in article
<01bd3aa0$0ac06040$619192ce@default>...
> Compared to Icom and Yaesu, it is an intermod sponge. It was totally
> unusable even near a city because all I heard were pagers and dispatchers.
> Yaesu is easily the best here.
> Four, yes 4 channel per second scan rate. This is 50's technology. It
> makes a career out of scanning the memory banks. Compare this to Icoms 8
> per sec which is still slow and Yaesu's 26 channels per sec in their FT
> 8000 and 8100. Unfortunately the 8100 has some other strange quirks.
> The blue on white or white on blue is very difficult to see when used
> mobile. The worst color scheme of all, even with the revised and new
> version. Worse when viewed at an angle.
> I consider this unit completely unacceptable and unuseable.
>
> Russ Ouellette <Rouelle1@bellatlantic.net> wrote in article
> <34E7E2E3.5634@bellatlantic.net>...
> > Hello and thanks for reading this message. I'm thinking of buying this
> > radio and would like to know your pro's and con's of the radio !
> > thanks ! and 73 Russ
> >
>

1857. Re: How to clear memory channel on Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lawrence \"The Dreamer\" Chen" <dreamer@agt.net>
Message-ID: <34EC80D0.E0EC1A8E@agt.net>
Source record: 152953

lreid@nojunkplease.lreid.demon.co.uk wrote:
>
> I am sure I have read the manual from cover to cover but can't see how
> to erase memory channels. Have I missed it? Is it possible and if so
> how?
>
> Many thanks.
> remove the "nojunkplease" from email address to reply

There isn't a way to clear a single memory.....you just overwrite it
with something else. At least you can overwrite it something else in
a different band so that it doesn't show up (unlike my FT530 or FT8000)

Well, you could block the memory.....

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TheDreamer@compuserve.com Medicine Hat, AB T1A 1N7
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Numeric Pager: +1 403 504 9943 AlphaPage: +1 403 266 9155 (ID: 9943)

1858. Re: VX-1R review please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lawrence \"The Dreamer\" Chen" <dreamer@agt.net>
Message-ID: <34EC8046.F7322BCB@agt.net>
Source record: 152954

Yves Remedios wrote:
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> >In article <6c4vbi$4tg@news.acns.nwu.edu>, mdems@sprintmail.com (Ed M) wrote:
> >
> >> Can anyone provide me with a review of the VX-1R? Looks like a neat
> >> little radio. IF this has been discussed here before, please point me
> >> to a faq file or web based review. I am thinking about purchasing one,
> >> and would value your experiences to help me make a wise choice
>
> I have a VX1 and an FT51.
>
I have the VX1 and an FT530 (along with an FT8000)

> Good points:
>
> Very small but full featured handset.
>
> Long battery life and built-in rapid charger.
>
> Loud audio plus good quality wide band FM.
>
> The battery (approx AA size) fits inside the handset and takes up half
> the internal volume. So Yaesu have managed to build a dual-bander into
> the other half which is the volume of a single AA cell!
>
I agree with these points....

The key placement is okay given its size...though my big hands are a problem.

> Bad points:
>
> The firmware in the VX1 is poorly written. As a consequence, it can
> sometimes be a pain to use. For instance, to move between memory
> channels you need to use the UP/DOWN buttons rather than the tuning
> knob. Also, the entire receiver coverage is split into 8 bands so it is
> difficult to easily switch between 2m/70cms bands (eg. if you want to
> keep an eye on the local 2m repeater and also the local 70cms repeater).
> Also the switching between GRP-1 and GRP-2 memory banks is a pain.
>
I find this annoying as well....having to remember if I use the dial or the
up/down
keys for things like memory, VFO, Volume, Squelch.

Dual watch can be used to monitor a UHF memory while on the 2m band. I use
this

occasionally to monitor our local UHF repeater while also monitoring the local VHF
repeater.

I don't like the squelch behaviour. AUTO doesn't work in all cases, and manual tends to
be too tight in some cases. Especially annoying when I have it scanning through the
memories or using dual watch.

The band arrangement is kind of a problem....its also a problem that the same button is
used for SET. If you don't hold it long enough or forget that you have to....you end up
jumping into the next band...and then have the cycle all the way around to get back.

> The low power can be a serious limitation is your favorate repeaters are
> not local.
>
The difference between 50mW and 500mW is kind of big....another step might be nice...or
if the Low wasn't quite so low. I can work out local repeater from the high parts of town
at 50mW...but the lower parts need 500mW...and the difficulty of changing transmit power
means I leave it on high power all the time.

> *HUGE* battery charger!
>
Yes the brick is big. It would be nice if there was an option of an external charger....
so I could charge an extra battery without having to buy another VX1 (otherwise there's no
point to having an extra LiOn battery, except to prepare for when its 300 cycles are up).
Too bad the VX1 can't be dropped into a charger....

> Non-standard 4-pole 3.5mm jack for speaker mike and data.
>
> Conclusion:
>
> Nice toy but the firmware is beginning to irritate me...I am finding
> myself using the FT51 more as time passes as the FT51 is such a joy to
> use. I'm waiting for Yaesu to bring out the successor to the FT51 -
> will it be triple-band?

Alas, the difference between lugging around the FT530 and the VX1 all the time....I choose
the VX1. (aside from the fact that my FT530 is out of service while I wait for new
batteries for it. Already have 4 dead packs....maybe the NiMH will be better).

> --
> Yves Remedios
> When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

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1859. FS HENRY RADIO 2METER 80W AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Gyorgy <billg@jps.net>
Message-ID: <34ec9252.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 152955

I have a couple of Henry C80A02, 2 to 5 watt in, 80 watt out, 136 to 174 mHz amplifiers for sale, They're used, but in clean operating condition. I'll take a buck a watt ($80.00ea.) for them plus shipping. email me or call 530 6224712.... Bill W6GSO

1860. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: moss.i@virgin.net
Message-ID: <34ec8eb5.4754106@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 152956
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1862. Yaesu competion to 706 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <klimasewski@fccvde.mro1.dec.com>
Message-ID: <34EC90B9.660F@fccvde.mro1.dec.com>
Source record: 152958

Has anyone heard any rumors of Yaesu coming out with something to compete with the IC-706 MK 11 ???\

Ken, N1KK

1863. NOSPAM (COMMENT)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gooserider <Gooserider@hillsboro.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3cab$90906be0$567da2ce@default>
Source record: 152959

Yes, I bought the distributorship from EFJ Devices who manufactured the product. The name of my company is Classic C.B.'s. You can verify this information if you please by looking up EFJ Devices homepage at carl@efjdevices.com. You will see that it will verify my shops name and the phone number I listed to call.I decide who and what shops I let carry the Bulldog Wattmeter. I have nothing to lie to the club about I just thought I would list a great product that i feel would be a great asset to the radio users. If you have further questions you can call me at 1-888-696-1577or check it out with CarlMotsinger at 615-847-9704.

1864. Re: FS: MFJ 1270B TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn6ep67m.3b6.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>
Source record: 152960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On 18 Feb 1998 15:53:45 -0500, Joseph <jrerlewe@mtu.edu> wrote:
>
>The Husky Amateur Radio Club is offering for sale 1 (one)
>MFJ 1270B TNC-2. This TNC allows operation of both HF and VHF packet at
>300baud and 1200baud.
>
>Items included:
>-power connector with molded attached cable (new)
>-Manual.
>-Fast-Start guide.
>-Box
>
>We are asking $60, OR BEST OFFER, for the unit. It is in fine working
>order and has served us well for years. The only reason we are selling it
>is that the 1270B has an internal delay in KISS mode only. So if you are
>the SYSOP of a BBS that runs on your computer, it may be a slow TNC for
>you. In normal packet operation it works fine. Only in the KISS mode does
>it have this delay.

This might mean that it has a version of KISS which resets the parameters
to the defaults after a while with no packets coming in and the defaults
aren't optimized for your operation.

Upgrading to TAPR 1.1.8a or 1.1.9, or using a KISS-only eprom will fix the
problem.

73, Bob W6SWE

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>If you are interested, Please reply via email to jrerlewe@mtu.edu
>or call (906)-487-4151 and ask for me, Joe.
>
>Thanks, 73,
>Joe N8OUZ
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> Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
> http://radiolink.net/n8ouz
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>Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited
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>incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating
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http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen/

1865. FS: Vacuum Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: iv091@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <6ci6lt$e6u$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 152961

I've got some OB2 Tubes for sale. They are pull outs from a home
built unit that used 100 together. The manufactures are: CBS, RCA,
Remington Rand, IBM.
1 $2.00 + $1.00 S&H
10 $15.00 + $3.00 S&H
25 $25.00 + $5.00 S&H
Check out my web page at:
http://members.tripod.com/~wahkeena/zsale.htm
e-mail: iv091@cleveland.freenet.edu
Thanks for your time.

1866. FT10 squelch behavior

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sylvain lamarre <slam@bbsi.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3d72$6238d620$762dc901@SIL-118>
Source record: 152962

Hello everyone,

I have an FT50 since november 1996; I use it intensively (read: 6 to 8 hours/day) mainly as an excellent public services scanning radio. As some services use data transmissions on the same channel as clear voice communications, i have to program the right CTCSS tone to hear only the voice portion (if not, the data transmissions sounds like an open squelch radio).

The FT50 acts as it is expected to: filter out the data transmissions (which aren't PL encoded) even when in the memory scan mode (can't say that for the VX1R... but this is another story).

But for the FT10, it simply cannot resume memory scan when stopped on a channel encoded as explained above: When the PL encoded voice transmission stops and the data transmission begins , the FT10 simply "keeps the gate open" and the loud hiss of the data TX comes in loud and clear...

So: Does someone ever had that experience ?

Anybody has an idea of what could be the problem ?

Sylvain.

1867. FT50 antenna (and then some VX1R words)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sylvain lamarre <slam@bbsi.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3d76$7468c360$762dc901@SIL-118>
Source record: 152963

Hi everyone,

This subject has been discussed may times before, but if anybody is scanning mainly VHF frequencies with his FT50 like i does, the VERTEX VHF antenna is an excellent choice.

This antenna is 4 inches long, and gives me a full scale reading for a signal in the 166MHz region, compared to 2 segments with the original antenna. And you can always keep the original antenna in your jacket's pocket, your glove compartment in the car, etc., if UHF operation is needed.

I hesitate to buy any other "dualband" antenna: I've read from one guy that he has good service with the antenna made for the Standard C508 radio, and that he recommand it because it is much better than the FT50's original. But then in another reading, i see the results of another guy who has done intensive testings with differents antennas, and this same C508 antenna comes way down after even the original antenna.... Who do we believe, before investing 50-60$ (Can) for a rubber duckie ? I opted for the (24$ Can) VERTEX VHF antenna. Simple, cheap, and performing (try it on a VX1R and see the bargraph jump to full scale on VHF where the original can't even bring in something...).

Speaking of VX1R, i've bought one, and sent it back two days after... What a deception after having been so impressed with the FT50! I'm proud i haven't sold my FT50! The only good thing i have found about is the battery recharge-discharge cycle. Very impressive. But all this hype about so much frequencies to scan and listen to, but in reality you simply can't do much more than 2M and 440 listening with the razor-sharp-tuned antenna that comes with it... And if you want to scan with some memory channels programmed with CTCSS'ed frequencies, forget it; The little evil is way too fast in scan mode to hear anything CTCSS'ed (or the sensing of CTCSS is on the slo-mo side).

For me, the best radio is still the trusty old FT50. I've had 12 portables in the last 10 years, and this is the only radio that still looks and functions like a new one, after 15 months of 6-8 hours a day clipped to my waist. Only way to tell it is not a new one is the on-off button on which the lettering has disappeared.

...Too bad the original antenna doesn't gives full credit to the excellent sensitivity of the radio, outside the ham bands.

Sylvain.

1868. FS: 6M FM Mobile Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbolle@ma.ultranet.com
Message-ID: <6ci6jfmul2@decius.ultra.net>
Source record: 152964

Hi and thanks for reading this. I have for sale an Alinco DR-M06 6M FM Mobile (10Watts) with DTMF mike and a Mirage amp (10W in, 150W Out). Asking $550 for both (you pay shipping from Boston), not interested in splitting them up. If Interested, e-mail with phone number and time to call. Thanks and 73 de Ned N1IRS

1869. Collins KW-1 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: chucks@pivotX.net
Message-ID: <34ee3fba.1752695@news.agate.net>
Source record: 152965

I have a Collins KW-1 transmitter for sale. It is in excellent condition.
If you are interested, I will consider serious offers over the
phone. Reply via email only with your full name, callsign, address and
phone number. ABSOLUTELY NO DEALERS!!! (i.e. If you are a dealer
do not bother responding!)

Respond to email address below by removing the " Y " from the address:

chuck@agateY.net

1870. Comments on Butternut Vertical?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Mrowka <mrowkas@open.org>
Message-ID: <34ECA05B.1806@open.org>
Source record: 152966

Would anyone like to comment on the Butternut vertical that also covers
6 meters as well as other HF bands? How is the performance on 6meters??

Thanks!

1871. Re: CHEAP HF AMPS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6ci7l0$2e2$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 152967

Bob Bethman (rbethman@erols.com) wrote:
: hershman wrote:

: > I just found a couple of Web sites with HF Amps that are very
: > inexpensive.
: >
: > http://users.aol.com/rfelectron/rfelect.htm
: >
: > http://coaxkid.simplenet.com/amplist.htm

: Well folks, I have taken a trip to both sites. The first one is
: definitely a ham site.

: As to the other.....There is a segment called "care and Feeding". It
: states that these are designed for '4 Watts dead key" or "12 Watts
: PEP". Care to make a guess what they are for? Unless the major part of
: ham radio has gone QRP, these aren't for us. I only wish these pieces
: could be taken off the market. I've seen some in the past. What a mess
: as far as how they are built and the signals--- wow, what a mess.

: Bob Bethman
: N0DGN

Many of those "11" amps work very well with low power 10(and 12 too) Mtr
gear.
As for the spectral quality, usually a good low-pass filter will take care
of it.

1872. Re: sb200 linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ci8an$hi9@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152968

John:
I am quoting from the SB200 manual. "Resistor R11, at the bottom of the bleeder network, provides an ALC threshold voltage of approximately 10 volts DC."
John Dilivio wrote in message ...
>need help need to known output of sb200 linear
>alc my rig icom 707 only can take 0 to -4 volts alc input voltage
>also hookup of relay for send

1873. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta>
Message-ID: <6ci8bb$a8u$1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 152969
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

moss.i@virgin.net wrote in message <34ec8f19.4853866@news.virgin.net>...
>
>From your posting David then, I take it that full internet connection
>with all the traditional internet programs is possible to implement
>and that what I wish to atchieve is possible.
>
>The implemtation of a Gateway you mentioned 56K wirth ethernet link is
>interesting way to do it, and as you pointed out may be the only way
>possible with speeds of 56K and above. But Hopefully my research will
>determine wheather it will be possible to implement a stand alone PC
>connected to modem and radio as outlined above for 56K and above.
>

These high speed links are normally on a point-to-point basis, not for general user access, normally for mail links etc. I think they are normally on the microwave bands, probably 10GHz.

Normal BBS/node access is 1200baud or 9600baud. Don't forget that is the maximum uninterrupted data transmission rate - the actual throughput is dramatically reduced when the data is packeted (if that's a word?) and after collisions with other stations' transmissions. As an indicator 1200bd will facilitate a data transfer of 60 bytes/sec on a reasonably clear channel.

Even if you can get a 56k user access to a node don't forget that node won't be the gateway to the 'net. The TCP/IP routing will go through a number of other nodes which could be any bandwidth you care to think of.. and yours won't be the only TCP/IP traffic.

..Then don't forget BR68 1(7) and the other sections regarding message content.

Get an ISP with a local call number, put that in Friends & Family (if you're on BT) and save the surfing for the weekends. Then it's only 0.9p / minute.

(or alternatively you could work for a company with an internet-enabled network and RemoteAccess with dial back :o))

73
Nick G7UFG

1874. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: moss.i@virgin.net
Message-ID: <325811b2.3109266@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 152970
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Found a superb site for anyone thats interested in this posting

http://www.amber.force9.co.uk/packet.html

This site discusses all the points DAVID TSE made

FLEXNET software
WA4DSY 56K modem
PI i/o card

Etc etc etc

1875. Want: "Trio" (early Kenwood) o'scope manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3d81$2e314ba0$590f9fcf@john>
Source record: 152971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello:

Anyone out there have a manual for a Trio o'scope
model CO-1303G?

Will pay for whatever you have, either original or
good copies (even a copy of an old ad for the thing).

Thanks de John
occupant@ns.net
..

1876. Want: Gonset Comm IV manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3d81$b533fa80$590f9fcf@john>
Source record: 152972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Still looking for a manual for the Gonset
Communicator IV model 3341 2M rig.

This is the "flat" model, as opposed to the
upright "box" models...

A good and clean copy will do real
well also. All costs will be reimbursed.

Please check those file cabinets!

Thanks de John WB6GHA (formerly WN6GHA)
occupant@ns.net
..

1877. Re: Anyone hear of Kenwood TS-510?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6ci9ajti1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 152973

I believe that it is the TS-511S your refering to....
it came out in November 1971, but it didn't have 160m on it.
If you think it would help, I could scan the pix I have of
the 511S and email it to you...
73,
Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

wdmilner@ns.auracom.com wrote in message <34e680c0.22035305@news.auracom.com>...
>sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:
>
>>I posted several messages about the Kenwood TS-510 but
>>no one seems to have heard of it. What's the story
>>on this rig?
>
>I can't supply too many technical details but just some brief ones. I
>have seen a picture of one of these I was sent after a QSO. It is a
>hybrid solid state/tube rig. HF, 10-160metres, 100W+. It had a remote
>VFO. A little heavy but was a fairly reliable radio. It was the
>TS-520's predecessor.
>
>Hope it helps :)
>
>---------------------------------------
>Dean, VE1CBF VE1CBF@qsl.net
>10-X 31826 FN96VC
>
>- - ... ... - -
>
>! to reply remove ns from domain name above

1878. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Watson <prwatson@iol.ie>
Message-ID: <6cic8g$1e8$1@news2.news.iol.ie>
Source record: 152974
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I agree just look at some of those American 'comedies' such as Married with children and Who's the boss, Rubbish? I think so.

1879. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219224200.RAA14254@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152975

If I am not mistaken you need to look again at the price.
That is not a Dollar Sign $ in front of that 1,700.00 price tag.
That is a British Pound Sign and the rate of the British Pound
to the US Dollar today is. 1 British Pound = $ 1.63 Dollars.
SO, you take the &1,700 BP price tage and Multiply it by
$. 1.63 US Dollars and you come up with a really big figure.
:-)
2,771 US Dollars,,,, I might be wrong but thats my story
and I'm stickin' to it
K5JOE
73

1880. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <34EC7C26.4F32@atl.org>
Source record: 152976
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I sent this info to Ian via email.

Perhaps some of the naysayers will be swayed :-)

http://www.wa4dsy.radio.org/

Your connection to this site will be via amateur packet radio at 56k!!!

I can't find a better cookbook for implementing internet access
over amateur radio and would be keen to hear of one if it exists.

-bob
wb4mnf

1881. Re: 13 Pin Din Plug Sleeves

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Welty <DWELTY@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cido0$nqb@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152977

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 09:43:50 -0600, Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net> wrote:
> >Cmjk2og wrote:
> >>
> >> Has anyone out there ever heard of snap-on or slide-on sleeves for the 13 pin
> >> Din plug used in Kenwood accessory sockets. If you've ever tried to solder
> >> wires to those pins you will know why I ask. Any information would be
> >> appreciated by me and thousands of others.
> >>
> >> Thanks for looking,
> >>
> >> Chris Jespersen K2OG
> >>
> >The easy was is to mark the pins you need and cut the rest off. If you
> >look you will notice that the needed pins are scattered, not all bunched
> >up. Makes life a lot easier.
> >--
> >Clif @ AVVid
>
> Clif's suggestion is good. But on the matter of sleeves, just use short
> pieces of heatshrink on each wire. Shrink each one over its pin after
> you've soldered the wire. This makes a neat and short-proof mass
> termination.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

Visit your local computer store, and check out the RS-232
pins/sleeves. Solder your wire into one end, and tin the
other. Place heat shrink on the wire, and then solder into
place on the 13 pin din. Works well with 8 pin mike connectors
also. Don't recall the specific name of the sleeves, but they
are available. Good luck es 73 - David

1882. HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.R. Smullen" <maccpl@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6cido3pug1@news00.us.hsanet.net>
Source record: 152978

OK, OK... I know this is a bit of a lame question, but I will ask it anyway. The other night I successfully upgraded by ticke to general from technician. I've always wanted access to the HF bands and I've been busting my butt learning the code since I got my tech license this past December. Anyway, all this happiness was soon dashed when I took a look at the prices in the HF sections of my Ham equipment catalogs. As you mght have imagined, until the other night, i have been focusing on the neat shiny UHF/VHF equipment. Expensive, yes... but not totally unreasonable. But last night WOW!!! The 3 or 4 rigs I picked out were all over $1700. Several were over $4000. And THEN i took a look at the antenna section of the catalog.

First let me say that I probably won't look at used equipment very seriously. The prices I've seen there are not THAT much lower, and I wouldn't want to get a lemon with no warranty. I also would feel a bit inadequate in the dickering department, with no more ham experience than I have. So what's the alternitive? First I've found great solace in this news group in the past. So I'll try it again.

Any and all suggestions will be greatfully appreciated.

Regards,
J.R. Smullen KB3B YZ/AG

1883. TS 940SAT And TS 440AT 4Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Me <mjr220@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6cie4j$5gi@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 152979

I have for sale 2 kenwood H.F. Radios. TS 440AT with matching PS35 power supply.Also Matching Kenwood speaker, Manual and original box. CW and SSB filters installed asking $950.00 The TS940SAT has CW and Sideband filters, the IC232 Interface D104 Mic Manual and original box. Asking $1050.00. Both these radios are in exellent condition. Email Bob W2SF1@JUNO.COM

1884. Re: Used FT-767GX or New IC-706MkII ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219230900.SAA08363@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152980

You have not given enough information for me to give you
good advice on these rigs.. I have owned both.. example:
What modules does the 767 have..? 2meter, 440, 6meter????
Do you have a tuner in the 767???

The 767 is a really good sounding radio on HF, and 2meter
but it is kinda complicated changing from 2meter to HF and
visa versa. also a little complicated to program in 2meter freq.
with offsets for repeater use...

Also the resale value of the 767 is not going to hold up as long
as the NEW IC 706 MKII because the 767 is a lot older..

The new 706 will have that factory warrenty also, that is something
to concider when you pay that much for a radio...If the 767 quits on you
tomorrow, you will be out $60.00 Plus Parts... I know that for sure...
I had a 767 and was proud of it because of the sound but did not
like the way it operated... the 706 MKII is also comming out with
an internal DSP that you can add, and that will make a difference on your
recieve....
Thats about all I can tell you... Both are good rigs, but I think I would go
with the 706 with the factory warrenty and the better resale down the road...
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock, AR

1885. Want: wilson BC2 chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bohica@i-link-2.net
Message-ID: <34ECBFB2.3B43@i-link-2.net>
Source record: 152981

I need several wilson BC2 desk top chargers.

1886. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34ECBFE2.34@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152982

KILO5JOE wrote:
>
> If I am not mistaken you need to look again at the price.
> That is not a Dollar Sign $ in front of that 1,700.00 price tag.
> That is a British Pound Sign and the rate of the British Pound
> to the US Dollar today is. 1 British Pound = $ 1.63 Dollars.
> SO, you take the &1,700 BP price tage and Multiply it by
> $. 1.63 US Dollars and you come up with a really big figure.
> :-)
> 2,771 US Dollars,,,, I might be wrong but thats my story
> and I'm stickin' to it
> K5JOE
> 73

If you look at the British Prices Including VAT tax they are very close
to Usa Dollars. For instance, If a radio sells for $1700 British Pounds
including VAT Tax then it will sell for close to $1700 USA Dollars.
Basically, the British pay more for their radios than we do, but you
will
see that my simple formula works for most of the radios for sale in the
UK. Yes there are a few exceptions.
73, Steve NS1R

1887. Re: TM-V7A PRO's & CONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dinoal7lz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219234900.SAA15072@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152983

I am very disappointed in the display visibility in high ambient light. Even sent a note to Kenwood who did respond very quickly--their answer was to mount the display in front of you (kinda hard to do in a vehicle, althought the additional rear view mirror mounting is an interesting thought) which is pretty hard to do. I'm having intermod problems even with the AIP turned "on". Radio looks real nice, but Kenwood missed the mark on the ergonomics unfortunately. Think my Yaesu dual-bander is going back in the truck and the V7 to the next hamfest.

Dino--KL0S

1888. KUPIE TRX HF DO 500 $

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyryl <sp9f@polbox.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3d8e$1d2a3e40$LocalHost@ppp>
Source record: 152984

Drodzy koledzy !
Chcialbym kupic trx hf z waszej listy ogloszen, lecz zupelnie nie wiem jak
to zrobic.
Prosze o pomoc w zakupie.
Moj znak SP9FKG QTH GLIWICE
Pozdrowienia dla wszystkich !
Jacek
sp9f@polbox.com

1889. Re: FT51R Unique Hardware Defect...have you seen this?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rdb.delete.this@muhlon.com>
Message-ID: <34ECD05B.1D71@muhlon.com>
Source record: 152985

David Martin wrote:
>
> All:
>
> I'm going to have to send my FT51R from Yaesu in for repairs.
> It turns out that the radios BNC connector is now free turning
> in a 360 degree circle.

<Snip>

I experienced the same problem with my Icom 24AT. Frequent removal and reinstallation of the antenna, coupled with a BNC mounting nut that was apparently not tight enough. When I took the radio apart to resolder the connection, I removed the BNC and put a thin coat of red Locktite (tm) thread locking compound on the area of the case where the BNC flange seats. I also put a drop on the threads of the connector and tightened the nut _tight_ (with the proper tool). If you are familiar with red Locktite, you know I don't expect to have to deal with this problem again :-)

Roger

1890. Re: WTB: 300 Baud Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Ellis <nick.ellis@teradyne.com>
Message-ID: <34ECC67D.D62@teradyne.com>
Source record: 152986

svoigt7386@aol.com wrote:
>
> Wanted: 300 Baud Modem for dial up morse. Need manual answer/originate
> control. Prefer Radio Shack DCM series modem.
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

I have a complete "Smoke Signal" 300 baud modem kit in original box with manual and all parts. I will ship it to you for shipping cost ($5 domestic). Please email if you are interested. If you are local I will hand it to you. :-) 73s, Nick KD5YW

1891. **TRADE** HP1727A 275MHZ osc.scope for UHF Astro Saber

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD6VEX@Hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ciqa4$ln4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Hello all! Here is what I have to Trade:

HP1727A 275MHz analog storage oscilloscope with:

HP10017A Probe 10x
Tek P6131 Probe 10x
RF screen shield
Time interval digital multimeter(mounted on top of unit)
Users Manual
Front cover
This unit is in pefect condition. I'm the second only owner, I bought it from a friend who closed up shop in the computer board buisness.

I will concider trades for an Astro Digital Saber III
The Astro Saber has to have the following:

UHF (440-520MHz) 4W
Conventional Analog/Digital ready
DES-XL module installed and ready
Must do MODAT and repeater access tones
Matching Antenna
Non-Public safty speaker mic, in excelent condition
2 or more ultra High capacity batteries NTN4595 or NIMH battery
Rapid desk charger for AstroSaber radios
Opperator's Manual
Programmer's Manual
Radio must have all stickers on back, model#/Serial#, bar code,Flashport,etc
Case must very clean or mint condition. Will accept light scratches but display must be crystal clear. No deep scratches or engraving. Must be able to program all 255ch with full alphanumeric and unigue options for each mode(PL/DPL/Signalling,Paging,etc), or supply programming materials to program radio.

Thank you for reading,
Steve
KD6VEX@Hotmail.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1892. Icom information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: evalupe@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <6ciogj$j53$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152988

Does any one knows how to get old photos for old Icom HF radios specially from 1980 to 1990, thanks.

alexis

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1893. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6ciqq1$o0k@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 152989
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A 56K packet link should be able to replace a phone line for local communications. If you happen to own your own ISP, this could allow you to have Internet access at home without paying phone charges.

The problem for most people is: what's on the other end of the radio link? It's probably another computer, and *it* still needs at least a 56K connection to the Internet at large. How will you provide this connection? If you have your own ISP with its own T1 connection, you just run a wire from the machine at the far end of the radio link into your main router. But if you are using a commercial ISP, you have to convince *them* to provide your far-end computer with a connection. And you probably have to provide both ends of the radio link yourself.

At the UBC amateur radio society, we have a couple of machines with full Internet access provided entirely by radio. There is one 56 kbps radio link, and another 2 Mbps link. But the "far end" of the one link is a machine in the electrical engineering building, and the "far end" of the other link is a machine in the student society offices. These machines, in turn, are connected to Ethernet or better networks that cover the campus, and have a pipe to the outside world that is at least 10 Mbps. So the radio links "extend" the campus network into machines that are not otherwise connected. But without the physical network links (copper and fiber) that covers the campus, there would be nobody for the radio-linked machines to talk to other than themselves.

Dave

P.S. I trimmed the list of newsgroups to ones that seemed at least somewhat relevant to the subject. Spamming your message to every newsgroup with "radio" in the name just means you're too lazy to figure out where your question really belongs.

1894. Re: FS: MFJ Antenna Tuner - Reduced $

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fuzzy (Al) Duenkel" <fuzzy@hnet.net>
Message-ID: <34ECF955.1C02@hnet.net>
Source record: 152990

I goofed on the price. It should have read $50 plus shipping. It is an MFJ 941 antenna tuner (with balun). Has power/SWR meter. Inquire by email.
Thank you.
Fuzzy

1895. Alinco Transceiver problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Stienstra <ve2jgs@cam.org>
Message-ID: <34ECFF0F.D73@cam.org>
Source record: 152991
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an Alinco DR110 VHF amateur transceiver that I bought in 1991.
All of a sudden last week, it went dead while I was driving the car
down the street. Externally no problems, power wire okay, ground ok.
Anyone seen this problem before?

1896. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Leishman <leishman@michcom.com>
Message-ID: <34ECC66E.55E9B0CA@michcom.com>
Source record: 152992

I don't know what to think, but if it sells for $1700, they are going to
sell a bunch of them.
73 jack k8xx

hershman wrote:

> KILO5JOE wrote:
> >
> > If I am not mistaken you need to look again at the price.
> > That is not a Dollar Sign $ in front of that 1,700.00 price tag.
> > That is a British Pound Sign and the rate of the British Pound
> > to the US Dollar today is. 1 British Pound = $ 1.63 Dollars.
> > SO, you take the &1,700 BP price tage and Multiply it by
> > $. 1.63 US Dollars and you come up with a really big figure.
> > :-)
> > 2,771 US Dollars,,,, I might be wrong but thats my story
> > and I'm stickin' to it
> > K5JOE
> > 73
>
> If you look at the British Prices Including VAT tax they are very close
> to Usa Dollars. For instance, If a radio sells for $1700 British Pounds
> including VAT Tax then it will sell for close to $1700 USA Dollars.
> Basically, the British pay more for their radios than we do, but you
> will
> see that my simple formula works for most of the radios for sale in the
> UK. Yes there are a few exceptions.
> 73, Steve NS1R

1897. Kenwood TS-820S for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34ED0EF7.75DD@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale, very clean TS-820S with CW filter.. $375, or will
entertain offers near this price.. I am in L.A. area.

Steve-WA6GSD

1898. For Sale, Pair EIMAC 4CX250B's New In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34ED0F45.7CBB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

For sale, 2 Eimac 4CX250B's, new in box.. $80 + Postage.

Steve-WA6GSD

1899. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <34ECF79D.3619@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 152995

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> KILO5JOE wrote:
> >
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> including VAT Tax then it will sell for close to $1700 USA Dollars.
> Basically, the British pay more for their radios than we do, but you
> will
> see that my simple formula works for most of the radios for sale in the
> UK. Yes there are a few exceptions.
> 73, Steve NS1R

Last time I was in the U.K. VAT was 18%..... now somebody figure yout the numbers and come up with an answer, cause I dont have a calculator.

Then someone can tell me why the 846 doesnt have an internal tuner... or optional switchable (as in on-off) filters....

Then finally someone can tell me what Yaesu is coming out with to replace the 900, which I have and love.... but hey, ya have to be on the edge of technology... right....

ANd oh Yeah, is the 846 replacing the 736, or the 840, or the 900, both, all, any ideas???

There's more than ya bargained for -- Pete -- KA2YDY

1900. FS: NOS JAN 6922(E88CC, 6DJ8) Philips,$3.25 each,10 or more $3.00 each

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Harlan <sales@emodus.com>
Message-ID: <6cja3t$l95$1@ha1.rdc1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 152996

NOS Tubes, large quantities of each available.

FS: NOS 6L6GC, GE, $22.00 each, 10 or more $20.75 each
FS: NOS 6V6GT, made in France, $8.50 each, 10 or more $8.00 each
FS: NOS 6AZ8 Philips, $3.25 each, 10 or more $3.00 each
FS: NOS JAN 12AT7WC, $4.50 each, 10 or more $4.00 each
FS: NOS JAN 5751 GE, $3.50 each, 10 or more $3.25 each
FS: NOS JAN 6922(E88CC, 6DJ8) Philips,$3.25 each,10 or more $3.00 each
FS: NOS 7062 (E180CC) Amperex,$3.75 each, 10 or more $3.50 each
FS: NOS 6186W (6AG5WA) Phillips $.20 each, or $12.00 per 100 tubes(BOX)

****
USED UNTESTED TUBES, PULLED FROM TEST EQUIPMENT,
SOLD "AS IS"

FS: 12AT7, $1.25 each
FS: 12AU7A, $1.40 each
FS: 12AX7, $2.00 each
FS: 12AX7A, $2.00 each
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Free Shipping in the USA on all of the above, on orders of
$25.00 or over. Orders under $25.00 add $4.00 for shipping & handling.
For shipping cost outside of USA , e-mail your address and items
you are interested in and we will provide a quotation.

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Prices valid until 2-15-98 or while supply lasts.

To reserve any of the above items, e-mail "sales@emodus.com"

Emodus, PO Box 6117, Laguna Niguel, CA, 92607-6117, USA

1901. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6cj9p3$sdl@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 152997

"Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> writes:
>Where can I got it (Motorola speaker ?)

Almost any external speaker will be a lot louder than the one inside the HT. With plenty more radiating area, the external speaker will be a lot more efficient. If you can't find a used one, Radio Shack makes a passive external speaker. The FT-50 works even better than the FT-51 for driving the external speaker, since the 50 has 500 mW audio output power while the 51 has only 200 mW (typical of many HTs - the 50 is unusually powerful).

Even this might not be enough if you are trying to listen to your HT inside a noisy moving car. If you need even more volume, an amplified speaker can boost the HT audio output to several watts of power. This needs to be hooked to the car 12 V power.

Dave

1902. FS: Tek 528 (15 Avail)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Khaltex International - Al Khalfan <khaltexav@khaltex.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3d12$f9d47d00$d65429d1@kkhalfan.unicomp.net>
Source record: 152998

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FS: Tek 528 (15 Avail)
Tektronix 528 Waveform Monitor $600.00/each
Purchase 3+ get it for $575.00/each
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Sincerely,
Al Khalfan
http://www.khaltex.net
khaltexav@khaltex.net
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1903. Re: Spam filterNOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47,Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicitedcommercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to adownload and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal feesincurred in collect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3ccd$b8216340$0100005a@wa6vse>
Source record: 153040
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net> wrote in article
<34EB7BE1.6922@asu.uswest.net>...
> Is this true? Is it enforceable?
>
> Joseph wrote:
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> >
> > NOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47,
> > Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited
> > commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a
> > download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees
> > incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating
> > and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail.
> > E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.
> >
> > --
> > Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
> > http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

Do you believe everything you read on usenet?

Carl - wa6vse
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1904. How to clear memory channel on Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: lreid@nojunkplease.lreid.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <34eb764a.52151302@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153041

I am sure I have read the manual from cover to cover but can't see how
to erase memory channels. Have I missed it? Is it possible and if so
how?

Many thanks.
remove the "nojunkplease" from email address to reply

1905. Re: INDEX LABS QRP Phone number?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6cfvee$pm0$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 153042

Tom Nicastri wrote in message <6cc38o$ni4@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>...
>I have been unable to contact Index Labs maker of QRP HF rigs.
>The phone number on the Web page has the wrong area code. When I got the
>right area code a freaking Fax answers!
>
>Some way to run a company. Anyone have a valid phone number for this
>company.
>
>I have to tell you I am reconsidering my purchase if the company is this
>hard to contact!
>
>Thanks
>tnic@idt.net
>

Sorry but Index is out of business. Sorry to hear you are having problems
and need to get in touch with them.

1906. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6cfviopnu1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 153043

Nelson wrote in message <01bd3b6c$c84df1a0$ae0148ca@nelson>...
>I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other HT like
>Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.
>
>73
>

SURE - plug in an external speaker.

1907. Motorola Battery Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cg0gr$ejt@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153044

Hi !. All
I have sale battery charger.(Unused) New in box
Motorola Model NO: NLN4569 ("OMNI" RADIOS MT500/HT210/HT220)
I have 1 Pair Price : $ 90.00 Plus shipping
Thanks

1908. FT980 - Good rig ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219013501.UAA22099@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153045

I'm unfamiliar with the radio....guess I was sleeping during the 80's. Would appreciate some details on the radio, weaknesses, quirks, value ??

Thanks,

Alan, N3BJ

1909. WTB: Atlas 350XL working/non-working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219014400.UAA13278@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153046

Looking for the above, intact, in good physical condition.

Alan, N3BJ

1910. FS: New 1998 Amateur Radio Callbooks on CDROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhynek@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219021700.VAA29803@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153047

Radio Amateur Callbook(flying horse version) $36.95. QRZ Ham Radio $15.95.
Add $2.00 for shipping. Call Radio Devices at 1-800-440-9892 or go to
Web Page at http://www.ultranet.com/biz/raddev for details on ordering.

1911. Re: Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6cg69h$l2v$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 153048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <MPG.f5502639fdda142989684@news.northgrum.com>, seleong@world.northgrum.com (Steve Leong) wrote:
>
>I have an 8-channel Motorola Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Band radio. I have 4
>channels programmed to Red Cross frequencies, and used the RSS to
>successfully program the other 4 channels to local 6 meter frequencies.
>Is this radio capable of tuning both sets of frequencies without re-
>tuning the radio? At present, it transmits AOK on the Red Cross
>frequencies, but does not on the 6 meter channels. I did notice during
>programming, that the RSS displayed a caution/error message on the need
>to possibly re-tune. Any suggestions or assistance would be greatly
>appreciated on this. Thank you in advance!!!

You did not say what the Rec Cross frequencies are. One thing, if they are very far from the 6M freqs, you'll have problems getting an acceptable SWR on the antenna. I use UHF Maxtrac/Radius radios from 441 to 468 MHz TX with no problems, even with the same antenna. That "Tuning error" message you got when programming is normal, and not normally needs to be heeded, but mayby in your case, the radio does need tuning.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

1912. FT-50R and VC-23 vox headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Marcelletti <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3cdf$8ebd8300$a5849cd0@rudym>
Source record: 153049

For those who have had trouble with getting the headset to work all the time: The vox circuitry is in the headset, but the information for its use is in the FT-50R's CPU. For the VC-23 headset to function properly, the FT-50R must be OFF when the VC-23 is plugged in. When the FT-50R is powered up with the headset plugged in, the CPU recognizes it is there and the vox aspects will then function properly. If you plug the headset in after the rig is powered up, the CPU does not "see" the headset, which will not function in vox, only ptt.

If you have been having problems with intermittent vox function--try the above.

You would think that those who designed this wonderful gadget would have thought to put this tidbit in the manual!

73 de Rudy, K8SWD

1913. Bulldog 10K Wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gooserider <Gooserider@hillsboro.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3c1b$28fa0760$907da2ce@default>
Source record: 153050

I am the sole distributor for the Bulldog 10K Wattmeter in the U.S. and Canada area.
This is th finest meter on the market today. It comes with optional remote sensor,reads
SWR directly, peak reading and average wattage from 10 to 10,000 watts.For information please contact me at Classic C.B.'s at this Email address: Gooserider@Hillsboro.Net. Or contact me by phone at 1-888-696-1577.

1914. Re: WTD: info on 8122 tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdaggett@gate.net
Message-ID: <34ed9fbe.7397791@news.gate.net>
Source record: 153051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sat, 14 Feb 1998 22:30:43 -0600, rcf@crosslink.net wrote:

>looking for a circuit or schematic for the 8122 tube in ab1 or ab2 rf linear
>amplifier (hf) or vhf(6m)
>rich
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Give me a couple of days and I can post a jpg file of the National NCL2000 schematic. It uses a pair in paralell. It is a grid driven amp with the grids swamped with a 50 100 W resistor bank. The 50 Ohm resistor is made up of two banks of 180 Ohm 5 watt film resistor 7 in paralell to form one bank. The two banks are in series to give 50 Ohms. Each band is about 26 Ohms. Standard PI network. There is a time delay relay to keep the plate and screen voltage off the tubes until the filaments warm up. The time delay is about 60 seconds. This is very important. The tubes will work well at 6 meters. They are rated to 500 MHz. The NCL2000 runs the plate voltage at about 2700 volts at full power out and does about 1400 PEP on 10M.

Regards
James

1915. Re: HF vertical townhouse options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cphillips@engineer.com
Message-ID: <6cgcnm$jkh@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

nobody@crosslink.net (Robert Lay) wrote:
>On Wed, 18 Feb 1998 02:51:34 GMT, cphillips@engineer.com (Curt
>Phillips) wrote:
>> I'm going to be stuck in a townhouse for a while, but I think
>>maybe I can get up a vertical for HF. I have a micro-postage stamp
>>sized "back yard", where I was thinking of putting up a vertical
>>as follows:
>>
>> Get a 21' piece of chain-link fence type post, and put a CB 108" whip on
>>top of it (electrically and mechanically connected to make a vertical of
>>about 30'). The pole, will also be a flag pole, to make it socially
>>acceptable (I hope).

>It would be helpful to know whether or not this "flagpole" is
>electrically grounded at its base. I will assume that it is, because
>it would seem to be very difficult for it not to be.

Sorry I wasn't clear about this. The plan is the insulate the flagpole
at the ground so as to make it a "legit" vertical. The pole will be
supported with insulated mechanical members about 6 feet up.

>> Feed it with "ladder line" at the bottom into a tuner. The "other"
>>side of the ladder line will be connected to radials, of which I can get
>>three or four of about 30' (hidden and routed outside of
>>my micro-postage stamp lot).

>Adding that information into the equation makes my assumption less
>viable. If you were going to connect one side of the ladder line to
>the radials, it is only reasonable that those radials are also
>connected to the base of the "flagpole".

>It is very unclear as to how you would connect the "hot" side of the
>ladder line to the flagpole. Lacking any real information on that
>point does make it difficult to continue with any meaningful analysis
>or suggestions.

>> As "great?!" as this is, it is complicated
>>by a long carport with a metal roof which will be about 3 feet from
>>the vertical. The 8 foot high carport runs along behind the townhouses,
>>providing covered parking for all of them, and is probably at least 100'
>>long.
>> I was thinking of trying to load this on 40-10 meters.

I really wasn't very clear here (sorry, I wrote it in a hurry). I
was commenting on loading the VERTICAL for 40-10 meters, with the

complication of a big metal structure about 3 feet away...

as compared to just using that big metal carport structure as the groundplane for a "mobile" type antenna.

I wasn't thinking of trying to load up the carport... just how to either make use of it as a groundplane, or consider how it might "screw up" my plans for a ground mounted vertical.

>No matter how long the run of carports is, and no matter how well you
>"load" it, it's only 8' above ground, which is pretty poor.
[snip]
>> However,given the carport, I was thinking of maybe using the 21' flag
>>pole to mount a mobile type "HamStik" type antenna might be better, and
>>use the carport top as the "ground plane" for 20-10 meters,
>Sorry to break your sentence in half there, but if you put a ground
>plane antenna on the top of a 21' pole, you don't have a ground plane
>until you fan out some radial/counterpoise rods/wires. Just being on
>the pole doesn't do it. Also, just being several feet above some
>metal garage roof doesn't do it either. The base of the antenna
>itself should connect directly to the ground plane, which is either
>horizontal or bent down at about 45 degrees.

I was thinking of making an electrical connection between the pole and the carport, so it would be a "sort of" groundplane. It might be better to just mount the mobile antenna ON the carport (if I can swing it).

Thanks for your comments and suggestions,

Curt W4CP
cphillips@engineer.com

1916. >>>>>>>>> RE: CHEROKEE AH 50 6 M HT <<<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: honestbobs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219042900.XAA13195@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153053

PLEASE Email me honestbobs@aol.com i have vhf amp
i would like more info thanks
bob

1917. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <yLOG.766$e82.3483401@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 153054

I looked in the Radio Modification book today and I think it also works on the W32E. Maybe someone with that book that has it handy can look at the top of the page.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

Alan Morris, G4ENS wrote in message
<01bd39a0$68e60ea0$01010101@p133.access.co>...
>Gary Pearce KN4AQ <kn4aq.xx.gary@mms.xx.net> wrote a lot about the
>IC-32A?
>
>Here in England we each have an Icom IC-W32E. (144-146) They replaced the
>2 Kenwood TH-77. Please note that the twin mic/spkr connectors are not the
>same.
>
>Will the "A" mods work on the "E" versions?
>
>Alan G4ENS
>Carol G1UGK
>Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, UK.
>

1918. FS or trade: Cherokee AH-50 6 meter HT Great

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6cgddb$13p$1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 153055

THIS radio is SOLD! I thank all of those that responded, but it was
sold within 7 hours of the post going out. Thanks again and sorry to those
who missed it! later...

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====----****----====
73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

1919. Re: -FS- VHF Bandpass Cavity Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6cgbar$6o6$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 153056
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

sorry it's sold !!!
thanks to those who inquired..
- Ron -

Ron Sibbitt wrote in message <6cd9e0$25p$1@News.Alliance.Net>...
>For Sale...
>
>Bandpass Cavity Filter. Tuneable 136-174 Mhz.
>Presently tuned in 2m band. Cavity is 7" diameter by
>

1920. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <qQOG.767$e82.3485959@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 153057

Doesn't the W32A also do one way crossband repeat? If you hold the "set"
button as you turn on the radio and flip through the power on settings (or
what ever you call them) and then select, I think, "Full or Half"
--

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

>Gary Pearce KN4AQ wrote:
>
>> To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive (cellular blocked):
>>
>> -- Turn off the radio
>>
>> -- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.
>>
>> -- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
>> wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
>> and squelch buttons.
>>
>> -- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.
>>
>> To enable Crossband Repeat:
>>
>> -- Set the VHF and UHF frequencies you want to use.
>>
>> -- "Lock" the radio by holding down the CALL/LOCK button
>> for two seconds.
>>
>> -- Turn off the radio.
>>
>> -- Hold down the SQUELCH button (above the PTT button),
>> the MAIN button and the BAND button.
>>
>> -- Turn the radio on while holding these buttons. The "LOCK"
>> indicator (a key icon in the upper right side of the display)
>> will be flashing, and the radio will be in crossband repeat.
>>
>> To disable Crossband Repeat:
>>
>> -- Hold the CALL/LOCK botton down for two seconds. The "LOCK"
>> indicator will stop flashing, unless...
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>> -- if the crossband repeater is in use, holding the LOCK button
>> won't turn it off. If you must shut it off in that condition,
>> press and hold the SQUELCH button, then hold the LOCK button
>> for two seconds, and the "LOCK" indicator will stop flashing.
>>
>> 73,
>> Gary KN4AQ
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>--
>Using cable modem access through @Home network
>http://24.0.146.59/
>sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com

1921. For Sale, TS-830S, v.g.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: lorenaudio@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6cgig9$7ps$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 153058
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello. I posted to ring and got a couple of replies, but no one ever responded after asking price, etc. The radio is in very good condition, with the manual and box. It always treated me very well, and I ran it mostly ssb 17m, at about 50W. It really is a beautiful radio, and the best I have ever owned. It is problably Kenwood's best ever. Anyway, I need money to buy a mode of transportation (problably a motorcycle, as they are much less costly that cars) and so I have to sell it. I am asking $515.00, and I payed $600.00 for it about 6 months ago. I appreciate your taking the time to read this, as I really need the money. If you decide to purchase this radio, wether it be for beginner, intermediate, or advanced use, I personally gurantee that you will enjoy it to a great extent. Thank you again,
Loren Coty
KB2WYL

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1922. Re: Manual MFJ 1270b TNC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sid Ashen-Brenner <sashen@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <34EBD6EC.6D0@midusa.net>
Source record: 153059
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.packet,aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bob Nielsen wrote:
>
> You can download the TAPR TNC-2 manual, on which the MFJ manual is based,
> from ftp.tapr.org in /tapr/software_lib/tnc/tncdocs.exe (self-extracting).
>
> Bob
>
> On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 00:05:04 +1030,
> Stef Daniels <sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au> wrote:
> >G'Day...
> > > Thanks for reading this...!! If someone who has a copy of
> > >the manual for MFJ-2270b 1200\2400bd TNC, could arrange a copy of the this
> > >for me.. it would be very much appreciated.!! If there are any reasonable
> > >costs incurred, will endeavour to refund the cost.
> > >
> > > Your replies can be either email or packet..not real worried
> > >about which.!!
> > >Thanks in advance, and also for reading this message.. All the best.!!
> > >
> > >--
> > >73 Stef_D
> > >VK5HSX@VK5TTY
> > >sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au
> > >nos.vk5hsx.ampr.org

Why not call (or email) MFJ ... they will send you a manual! MOST of
their manuals are avilable on-line at www.mfjenterprises.com However,
the TNC manuals (because of the size) are not yet avilable this way
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Sid Ashen-Brenner Salina, Kansas
Internet : sashen@midusa.net
AX-25 : n0obm @ n0obm.#ncks.ks.usa.noam

1923. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A Half Duplex mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamdtse@inorbit.com
Message-ID: <6cglv3hbk1@news.bc>
Source record: 153060

jrhodes@iti2.net (John Rhodes) wrote:

>>The real problem arises when using a cross band repeater (lets say input
>>146.490, output 443.000). My input (tx on the main, or left band) is
>>repeated on 443.000, which is being received on my subband (right band),
>>thus I get some nasty audio feedback. Kenwood's solution is to turn down the
>>volume on the subband while xmiting, then turn it back up to receive. I
>>think that's a low tech solution to a high tech problem! Any thoughts?

>Unplugging the mic seems to work. If you've got the mic mod done, it
>shouldn't happen anyway. I have one v7a with the mic mod and one
>without.

You have misunderstood his situation. He is manually transmitting to
a crossband repeater, which he is also receiving the other side on the
other half of his V7A, and because he is hearing the same thing he is
talking about. This is called a feedback. It will produce squeaking
kinda sound. He said "using a cross band repeater" not "using it as a
cross band repeater". There is a difference. Only mobile I know
which has some muting is the Yaesu FT-8100R, which does not completely
mute, only attenuate it quite a bit. The solution is to use a
headphone or make yourself a speaker cut-off circuit when TX is on. I
am trying to build something to that effect on my radios.

David Tse VE7MDT

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>John Rhodes amateur radio--KCOARV Clifton, Colorado USA
>http://www.iti2.net/~jrhodes/ http://www.qsl.net/~kc0arv/
>jrhodes@iti2.net kc0arv@qsl.net
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1924. Re: Yaesu FT 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamdtse@inorbit.com
Message-ID: <6cgm3fhbk2@news.bc>
Source record: 153061

k4lrx@aol.com (K4lrx) wrote:

>Anyone received modifications for this rig, relating to whine on 440 mhz? I
>have four of us in the Evansville, Ind area who have 8000s, and all have a
>noticible whine on 440..

>Yes, we are using different motor vehicles, different antennas, and the rig is
>clean on two meters.. Changing radios in my car to an Icom 2700h got rid of the
>whine on 440... Anyone else having this problem, or received any information
>from Yaesu? Any direct line E mail to Yaseu, if so would like the E mail
>address.

My friend has alternator whine on his FT-8500R. By isolating his
radio from touching the body of his car (i.e. no ground looping), the
whine went away, or reduced. He also tried the DC filter from Yaesu,
which didn't work.

David VE7MDT

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1925. Re: ICOM wireless Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamdtse@inorbit.com
Message-ID: <6cgmakhbk3@news.bc>
Source record: 153062

Not sure what model you have. Is it the one made for the Icom
IC-2700H dual band mobile? You might need to check what kind of
protocol the infrared outputs. Mine was stolen with the remote head
in my car almost a year ago. They didn't take the radio which was in
the trunk, but took the unconnected CD changer. I think it might be a
lot of work to get the infrared decoded. Good luck.

David Tse, VE7MDT

"Mark Tanner" <mtanner@cinergy.com> wrote:

>I bought one of these in hope of hooking it up to a Motorola radio for
>commercial use in a power plant control room. I have no manuals, the only
>one comes with the manual for the ICOM radios that the mic adapts to.

>Looking to get PTT and Audio out of the infrared receiver.

>Any help would be appreciated.

>mtanner@cinergy.com

>KC4COV

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1926. Re: TM-V7A PRO's & CONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamdtse@inorbit.com
Message-ID: <6cgnbbhvm1@news.bc>
Source record: 153063

dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.) wrote:

>I'm really disappointed to hear the bad experience. I have not owned
>any Kenwood radios before, so I have no direct experience to share.
>However, I was recently thinking that some of the features which the
>TM-V7A has are nearly extinct on other radios. For instance, it still
>has the remote control via DTMF capability like my ICOM 2700. It also
>has the option of a voice module. I believe that Icom has eliminated
>the voice option on their newer version, the 2710. It is a useful
>feature for me, and I was glad that Kenwood was keeping it alive.

The difference is IC-2700H can TX the frequency on the main band, onto
the subband when received a remote control command. V7A cannot TX its
voice syntheiszer, it is only for manual usage. So the IC-2700H is
still the only one which you can double check your change of freq.
before you set up cross band repeat.

David VE7MDT

>Another feature I like is the ability to tag frequencies with alpha
>labels instead of channel numbers, but to display the frequency at the
>same time. The only thing missing is the software, which I take it got
>hung up as the developers of EZ Clone went out of business.

>regards, Don (KE4KYO)

>"Elwan Smotinedde" <molden1@wanway.net> wrote:

>>Compared to Icom and Yaesu, it is an intermod sponge. It was totally
>>unusable even near a city because all I heard were pagers and dispatchers.
>>Yaesu is easily the best here.
>>Four, yes 4 channel per second scan rate. This is 50's technology. It
>>makes a career out of scanning the memory banks. Compare this to Icoms 8
>>per sec which is still slow and Yaesu's 26 channels per sec in their FT
>>8000 and 8100. Unfortunately the 8100 has some other strange quirks.
>>The blue on white or white on blue is very difficult to see when used
>>mobile. The worst color scheme of all, even with the revised and new
>>version. Worse when viewed at an angle.
>>I consider this unit completely unacceptable and unuseable.

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1927. Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cgnm0$36a@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153064

I performed the "beyond mars" mod to my TMV-7A and the radio
still performs like the mod wasn't done.
I have done the full reset to my radio with both the reset button
behind the face plate and by holding MR while turning the radio on.
The radio still operates as though the mod wasn't done. I even took a
magnifying glass and looked closely at where the resistor was removed
to be sure the area was clean and no solder splashed to make a bad
contact somewhere. Everything was very clean and just fine.
Just to be sure, I removed the chip resistor that had the number
"0" right below it. The only other chip that was there had a number
"1" below it. I did not remove that one, just the chip next to the
number "0". The green jumper wires that the Kenwood supplement talked
about are still intact. They were never touched.
I do remember that I did not reset the radio right after
performing the mod, and that I started using the radio and programming
some of the memory features and things like that. After realizing that
the radio would not go below 410 mhz, I did a full reset of the radio
to see if that would make the mod work. It did not. I've tried
resetting the radio many times and still it performs as though the mod
wasn't done.
I don't know what else I can do. I've double checked the work and
reset the radio many times. I even put the chip resistor back into the
radio, did a full reset, programmed some features and used the radio
normally. Then I started all over again and removed the chip and did a
full reset before doing anything else. It still did not work.

1928. Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cgnvt$36a@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153065

I performed the "beyond mars" mod to my TMV-7A and the radio still performs like the mod wasn't done.
I have done the full reset to my radio with both the reset button behind the face plate and by holding MR while turning the radio on. The radio still operates as though the mod wasn't done. I even took a magnifying glass and looked closely at where the resistor was removed to be sure the area was clean and no solder splashed to make a bad contact somewhere. Everything was very clean and just fine.
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I don't know what else I can do. I've double checked the work and reset the radio many times. I even put the chip resistor back into the radio, did a full reset, programmed some features and used the radio normally. Then I started all over again and removed the chip and did a full reset before doing anything else. It still did not work.

swtempo@worldnet.att.net

1929. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamdtse@inorbit.com
Message-ID: <6cgpp3imn1@news.bc>
Source record: 153066
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Ian:

moss.i@virgin.net wrote:

>To all that can offer assistance

>I believe there are things called packet radio internet gateways. What
>i want to do is to have FULL Internet access (not just EMAIL)
>through packet radio, via the said gateways so as to do away with my
>ISP which costs me ?12/month, and the PHONE bill, which I think is a
>disgrace that we have to pay for. We pay for calls to the Internet in
>England!!!!!!

First of all, you got the name wrong. Packet radio internet gateway
has traditionally been a message/e-mail gateway only. On the packet
radio side it has traditionally been AX.25, and it routes messages
back and forth to the Internet. What you want is a TCP/IP connection
over packet radio. It has been done in various areas.

>PLEASE NOTE:-If you have never heared of an packet radio internet
>gateway, DONT reply to me saying youve never heard of it, and its not
>possible, because I jolly well know it is possible, this would
>obviously be the first time you have heard of it, so DONT bother to
>reply to me. If you DO know what I am talking about, I would very much
>welcome your input.

Well, you don't get to say the term right, so some people might get
confused.

>I need to know what equiptment I will need to do this, the cost, and
>if there are local gateways operating in the MHZ freq. range that will

Again, you didn't get the term right. What you need is a UHF or
higher frequency if you want to operate on amateur radio bands. And
just to be sure, check with your own country's band plan as I am not
familiar with yours.

>be able to cope with a high speed packet radio modem (56K + baud),
>in the NorthWest region of England. From reading stuff off the net it
>wont cost a fortune to implement all this. I apparently need a TNC
>(Terminal Node controller), radio, amplifier, and Antenna, and

There are no off the shelf TNC which will give your 56kbps air speed
(or more). There are packet modems which are in use by various
people, but not with a TNC. An example is the WA4DSY "GRAPES" modem,

to be used by the P.I. synchronous I/O card by the Ottawa group. By the way, speed is measured by bps (bits per second), baud is not used commonly anymore as it refers to the change of phase per second, which does not correspond to the speed issue.

>anything else you might think I should need. Read some info about JNOS
>too, presume its possible to run TCP/IP over that, with WIN95, and all
>the traditional internet application programs running all above that,
>FTP, email, Netscape browser etc etc etc. I hope to run all that
>little lot from a 486AMD5x86-P75 ,256K cache,16MB, WIN95, which will
>more than meet the needs of the Packet radio interface.

Although JNOS might run under Windows, I am not aware of JNOS having a socket link or a network interface presence to Windows (95 or not). In order to use "traditional" internet apps, you need to use a stack which has connection with Windows networking interface. FlexNet is the only software I am aware of which can do that. However, I am not aware of FlexNet supporting the 56kbps GRAPES or any high speed packet modem (yet), although they have a modular design which gives it a future possibility. The only other way to do it, which is the way our club (University of British Columbia Amateur Radio Society) has been doing, is to use Linux operating system, which has AX.25 driver for the P.I. card for the 56k link, and run this computer as a gateway. Then use a Windows computer connecting to this Linux gateway via a network connection (we use 10B2 ethernet). But you didn't mention you have another computer, which this needs. I am not sure how crazy your local packet group is, but it took us a long time and quite some money to build the system we have today. In order to have the connection with the user, (we are only doing a short hop point to point now), we are currently building the 56k as a repeater to be put somewhere high up on mountains. Stilll people with no line of sight to these repeaters will not connect as any reflections will distort the signals badly.

I am not sure if you have your licence yet, but may be that will be a first step. Or may be now you think paying your ISP isn't that bad an idea.

>If you can help would appreciate it

>Cheers

>Ian

David Tse, VE7MDT

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1930. Re: TM-V7A PRO's & CONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6ch2jc$j4m@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 153067

I love the display on the TM-V7. It not a problem for me. Cpa passengers are always commenting on its visibility. The numbers are large and easy to read.

The buttons on the radio are easy to work.

Audio is great on the radio.

Programing is very easy. You dont need a manual to use the radio.
The TM-V7 is easy to use at highway speed. You can control the radio form the mike. I rarely have to reach for the radio. You can control the squelch, volume, pl, reverse, memory, call channel vfo, vfo direct entry and lots more from the mike!

If you listen to aircraft channels the "visual scan" allows you to see activiy on over 147 freqs while you are listening on one.

The Alpha tag memory's allows me to have a huge mumber of repeaters in memory and actually know what repeaer I am on without looking at a piece of paper. I dont see how Icom and Yaesu can keep comming out with radios that dont have memory tags. What good are hundreds of memory's without their names.

You can set 5 pairs of memory ranges you want to scan (such as 146.520 to 146.800) and it will keep looping thru that range.

The radio can tell you if another station is in simplex range.

The voice chip will announce the freq you are on.

I have the radio in the trunk and the remote display up on my console hump. I just take the display with me and hide the mike anddont worry about the rig being stolen.

I used a par notch filter on the radio for Intermod. I had the filters from previous radious - thats how bad the Intermod is around here (1 mile form New York City) All wide receive radios suck on intermod. I have heard plenty of Yaesu owners complain in my area. Get a Notch filter from Par and get any radio you want. Its the price you pay to be able to receive aircraft police, public service, boating freq. etc.

The radio is very reliable. It has massive heat sinks. Its up for a long talk. I dont hear complaints about reliability as I somtimes do with the Yaesus (thats not a Yaesu bash I have owned them - just my impression).

All these radios have loads of bells and whistles. I wanted one that was easy to use and RELIABLE. I found it.
I purchased a second TM-V7 - you can take that as an endorsement.

1931. WTB:Sony SuperBeta VCR's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unit 61 <zjohznabzlez@ezxeczpc.com>
Message-ID: <6cghst$odc@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 153068

Looking for Sony SuperBeta HiFi VCR's and related
equipment.

Thanks

John (remove z's from email to reply)

1932. FS: Ameritron Solid State Amp ALS-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9MDX Larry <webmaster@netohio.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3d2d$c4928040$ae27a2ce@console>
Source record: 153069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

One very nice ALS-600 Ameritron solid state, broadband, no tune, amplifier!
It is in excellent shape physically (9 out of 10), puts out 500 to 600
watts, and has the 10 meter kit installed. I am asking $725.

Larry W9MDX
419-433-2930

1933. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.wilcox@mci.com
Message-ID: <34ec29ae.173807146@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 153070
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well said!

NS1Z

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 07:53:32 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>
>In any case, I am curious to know why he thinks he should be given
>everything for nothing. (Doesn't want to pay for phone calls, ISP,
>etc.) Does he think the Internet is provided free of charge by some
>charity?
>
>73 de G3NYY
>
>--
>Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
>"Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

John Wilcox
john.wilcox@mci.com

1934. Re: Opinions on Yaesu FT-900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <34EC2DC0.F64308A9@netnet.net>
Source record: 153071

I've had one for about 1-1/2 yrs. now and have thoroughly enjoyed mine.
One thing I might add, you will want the filters because adjacent strong
signals can make life pretty miserable. I operate mostly cw and have
found the Collins (Yaesu # YF-115C) 500hz to best for that mode, much
better than the ones specified in their operators manual.

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73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ

Steven Ross wrote:

> Hi,
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> Thinking of buying one for base and mobile use. What do you think of
> this radio.
>
> Steve Ross

1935. Re: Opinions on Yaesu FT-900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiofream@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219131000.IAA01674@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153072

Hi,

Well, I've had a FT900CAT for almost 2 years now and I have found it to be one of the best HF Radios on the market today. I also have a FT890, which is basically the same radio, but since I've grown older and my eyesight is not what it used to be, the advantage of the 900 is that the readout and digital meter is easier for me to read. Otherwise, both are the same in every other way.

Great radio! However, if you don't need the detachable face or are not vision impaired, I'd go for the 890.

Good Luck,

Radio:Free America
WA4RVL/KAJ5077

1936. FS: Yaesu FT-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <34ECDBB9.4BDF@hnvr.com>
Source record: 153073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Yaesu FT-10R 2M portable. It's the FT10/40B A16 model which means it has the thin 2.5 Watt battery, 30 channel (16 button) DTMF keypad with PL encode only. It has the wide-band hardware mod implemented (140-174 tx/rx), new low-profile power button and is in very good condition. $175 plus shipping from St. Louis, MO.
Thank's,
Ken Gianino
(day)314-241-1188 Ext.203
ken@hnvr.com

1937. WTB: Schematic for Knight R-55A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Strider <pstrider@phys.ufl.edu>
Message-ID: <34EC39F8.9B9A2C9A@phys.ufl.edu>
Source record: 153074

Newbie here: just beginning to study for novice class license and
to listen to the world.

Got an Allied Radio Knight R-55A receiver at a garage sale,
fixed the power supply, wiggled the tubes, and voila: more
languages than I'll ever understand.

Chassis is put together in VLSW mode (a friend's
acronym for Vertical Large Scale Wiring). Any serious
trouble, and I'll need the print.

Anybody?

Hope this is the right group for this.

Thanks, Gracias, Merci, Cheers.
--
Paul Strider pstrider@phys.ufl.edu

1938. Re: A Grounding Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb840@scn.org
Message-ID: <EoLrB7.64x@scn.org>
Source record: 153075

In a previous article, xfmr@webtv.net (Juan Esposito) says:

>It's only the LAW if the NEC has been adopted by the local governmental
>agency.
>

Probably ture, but almost every local government agency has. Also, fire
insurance coverage could be affected whether the NEC was adopted by the
local government or not.
--
Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

1939. Re: vco voltage???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ah549@chebucto.ns.ca
Message-ID: <6chfil$kh2$2@client3.news.psi.net>
Source record: 153076
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

You need to re-align the UHF TX stages for the middle of the band.

Greg

>I need some clarafication on something i was told in line with a power
>output problem IVE been having.
> first ....i have a dualbander that on UHF puts out more power on the
>lower edge of the band than the top.
>
> now another ham told me after getting the repair manual from yaseu that
>i should check the vco voltage and compare it with the specs in the manual.
>
>well, the voltage is a little low, but the radio is on freq across the
>band.

> so, my question- is the other ham right in saying that the vco voltage is
>causing the low power output. and if this is true do i need to realign the
>radio according to the procedure in the repair manual
>
>DON N1RSQ

1940. FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34EC3ADB.4AEC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153077

If you go to the Alta Vista and look for "waters and stanton" , you will fing the web page of a large British Ham dealer. He has a catagory which says:'late breaking news" .

According to his page the FT-847 should cost around $1700 or so. Not the $2000 you guys have been told by other sources. Perhaps the intro price(rippoff price) to get top $$ from the guys who have to have it first is $200 more?? I used to one of those guys till I found out i could save big $$ by being patient and letting the first guys deal with the bugs and sending the radios back and forth to the manufacturers to get fixed.
Also, the Web page indicates there is a 1.8 MHZ to 440 MHZ antenna for the car that is motorized the Screwdiver type that only works with the FT-847 price $250. No control cable as the signal for directions goes on the outside braid of the COax cable. Very interesting!!
I am not a Dealer but just a guy who likes to Web search for new stuff.

73's NS1R Steve Hershman

1941. 13 Pin Din Plug Sleeves

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980219145700.JAA00982@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153078

Has anyone out there ever heard of snap-on or slide-on sleeves for the 13 pin Din plug used in Kenwood accessory sockets. If you've ever tried to solder wires to those pins you will know why I ask. Any information would be appreciated by me and thousands of others.

Thanks for looking,

Chris Jespersen K2OG

1942. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbickel@iquest.net
Message-ID: <34ec49b9.10887563@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 153079
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In the new age of entitlements where everyone expects free
food,housing,education and "health care" why wouldn't he expect free
internet access ?

>Well said!
>
>NS1Z
>
>On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 07:53:32 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
>Davidson) wrote:
>
>>
>>In any case, I am curious to know why he thinks he should be given
>>everything for nothing. (Doesn't want to pay for phone calls, ISP,
>>etc.) Does he think the Internet is provided free of charge by some
>>charity?
>>
>>73 de G3NYY
>>
>>--
>>Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
>>"Linux is to Windows
>> ... as Betamax is to VHS"
>
>John Wilcox
>john.wilcox@mci.com

1943. Re: 10 Meter Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <34EC5196.46A1@ccnet.com>
Source record: 153080

We have been around for about a year.... the clube has it's own call KF6IHQ..... for more info go to http://www.ccnet.com/~teixeira/W6IQ.html

There are various category of FARTS..... If you have been a Ham for 25 Years you are an Old FART, if you are a beer drinker you are a Beer FART, if you become a Silent Key you are a Silent FART..... other wise you arer just a FART. hi hi

73's Don, W6IQ

> How long has your group been around?
> Just wonder if you qualify to be called Old FARTS..... :-)
>
> T E I X E I R A wrote in message <34EB17FE.7E2B@ccnet.com>...
> >Fremont Amateur Radio Transmitter Society (FARTS) Will have a net at
> >28.380. This is the Novice/Tech Plus SSB/Phone portion of the band.
> >This net is to generate interest in HF. The net will consist of a check
> >in and Rag-Chew..... If the band is open it could get interesting. The
> >time is Sundays at 9 am PST. All welcome.
> >
> >73's
> >Don, W6IQ

1944. Re: Need EDACS MDX help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Brum <twbr@wcnet.org>
Message-ID: <01bd3cea$5fee2ba0$c7ab85cd@default>
Source record: 153081

The 16 channels is the standard radio and the 128 channel model is a extra cost item. I Think that it is programed at the factory for the options when a new radio is ordered, Some GE/ Ericsson dealers may be able to change the options but you can't do it with the programing software...Hope This helps Tom

baxter@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu wrote in article <1998Feb16.101808@kuhub.cc.ukans.edu>...
> Is anyone familar with the Ericsson MDX radio??? In receive only use, we're
> trying to program in an EDACS system, and the radio only will hold 16
> talk groups. However, another identical radio seems to hold 128 talk groups.
>
> It is our guess that the features of the radio, like how many groups it will
> hold, are settable by the features string in the radio.
>
> Does anyone know how???
>
> Thanks.
>
>

1945. Re: 13 Pin Din Plug Sleeves

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34EC5336.190A@onramp.net>
Source record: 153082

Cmjk2og wrote:
>
> Has anyone out there ever heard of snap-on or slide-on sleeves for the 13 pin
> Din plug used in Kenwood accessory sockets. If you've ever tried to solder
> wires to those pins you will know why I ask. Any information would be
> appreciated by me and thousands of others.
>
> Thanks for looking,
>
> Chris Jespersen K2OG

The easy was is to mark the pins you need and cut the rest off. If you
look you will notice that the needed pins are scattered, not all bunched
up. Makes life a lot easier.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1946. Re: VX-1R review please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jopp@erols.com
Message-ID: <jopp-1902981140180001@207-172-196-185.s58.as1.hck.erols.com>
Source record: 153083

In article <LufS7bAzVf60EwrO@g4udt.demon.co.uk>, Yves Remedios
<yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk> wrote:

> >In article <6c4vbi$4tg@news.acns.nwu.edu>, mdems@sprintmail.com (Ed M) wrote:
> >
> >> Can anyone provide me with a review of the VX-1R? Looks like a neat
> >> little radio. IF this has been discussed here before, please point me
> >> to a faq file or web based review. I am thinking about purchasing one,
> >> and would value your experiences to help me make a wise choice
>
> I have a VX1 and an FT51.
>
> Good points:
>
> Very small but full featured handset.
>
> Long battery life and built-in rapid charger.
>
> Loud audio plus good quality wide band FM.
>
> The battery (approx AA size) fits inside the handset and takes up half
> the internal volume. So Yaesu have managed to build a dual-bander into
> the other half which is the volume of a single AA cell!
>
> Bad points:
>
> The firmware in the VX1 is poorly written. As a consequence, it can
> sometimes be a pain to use. For instance, to move between memory
> channels you need to use the UP/DOWN buttons rather than the tuning
> knob. Also, the entire receiver coverage is split into 8 bands so it is
> difficult to easily switch between 2m/70cms bands (eg. if you want to
> keep an eye on the local 2m repeater and also the local 70cms repeater).
> Also the switching between GRP-1 and GRP-2 memory banks is a pain.
>
> The low power can be a serious limitation is your favorate repeaters are
> not local.
>
> *HUGE* battery charger!
>
> Non-standard 4-pole 3.5mm jack for speaker mike and data.
>
> Conclusion:
>
> Nice toy but the firmware is beginning to irritate me...I am finding

> myself using the FT51 more as time passes as the FT51 is such a joy to
> use. I'm waiting for Yaesu to bring out the successor to the FT51 -
> will it be triple-band?
> --
> Yves Remedios

I agree that it's a sweet toy...and use it mostly as a small scanner since it covers most of the most listened to parts of the radio spectrum , including with mods, full 800. also am radio (i get at least six stations) TV, FM etc. Only thing lacking scanner-wise is cordless (but who wud listen to that?) the sound quality is strong, very little intermod. you'd pay twice as much for a scanner this size -- the welz1000 or 2000 (made by Standard). Buy one used and it's an even better deal!

1947. Re: Please help. I am getting cordless on 147.060 with HTX-202, HTX-242 and etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy - AB&#65533;GD <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <34EC5DC4.4714@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 153084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Njnote wrote:
>
> why should she stop using her phone for your convinience.....?
>
Because it's probabaly the law there in Canada, as it is
here in the US. She's causing the interference.

Lumpy
--
40.57124N Lat - 105.1056W Lon
Colorado Front Range Repeaters
http://www.digitalcartography.com/repeaters.htm

1948. FS: Ranger 2950 and 250watt amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gws@n8emr.nitetech.com
Message-ID: <6chli3$r8j@usenet46.supernews.com>
Source record: 153085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Ranger 2950 and a 250watt 10/11 meter amplifier.
Ranger has wideband mod done. Includes radio,mic,power cord, moble bracket
and amp. No docs or box. Radio is in good working condition,
Asking $350 plus shipping. Consider trader or offers.

--
Gary W. Sanders gws@n8emr.nitetech.com
packet: N8EMR @ W8CQK Voice: 614-895-2552 (eves/weekends)
Everyone is entitled to be stupid, but some abuse the privilege."
This address may *not* be used for unsolicited mailings.

1949. Re: Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: seleong@world.northgrum.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f55fa3e842b3460989685@news.northgrum.com>
Source record: 153086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <6cg69h$l2v$1@news.ncal.verio.com>, Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
says...
> In article <MPG.f5502639fdda142989684@news.northgrum.com>, seleong@world.northgrum.com
(Steve Leong) wrote:
> >
> >I have an 8-channel Motorola Maxtrac/Radius VHF-Lo Band radio. I have 4
> >channels programmed to Red Cross frequencies, and used the RSS to
> >successfully program the other 4 channels to local 6 meter frequencies.
> >Is this radio capable of tuning both sets of frequencies without re-
> >tuning the radio? At present, it transmits AOK on the Red Cross
> >frequencies, but does not on the 6 meter channels. I did notice during
> >programming, that the RSS displayed a caution/error message on the need
> >to possibly re-tune. Any suggestions or assistance would be greatly
> >appreciated on this. Thank you in advance!!!
>
> You did not say what the Rec Cross frequencies are. One thing, if they are
> very far from the 6M freqs, you'll have problems getting an acceptable SWR on
> the antenna. I use UHF Maxtrac/Radius radios from 441 to 468 MHz TX with no
> problems, even with the same antenna. That "Tuning error" message you got
> when programming is normal, and not normally needs to be heeded, but mayby in
> your case, the radio does need tuning.
>
> Ed W7DXZ
>
>
> REPLY INFO:
> ==
> Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
> TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
> ==
>
>Hello Ed!

Thanks very much for the reply. The Red Cross frequencies are all 47MHz
frequencies. The 6m frequencies are repeater pairs up near 51MHz. Still
no output from the 6m channels though! I don't know how wide the radio
tune!

Steve KC6IJM

1950. Uniden FTL-1100C Info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: seleong@world.northgrum.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f55fcb2ba144bb7989687@news.northgrum.com>
Source record: 153087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a few Uniden FTL-1100C, VHF Lo-band mobile radios. I opened them
and it appears that they are UVEPROM programmable.

Does anyone have any info on these radios?

Thanks very much in advance!

Steve KC6IJM

1951. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6clgvt$1jg@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152839

Pete McGreevy wrote:
(snip snip)
>
> ANd oh Yeah, is the 846 replacing the 736, or the 840, or the 900, both,
> all, any ideas???
>
> There's more than ya bargained for -- Pete -- KA2YDY

Well it looks as if the 736 will be around for awhile. Yaesu is still
advertising it along with the 847. It supports 222MHZ and 1.2GHZ
whereas the 847 does not.

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****
* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/~rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
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1952. FS: Heathkit DX-100b

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard San Antonio <rich@ids.net>
Message-ID: <6clkk7$4tf$1@paperboy.ids.net>
Source record: 152840

Selling Heathkit DX-100b. $225.00

Bought it 2 years ago and still have not gotten to it.

Rich...evenings at home at 401-732-4026 or rich@ids.net

Warwick, RI

1953. FS: Kenwood TL922A amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3hrm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <6cllbrpkp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152841

For Sale: Kenwood TL-922A with 10m. Excellent condition with operator and service manuals. $1000 shipped. Bob--WA3R

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

1954. New Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34EE5C70.A31B0BB0@erols.com>
Source record: 152842

Kenwood is up to there tricks again. before you go out and buy the V7A
at a discount price, There is already and replacement on its way.
Looks the same but has a different color display. More of a light
yellow with black. Seen the new radio in Staton web sight in UK
Don't know when its coming out but you can bet they will wait till
you go out and buy the old one. Also beware, there closing out the
TM-255 so there must be a new VHF -UHF all mode on it's way.

Steve

1955. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34EE58F8.253BA58D@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152843
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Martin wrote:

> Philip Watson wrote:
>
> > I agree just look at some of those American 'comedies' such as Married with
> > children
>
> IMHO Married with Children is the best TV comedy ever to be made in the US.
>

Naw, Heartland was the best. I used to settle in on Monday, watch National News,
Local News, ALF, Heartland then Monday Night Football. Then turned the TV off
until Sunday for more Football.

> > Rubbish? I think so.
>
> So what makes you laugh???

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

1956. FS: ICOM IC-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3hrm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <6clkvtpag1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152844

For Sale: Icom 735 in excellent condition with hand mic and manual. $595 shipped. Bob--WA3R

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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1957. FS: Kenwood HF Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Magruder <n5qde@vicksburg.com>
Message-ID: <34EE5A1B.B92EE342@vicksburg.com>
Source record: 152845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS-450S (No Auto-Tuner) $650
All-Mode HF 160-10 Meters

Kenwood TS-50S $650
All-Mode HF Mobile 100 Watts

Kenwood MB-13 Quick-Release Bracket $ 35
To Be Sold With Above TS-50 or if TS-50 sells first Only

All items in excellent condition both cosmetically and electrically - No

problems with any of them. Each includes mike, power cable, and manual,

TS-450 also includes service manual. Shipping extra on all
items.

TNX Ed ..... N5QDE Located in Vicksburg, MS 39180

1958. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34EE0822.283F@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152846
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Glen Self wrote:
>
> Let's see, if I stayed connected to an ISP for 24 hrs it would cost me
> .....DING
> $144/day in phone charges. And that is at a reduced rate.
> Where do you get this free in the US idea?

It's hard to find a major ISP in the States that doesn't support unlimited connect time for a flat rate these days. This includes some of the "big ones" with millions of subscribers. Whether this pricing model is going to be viable in the long run is a matter of some debate, but the trend has been clear for quite awhile now.

Local telephone companies don't care if you camp out on the line 24 hours a day, as long as you pay the US $20/month service charge. (This is true of both basic and ISDN service in my area, although roosting on an ISDN account will quickly send you to the poorhouse in ISP charges.)

It's safe to say that "free" local calls are subsidized by long-distance rates to some extent, although to be honest the average US citizen has little grounds for complaint about high long-distance rates either.

IMHO the U.K. and Europe have always been behind the times in matters technological. Heck, I've been involved with personal-computer software projects that had to support cassette tape drives as late as 1988, just for the European market. Get with the program, you guys! :)

-- jm KE5FX (trimming some newsgroups that don't have much to do with radio modems...)

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

1959. Re: I sell big amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Eitner <kd6tas@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EE854C.2BF4@earthlink.net>
Source record: 152847
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Philip de Cadenet wrote:
>
> >> Aplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe 4CX10000D
> >> Dimensions: Height 175 cm, Depth 70 cm, Width 108 cm, Weight 760 Kg
> >> Autotunig.
> >>
> >> Siemens:
> >> It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
> >> Power: Telegraphy power on A1,F1,F4 and F6 = 5 Kw
> >> RF troppower on A3A, A3j and A3B = 10Kw
> >> Carrier by A2 and A3 =2.5 Kw
> >> Input power: 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
> >> Inclusive of filter of the air, exciter Siemens.
> >> Amplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe RS2010 Siemens
> snip>
> >Hey, I LIKE this idea of calling tubes "pipes." Those Italians are
> >pretty slick.
> >
> >Take that and put it in your 4-400 and smoke it. (c:
> Yes, kind of not dissimilar to the slang of transistor - pill.
>
> Phil / UK

I prefer the British term "valves" myself. It's really
more accurate than "tube" or "pipe."

Hi Phil.
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-=[Bill Eitner]=- III
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1960. FS: 141T spectrum analyzer w/accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34EE5DF9.2DE5@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152848

HP 141T configuration for sale w/the following accessories:

- HP141T analog storage mainframe
- HP8552B IF section
- HP8554B RF section (UHF coverage to 1250 MHz)
- HP8553B HF section (high-resolution coverage to 110 MHz)
- HP8556A LF section (high-resolution coverage to 300 kHz
w/built-in tracking generator)
- All operating and service manuals
- Spare storage CRT in original sealed HP carton

All units are in good shape electrically and cosmetically, apart from
minor paint scratches on 8552B and 141T panels. .JPG photos available
on request.

Asking $1500 plus shipping from Austin, Texas. Unit available in Austin
for inspection by interested parties.

-- jm KE5FX

(please note the spam-proof email address when replying)

1961. FS: HP 8554L spectrum analyzer plugin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34EE6506.313@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152849

FS: HP 8554L spectrum analyzer plugin for use with 141T mainframe (not included), 500 kHz-1250 MHz coverage. This unit works perfectly, but is around 8/10 cosmetically with a few areas of paint rubbed off where old labels were removed.

The 8554L plugin is equivalent to the 8554B, but with frequency coverage extending to 500 kHz instead of 100 kHz for the 8554B. If you're looking for an 8554B and don't need the bottom 400 kHz of calibrated coverage, this would be a good, economical alternative.

Asking $250, seller pays shipping from Austin, TX. .JPG available on request.

-- jm

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1962. FS: Drake TR7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Melvin Tyre <mtyre@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34EE35FF.E6E43606@ibm.net>
Source record: 152850

I have a Drake TR7 with DG7, PS7 power supply and SP75 processor in good condition for sale. It includes the manuals including the Service manual for the TR7. I would like $550 for this. I am not interested in seperating out the parts.
The TR7 also has a SSb filter in it.

Melvin Tyre
N4HNI

1963. WTB: SM220 Monitor Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Melvin Tyre <mtyre@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34EE36BD.2FA0D3B3@ibm.net>
Source record: 152851

Hello, I am looking for a Kenwood SM220 monitor scope. I will need the pan adapter too. Thanks

Melvin Tyre
N4HNI

1964. TRADE: Kenwood TM-241 2 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@bright.net
Message-ID: <6ckj5g$g96$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 152852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Kenwood TM-241A 2-Meter mobile available for trade. The Kenwood is in very good to excellent condition, with just a few indications of wear, and it works perfectly. I have the original manual, but no mounting bracket.

I would like to trade the Kenwood for a comparable 440 MHz rig, from any manufacturer, in similar condition, or for older shortwave receivers.

Any and all offers acknowledged.

73,

Tony N8SNC

1965. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmuddx@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3e20$bb7aba60$0ea4cacc@rickmudd>
Source record: 152889

I had the same surprise when I upgraded. I ended up with the icom 706 mkII ($1200) for the radio because I like to operate portable. I am very pleased with the radio. It is a huge step up from the Yaesu ft 101 that I started with. For base station use I bought a used 100 ft tower ($200) that I am setting up as two towers, a 40ft and a 60ft. I am currently running dipoles (home made) and a gap vertical, but as I see good used antennas I am buying them. I figure a year from now I will be able to put up the HF yagis...For portable use I have a rotatable dipole (home built), made of copper pipe and stainless steel wire extensions, for 6, 10, 15 M that I set when when I am stationary. It's ugly but it works great. For mobil I am using Hamsticks. Cheap and easy...

I think you will be pleasantly pleased with what you can do with a little money. Don't think you have to spend a fortune to make good contacts.

J.R. Smullen <maccpl@geocities.com> wrote in article <6cido3pug1@news00.us.hsanet.net>...
> OK, OK... I know this is a bit of a lame question, but I will ask it anyway.
> The other night I successfully upgraded by ticke to general from technician.
> I've always wanted access to the HF bands and I've been busting my butt
> learning the code since I got my tech license this past December. Anyway,
> all this happiness was soon dashed when I took a look at the prices in the
> HF sections of my Ham equipment catalogs. As you mght have imagined, until
> the other night, i have been focusing on the neat shiny UHF/VHF equipment.
> Expensive, yes... but not totally unreasonable. But last night WOW!!!
> The 3 or 4 rigs I picked out were all over $1700. Several were over $4000.
> And THEN i took a look at the antenna section of the catalog.
>
> First let me say that I probably won't look at used equipment very
> seriously. The prices I've seen there are not THAT much lower, and I
> wouldn't want to get a lemon with no warranty. I also would feel a bit
> inadequate in the dickering department, with no more ham experience than I
> have. So what's the alternitive? First I've found great solace in this
> news group in the past. So I'll try it again.
>
> Any and all suggestions will be greatfully appreciated.
>

> Regards,
> J.R. Smullen KB3B YZ/AG
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1966. Last call: Winterfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdivineb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220170501.MAA10632@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152890

scholarship programs. Directions: Interstate 66, to the Vienna
exit. Three lights, and right on Courthouse St. Through the
3 way stop, to the light at Rt. 123, and right. Approx 1 mile,
and right on Park St. Down a few blocks to the Vienna
Community Center, on the right. Talk in 146.685- and
146.91-. For more info, contact Mike, K3MT, 703-834-5000,
ext. 2729, or wmarshal@capaccess.org.
Going to be another great show. Bring your hand truck.
Thank you,
Lon, KB3BVY

1967. Still Looking For KB8MCZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3e24$21906d60$108a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 152891
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am still attempting to reach:

KB8MCZ
DAVID T GARDYNIK
N 8196 SR 187
SHIOCTON WI 54170
USA
KB8MCZ@aol.com

He does not reply to E-mail or USPS snail mail. He has yet to fulfill his
half of a trade deal.
Any assistance in locating Mr. Gardynik would be appreciated.
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

1968. Re: How to clear memory channel on Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas May <mayt@gw.twc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3e00$a3118b40$0fc68e97@tmay.wiltec.twc.com>
Source record: 152892

On the VX-1R you can mask a memory. This will cause the memory to not
appear in the associated band. However, if you use the automatic "next
memory available feature" (just press and hold the Function key and the
next available memory number appears), it will not appear as available!
The only way to truly erase a memory is to use the ADMS software.

Lawrence "The Dreamer" Chen <dreamer@agt.net> wrote in article
<34EC80D0.E0EC1A8E@agt.net>...
> lreid@nojunkplease.lreid.demon.co.uk wrote:
> >
> > I am sure I have read the manual from cover to cover but can't see how
> > to erase memory channels. Have I missed it? Is it possible and if so
> > how?
> >
> > Many thanks.
> > remove the "nojunkplease" from email address to reply
>
> There isn't a way to clear a single memory.....you just overwrite it
> with something else. At least you can overwrite it something else in
> a different band so that it doesn't show up (unlike my FT530 or FT8000)
>
> Well, you could block the memory.....
>
> --
> Email: TheDreamer@earthling.net Snail: Lawrence Chen,
P.Eng.
> ALT: TheDreamer@bigfoot.com 468 9th Street S.E.
> TheDreamer@compuserve.com Medicine Hat, AB
T1A 1N7
> URL: http://www.agt.net/public/dreamer ICQ: 5235156
> Phone: +1 403 526 6019 Fax: +1 403 529 5102
> Numeric Pager: +1 403 504 9943 AlphaPage: +1 403 266 9155 (ID:
9943)
>
>
>

1969. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: eborys <eborys@inwave.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3e2d$8b2af2a0$2600a8c0@eborys>
Source record: 152893
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is an antenna news group. You trolls take your off subject nonsense somewhere else. emil, ak9i

Martin <m.paterson@consunet.nl> wrote in article
<34ED9DEF.BF8D9598@consunet.nl>...
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> Philip Watson wrote:
>
> > I agree just look at some of those American 'comedies' such as Married with
> > children
>
> IMHO Married with Children is the best TV comedy ever to be made in the US.
>
> > Rubbish? I think so.
>
> So what makes you laugh???
>
>

1970. Kachina 505dsp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Stiles <RiverCity@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ckhv9$lf6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152894

Hi :
Anyone have any comments about the new Kachina.. Pros Cons etc

Jim Stiles W2NJN Rivercity@worldnet.att.net

1971. Yaesu VX1R FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Charles Alexander" <charlie@netset.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3e2c$95072b00$0ee4b7ce@wca-nec>
Source record: 152895
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale Yaesu VX-1R & Spare Battery 235.00 Shipped to 48
open 800 & ext Xmt
In Very Good to excellent cond
Manual and Box & ant adaptor inc.
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73 de charlie KC8IKG
W. Charles Alexander
charlie@netset.com
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1972. FT-50 and BayPac BP-2(m)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Lantz <plantz@onlink.net>
Message-ID: <6ckg4l$63u$1@onlink3.onlink.net>
Source record: 152896
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wondering if anyone has operated FT-50 HT along with a laptop and a BP-2 packet modem.
Appears it would make a very nice portable packet setup.
Interested in any experiences with this setup. How you connected the radio and modem, any problems or triumphs.
I don't use packet at home, looking for a setup to operate while on trips.

Paul
VE3KBL

1973. --- First impression of my new FT-920 ---

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David Ho (AF4BH/VR2UE)" <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.980220131801.26226A-100000@shell.one.net>
Source record: 152897

My FT-920 has finally arrived yesterday. I think that it might be informative to some people who, with the tax refund, are considering this radio as their next major purchase.

It's been over 12 years since my last excitment of opening the box of a brand new radio. My last HF rig was the IC-751A and I sold it due to schooling and things. Nevertheless, I've been using my R-71A in these years to keep up with my SWL hobby. Now I am in the process of rebuilding my station: my Carolina Windom 40 and the MFJ Versa Tuner III are making their way thru the UPS pile. Meanwhile, I can only use a random wire to do some SW listening.

My observations can only be limited to general, not very serious, RX, appearence, and control areas.

There is a video tape came within the YAESU carton box. Texas Towers gave me an extra one along with their own packaging. I thought at first these were some fast track video tapes to guide me thru the menu items, safety, and operational concerns. But they turned out to be identical and more like promotional/commercial/infomercial video.

The little box that held the hand mic seemed to have botched up by some heavy object. The stocked hand mic inside had a very bad scrach on the back side. Apparently, that was done by the "O" ring of the mic jack because it had been compress and now was an "Oval" ring.

I couldn't find any dent on the box, nor on the rig. The mic box seemed to have a lot of room to slide around inside the package. I couldn't figure out how in the world it could have gotten compressed so badly from within. Unless it was already like that when they put together the box before shipping. I was a little upset, but I thought I could live with the scratch and could replace the "O" ring eventually. I tested it and it seemed to work OK. I like to have a desk mic in the future anyway.

I hooked it up to my power supply and the rig came up. What can I say? It looked wonderfully as it was advertised.

My first impression of the receiver was very good (A to A+). Signal popped right out. It seemed to me the FT-920 had a much, much quieter receiver than my old IC-751A. Of course, I don't have the FT-1000 or IC-775DSP to do A/B comparisons with. The DSP helps BIG TIME to assist the IF shift to fight QRM. Actually, it helps to reduce the "Boommy" AM sounds, too! Noise Reduction (NR) is very effective, which can cut out white noise with very little distored SSB audio. I use the MFJ DSP with my R-71A and I hate that "echoing" sound. The NR of FT-920 doesn't exhibit that characteristic much at all, except when monitoring AM

signals. NR on SSB, in addition, does present a reduction on SSB audio level. But this can easily be compensated by increasing the AF gain. Sort of like increasing the RF gain. But FT-920's NR seems to help increase the S/N ratio, while RF gain is weaker in this round up. Since RF gain is just a totally different animal as oppose to DSP NR.

I was thrilled when the heterodyne was completely wiped out by the DSP when I listened to my favorite station "Voice of Free China" on 5950 khz! That's unheard of on my R-71A. Notch filter can only do so much, but the DSP can actually make the AM sound so much batter! The MFJ DSP can only eat dust in this round.

About the Notch filter. FT-920 doesn't provide a manual notch control and it is done via DSP and is fully automatic. Yes! It is very, very effective, narrow, and sharp, too! At this point, I don't see the need of having a manual notch control for me anymore. After all these years with a manual notch control which can only do one tone at a time, you'll know what I really mean.

FM is *&^%$ optional! I still can't believe why YAESU has to do that to us. We are talking a "MODE", not a "FILTER" here. I can see an optional 6M band, but gimme a break, please.

The menu is extensive, but I find that hard to use without a cheat sheet. A card or something like that will be a great help for someone forgetful like me. Menu prompts are somewhat helpful, but means Greek if you haven't read and remember this part of the operating manual. Set-and-forget are not very true to me since I like to tinker around with options of my radio.

I am a Coder but the electronic keyer is USELESS to me because it doesn't support MODE A keying. (May it be me who just don't know how to set it up right?) I hate to relearn how to key "A" and "N" because they turn into "R" and "K" respectively in MODE B. It might be fun for you who are MODE B operators. But it is the biggest boo I'll have for my radio. If you know how to turn the FT-920 to support MODE A keying, please let me know. I'll pay you $10 dollars as a personal way to say "Thanks". Staight Key is much easier to live with than MODE B to me. Otherwise, the electronic keyer and the contest settings are just good and extensive. Luckily enough, I have a MFJ Super Keyer on my shelf. Hopefully, I can use that rather than relying on the rig's keyer itself. I'll give that a try once my Windom is put up. But it's still aggravates me very bad.

Really: Are there more Mode B operators out there than Mode A operators? Is it just me in the whole world a Mode A coder?

I find that the "SPOT" tone feature is of less useful; however, YAESU has made it a pretty big feature to be advertised. Once I have the narrow filter, my ears can do a better job than the "Enhanced Tuning Indicator".

It's hard to believe not having a CW narrow filter if you plan on using CW mode like me. Ah! An external keyer is a must if you are a Mode A coder. This keyer thing just annoyes me to no end.

Since the "Enhanced Tuning Indicator" serves mutiple purposes, it will be nice to be toggled via a button rather than via the menu. I thought the [DISPLAY] button will include such function, but I was dead wrong.

Operating Manual has some errors in it and I managed to isolate them. My hats off to WM7D's informative web-page.

The well know NB mod was done before it was shipped to me. I am glad that I have waited.

It's hard to believe not having a CW narrow filter if you plan on using CW mode like me. Ah! An external keyer is a must if you are a Mode A coder. This keyer thing just annoyes me to no end.

I think that this radio is worth the money in it's class. How I wish to have an MP instead! Only if I were rich. Newer radios always pop out here and there, now and then. But for what I can affort and the wait for over the years, the FT-920 will probably lasts me for a while before I look into a replacement.

Thanks for your reading and time.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY USA
E-Mail: davidho@one.net
URL: http://w3.one.net/~davidho Always, always under construction

1974. HQ160 (SOLD)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronfisher1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220184100.NAA02976@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152898

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Thanks, Its Sold
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1975. Microphone info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry Singer <singer@henge.com>
Message-ID: <34EDCBE3.53AC3ACE@henge.com>
Source record: 152899

I'm looking for a company that mfg,s microphones with built in ctcss for repeater access.

Thanks,

Gerry

1976. Re: Spam filter NOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail. E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Little <little@galileo.galilei.com>
Message-ID: <34EDFE86.33D6@galileo.galilei.com>
Source record: 152900
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Will White wrote:
>
> Is this true? Is it enforceable?

Yes, it is:

United States Code Title 47 section 227 (a)(2) defines:

The term "telephone facsimile machine" means equipment which has the capacity (A) to transcribe text or images, or both, from paper into an electronic signal and to transmit that signal over a regular telephone line, or (B) to transcribe text or images (or both) from an electronic signal received over a regular telephone line onto paper.

USC 47 227 (a)(3) defines:

The term "telephone solicitation" means the initiation of a telephone call or message for the purpose of encouraging the purchase or rental of, or investment in, property, goods, or services, which is transmitted to any person, but such term does not include a call or message (A) to any person with that person's prior express invitation or permission, (B) to any person with whom the caller has an established business relationship, or (C) by a tax exempt nonprofit organization.

USC 47 227 (a)(4) defines:

The term "unsolicited advertisement" means any material advertising the commercial availability or quality of any property, goods, or services which is transmitted to any person without that person's prior express invitation or permission.

USC 47 227 (d)(1)(B) makes it unlawful:

"to use a computer or other electronic device to send any message via a telephone facsimile machine unless such person clearly marks, in a margin at the top or bottom of each transmitted page of the message or on the first page of the transmission, the date and time it is sent and an identification of the business, other entity, or individual sending

the message and the telephone number of the sending machine or of such business, other entity, or individual."

USC 47 sec 227 (b)(1)(C) makes it unlawful:

"to use any telephone facsimile machine, computer, or other device to send an unsolicited advertisement to a telephone facsimile machine.☐

USC 47 sec 227 (c)(5) also states:

"A person who has received more than one telephone call within any 12-month period by or on behalf of the same entity in violation of the regulations prescribed under this subsection may, if otherwise permitted by the laws or rules of court of a State bring in an appropriate court of that State:

(A) an action based on a violation of the regulations prescribed under this subsection to enjoin such violation,

(B) an action to recover for actual monetary loss from such a violation, or to receive up to $500 in damages for each such violation, whichever is greater, or

(C) both such actions. It shall be an affirmative defense in any action brought under this paragraph that the defendant has established and implemented, with due care, reasonable practices and procedures to effectively prevent telephone solicitations in violation of the regulations prescribed under this subsection.

If the court finds that the defendant willfully or knowingly violated the regulations prescribed under this subsection, the court may, in its discretion, increase the amount of the award to an mount equal to not more than 3 times the amount available under subparagraph (B) of this paragraph."

BTW, in the case of Destination Ventures vs. FCC (46 F.3d 54, 1995), the 9th Circuit Court upheld the legal ban on unsolicited fax advertisements as constitutional, as it unfairly shifts costs to the recipient.

Every day, people are suing the spammers -- and winning. But the real trick is to go after the ISP's. They always have a clause in their client agreements which forbids sending unsolicited Email. You don't have to stop the spammers, the ISP's will. If they don't, they're also liable.

Check out the "Blacklist of Internet Advertisers" at:

http://www.cco.caltech.edu/~cbrown/BL/

Have a great day!

Keith Little

1977. For Sale IC-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Carpenter <sam.999@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19980220192956825 22@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 152901

I have the following items for sale........

*ICOM IC 706 (MK1) Fitted with CW Filter and still with 7 months
ICOM warranty left. boxed as new (used as a home base set) manuals
and all original parts. 700 UK pounds

*JAYBEAM (BEAM) ANTENNA- 10 Element 2 Metre SSB/FM . 50 UK pounds

*AOR 3000A Scanner. 0-2036MHz (all modes) Boxed with manual and all
original parts in mint condition. 500 Uk pounds.

Anyone interested in these items can contact me by E-mail at ......
sam.999@zetnet.co.uk (scott) Items on sale are by GM0SNT
Kirkcaldy, Fife, Scotland.
--
e-mail to sam.999@zetnet.co.uk
Try out our Shortwave Listeners Website at...
http://swl.home.ml.org

1978. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Self <gself@snlnet.com>
Message-ID: <6ckk0o$8rh$1@esinet2.esinet.net>
Source record: 152902
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Let's see, if I stayed connected to an ISP for 24 hrs it would cost me
.....DING
$144/day in phone charges. And that is at a reduced rate.
Where do you get this free in the US idea?

1979. Re: I sell big amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <0QBa5jANHe70Ew3J@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152903
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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>> Aplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe 4CX10000D
>> Dimensions: Height 175 cm, Depth 70 cm, Width 108 cm, Weight 760 Kg
>> Autotunig.
>>
>> Siemens:
>> It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
>> Power: Telegraphy power on A1,F1,F4 and F6 = 5 Kw
>> RF troppower on A3A, A3j and A3B = 10Kw
>> Carrier by A2 and A3 =2.5 Kw
>> Input power: 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
>> Inclusive of filter of the air, exciter Siemens.
>> Amplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe RS2010 Siemens
snip>
>Hey, I LIKE this idea of calling tubes "pipes." Those Italians are
>pretty slick.
>
>Take that and put it in your 4-400 and smoke it. (c:
Yes, kind of not dissimilar to the slang of transistor - pill.

Phil / UK
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1980. FS: Alinco DX70TH package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <34EDF115.1F26@amsat.org>
Source record: 152904

My original cost from AES was: $1306. You can check their web page, or HRO's web page, for today's current pricing verification.

I'm selling the following COMPLETE PACKAGE, which includes UPS ground shipping, all for only: $1000.

The radio is only 9 months old and is still under the one year factory warranty. For more information you can contact me, Tom NE7X, at: NE7X@amsat.org

The package includes:

Alinco DX70-TH transceiver, 160-6m, SSB.FM.AM.CW, 100 watts
Mobile Mic
User Manual
500 Hz CW filter (installed)
Mobile Bracket
Original box

Also included is:

EDX-1 External matching manual antenna tuner with PWR/SWR meter
Original box and user manual (This is a $275 value)
EDS-4 Front panel remote control cable
EBC-8 Front panel remote mounting bracket
EDS-5 Mic extension cable

Free UPS ground shipping included for lower 48 US states.

For more information about the Alinco DX70TH transceiver, visit the Alinco WEB page at: http://www.alinco.com/Products/DX-70T.shtml

1981. Re: FT-50 and BayPac BP-2(m)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6ckpqu$fr@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 152905
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Bay Pac-2 with a cable made for the FT-50 R
I used it with an HP-200 Palmtop! Talk about small!!!

It works and I would like to sell the BP-2 and cable for the FT-50R

Make me an offer!

tnic@idt.net

In rec.radio.amateur.equipment Paul Lantz <plantz@onlink.net> wrote:
> Wondering if anyone has operated FT-50 HT along with a laptop and a BP-2
> packet modem.
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> Paul
> VE3KBL

1982. FS: Hustler 4btv with 20' tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Zielinski <mzielin1@ford.com>
Message-ID: <34EDE696.3760@ford.com>
Source record: 152906

I have for sale a Hustler 4btv with 20' steel tower. Tilting tower base
and 12 AWG radials included. Asking $175 for all.

Mark Zielinski
KG8ZR
248-540-9566 (day)
313-390_8532 (evening)

1983. TM 241 Help LIth Bat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Payne" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ckqbvbod1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 152907

Anyone know how to install a lithum battery in a Kenwood TM 241? The display is doing crazy things and I think it might be the battery.
Thanks Mark

1984. MARS/All-Band Mod for Icom IC-707?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3e25$1b303c60$108a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 152908

I have searched everywhere I could think of before posting this request
(including several on-line mod sites and the QRZ listing of what is on
their mods CD), nothing found.
Anyone have, or know for certain where I can find the MARS/All-Band
transmit mod for the Icom IC-707 HF rig?
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THANKS & 73, DavidC AA1FA

1985. TS-870S for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott E Olitsky <solitsky@acsu.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd3e46$706bfcc0$22f7cd80@UBUNIX.ubunix.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 152909

Brand new Kenwood TS-870S for sale. Asking $1800. plus shipping.

1986. Re: Anyone hear of Kenwood TS-510?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Samuel S. Yates" <ab4n@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6cksum$l26$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 152910

The TS-510 is the predecessor to the TS-511 and was marketed in Japan and the US in the late 1960s and early 1970s. Allied Radio used to market it for Trio/Kenwood. The TS-511 made its first showing about 1971.

Sam AB4N
Ex. KA2AI Yokosuka, Japan 1970-1974

Ron Sibbitt wrote in message <6ci9ajti1@News.Alliance.Net>...
>I believe that it is the TS-511S your refering to....
>it came out in November 1971, but it didn't have 160m on it.
>If you think it would help, I could scan the pix I have of
>the 511S and email it to you...
>73,
>Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
>Croswell, MI 48422
>E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net
>

1987. FS: nicest TS 530 Ive ever seen!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6cl1vb$1en$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This unit is near new. Almost unbelievable. Has cw filter and MC 50 microphone and manual. Truly a keeper. $500 plus shipping firm. Youll be glad you did. Truly collectible quality. Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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1988. FS: Kenwood TS 820 S, very nice!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6cl25n$1fd$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a very clean and good working unit. Has TS 50 Mic and manual. Will ship for $400 and you will like it!! Full output, no picks. Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

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1989. Help: converting Mocom 70 to repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: janran@pathcom.com
Message-ID: <janran-2002981603130001@ts25l7.pathcom.com>
Source record: 152913

Hello
I am trying perhaps am imposible project. I'm trying to convert a Motorola Mocom 70 to a mobile repeater for the Fire Department I work for.
The input and output frequencies are approx. 8 mhz apart.
I have managed to get the receiver and Transmitter operating separately.
I have also managed, although not perfectly, to couple the audio from the receiver to the transmitter, but I believe I need a matching network to provide the proper impedance between the two stages.
I also need to build a COR circuit
I need help from anyone that can help me to finish this project with any ideas you might have for matching circuits and COR circuits and where to properly place them.
Any helpful comments are welcome.
Thanks for taking the time to read this.

Randy Elliott
VE3JPU
janran@pathcom.com
905-427-6853
Bus. 905-683-3050

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Randy Elliott VE3JPU

1990. help need with radio technical data.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: neil <neil@aade.com>
Message-ID: <34EDF810.4102@aade.com>
Source record: 152914

DFD3 is a new digital frequency display to update boatanchors
to digital frequency readout.

DFD3 can autoprogram itself for over 100 radios, (at least as
soon as I am able to gather enough information)

I need help with data about some radios. The necessary info is:
1) number of bandswitch positions. (ie: 5)
2) crystal frequency for each band (and harmonic used if > 1).
some radios have auxillary band positions which did not include
crystals stock from the factory. Indicate these as "NONE" or zero.
3) for each band the lower band limit and upper band limit (ie: 3.5-4
MHz)
4) the VFO lower and upper tuning range (ie: 5-5.5 Mhz)
5) the tunable IF range (may not be the same for all bands) (ie: 3-4
MHz)
6) the second IF frequency (ie: 455KHz etc.)
7) the BFO crystal frequencies for CW, LSB and USB if any.(ie: 453.5,
456.5 KHz)

This could be in the form of a block diagram with all frequencies
marked on it or in tabular form.

If you are the one to supply this data for a radio and later purchase
a DFD3 I will throw in a backlit display upgrade free ($10 value)

If you are in a position to supply data for 10 or more of these radios
I will give you a DFD3 free.

If you have any of the following radios or manuals I could really use
your help.

FTdx560
FR-101S
TS-511
TS-900
R-599, T-599
SPR-4
SW-4A
T-4XB
T-4
270-B
300B
400
500-CX
600-R,600-T

NCX-500
NCX-1000
HRO-500
SB-35
SR-700, ST-700
AX-190
IC-700R
HA-350
SR-500
SR-750
SX-115
SX-117
HT-44
FPM-300

Send me a quick e-mail to verify I still need data for a model.

Thanks much.
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Neil
http://www.aade.com
mailto:neil@aade.com
Almost All Digital Electronics
1412 Elm St. SE
Auburn, WA 98092
253-351-9316

1991. Need K1 relay for Drake TR4C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <ralls@mcmsys.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3e3a$5849d1a0$4e738ccf@ralls>
Source record: 152915

I need a K1 plug in relay for my son's Drake TR4C radio. I live in Missouri. If you have one, please contact me at ralls@mcmsys.com 73's Ken WK0U

1992. Yaesu YH-77 STA Stereo Headphones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: whitener@hiwaay.net
Message-ID: <VJ#H$gkP9GA.213@newstoo.hiwaay.net>
Source record: 152916

Anyone using the subject headphones? If so, do these headphones qualify as so called "communications headphones" from a frequency response standpoint, or might they be higher fidelity? If anyone has specs, what is the claimed frequency response? Are they comfortable for extended wearing? Is the lack of any padding over the metal headband hard on the noggin? Any other comments would be appreciated as well.

73,
Don Whitener, K4BWU
whitener@hiwaay.net

1993. SALE: YAESU 290/690/790

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <34EE008A.6EF75BD7@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 152917
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have the following for sale: All good condition, with tt mic, manual,
original box
Make a reasonable offer....
Yaesu FT-690 Mark II, six meter rig, 10 watt, FM/SSB(AES price $569)
Yaesu FT-290 Mark II, two meter rig, 25 watt FM/SSB (AES price $629)
Yaesu FT-790 Mark II, uhf rig, 430-450, FM/SSB (AES price $719) no
box.
Frank 630-653-9090

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1994. FS: High Performace Solid State Amp Module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: larmortek@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220223301.RAA25469@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152918

For those who would like to custom-make their station:

No-Tune, high performance Solid State RF Amplifier Module
Manufactured by Kalmus Engineering, Model 161
--Never Used--
0.5 MHz to 90 MHz, 160 W, Linearity Guaranteed to 100 W
Gain: 47 dB, Flatness +/- 1.3 dB
Harmonics -25 dbc, Spurious <75 dbc, Noise output <10 mv

Dimensions: 12"X 4.6" X 1.45", Weight: 3.8 lbs
Source: Needs 28 Volts DC, 10 Amps at full load.
Needs heat sink for cooling.

Make an Offer.

1995. Re: Spam filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: esj@harvee.billerica.ma.us
Message-ID: <6cku1l$k5d@harvee.billerica.ma.us>
Source record: 152919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Keith Little (little@galileo.galilei.com) wrote:
: Every day, people are suing the spammers -- and winning. But the real
: trick is to go after the ISP's. They always have a clause in their
: client agreements which forbids sending unsolicited Email. You don't
: have to stop the spammers, the ISP's will. If they don't, they're also
: liable.

Don't be so quick to go after the ISP's. One of my clients is an isp
located in the boston area. they have had to waste hundreds of man
hours going after spammers in the past 6 months and they, like all ISPs,
are loosing the battle.

why is this so? Two reasons; both based on different failings of the
current email infrastructure. first is the cost of email put on the
recipent. second is that email filtering is trivial to bypass.

the only solution to spam is to push the cost of email back onto the
sender. yup, this means postage. fortunately, using financial
cryptography, is possible to issue postage without needing a central
authority. It is also possible to issue different classes of
postage for friends and mailing lists vrs strangers.

one slick things about self issued postage is that you get to collect
the money. one of the bummers about self issued postage is that
others will want to get a cut of that money. I can see a future where
mail servers bid to carry your mail for a fee or percentage and you
get to choose one based on price and quality of service.

--- eric

1996. Icom IC-735 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <bbierly@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3e56$455bde00$2c331ed1@bill-s-computer>
Source record: 152920

I have a IC-735 but no manual for it. Does anyone have a users manual lying around they would like to part with or copy. Will pay shipping, copy charges etc. If so email me for address etc.

Thanks, Bill K5OFY Albuquerque

1997. FS: Kenwood TS-520S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Jennings" <markjenn@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <6cl2ob$4ul$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 152921

I have a mint-condition Kenwood TS-520S transceiver for sale. This is an excellent HF transceiver for a new ham or someone who likes units with tube finals. 100W output. It doesn't tune the WARC bands. Excellent receiver section. Very lightly used and carefully stored for the last ten years. I just fired it up and it works perfectly. Not a scratch or ding. Impeccable build quality. It includes:

Kenwood MC-50 matching microphone
Kenwood SP-50 factory speaker
Operator's manual
Factory service manual
Original double-box shipping carton

I'll also throw in a very nice manual telegraph key...a New Viking that weighs over a pound and isolates all the current-carrying parts in the base. The best feel of any key I've ever used.

I'm asking $350+shipping but will entertain any reasonable offers. I'm in the Seattle area.

Please get with me via email if you are interested. Thanks,

- Mark (N9AFL, markjenn@halcyon.com)

1998. FS: Kenwood TS 940Sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6cl2kl$232$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice rig, 5 mil serial # but low usage and very clean. Only 2 small picks, #1 is the tuning know stick on center piece is a little rough. Actual know is perfect, just the stick on grey front. #2 Lite out in the graph (clock, ssb etc). No scratches and no problems. All update mods have been done. $1000 plus shipping, and gauranteed to be as I say. Murray Odessa, Tx Could trade

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1999. Re: INDEX LABS QRP Phone number?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Gansen <carlg@Rosemount.Com>
Message-ID: <34EE0464.6DB4@Rosemount.Com>
Source record: 152923

Ken Bickel wrote:
>
> Tom Nicastri wrote in message <6cc38o$ni4@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>...
> >I have been unable to contact Index Labs maker of QRP HF rigs.
> >The phone number on the Web page has the wrong area code. When I got the
> >right area code a freaking Fax answers!
> >
> >Some way to run a company. Anyone have a valid phone number for this
> >company.
> >
> >I have to tell you I am reconsidering my purchase if the company is this
> >hard to contact!
> >
> >Thanks
> >tnic@idt.net
> >
> ----------
> Sorry but Index is out of business. Sorry to hear you are having problems
> and need to get in touch with them.

However,

The Index Plus QRP rig is now being built by SGC. It has undergone
a few changes in the process including a new model number SGC-2020.

Try http://www.sgcworld.com or call 1-800-259-7331 for info.
I do not have any affiliation with SGC.

73
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Carl R. Gansen Voice: (612) 828-3062 Rosemount Inc.
12000 Technology Drive
carlg@Rosemount.COM Fax: (612) 828-3611 Eden Prairie, Mn 55344

2000. FS: Mirage B108 2-Meter Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Jennings" <markjenn@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <6cl36e$69u$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 152924

I bought this unit new in 1979 and used it extensively for a year, then packed it away. Here are the specs:

80 watts output (on 5-15 watts input)
144-148 MHz
FM, SSB, and CW
10 dB receive preamp
Requires 13.6 VDC at 10-12 amps (great for a mobile)
5-3/8 inch x 3 inch x 8 inch
3-lb weight

It is in "as new" condition, but electically and cosmetically. I have the original "owners manual" (four pages of typewritten paper and a schematic).

I'm asking $100. I'm in the Seattle area. Please email if interested.

- Mark (N9AFL, markjenn@halcyon.com)

2001. Re: TM 241 Help LIth Bat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34EE143B.55B2@onramp.net>
Source record: 152925

Mark L. Payne wrote:
>
> Anyone know how to install a lithum battery in a Kenwood TM 241? The
> display is doing crazy things and I think it might be the battery.
> Thanks Mark

It is probably not the battery. The display connector has broken loose
and needs resoldering. Common problem. If the battery goes out every
time you turn on the radio it will be on 144.000 mHz.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

2002. Atlanta Metro, WTB first rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John C. Galgano" <jgalgano@America.Net>
Message-ID: <34EE1574.C70@America.Net>
Source record: 152926

Hi group....
I'm taking my tech exam tomorrow AM, and am still looking for a first rig. I'm looking for a 5W HT, dual bander....also a mobile antenna. Plan to take the code test within 2-4 weeks, so I will consider HF equipment as well. Prefer local trading but will consider a long distance transaction. If you have something you think I might be interested in as a new liscencee, drop me a line. I prefer E mail as my ISP doesn't do such a good job with newsgroups.
73,
John Galgano
Cumming, GA

2003. TS 180S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6cl65htka1@newssvr08-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 152927

FS: Kenwood TS180S w/WARC bands, YK88S SSB filter,
YK88C CW filter, MC-35S Noise canceling mic, DC
power cord & copied manual.
This rig is digital readout & all solid state. It is in good
shape and I'm asking $400.00 + shipping.

Thanks & 73's
Nahum - N1FRH
mor55ac@prodigy.net

2004. Timewave DSP-9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6cl6cvhpu1@newssvr08-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 152928

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FS: one Timewave DSP-9.
Perfect condition w\ manual.
$110.00 Shipped to you...
mor55ac@prodigy.net

73's
Nahum - N1frh
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2005. Re: Please compare TS-570D & TS-440s/at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <6cla0n$bum@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 152929

In <34ea5abd.8008820@scan.missouri.org> printer@cheerful.com writes:

>Would someone please compare the Kenwoods ts-440s/at and the ts-570D -

I had used a 570 with a friend for a few hours. I have owned a 440 for some years. Didn't have them side by side, that would be best.

On pure design principles, notice that the 570 is a "500" class Kenwood transceiver. Like the 520 and 530. These are good basic radios, but basically single conversion as far as IF filter choices, you get one filter in one IF, no cascading and its corresponding advantages in some specs.

The 440 has a filter in each of two IF's. That is a good thing. If you replace the pair with aftermarket IRCI filters, you can get very, very nice selectivity. The 570 will allow you one IF filter, and you can get a good IRCI filter for that, then you get the advantage of some pretty nice AF DSP. Now, I find that outboard DSP works as well as the DSP in the 570 in general, so you could add it to the 440.

Overall, for most use, the 570 is probably better as it is newer, has nice features, is small, etc. For some situations, you can increase your selectivity with the 440, but you suffer with the size and the age of the rig.

For the same money, I might choose the 570 except that I have some experience inside the 440, so small problems don't bother me. I also just love the rig with good filters in it. Just put some TS 940 filters in mine, and the audio is superb as well as giving good selectivity. Nice radio.

Good luck. If you are new, go with the newer rig, it will probably give you less trouble and you won't need the small extra selectivity anyway.

Clark
WA3JPG

2006. FS: Several 3kw tuners by Dentron

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6clb6u$c7r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mt3000A very nice $225.oo

Mt 2000A very nice $175.oo (two of these)

Sell or trade . These are great if you have an amp or dont.
Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

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2007. Re: Cost of DSP ugrade to Icom 706MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <billclarke@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <34EE3C93.674692DC@mindspring.com>
Source record: 152931

Gary,

That's an interesting point. If the UT-106 doesn't do what a Timewave can do with its steep skirts, why bother? All it is then is an ANF. Will true DSP (IF level) be offered in the upcoming IC-746?

Bill W2BLC

2008. FS- FT101 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34EE39DC.79D5@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152932

FT-101 HF tranceiver iin very good condition with manual $225.00 plus shipping.

email Lee .... revcon78@hotmail.com

2009. FS-HF Watt/SWR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34EE3B6A.1CD3@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152933

New in the box Daiwa model NS 660 power SWR/power meter. Never used with warantee card ..... $100.00, I will pay shipping CONUS. Unit Cost $279.95 new. This is top of line watt/swr meter.

email Lee / AB7ON .... revcon78@hotmail.com

2010. Re: F.S. Yaesu FT101zd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Sherman <kb2ms@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <34EE3DBC.DA178E85@webspan.net>
Source record: 152934

for sale ft 840 transciever for sale perfect condition. 675.00 or best offer. kb2ms

Rudy Marcelletti wrote:

> Mike: Why doesn't your FT-101ZD have the WARC bands? Mine does. Rudy,
> K8SWD

2011. FS RTTY decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34EE3C01.6C06@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152935

Hal model ST-6 RTTY decoder in good conditon just $85.00 plus shipping.
E-mail Lee ..... revcon78@hotmail.com

2012. FS-ANT insulators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34EE3D89.7655@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152936

For sale original, new never used porceilin antenna insulators. I have over 100 of them. Minimum order 10 insulators price is 85 cents each plus $3.00 dollars shipping for 10 insulators or less. 2.75 inches about 3/4 inch diameter with a 7/16 aprox hole for wire to pass through. These insulators in the store can approach $1.50 each if you can fihd them.

e-mail Lee ..... revcon78@hotmail.com

2013. i am blind, and needing a synthesizer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980220221731.4284C-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 152937
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

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hi all, i need a synthesizer for an icom-751 if someone has one,
e-mail back please. i am located in griffin, georgia.
thanks from n4pge
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2014. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6clgri$1jg@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152938

Jack Leishman wrote:
>
> I don't know what to think, but if it sells for $1700, they are going to
> sell a bunch of them.
> 73 jack k8xx
>

You ain't kidding! I'll get in line sometime late in the Summer (after
it is debugged) if the price is $1700.

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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/~rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
****

2015. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <34ece0ce.3629059@news.hoflink.com>
Source record: 153002

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 00:50:49 -0000, "Ken Bickel" <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
wrote:

>
>Nelson wrote in message <01bd3b6c$c84df1a0$ae0148ca@nelson>...
>>I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other HT like
>>Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.
>>
>>73
>>
>>--------------------
>SURE - plug in an external speaker.
>
>
Plug in an old Motorola speaker (3-5 bucks at a hamfair). You won't
believe how LOUD the FT-50 and the FT-51are!

2016. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220000000.TAA27472@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153003

I vote for the entry level Yazu FT-840, about $850 with careful shopping on the 800'phone lines. It'll be new, warranted, and a decent piece of gear.

K&#65533;MB

2017. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa7uj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220003700.TAA04338@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153004

Congtatulations on the upgrade!

With eight different HF bands, each with their own propogation charachteristics and more importantly, antenna requirements, I recommend you decide which bands you are going to work / what type (ie. ragchew, DX, day/night etc.)

In the HF world you will quickly learn, "the antenna is the station"

Get something that will give you general coverage receive and only worry about the bands you plan to TX on. Save your $$$$ for a good antenna! Then upgrade rig to the latest features after you understand the basics.

John
aa7uj@aol.com

2018. Re: Yaesu competion to 706 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6cikulmpt1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 153005

Ken wrote in message <34EC90B9.660F@fccvde.mro1.dec.com>...
>Has anyone heard any rumors of Yaesu coming out with something to
>compete with the IC-706 MK 11 ???\
>
>Ken, N1KK

I do believe Yaesu is coming out with a new rig that goes from 160 meters to 70cm. YUP - 6, 2 and 440 plus HF. Check the ham zines for ads.
Ken, AC4VV

2019. freq counter & more FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@xxx.carroll.com
Message-ID: <EonM03.tB@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 153006

FS SIX NEC 12 in monitors model c12-202a $50.00 they all work fine

FS TWO Stancore video divices PS 1000 (10 in one out routing switcher)
With stero audio $100.00 or BO

4 ICM DA Amps one in 10 out with mono audio $100.00

FLUKE 1901a multi counter ,freq. counter $ 75.00

leader lfg1300s function generator $ 75.00

SENCOPE 10hz- 1ghz freq counter $ 75.00

EICO flyback xfmr & yoke tester model 944 $ 25.00

Tentelometer tape tension gauge $ 75.00

hitachi waveform monitor v-099 400.00

GUZ WILLIAMS PRODUCTIONS 973 773-3559 OR bill@carroll.com

2020. Re: FS ETO Alpha 76A - Attention Florida Hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: art2@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <34ecea1f.25160619@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 153007

art2@pipeline.com (Art) wrote:

>I have for sale the following piece of equipment:
>
>One - ETO Alpha 76A, HF linear power amplifier.
>Plate power input: to 2.5 kw PEP/SSB, 1 kw average or carrier, CCS.
>Drive power: nominal 100-120 watts PEP, 60 - 80 watts carrier. Tube
>complement: Two Eimac 8874 ceramic triodes in grounded-grid. Primary
>power: 220-259V/10A or 110-130V/20A, 50-60 Hz, single phase.
>Size: 7.5" h x 17" w x 14.75" d. Weight: 65 lbs.

The amp has been sold. Thanks to all of those who responded.

73.

Art

2021. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3da9$6a7baf60$680148ca@nelson>
Source record: 153008

Where can I got it (Motorola speaker ?)

Mark Russo <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote in article
<34ece0ce.3629059@news.hoflink.com>...
> On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 00:50:49 -0000, "Ken Bickel" <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
> wrote:
>
> >
> >Nelson wrote in message <01bd3b6c$c84df1a0$ae0148ca@nelson>...
> >>I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other HT
like
> >>Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.
> >>
> >>73
> >>
> >----------
> >SURE - plug in an external speaker.
> >
> >
> Plug in an old Motorola speaker (3-5 bucks at a hamfair). You won't
> believe how LOUD the FT-50 and the FT-51are!
>

2022. FS: Ten Tec filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34ECEFAC.7027DCA0@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 153009
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: 217 (9MHz 500Hz CW), 282 (6.3MHz 250Hz CW), 285 (6.3MHz 500Hz CW)
and
288 (6.3MHz 1.8kHz SSB) filters are in excellent condition.
Price: $65 each or $225 for all

reply via email

--
73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
KU4IT Amateur Op
ku4it@bellsouth.net
KU4IT@WD9AGK.SIN.IN.USA.NA
http://personal.sdf.bellsouth.net/sdf/k/u/ku4it/pers1.html

Amateur Radio Transmitting Society
of Louisville, KY

2023. Clipperton-L arcing band switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4rg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220030501.WAA21520@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153010

I have a Clipperton-L amp that I bought used. It has the 10 meter mod and the tuned input circuit. It started arcing on the last wafer of the band switch between the 160 meter and 10 meter positions. It started doing this on an 80 meter antenna that was tunned with a tuner. I stopped using it on 80 and it worked ok on 20 meters. I tried it on 40 and it started arcing. I have stopped using it and have inspected the damage. I cannot see any burned components except a couple of disk capacitors on the power supply board. If you have any ideas I would appreciate hearing from you.
Thanks, Bob K4RG

2024. ELECTRONICS EQUIP-BOOKS FORSALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: najamzkhan@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220033800.WAA08089@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153011

Microprocessor Trainer MC6800 and Z80
Z80 Emulator, SWR Meter, Protocol Analyzer
Multimeters, Electronics Books and Basic Electronics Courses study workbooks
Everthing is in Tip Top Shape.

Please Visit:
http:\\members.aol.com\Najamzkhan\forsale.html

2025. For Sale: GE Mast II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big_Red_One@Juno.com
Message-ID: <34ecd509.28988173@news.bright.net>
Source record: 153012
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,oh.forsale,us.forsale.misc,us.forsale.d,misc.misc,us.misc

For Sale

GE Master II radios 144 to 160 Mhz.

Some have PL encode/decode 100.0/146.2

50 Watt transmit .5 uv or better receive. (ALL WILL BE CHECKED BEFORE

THEY LEAVE HERE THERE WILL BE NO DUDS).

Some may come tuned in the ham band as I have done this to a few to make

shure they work well there.

Currently on Goverment frequencies but tune to 2 meter ham verry easy.

Each package contains:

One radio.

One control cable.

One control head 8 channel.

One microphone.

One speaker.

One transmit/One recive ICOM without crystals.

One PL incode/decode board and hook switch as available.

If you buy 5 or more (limit 25 as that is all I have) you

will receive a compleat service manual.

The cost is 75 dollars plus shipping FIRM!

Crystals can be installed for one frequency tx/rx for 40 dollars.

You are responsible for any additional ICOMs and crystals as there

are not enough to do more. If you order the one channel installed

you must wait 4 to 6 weeks for me to order the crystals from my supplier

and them to ship them to me. The time can be shorter but the

supplier raises the price to me and I to you.

If you want to order your own crystals and install them your self

you can order them for 10 dollars each (20 dollars a pair 1 tx / 1 rx)

from:

Hy-Q International

1438 Cox Ave.

Erlanger KY. 41018

606-283-5000

COD or money orders only no credit.

DO NOT buy JAN or BOMAR crystals as they are shipped off frequency

and usualy fail within 6 months.

Any repeater mods you want are up to you to do.

All orders and shipping are to be handled through Rich KA8CMK at Big_Red_One@Juno.com

way he want's to do it.

Thank you for your time

Wayne L. Anderson

ka8hhw@ibm.net

2026. Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cj0h1$o42@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153013

I performed the "beyond mars" mod to my TMV-7A and the radio
still performs like the mod wasn't done.
I have done the full reset to my radio with both the reset button
behind the face plate and by holding MR while turning the radio on.
The radio still operates as though the mod wasn't done. I even took a
magnifying glass and looked closely at where the resistor was removed
to be sure the area was clean and no solder splashed to make a bad
contact somewhere. Everything was very clean and just fine.
Just to be sure, I removed the chip resistor that had the number
"0" right below it. The only other chip that was there had a number
"1" below it. I did not remove that one, just the chip next to the
number "0". The green jumper wires that the Kenwood supplement talked
about are still intact. They were never touched.
I do remember that I did not reset the radio right after
performing the mod, and that I started using the radio and programming
some of the memory features and things like that. After realizing that
the radio would not go below 410 mhz, I did a full reset of the radio
to see if that would make the mod work. It did not. I've tried
resetting the radio many times and still it performs as though the mod
wasn't done.
I don't know what else I can do. I've double checked the work and
reset the radio many times. I even put the chip resistor back into the
radio, did a full reset, programmed some features and used the radio
normally. Then I started all over again and removed the chip and did a
full reset before doing anything else. It still did not work.

2027. Re: Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: geaugalake@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220052100.AAA15390@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153014

Get it, dont let it slip away, its a great unit. Id sell for mare then 200 little $$ though

2028. FS: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34ED12AA.876012E@erols.com>
Source record: 153015

Icom IC-756 - HF and 6 meters both 100 watts.
Radio is 7 months old and has had no use.
Has maybe 15 hr's on it. Radio is in mint condition.
Non smoker. Have original box and book. No optional filters.

Price is 1,600 plus shipping

Steve

2029. Check out my PCR1000 page at:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mindspring <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6cj4i2$13b@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 153016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

http://wave.home.mindspring.com/pcr1000.html

Much more to come.

Pieter

2030. Re: Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6cj5ep$dij@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 153017

Ahh but you did not tell us if you like the display????

SwTempo <Swtempo@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> I performed the mod to my TMV-7A and the radio still performs
> like the mod wasn't done.
> I have done the full reset to my radio with both the reset button
> behind the face plate and by holding MR while turning the radio on.
> The radio still operates as though the mod wasn't done. I even took a
> magnifying glass and looked closely at where the resistor was removed
> to be sure the area was clean and no solder splashed to make a bad
> contact somewhere. Everything was very clean and just fine.
> Just to be sure, I removed the chip resistor that had the number
> "0" right below it. The only other chip that was there had a number
> "1" below it. I did not remove that one, just the chip next to the
> number "0". The green jumper wires that the supplement talked about
> are still intact. They were never touched.
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> performing the mod, and that I started using the radio and programming
> some of the memory features and things like that. After realizing that
> the radio would not go below 410 mhz, I did a full reset of the radio
> to see if that would make the mod work. It did not. I've tried
> resetting the radio many times and still it performs as though the mod
> wasn't done.
> I don't know what else I can do. I've double checked the work and
> reset the radio many times. I even put the chip resistor back into the
> radio, did a full reset, programmed some features and used the radio
> normally. Then I started all over again and removed the chip and did a
> full reset before doing anything else. It still did not work.

2031. WTB: > KENWOOD TS-850S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5781$8604f200$76f21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 153018

Hi All, lookinf for a very clean and a good working Kenwood TS-850S/AT...
High Serial Serial number. 60, 70 80 million Serial #. Non Smoker.

Drop me a line, Thank you, Marty WA2MC.

2032. BoatAnchors for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <34ed2296.5497759@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 153019

BoatAnchors for sale.....

Johnson Viking Ranger transmitter (HF). Works great, cosmeticaly very good. I will throw in a second unit that's good for spare parts. $90

Johnson 6N2 transverter. New final. I don't have crystals for this but was able to test it within the 6M band. Cosmeticaly very good. $50

Gonset GSB-100 transmitter (HF). Works & looks great. Has AM; PM; SSB; & CW. I will throw in a second unit that's good for spare parts. $225

Johnson Viking Invader 200 transmitter (HF). Works & looks great. Recently alligned. Includes extra crystals. $200

Globe chief 90A transmitter. Works good, cosmeticaly O.K. $40

Heathkit HR-1680 receiver 80-10M with matching speaker. SSB/CW. Works fine, cosmeticaly great. $65

Pick up only. Seattle area.
If interested, please reply via E-mail at wizard@eskimo.com

KC7IYU

2033. Amplifiers for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <34ed2342.5669715@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 153020

Amplifiers for sale.....

600W PEP, 400W continuous, wideband AB1 linear amplifier usable up to 2 meters. Single drawer unit includes kilovac COR switching. Amp has thermal protection, Hi power combiner, bias switching and uses 4 MRF175GV dual MOSFET transistors. Requires 28VDC @ 70A power source (such as 2 Astron R70A's in series). Asking $500 or best offer.

220 MHz amplifier. 5W in 120W out. Built in power supply; variable input attenuator; overload protection; interlock; extensive output filtering; and COR. 100% duty cycle amp. Asking $300 or best offer.

250W 160-10M solid state base amplifier with power supply, thermal and overdrive protection, output meter, and COR circuitry. $200.

100W Continuous duty wideband amplifier module usable from 400-1000Mhz. Requires 28VDC source. Asking $300 or best offer.

If interested, please reply via E-mail at wizard@eskimo.com

KC7IYU

2034. FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980220072001.CAA29788@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 153021

For Sale --- Kenwood TS 870------EC---No scratches or dents. Used very little.

Asking $1875.00---shipping included.
N8WGM

2035. FS Cherokee 6 mtr Ah-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart Underwood <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <34ED2FEE.C0D259B9@harborcom.net>
Source record: 153022
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings,
I have for sale a Cherokee AH-50 6 mtr HT. It is less then 6 months old. Box and manual. Also leather case. I was using it as a base. Mostly listening. I have since bought a Yaesu all mode, and I do not use the HT anymore. I am a non smoker. I am asking $190.00 OBO. I will pay for the "UPS" shipping. Thanks in advance. 73, Stuart KB8VIY

2036. Re: Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cjdb4$78d@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153023

On 20 Feb 1998 05:48:09 GMT, Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>Ahh but you did not tell us if you like the display????
>
Sure do!!

2037. Re: CHEAP HF AMPS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony giroux <agiroux@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <34ED4248.CE6E5A@cvn.net>
Source record: 153024

Bob Bethman wrote:

> hershman wrote:
>
> > I just found a couple of Web sites with HF Amps that are very
> > inexpensive.
> >
> > http://users.aol.com/rfelectron/rfelect.htm
> >
> > http://coaxkid.simplenet.com/amplist.htm
>
> Well folks, I have taken a trip to both sites. The first one is
> definitely a ham site.
>
> As to the other.....There is a segment called "care and Feeding". It
> states that these are designed for '4 Watts dead key" or "12 Watts
> PEP". Care to make a guess what they are for? Unless the major part of
> ham radio has gone QRP, these aren't for us. I only wish these pieces
> could be taken off the market. I've seen some in the past. What a mess
> as far as how they are built and the signals--- wow, what a mess.
>
> Bob Bethman
> N0DGN

I asked for comments on the Skywalker Amps from RF Electronics (the 1st site). I have never seen them in the swap pages which means that either no one uses them or no one wants to part with them.
I got about five responses; all of them pointing to the second issue. Those who have them -- like them a lot. They seem to be great mobile amps.

My TS-520 puts out 200 watts by itself, so 500 watts didn't make sense.

Plus all that the prices quoted are for the circuit boards and components. Cases, meters, fans, heat sinks, etc -- all cost extra. To get everything for the 500 watt model, as a kit, was about $470.
Once you get it all put together, it takes a power supply to run it. The 500 watt model required an Astron AS-70 or equivilant for high amperage peaks. the 1000 watter took a pair of them in parallel.
So add the price of the power supply ($240+ from AES).

Now the 500 watt model runs about $700 as a kit.

From what I hear, they are good products; just too much money for too little gain. I'd have to tune my TS-520 way back to keep from over driving it.
Now for a ham running a Scout mobile -- a good amp.

Perspective is everything.

Tony -- WD6AXL

2038. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <34EDDEF1.507D@virgin.net>
Source record: 153025
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

BOB DUCKWORTH wrote:
>
> I sent this info to Ian via email.
>
> Perhaps some of the naysayers will be swayed :-)
>
> http://www.wa4dsy.radio.org/
>
> Your connection to this site will be via amateur packet radio at 56k!!!
>
> I can't find a better cookbook for implementing internet access
> over amateur radio and would be keen to hear of one if it exists.
>
> -bob
> wb4mnf

Hello Bob, the problem is that the person who posted the query in the UK. Internet Gateways (and phone patches) are ILLEGAL under the UK license conditions, and with a few rare exceptions the UK packet network still mainly runs at 1200, with occasional 9600 ports, plus the odd once-in-a blue-moon high speed microwave band port. The information that he has been given is correct, specifically for the UK.

Regards, Graham Galbraith M0ADR

2039. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34ED7ED1.60CA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 153026

Pete McGreevy wrote:
>
> hershman wrote:
> >
> > KILO5JOE wrote:
> > >
> > > If I am not mistaken you need to look again at the price.
> > > That is not a Dollar Sign $ in front of that 1,700.00 price tag.
> > > That is a British Pound Sign and the rate of the British Pound
> > > to the US Dollar today is. 1 British Pound = $ 1.63 Dollars.
> > > SO, you take the &1,700 BP price tage and Multiply it by
> > > $. 1.63 US Dollars and you come up with a really big figure.
> > > :-)
> > > 2,771 US Dollars,,,, I might be wrong but thats my story
> > > and I'm stickin' to it
> > > K5JOE
> > > 73
> >
> > If you look at the British Prices Including VAT tax they are very close
> > to Usa Dollars. For instance, If a radio sells for $1700 British Pounds
> > including VAT Tax then it will sell for close to $1700 USA Dollars.
> > Basically, the British pay more for their radios than we do, but you
> > will
> > see that my simple formula works for most of the radios for sale in the
> > UK. Yes there are a few exceptions.
> > 73, Steve NS1R
>
> Last time I was in the U.K. VAT was 18%..... now somebody figure yout the
> numbers and come up with an answer, cause I dont have a calculator.
>
> Then someone can tell me why the 846 doesnt have an internal tuner... or
> optional switchable (as in on-off) filters....
>
> Then finally someone can tell me what Yaesu is coming out with to replace
> the 900, which I have and love.... but hey, ya have to be on the edge of
> technology... right....
>
> ANd oh Yeah, is the 846 replacing the 736, or the 840, or the 900, both,
> all, any ideas???
>
> There's more than ya bargained for -- Pete -- KA2YDY
The only way to really find out is to go to Japan and get
an unmarked van. Hide outside the R and D part of Yaesu/Icom/Kenwood.
Then we have to abduct one of the Engineers just like in the movies and

take him to an abandoned warehouse to interigate him. Of course we'll let him go after he tells us about the Next Year models he is working on. Hee hee
73's NS1R Steve Hershman

2040. does anyone know some satellite tracker hardware?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liu HuiPing <charli@mail.iaa.ncku.edu.tw>
Message-ID: <34ED898C.4C73CB64@mail.iaa.ncku.edu.tw>
Source record: 153027

Hallo to everyone!

Really I need a satellite tracker hardware,AEA ST-1 SATELLITE
TRACKER might be a good choice,but unfortunately I hear that this
company is closed,
so I hope you give me some advises in purchasing such hardware
or any other
hardware that can also track the satellites.

Thank you very much!!!!

Sincerely,

Liu HuiPing

2041. Building a Dummy Load?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <34ed8e85.61227600@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 153028

Would like to build a 50 ohm dummy load - the kind that is made from a gallon paint can, some transformer oil and a resistor.

Problem is, I don't have a clue what kind of resistor would be appropriate.

I need something that can handle up to 1 kw for maybe 30 seconds at a time.

I see MFJ sells a kit with everything but the oil - will I be better off buying from them or can I make one myself for less?

Thanks

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

2042. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin <m.paterson@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <34ED9DEF.BF8D9598@consunet.nl>
Source record: 153029
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Philip Watson wrote:

> I agree just look at some of those American 'comedies' such as Married with
> children

IMHO Married with Children is the best TV comedy ever to be made in the US.

> Rubbish? I think so.

So what makes you laugh???

2043. FS: Mint Kenwood TS-430 and AT-250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkinsley@raex.com
Message-ID: <34eda203.6296463@news.raex.com>
Source record: 153030

FOR SALE:
Mint Condition Kenwood TS-430 and AT-250 Automatic Antenna Tuner.
Used as back-up rig, very low hours, non-smoker, never mobile.
MARS/CAP mod by Authorized Kenwood Dealer
General Coverage Receive
Narrow SSB filter installed
AT-250 tunes thru 160M
All boxes and Manuals included.

Both for $625 + shipping OBO

email mkoyle@juno.com

2044. NEW ICOM T8A Tri-band Ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: captain <ka8wpc@repairman.com>
Message-ID: <6ck81g$98c$0@192.153.35.44>
Source record: 153031

Hello,
This is my second post to anyone who has the diode matrix mods for this radio.
I already have made the keyboard mod, But now need the diode mods.
Any help would be appreciated.

Tnx
es 73, "The CAPTAIN"

2045. Re: CHEAP HF AMPS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Baldwin <Bob-Baldwin@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <34EDBAA6.58B6@tamu.edu>
Source record: 153032

tony giroux wrote:
>
> Bob Bethman wrote:
>
> > hershman wrote:
> >
> > > I just found a couple of Web sites with HF Amps that are very
> > > inexpensive.
> > >
> > > http://users.aol.com/rfelectron/rfelect.htm
> > >
> > > http://coaxkid.simplenet.com/amplist.htm
> >
> > Well folks, I have taken a trip to both sites. The first one is
> > definitely a ham site.
> >
> > As to the other.....There is a segment called "care and Feeding". It
> > states that these are designed for '4 Watts dead key" or "12 Watts
> > PEP". Care to make a guess what they are for? Unless the major part of
> > ham radio has gone QRP, these aren't for us. I only wish these pieces
> > could be taken off the market. I've seen some in the past. What a mess
> > as far as how they are built and the signals--- wow, what a mess.
> >
> > Bob Bethman
> > N0DGN
>
> I asked for comments on the Skywalker Amps from RF Electronics (the 1st
> site). I have never seen them in the swap pages which means that either no
> one uses them or no one wants to part with them.
> I got about five responses; all of them pointing to the second issue. Those
> who have them -- like them a lot. They seem to be great mobile amps.
>
> My TS-520 puts out 200 watts by itself, so 500 watts didn't make sense.
>
> Plus all that the prices quoted are for the circuit boards and components.
> Cases, meters, fans, heat sinks, etc -- all cost extra. To get everything
> for the 500 watt model, as a kit, was about $470.
> Once you get it all put together, it takes a power supply to run it. The
> 500 watt model required an Astron AS-70 or equivilant for high amperage
> peaks. the 1000 watter took a pair of them in parallel.
> So add the price of the power supply ($240+ from AES).
>
> Now the 500 watt model runs about $700 as a kit.
>

> From what I hear, they are good products; just too much money for too little
> gain. I'd have to tune my TS-520 way back to keep from over driving it.
> Now for a ham running a Scout mobile -- a good amp.
>
> Perspective is everything.
>
> Tony -- WD6AXL

I just received my new R.F. Electronics KW amp, and it is built like a
battleship. Also, at $910 assembled & delivered, it is not very cheap.
But, the kit will save the $200 charge for assembly. I will begin
installing the amp in my truck this weekend. If interested, e-mail me at
bob-baldwin@tamu.edu

Bob Baldwin WA5JOT PP-ASEL
bob-baldwin@tamu.edu

2046. Questions about Field Strength

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Havens <thavens@hps-inc.com>
Message-ID: <6ck88anpm1@usenet53.supernews.com>
Source record: 153033

A friend of mine owns a mountian which he lives atop. He leases space to a cellular phone company for a tower site. He has concerns about knowing when and
if the phone company changes the output power on the system. They are getting
ready to change out the antenna systems on the tower site, and he wants to measure the the output power, prior to to the installation of the new antennas. To
see if his exposure to the system has increased.

I worked for the this phone company, and this is how I met the gentleman; however,
I have moved from that area now, and no longer have equipment to measure field
strength.

Can anyone suggest an inexpensive way to do this? I think he said he had a field
strength meter already but that is was broad banded, something like 30Mhz to 2ghz.
I suggested connecting a 870Mhz Cellular antenna to it, and getting a set of notch
filters to cancel everything else out.

One of my concerns with this method is that since he lives atop a 3000' mountain the
device he is using to measure may be picking up signals from all around. So...we want to
find a way to be as acurate as possible.

I don't own any radios that have cellular freq cababilities, if I did, I would just use that,
with an attenuator in line, and that would be a good way to measure it. This needs to
be something that can be repeated, and won't require a lot of calibration ;-) The systems
ERP when all 10 voice channels, and the control channel are keyed is around 495 watts.
Not like the 6 tenths of a watt a hand held phone puts out or even the 3 watts phones.
495 watts is significant to wonder about we think.

So, prolonged exposure to this may actually be a legitimate concern. The antennas are
directional, and are pointed away from his home; however, we are still concerned.

He lives in NORTHERN New Hampshire, about 25 north of Franconia Notch. If there are
any hams in that area with cellular capable rigs please email me. Barring that, if you have any
ideas on how to construct something to do this, PLEASE email me as well.

Your help is GREATLY appreciated.

Tim Havens - WX2L/1
thavens@hps-inc.com

2047. FS: Tait PGM-2020 VHF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Murray <rlmurray@seanet.com>
Message-ID: <34EDA2E6.DA990F08@seanet.com>
Source record: 153034

I have for sale a TAIT vhf mobile radio, model PGM-2020.
This is a mil spec mobile, 144-174 mhz which is computer
programmable (IBM-PC). The unit has CTCSS and has dual
TX power. It will store 99 channels. I have all manuals, the
programming software and cable, mic, ext. spkr.

$350.00 - I will pay shipping.

Ron Murray (KB7QHX)
(253) 630-2703

2048. HAMFEST - Lindenhurst , LI - March 8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Carrubba KA2D <ka2d@li.net>
Message-ID: <6ck9ad$m50$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 153035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB & SUFFOLK COUNTY RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - MARCH 8, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On March 8, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club & Suffolk County Radio Club will again sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location Will be at the:

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This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic components, computers and accessories, software, books, technical manuals, ARRL information, Amateur Radio License Exams and information. Door Prizes. General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available at the door.)

ARRL VE - 12:00 NOON
For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID), and the examination fee, to the exam session. 1998 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.35, exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

For vendor and additional information pleas contact, Tom Favilla N2MIG at (516)957-5985, during EVENING HOURS (7PM-10PM), or info@gsbarc.org
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Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights of Columbus Council.

Information is available during the club 2-meter info net:
GSBARC-Monday at 7:00 PM on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5)PL.
SCRC - Wednesday at 8:00 PM on the W2DQ repeater, 145.210 -600 4Z(136.5)PL .

You may also write to:
HAMFEST
P.O. Box 1356

West Babylon, NY 11704

Visit GSBARC online at http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm
or e-mail to info@gsbarc.org

NEXT HAMFEST- September 27, 1998

73,
GSBARC & SCRC

2049. Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ck9s5$81e@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 153036

I performed the "beyond mars" mod to my TMV-7A and the radio still performs like the mod wasn't done.
I have done the full reset to my radio with both the reset button behind the face plate and by holding MR while turning the radio on. The radio still operates as though the mod wasn't done. I even took a magnifying glass and looked closely at where the resistor was removed to be sure the area was clean and no solder splashed to make a bad contact somewhere. Everything was very clean and just fine.
Just to be sure, I removed the chip resistor that had the number "0" right below it. The only other chip that was there had a number "1" below it. I did not remove that one, just the chip next to the number "0". The green jumper wires that the Kenwood supplement talked about are still intact. They were never touched.
I do remember that I did not reset the radio right after performing the mod, and that I started using the radio and programming some of the memory features and things like that. After realizing that the radio would not go below 410 mhz, I did a full reset of the radio to see if that would make the mod work. It did not. I've tried resetting the radio many times and still it performs as though the mod wasn't done.
I don't know what else I can do. I've double checked the work and reset the radio many times. I even put the chip resistor back into the radio, did a full reset, programmed some features and used the radio normally. Then I started all over again and removed the chip and did a full reset before doing anything else. It still did not work.

swtempo@worldnet.att.net

2050. HELP.Do I get a Shortwave receiver or a Transceiver?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: FranJ <maverick@trekker.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <dqW6SGAJKb70EwBm@trekker.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 153037

Please forgive me if this is the wrong group. But need advice.
I'm presently studying for the RSGB Amateur Radio License including trying to learn Morse. I want to get involved now by listening in, but I have a dilemma. Do I buy a Shortwave receiver now, then in May when I pass my exam (Trying to be positive!), buy a transceiver OR Just buy a transceiver now, and not use the transmitting functions?!! Somebody suggested the Kenwood TS440s, I have no idea what a good Shortwave receiver is. Other people have advised to go to a club for advice, but presently I'm laid up with a slipped disc. So my computer and the phone are my only way of communicating with the world.

Hope somebody can help, my budget is about ï¿½600 in total
Thanks
Franki:-)

'---mavericc@trekker.demon.co.uk---'
ANTI-SPAM - replace the 2nd c with a k and your mail I will get:-)
A move to slow down the SPAM clutter in my bit of space

2051. Re: Cost of DSP ugrade to Icom 706MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Viking <NotMe@add-inc.com>
Message-ID: <6ckcd2ciu1@news1.norlight.net>
Source record: 153038

>Does anyone know what this upgrade will cost?
>73 de Eric KB9QAI

I called Icom and the DSP announcement was official on Jan 23. Apparently they will be offering the free DSP for radio's purchased up to 2 weeks before that date. The best I could get was a $20 coupon towards DSP. I guess I can't complain since I didn't even know DSP would be an option when I got my radio; it's just kind of ironic since my wife bought it for me for Christmas on Dec 23, approximately a month before I had planned on buying it. Suggested retail is $169. Since I am new to all this could someone with more experience tell me if I will still want mechanical filters for DXing or will DSP eliminate my need for those?
73 de Eric KB9QAI NotMe@add-inc.com
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"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.
Replace "NotMe" with "viking" to reply.
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227,
any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is
subject to a $500 fee.

2052. FS: Radio Shack Pro-34 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Adkins <chuck@chucks2way.com>
Message-ID: <34EF61C6.D4E3F1C1@chucks2way.com>
Source record: 152691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

A Friend of mine is selling a scanner, it's a radio shack pro-34 scanner, It comes with a ni-cad battery pack, and a ac adapter, He's asking $100.00 for it. It's in good shape. His name is Dwayne and you can reach at the following numbers:

Home Telephone (Best after 6:00P.M. EST) 1-313-388-3520
Cell Phone: 1-313-530-9139
Pager: 1-313-877-5441

Please Note: I've only seen this Scanner once, so, I can't really speak for it. so, don't come after me if it's not in the shape you wanted! :-)

Just doing a friend a favor.

--
-Chuck

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[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2053. QRZ CD's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <6cnn89$ovb1@news.i2020.net>
Source record: 152692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for old QRZ CD's. I would like a volume 7, 5 and any earlier than that. Willing to buy or trade.

N5PW

2054. WTB: Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ktheo7707@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221234400.SAA19863@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152693

Any one have a MFJ model 989c or 962d antenna tuner for sale?.
73 Thanks Ktheo7707@aol.com

2055. STONER SCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6cnns7$4h8$3@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 152694

I AM LOOKING FOR A STONER SCOPE ...EMAIL IF YOU CAN HELP..

THANKS.

2056. FT920 Mod Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <tkoliver@telis.org>
Message-ID: <34EF63E5.6424@telis.org>
Source record: 152695

Hello All!
Well, it seems that the 920 xmit mod that is posted to a number of
mod servers DOESN'T work for me.

I get an error message after I type:

att0274 gen-tbl.txt

the computer responds with:

Error: Line:3 Bud Freq. data!
(yes---Bud)

It looks like the gen-tbl.txt file has incorrect data, and I don't
want to take a chance with my rig by modifying it. Anyone else have
the same problem?

Tom

2057. FS: WELLER Soldering Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: david.noon@odyssey.on.ca
Message-ID: <34ef665f.10320246@news.odyssey.on.ca>
Source record: 152696

WELLER Controlled Output Miniature Soldering Station.
Model W-MCP-650, 20W. Pencil type iron.
Used only twice, comes with original box, operating
and maintenance instructions. $40 US post paid.

Dave VA3DN
david.noon@odyssey.on.ca

2058. -FS- Motorola Mocom 10 Base on 46.02Mhz CHEAP $20.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6cleas$411$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 152697
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.collecting.stamps.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale....

Motorola Mocom 10 Base Station
with built-in AC Power Supply
and Microphone. One Channel.
Low power..about 10watts.
currently on 46.02 Mhz
works fine. Very Very Clean!!!
could probably be put on 6m FM.
$20 plus shipping of $8.

email me....

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
5885 Galbraith Line Road
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

2059. Re: VX-1R review please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ra2fmDAA6170EwlY@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152698

In article <34EC8046.F7322BCB@agt.net>, Lawrence "The Dreamer" Chen
<dreamer@agt.net> writes
>I don't like the squelch behaviour. AUTO doesn't work in all cases, and manual
>tends to
>be too tight in some cases. Especially annoying when I have it scanning
>through the
>memories or using dual watch.

Yes, I forgot about this problem. In my case it affects the FM
broadcast band. The squelch is too tight on AUTO when using the
standard whip antenna. The squelch seems to behave normally if the
handie is attached to a bigger external antenna.

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Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

2060. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <u6ieuGAS+170EwnM@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152699

In article <34ECBFE2.34@ix.netcom.com>, hershman
<hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes
>If you look at the British Prices Including VAT tax they are very close
>to Usa Dollars. For instance, If a radio sells for $1700 British Pounds
>including VAT Tax then it will sell for close to $1700 USA Dollars.
>Basically, the British pay more for their radios than we do, but you
>will
>see that my simple formula works for most of the radios for sale in the
>UK. Yes there are a few exceptions.

This is broadly correct. We *do* pay more for our radios. For instance
the Kantronics KPC3 sells for around ukp 140 whereas you can probably
buy it in the USA for around US$ 110.
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

2061. Ft3000 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rogerg@ccnn.net>
Message-ID: <34EF0537.631D@ccnn.net>
Source record: 152700

Does any body have any information on know of any mods for the yaesu ft-3000m mobil radio.....?

2062. FS: Heathkit ID-4001 Weather Station at Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ricky <+ricky-ponder@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6cnpu5$103@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152701
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.shortwave

I have a complete and working Heathkit ID-4001 Weather Station at Ebay,
it also comes
with a non-working unit that could be fixed or saved for parts if
needed.

Here's the address:

http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6549888

Ricky

To reply by email remove the + from the front of my address

2063. WTB: Kenwood SM-230 Station Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary AC5OV <viking@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <6cnsg9$dnb@paperboy.world-net.net>
Source record: 152702

Want Kenwood SM-230 station monitor with pan display -- recently
discontinued model -- to
hook up to my TS-950S. Send me your offer.

73

Gary AC5OV

2064. MOD for Kenwood TM-261A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Scot Wardlaw" <swardlaw@clemson.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <34EFAA09.3FCC@clemson.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 152703

Does anyone have the mod for the kenwood TM-261A? If so please send it to my email address as I am not able to check the newsgroup often.

Thanks in advance.

2065. Eagle sidewinder 400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mr_rhumba <NO_SPAMrumcd@open.org>
Message-ID: <34EF72D0.725F8E30@open.org>
Source record: 152704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Eagle Sidewinder 400:

How much of the 10 Meter band does it cover with the jumper in the stock position?
Somewhere I saw 28.315-28.755 or something, right? Sort of odd if it doesn't go higher. FM section is much higher in the band. Hmmm...

What is the total frequency coverage with the jumper moved?
26-30? Any chance of 12M?

Also, is there anyway to reach the "a" channels that are skipped in the 10M band?
I would guess 28.345, 28.395, etc.

I ordered one, but am trying to figure out all the logistics. I intend on using it on 10M, the Novice/Tech+ voice section 28.3-28.5.

It appears that with the jumper moved it has "bands"? Could someone explain!

The Copper site and catalog do a fairly poor job of explaining exactly what this thing does, but for $149, I guess I shouldn't complain.

The output is a bit low for 10M. What will the "tune-up" give you for output on SSB?

Please reply to my e-mail as I have spotty usenet access.

Thanks & 73
de Xopher

rumcd@open.org

> Very easy. Just move the black jumper on the small circuit board from
> pins
> 1 and 2 to pins 2 and 3 and you will have 400 channels.
> RV5 = AMC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. AM modulation)
> RV6 = ALC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. SSB modulation)
> RV4 = AM/FM power Adjust to bring AM key power up to no more that half
> of what it will swing.
> RV7 = Transmit Meter adjustment Adjust to personal preference (no
> effect on performance)
>
> I would like to know if someone comes up with a mod to keep this radio
> from resetting when it is turned off and back on. Really aggravating to
> have to reset the band, mode and channel every time you turn it off.
> 73 de Tony

2066. Re: **********TICKLISH GUYS**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: newbie <reddog113@goplay.com>
Message-ID: <6cnvoi$cn1$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 152705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

This is really disturbing!!

Joseph wrote in message <69nmf6sfs1@techsrv1.tech>...
>
>GO AWAY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
>
>
>tsunkndj@tickling.net randomly organized the following:
>:-=-
>:-=- Are you a guy between the ages of 18-23 who is
>:-=- HOT, TICKLISH, and IN NEED OF SOME U.S. CASH?
>:-=- Or, perhaps, even a new NEC Ready PC with a Pentium Pro
>:-=- processor? If so, read on... I'm very serious about what you'll
>:-=- find.
>:-=-
>:-=- UPDATE: Right now, I have 3 NEC Ready 9716 PCs available,
>:-=- featuring:
>:-=- 56 kbs US Robotics X2 modem
>:-=- 4+ gig hard drive
>:-=- 32 mb RAM
>:-=- Video Card/2 mb video memory
>:-=- Built-in Zip Drive
>:-=- 24 speed CD Rom
>:-=-
>:-=-
>:-=- Other PC systems are also available.
>:-=-
>:-=- My name is Terri. I am a female college student in the Boston area.
>:-=- As a hobby...one that costs me ALOT of money...I maintain a
>:-=- personal collection of amateur videos featuring guys being
>:-=- tickled (usually for 30 or 60 minutes) by a girlfriend, good girl
>:-=- friend, girl friends, or even guy friends. I am not a business,
>:-=- video trader, or porn solicitor. My interest is in TICKLING.
>:-=-
>:-=- I am actively looking for guys to make videos that I can add to
>:-=- my collection. Guys that interest me are YOUNG (basically,
>:-=- my age...18-23), HOT (swimmer/soccer/runnerbuilt....on the
>:-=- thin side...not too "big-n-buff"....with little or no bodyfat
>:-=- whatsoever), and TICKLISH! No sex or nudity are wanted in
>:-=- my videos. I just want to see guys tied up and mercilessly,
>:-=- relentlessly TICKLED.
>:-=-

>:-=- If you are interested in this UNIQUE (and hopefully FUN) way of
>:-=- making $$$$, please e-mail me. I need you to provide me with
>:-=- a general picture (.gifs, .jpgs, .bmps, and pictures found on
>:-=- webpage URLS are fine...and I have a mailing address to "snailmail"
>:-=- regular photos, also) before I can make you a concrete cash offer.
>:-=-
>:-=- Average fees paid:
>:-=- $125 for a 30 minute video
>:-=- $250 for a 60 minute video
>:-=-
>:-=- PCs are available for multiple video deals and to groups of
>:-=- guys (frats, teams, etc) that make videos.
>:-=-
>:-=- Money offered is determined by your looks, ticklishness, and who
>:-=- will be tickling you.
>:-=-
>:-=- Asian, Black and Hispanic guys are ESPECIALLY welcomed and wanted!!!
>:-=-
>:-=- I have numerous online references that are available for contact to
>:-=- assure you of my honesty, legitimacy, and SERIOUSNESS about all of
>:-=- this.
>:-=-
>:-=- PLEASE NOTE: This is not a TICKLING SERVICES AVAILABLE
>:-=- POSTING. I have a boyfriend, full cadre of friends, and plenty of
>:-=- guys to tickle already. I AM NOT LOOKING TO MEET OR TICKLE ANY
>:-=- GUYS ENCOUNTERED FROM CYBERSPACE!!!! I also do not provide
>:-=- videotaping equipment, facilities, or girls to tickle you. All
>:-=- aspects of video production are your responsibility!!!!!
>:-=-
>:-=-Think about it!!! E-mail me if interested: TerriTickling@hotmail.com
>:-=-
>:-=-
>:-=-
>:-=-
>--
>Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ. <n8ouz@qsl.net> http://radiolink.net/n8ouz
>Systems Operator, Husky Amateur Radio Club - W8YY
> "All puffed up with vanity, we see what we want to see,
> To the beautiful and the wise, the mirror always lies..." --RUSH

2067. heathkit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: emory peters <emoryp@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <34EF9358.2EF6CB01@surfsouth.com>
Source record: 152706

i hve a vry beautiful heathkit complete station. not a scratch nowhere.
it is (1) sb-401 transiver (2) sb-300 receiver (3) sb-600 speaker. all
manual's complete. wud like $300.00 p/shipping wud intertain a trade
toward a ts 830 s kenwood or a icom 751A
tnx. kk4rb

2068. HF ham radio station for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Snodgrass <donsno@texas.net>
Message-ID: <6co4ascrh1@news3.texas.net>
Source record: 152707

Hello...

I have for sale the following items:

Kenwood TS-850SAT
YG-455C-1/CN-1 CW Crystal Filter
YK-88C-1 CW Crystal Filter
YK-88SN-1 SSB Narrow Filter
Matching Kenwood PS-52 heavy duty DC power supply
Matching Kenwood SP-31 speaker
Kenwood TS-850 series Computer control interface IF-232C
Kenwood microphone MC-60 with heil element
(All in superb condition with original boxes, all manuals(except microphone)
and necessary hookup wiring)
$1650.00 for the entire 850 package as listed.

Also available:

AEA DSP-232 Multi-Mode TNC with all manuals and hookup cables. Perfect
condition and currently wired for FSK with Kenwood series HF transceivers.
$275.00

Nye-Viking Model MB II 2KW 10-160 meter antenna impedance matching network
with manual. Excellent condition.
$250.00

Swan model WM-2000A Peak Reading high power Watt and SWR meter. Hard to
find and in mint condition. (no manual)
$150.00

Box of miscellaneous equipment including a military grade 50 Ohm dummy load,
Electovoice microphone model 638 with stand (needs wiring), numerous coax
hook-up cables, etc....a purchase worth every bit of $100.00 for all.

Purchase above separately for prices indicated or everything listed here as
a total station package deal for $2150.00 for a savings of $275.00

I will cover all shipping costs.

73
Don
KM5IC

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Don Snodgrass
8606 Connemara Drive
Fair Oaks Ranch, Texas 78015

(near San Antonio)
(830) 981-2437
donsno@texas.net
http://lonestar.texas.net/~donsno

Director of Technical Support
Automated Legal Systems Inc.
800-759-5418
tech@prodoc.com
http://www.prodoc.com

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2069. FS 100kc crystal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34EF8DD5.4CC4@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 152708

100 KC crystals - $12.00ea. including shipping.

2070. Re: WTB - 6 Meter Repeater (Parts)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EF9504.FBE95BB2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 152709

Take it from someone with 20+ years of experience on lowband
commerical (48Mhz) and 6 FM....go GE, split site WITH the NB
turned on and set to 50.00000
MICOR RCVRS SUCK on 6....I had a fleet of 200+ mobiles and 15 base
stations...all but two of the bases were MICOR...BUT all but 26
of the mobiles were GEs (corporate bought the bases...our division
bought the mobiles!).....The MICORs were junk in my PROFESSIONAL
opinion....the GE MSTR II and EXEC IIs are much better...
The Extender on a MICOR (the NB) trashes the main channel at odd
times with NO reason to do so....possible low level oscillations..
AND you CANNOT use a NB in a single site duplexed rptr on 6...
and in DRY days or wet rainy nights, you can appreciate a NB...
can improve effective sens by as much as 20db!

73
Chris
WB5ITT

Kim E. Wells wrote:
>
> I'm looking to built / Buy a 6 meter repeater in the Ocean City, MD
> area. Prefer Motorola Micor equipment. At the moment, I'm in need of
> everything to include a duplexer
>
> Please contact
> Kim Wells
> Ocean City, MD
> n3oac@qsl.net

2071. Re: Repeater Controllers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EF9340.295BC8AC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 152710

I have a RC 850 in service...also own two RLC3s from LinkComm...
they emulate the 850 real easily....

I HIGHLY suggest the LINK series....What does your 850 do currently
and what version software do you run? (3* if you are using default
codes)....Also there is an ACC remailer if you wish to join

Go to http://www.link-comm.com and click on the link to the
ACC remailer....and also the LinkCom remailer as well!

Chris
WB5ITT

Dave Foran wrote:
>
> Our organization is looking to replace the controllers on our repeaters
> the 146.76 and 146.88 in Cleveland, Oh...
>
> I am looking for comments on new controllers to replace the ACC RC-850
> controllers. What is out there in radio land that will replace the
> RC-850 controllers ????
>
> We need to have pretty much the same capabilities as the 850.. And
> something phone patch wise that will handle more than 2 area codes..
>
> What is available ??????
>
> If possible, reply to dave@hamnet.org
>
> Thanks!
>
> --
>
> ---
> Dave Foran Cleveland Hamnet BBS (440) 942-6382
> Email address: dave@hamnet.org http://junior.apk.net/~dforan/hamnet

2072. Re: Repeater audio???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EF925A.E40CD3B2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 152711

You have the correct point.....you COULD FM the TX and then run
"flat" audio without pre & de-emphasis thru the system (it will
pass PL tones then!)....but your controller would require mods
to sounds right on the air...
The usual de-emphasis ckt I use is a 6.8K in series and a .2uf to
gnd....then to the controller input (but then I use the LINKCOM series
and dont have to use external de-emphasis...442.0 near BTR is
a RLC 3 and MSTR II I built for them)

Chris
WB5ITT
BoD member, LCARC & TX VHF FM Society
Former President-Entergy AR Society

Sean P Murphy wrote:
>
> I am interfacing the audio from the receiver of a General Electric
> Mastr II to the transmitter of the same radio. Does anyone have any ideas
> on how to do this. I should say any other ideas. I have tried building an
> op-amp/ de-emphasis circuit and picking the audio from the vol/sq hi. This
> works great but I wonder if anyone has any different ideas. (easier?) I
> guess I might be looking for different circuits. Anyone?
>
> Sean N5MWM 444.375 Kenner, La.

2073. FS ICOM IC-725 $490

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34EF9C94.C36@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152712

Mint condition 100watts, transmit and receive general coverage, AM and
FM
board installed. $490. Comes with manual, power cord and handmike
73 Chris

2074. FS:TS-940S/AT MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell, Jr." <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6co6u7$5nu$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152713
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap
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I have a near perfect TS-940S/AT for sale. Includes hand mic, manuals &
original boxes (inner & outer). Also included is the SP-940 Speaker, And
PC-1A Phone Patch. This radio is a 9.8 on appearance and 10 on performance.
I've got 'new radio' fever but I don't 'HAVE' to sell this radio so PLEASE
don't waste either of our time with low-ball offers. $1350 (and worth it!).
Prefer local sale so I can demo the radio but will ship at your expense.

E-mail if interested
73 Daniel KC4OXP
kc4oxp@flash.net

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J. Daniel Bell, Jr. KC4OXP
$13.95/Month* Internet Service
Independent FlashNet Distributor
http://www.flash.net/~kc4oxp/index.html
*One Year PrePaid @ $167.40 Other Plans Available!

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2075. Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Westfall <n9nvy@ticz.com>
Message-ID: <34EF9F91.9016521E@ticz.com>
Source record: 152714

Wanted: Service manual for Drake TR7A Transceiver. (812)299-1746 or
e-mail n9nvy@ticz.com Thanks de Paul

2076. FS Heathkit Coax Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34EFA0DD.6E36@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 152715

Heathkit HD1234 Coax switch and manual. $30.00 plus postage.

2077. Re: FS: Drake TR7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Melvin Tyre <mtyre@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34EEFDF5.66A338DA@ibm.net>
Source record: 152716

The TR7 equipment has been taken. Thanks
Melvin Tyre
N4HNI

2078. FT767 GX for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jan and/or Len P." <n9hkg@apci.net>
Message-ID: <34efa968.0@queeg.apci.net>
Source record: 152717

Yaesu FT 767 GX HF 10-160M + 6M +2M +70CM, built in tuner, desk mic with Heil cartridge, hand mic, service and owner's manual and keypad QSYer. $1600.00 or BO. Will help with shipping. Please send inquiries to n9hkg@apci.net.

2079. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34efb3cb1efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152718
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In <34eb0068.23239366@news.virgin.net>, on 02/18/98
at 03:42 PM, moss.i@virgin.net said:

>To all that can offer assistance

>I believe there are things called packet radio internet gateways. What i
>want to do is to have FULL Internet access (not just EMAIL) through
>packet radio, via the said gateways so as to do away with my ISP which
>costs me ï¿½12/month, and the PHONE bill, which I think is a disgrace that
>we have to pay for. We pay for calls to the Internet in England!!!!!!

>PLEASE NOTE:-If you have never heared of an packet radio internet
>gateway, DONT reply to me saying youve never heard of it, and its not
>possible, because I jolly well know it is possible, this would obviously
>be the first time you have heard of it, so DONT bother to reply to me. If
>you DO know what I am talking about, I would very much welcome your
>input.

>I need to know what equiptment I will need to do this, the cost, and if
>there are local gateways operating in the MHZ freq. range that will be
>able to cope with a high speed packet radio modem (56K + baud), in the
>NorthWest region of England. From reading stuff off the net it wont cost
>a fortune to implement all this. I apparently need a TNC (Terminal Node
>controller), radio, amplifier, and Antenna, and anything else you might
>think I should need. Read some info about JNOS too, presume its possible
>to run TCP/IP over that, with WIN95, and all the traditional internet
>application programs running all above that, FTP, email, Netscape browser
>etc etc etc. I hope to run all that little lot from a 486AMD5x86-P75
>,256K cache,16MB, WIN95, which will more than meet the needs of the
>Packet radio interface.

First, all the packet gateways I know about are Amateur Radio packet
gateways, so to gain access, you will need an Amateur Radio license.
Second, not all the traffic carried on the Internet is permissible under
an Amateur Radio license in many countries, including, I think, the UK.

A group of BC Amateurs has designed and built a 56 K radio/modem currently
used to connect a number of sites together, including a link to the
Internet. I understand they're presently designing a new one that will
basically have two connections plus power - an ethernet connector and an
antenna connection.

They're presently using the 430-440 MHz band with about 85-100 KHz
bandwidth, although the goal down the road is to go up in frequency to

just under 6 GHz so that the bandwidth for a T1 connection will be available.

So, in conclusion, if I were you, I'd find a knowledgable person at the RSGB who can tell you what is possible under UK rules. They would also be able to steer you to active packet people in the UK.

73, Bob, VE7HS

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2080. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34efb845$2$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152719
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34ef448e.1263875@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/21/98
at 09:23 PM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:

>Well, maybe one day you'll modernise your lousy NTSC color TV system in
>the States, to bring it up to the standard of quality we've been
>accustomed to here in Europe since 1966.

Cheap shot..... Never Twice the Same Colour has been around since the
early fifties...

>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your car
>exhausts, like we do, to reduce the amount of pollution you pump into the
>atmosphere.

For almost the last twenty years we've had catalytic converters and no
lead gasoline. Where have you been?

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2081. Re: **********TICKLISH GUYS**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34EF82E9.2F73@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

newbie wrote:
>
> This is really disturbing!!
>
> <snip sex spam>

Hi, "newbie" --

It sounds like you may be new to the "newsgroup thing," and aren't yet conversant with the subject of spambots. Spambots are automated newsgroup posters which place messages such as the ones you've replied to on literally tens of thousands of newsgroups, without any intervention or supervision from the people responsible for the spam.

Replying to spam messages in newsgroups does nothing but compound the waste of bandwidth and server space caused by the spam in the first place. The originators of the spam do not look in the thousands of individual newsgroups for any replies to their spam, and will thus never see your indignant reply... but the rest of us have no choice.

Further, many of us use news servers such as Super Zippo (http://www.zippo.com) which implement automatic spam filtering based on a wide variety of criteria. The idea to keep messages with subject lines or contents like "MAKE MONEY FA$T", and so on from ever appearing in their customers' view of the newsgroups. This technology works very well, and is a major selling point for the news services that offer it. Unfortunately, when someone like yourself replies to a spam post that is visible on *your* news server, your reply has the effect of making the spam visible to the rest of us for the first time -- effectively generating spam we otherwise would never have seen in the first place. This happens because many of the common spam filters don't reject replies, only original messages.

So in short, please knock off the replies to spammers. Your audience for such replies is limited to everybody in the world *except* the spammers themselves, and believe me, everybody else already agrees with you.

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

2082. Microwave Components, USED, UNTESTED, sold "AS-IS"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Harlan <sales@emodus.com>
Message-ID: <6cojhi$lp3$1@ha1.rdc1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 152721

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Microwave Components, USED, UNTESTED, sold "AS-IS"
--------------------------------------------------------------------------
(1) HP774D, Dual Directional Coupler, 20 dB, 215 to 450 MHz, $35.00
(1) HP8731A, Pin Diode Attenuator, .8 to 2.4 GHz, $18.00
(1) HP8732A, Pin Diode Attenuator, 1.8 to 4.5 GHz, $25.00
(1) HP8732B, Pin Diode Attenuator, 1.8 to 4.5 GHz, $30.00
(1) HP8733B, Pin Diode Attenuator, 3.7 to 8.3 GHz, $25.00
(1) HP8734A, Pin Diode Attenuator, 7.0 to 12.4 GHz, $25.00
(2) HP H382A, Variable Attenuator H Band, 0 to 50 dB,$40.00 each
(1) HP X375A, Variable Attenuator, X Band, 0 to 20 dB, $30.00
(2) HP X382A, Variable Attenuator, X Band, 0 to 50 dB, $50.00 each
(1) HP11523A, Load Resistor, $7.50
(2) Narda 4773-20, DC to 6GHz 20 dB Attenuator, SMA m/f, $12.00 each
(3) Triangle Microwave, YL-42, 3 dB Splitter, 2 to 4 GHz, SMA (f), $12.00
(5) Western Microwave 2JC-2040 Coaxial Isolators, 2 to 4 GHz, SMA
(f),$12.00 each

Free Shipping in the USA on all of the above, on orders of
$25.00 or over. Orders under $25.00 add $4.00 for shipping & handling.
For shipping cost outside of USA , e-mail your address and items
you are interested in and we will provide a quotation.
All prices are in US $, No minimum order.
Prices valid until 3-13-98 or while supply lasts.

To reserve any of the above items, e-mail "sales@emodus.com"

Emodus, PO Box 6117, Laguna Niguel, CA, 92607-6117, USA
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2083. Re: Please compare TS-570D & TS-440s/at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <QqPzXEA0q070EwwQ@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152722

Clark,
Interesting post.
>For the same money, I might choose the 570 except that I have some
>experience inside the 440, so small problems don't bother me. I also
>just love the rig with good filters in it. Just put some TS 940
>filters in mine, and the audio is superb as well as giving good
>selectivity. Nice radio.
Surely with the 570 you can also dial-up 'superb' audio due to tailoring it with the DSP and possibly a heil insert:-)
Now I wonder who'll be the first to bring out a truly mobile HF set with real IF DSP!

(((73)))

Phil G4ZOW/M

2084. Re: TM 241 Help LIth Bat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34EE9BCA.2F93666E@triax.com>
Source record: 152791

The lithum battery is in your radio so it will retain the information
you put in your memories. I don't really see how it can be effecting
your display.
Bob W7CTW
Mark L. Payne wrote:

> Anyone know how to install a lithum battery in a Kenwood TM 241? The
> display is doing crazy things and I think it might be the battery.
> Thanks Mark

2085. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger, W6VZV" <rogerjb@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34EECBF9.A2CFAA2@ibm.net>
Source record: 152792

J.R. Smullen wrote:
>
> First let me say that I probably won't look at used equipment very
> seriously. The prices I've seen there are not THAT much lower, and I
> wouldn't want to get a lemon with no warranty. I also would feel a bit
> inadequate in the dickering department, with no more ham experience than I
> have. So what's the alternitive? First I've found great solace in this
> news group in the past. So I'll try it again.
>
> Any and all suggestions will be greatfully appreciated.
>

Hey, way to go! Congrats on the upgrade.

There are two suggestions I would tender for your
consideration.

1. You can get a new FT-900CAT for around eleven hundred
bucks. This is a very nice rig. With the matching power
supply, it makes a very snappy base station, and the bonus
is that it is small and portable too. I own the 900 and
really like it.

2. I have seen used TS850 rigs for a grand. Now, I own one
of these radios, and if you can get a used one that is clean
(they are around) you will love it. It is a first-class
radio, really essentially as good as the 4 grand rigs for
most hams. And even though it will be out of warranty, you
can still get Kenwood to fix it if it breaks, and typically
the cost is not great. Usually when rigs have a significant
parts failure it is after the rig is out of warranty anyway.

As far as antennas go, I use wire antennas, costs about ten
bucks. Used beams are around for a song.

Have fun on HF!

--
Roger J. Buffington
W6VZV

"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my
Grandfather...
Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

"When Ronald Reagan was President, Democrats complained that
the White House bought new china.

Now that Clinton is President, people are complaining that
China has bought the White House."

2086. Re: FT980 - Good rig ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cookt@ouvaxa.cats.ohiou.edu
Message-ID: <EoqBpx.I3v@boss.cs.ohiou.edu>
Source record: 152793

In article <34EBC823.500@frii.com>, avatar <avatar@frii.com> writes:
>N3BJ wrote:
>>
>> I'm unfamiliar with the radio....guess I was sleeping during the 80's. Would
>> appreciate some details on the radio, weaknesses, quirks, value ??
>>
>> Thanks,
>>
>> Alan, N3BJ
>
>Alan,
>
>I bought one new and still use it. I have been very satisfied with the
>radio. The anti-vox is a little weak, but easily fixed. The VOX
>adjustment for the MIC is not what I would like; seems low on
>sensitivity. Those are my only complaints. Be aware that the radio
>cannot be run on an external 13Vdc supply.
>
>Dave - W0MAY

I've also had one and liked the TAB SET feature the best. I liked
being able to set the TAB for just the novice band and as I tuned
the radio, it would beep on the limits and didn't allow to go out of
the band. It was a great radio! I'm now a Ten-Tec Nut and wouldn't
buy anything else but Ten-Tec. Service is great and it's Made In The
USA.

Tim Cook WB8BCO http://ouvaxa.cats.ohiou.edu/~cookt

>

2087. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6cmjhe$i9o@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 152794

FT-50 has very good speaker volume. See if you can get a friends 50-r to compare it to. That way you can be sure. Mine is louder then the TH78

Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
> I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other HT like
> Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.

> 73

2088. Re: TM 241 Help LIth Bat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221135801.IAA21664@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152795

I had the same problem and it will mess up your Display. Its not easy to get to but basically you have to disassemble the Radio, its up near the Display Area, once you have pretty well dismanteled Radio you will see it. I couldnt see paying Kenwoods price for Battery so I went to Radio Shack and picked up 1, it has worked for 3 Years now

2089. Mods for Lincoln/Emperor TS-5010

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: akiraly@studi.unizh.ch
Message-ID: <34eee0e2.0@rzunews1.unizh.ch>
Source record: 152796

Hi!

I'm looking for modifications for the President Lincoln and
Emperor TS-5010 so that they can be used for 10m FM-repeater
operation with -100kHz shift. Both are 10m only single band
radios sold here in Switzerland and both of them lack
the shift operation :(

Thanks & bye!
HB9LFQ (Andras)

--
/* Kiraly Andras
FIDO : 2:301/709.23
EMAIL: akiraly@studi.unizh.ch
AX25 : HB9LFQ @ OE9XPI.AUT.EU
Running Linux on a Cyrix P200+ System
*/

2090. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith <little@galileo.galilei.com>
Message-ID: <34EE94E1.63FF@galileo.galilei.com>
Source record: 152797
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

John Miles wrote:
>
> Local telephone companies don't care if you camp out on the line 24
> hours a day, as long as you pay the US $20/month service charge. (This
> is true of both basic and ISDN service in my area, although roosting on
> an ISDN account will quickly send you to the poorhouse in ISP charges.)

Well, not exactly the poor house, but unlimited ISDN here in St. Louis
would cost about $250 a month. That's a 2B+D line ($100) and ISP
charges ($150).

Little

2091. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin J <kjessup_SPAM_ME_NOT_@nconnect.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3ed4$d382de80$573de3cf@kjessup>
Source record: 152798

> >Gary Pearce KN4AQ wrote:
> >
> >> To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive:
> >>
> >> -- Turn off the radio
> >>
> >> -- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.
> >>
> >> -- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
> >> wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
> >> and squelch buttons.
> >>
> >> -- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.

This does nothing as far as opening up the RX on 800MHz
with my IC-W32A. All it does is an LCD test.

However, due to the wonderful anomalies of your typical FM
receiver design, try scanning between the legal frequencies
of 961.110 MHz and 986.10 MHz in 30 kHz steps on you IC-W32A.

Or just set the VFO as follows....

Image_Frequency = Freq_Of_Interest + (1st_IF_Freq * 2)

So for the IC-W32A UHF (including 800MHz) side...

Image_Frequency = Freq_Of_Interest + 92.1 MHz

So say you wanted to listen to a really cool 800 MHz trunked
control channel on 865.125 MHz. While you would hear the
signal just fine on 865.125 MHz, the same signal can also
be heard booming in at full intensity on 865.125 + 92.1 or 957.225 MHz.

Aint' double conversion grand?? ;-)))

2092. Re: Icom W32A Sensitivity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin J <kjessup_SPAM_ME_NOT_@nconnect.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3ed8$04077ea0$573de3cf@kjessup>
Source record: 152799

Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com> wrote in article
<tPtH.91$sL3.1339022@news.inreach.com>...
> I noticed that when the 32 is fully reset that the 440mhz is on the left
> side and the 144 mhz is on the right side. I know that they can be
switched
> by holding down the Band button and turning on the power. But I noticed
> that in the specifications section that the "Original band is less that
> 0.16uV" and "Opposite Band is less than .032uV" Well is the "Original
band"
> the default settings of 440 on the left and 144 on the right? Does the
> sensitivity go down if their switched? Or do they just mean selecting a
> band (using the band button) other than what was set for that side?
> Understand??? Cause I don't

My guess is that the ability to switch the display around is strictly
a user interface feature and has nothing to do with a given preferred
default VFO being on one side of the display or the other.

Say you switch around the default configuration so the VHF VFO is
on the LEFT and the UHF VFO is on the RIGHT. This can be confirmed
by enabling the LEFT side and going to VFO mode...then press the BAND
key to cycle through the band options. Notice that the aircraft band
appears
on the LEFT side VFO. Doing the same thing on the RIGHT side reveals the
800MHz band but NOT the aircraft band. Therefor VHF is now what the spec
sheet refers to as the "original band" for the LEFT side, and UHF is the
"original band" for the RIGHT.

Now I would suspect that in the above configuration the LEFT side would
operate
with .32 uV sensitivity while receiving on, say, 446 MHz, and the RIGHT
side
would operate with .32 uV sensitivity while receiving on, say, 146.52 MHz.
This is because each side is using it's VFO on a band which was not
the primary band targeted by the receiver design.

But each side would return to .16 uV sensitivity while receiving it's
"Original Band". At least that is how I interpret this. I have not yet
verified this using test equipment.

Since we have two independent VFOs/receivers, we can expect that the
circuit designers had the option to optimize a single receiver to perform
better on one band vs the other. Rather than providing you with two
identical designs that perform equally well (or poorly) on all bands.
What you have is VHF VFO that prefers VHF and a UHF VFO that
prefers UHF. The display toggling doo-dad is just a user interface

feature. I doubt it affects the RF receive.

Clear as mud?

Kevin, n9sqb

2093. FS:FT-1000 Top cabinet cover

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221150401.KAA19167@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152800

Nice condition. Small scratch on top. Includes small control panel door. $30 shipped conus.

Tnx, Van

2094. Re: TM 241 Help LIth Bat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1EoqIKv.1Gx@netcom.com>
Source record: 152801

In article <19980221135801.IAA21664@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
WA8ULX <wa8ulx@aol.com> wrote:
> I had the same problem and it will mess up your Display. Its not easy to get
>to but basically you have to disassemble the Radio, its up near the Display
>Area, once you have pretty well dismanteled Radio you will see it. I couldnt
>see paying Kenwoods price for Battery so I went to Radio Shack and picked up 1,
>it has worked for 3 Years now

My TM241A display went crazy. Turned out to be the connector between
the display and radio. This connector looks like a weak link in
this radio. I jumpered across the surface mount connector with
26 gauge single strand wirewrap wire. Very difficult, but works now.

2095. WTB:SABER RAPID CHARGE BATTERY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: captkfd308@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221154800.KAA05718@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152802

I need the subject battery in excellant condition.

Thanks

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@eagnet.com
CAPT NREMT-I
Kingsland Fire Rescue
Kingsland, GA 31548

2096. WTB:YAESU DESK MIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: captkfd308@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221155100.KAA25483@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152803

I need a desk mic for my Yeasu FT-2400. Is there such a device?

Thanks

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@eagnet.com
CAPT NREMT-I
Kingsland Fire Rescue
Kingsland, GA 31548

2097. Re: FT-50 and BayPac BP-2(m)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Bouchard <bouch@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <F5DH.16$na1.86628@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 152804
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I personnaly made a home built "Baycom" packet modem and try it with my FT-50 RD with "WINTNC" program for windows it's simple to use and simulate a complete tnc. The only problem is to fit the special connector. Making the plug was the complicate part of the project because i made it my self with and 1/16" and 1/8" mono jack molded in epoxy. Wintnc run on windows 3.1

Eric Bouchard
VA2 PTC
73

2098. FS-MAGS, MANUALS, CATALOGS MORE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hipkat99@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221162400.LAA10850@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152805

A drawn out list of Radio Manuals, Catalogs, ARRL Handbooks, Flyers and much, much more!!!!

http://members.aol.com/hipkat99/index.html

****This list is frequently updated

2099. Re: Spam filter NOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail. E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: richm@mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Message-ID: <slrn6eu0cs.o72.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 152806
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 20 Feb 1998 14:07:02 -0800, Keith Little <little@galileo.galilei.com> wrote:
>Will White wrote:
>>
>> Is this true? Is it enforceable?
>
>Yes, it is:
>

Not really. I've been following the subject pretty closely, and, while
the cites you provided are certainly used in regards to "traditional"
fax machines, they have not yet been successfully used in a situation where
a consumer received junk mail from an e-mail spammer. The few cases in which
it has been tried, the strategy failed.

The cases where spammers have been sued sucessfully have been typically
using "Denial of Service" and "Dilution of trademark" complaints.

If you have any verifiable cites to the contrary I'd love to hear about
them.

- Rich

2100. DRAKE 7-LINE PUSHBUTTONS NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka <ilonka00@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6cmvnb$fju@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I need a few of the black pushbuttons used on the TR7/R7 and
accessories. Does anyone have one or two spares they'd be willing to
part with?

Tnx/73,
Dan
KC0DE
cslc82@email.mot.com

2101. Re: For Sale:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <34eee70b.4039912@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 152808

On 21 Feb 1998 05:38:13 GMT, geaugalake@aol.com (GeaugaLake) wrote:

>Nothing.

What is between your ears.???

2102. jst-135

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ted1920@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221171400.MAA08120@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152809

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WTB JRC-JST 135..........ted1920
1920
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2103. WTB- Motorola Programming Cables for GM300 & GP300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kim E. Wells" <seaus@shore.intercom.net>
Message-ID: <34EEF4D3.6567EDAB@shore.intercom.net>
Source record: 152810
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

WTB- Motorola Programming Cables for GM300 & GP300

Please contact
Kim Wells
Ocean City, MD
n3oac@qsl.net

2104. WTB - 6 Meter Repeater (Parts)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kim E. Wells" <seaus@shore.intercom.net>
Message-ID: <34EEF5A9.C7AD03F8@shore.intercom.net>
Source record: 152811
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I'm looking to built / Buy a 6 meter repeater in the Ocean City, MD
area. Prefer Motorola Micor equipment. At the moment, I'm in need of
everything to include a duplexer

Please contact
Kim Wells
Ocean City, MD
n3oac@qsl.net

2105. WTB:Alinco DR-610T Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Frank <dhf@rmi.net>
Message-ID: <34EF0ECE.8E434A8E@rmi.net>
Source record: 152812
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have just acquired a used DR-610T and would like to obtain the
following:

The Operators Manual,....a must for this complex rig

An EJ-24U CTCSS Tone Decoder module

An EDS-2 Remote Cable

If you have any of these you would like to part with, please contact me
via direct email.

TIA, Don

2106. FS: Kenwood TS-520/DG-5 Readout - $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EF0FD5.7F4F@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 152813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Excellent condition. Complete with original box, manual and new 6146
final tubes. No mike.

$375 + COD shipping from Boston or can arrange pickup if not too far.

Steve Ross, N1IBS

2107. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-520/DG-5 Digital Readout - $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34EF1006.4AA2@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 152814

Steven Ross wrote:
>
> Excellent condition. Complete with original box, manual. No Mike.
>
> Non-Smoker.
>
> $375 + COD shipping from Boston or can arrange pickup if not too far.
>
> Steve Ross, N1IBS

2108. FS: AEA PK-96 TNC $120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Tenison <btenison@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6cn5s8$29v$0@198.79.30.53>
Source record: 152815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.packet

I have for sale an AEA PK-96 9600/1200 Baud TNC. This TNC contains
AX.25 levels 1&2, Host and KISS modes, an 18K mailbox, Node operations,
true DCD state machine for open squelch operation, and many other
options.

Real good TNC. I used it for a good while running a personal BBS
without
problem.

73/Bruce
btenison@dibbs.net

2109. FS: Yaesu FT912R 1.2ghz Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lichtenhan <david-lichtenhan@home.com>
Message-ID: <6cn6hf$ks4$1@ha2.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 152816

I have a Yaesu FT912R 1.2ghz Mobile with manual, mike and bracket. Maybe 10 hrs total used.

$500.00 obo plus shipping.

Please reply via Email: k6dav@home.com

2110. Sick FT 8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Perri <jperri@interserv.com>
Message-ID: <34EEEFEC.9E793516@interserv.com>
Source record: 152817

After a year of good service my FT 8500 is not well . The sensitivity and squlech are gone on the VHF side. I have been able to do some limited trouble shooting with that #$%& schematic provide and have found the the V-Noise is missing when in band .140 and up. Aircraft works fine. Need ideas and most of all a guide to the location of all those tiny parts, diodes and such.

Any help would be appreciated

JMP

2111. FS:Icom 736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "RICHARD J. ALBRIGHT" <airplus1@ezaccess.net>
Message-ID: <8B374354D2BEEA92.A9B11D1EFCE216FF.9D3D953044C6A395@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 152818

Icom 736 HF plus 6 meters. Built in power supply, tuner, keyer etc.
Absolute perfect cond.
Have box, book, mic & all accessories that came with it . $1150 Non
smoker. They don't
come any nicer than this..Serious calls. days 717 346-8138 weekends &
eves. 346-5044
Rich KC3QY

2112. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34EF1DA5.3A26@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152819

Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX wrote:
>
> Pete McGreevy wrote:
> (snip snip)
> >
> > ANd oh Yeah, is the 846 replacing the 736, or the 840, or the 900, both,
> > all, any ideas???
> >
> > There's more than ya bargained for -- Pete -- KA2YDY
>
> Well it looks as if the 736 will be around for awhile. Yaesu is still
> advertising it along with the 847. It supports 222MHZ and 1.2GHZ
> whereas the 847 does not.
>
> --
> **
> * Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
> * (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
> * http://tonto.netsurftech.com/~rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
> **
Got a Email from a contact at Yaesu UK (England). He said the British
version will also put out 10 watts all mode for the British 70 MHZ band.
They did this at the last moment to "FINISH OFF" the Competion.
I think the FT-847 has a software mod just like the FT-920 and that is
how this is possible.
Steve NS1R

2113. FS:IC-820 allmode 2m/70cm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Story <GSTORY@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <34EF236D.42A47D6F@netcom.ca>
Source record: 152820

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Icom Ic-820H with dtmf mic new condition $1000 make me an offer
email me at Gstory@netcom.ca
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2114. Re: --- First impression of my new FT-920 ---

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdowning@amberjack.rdatasys.com
Message-ID: <6cna28$1ur$1@news1.intelenet.net>
Source record: 152821

David Ho (AF4BH aka VS6UE/4) (davidho@one.net) wrote:
: (1) WM7D maintains a very detailed journal regarding to his FT-920.
: His URL is http://www.rdatasys.com or http://www.wm7d.net/

Please use only www.wm7d.net - The rdatasys.com site is my employer's
web site, and you will find NO links to my page there.

--Mark WM7D

2115. Re: F.S. Yaesu FT101zd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: j.no@iies.es
Message-ID: <34EF22E8.4D4C@iies.es>
Source record: 152822

Last 101ZD was MKIII, that I have.
it has warc, notch and peak, WARC, IF width, and admits the digital
external VFO, option for AM/FM, so I guess there are at least 3 models
of 101ZD's
EA1FC

Mike Pender wrote:
>
> Rudy Marcelletti wrote in message <01bd3c17$f0afa840$6d849cd0@rudym>...
> >Mike: Why doesn't your FT-101ZD have the WARC bands? Mine does. Rudy,
> >K8SWD
> >
>
> Hi Rudy. There were a few versions of the zd. Yaesu seemed to really have a thing
> for the 101 name. I know of the one without warc, notch, or fm, and the one with.
> Any others, maybe in between these??
>
> The manual I got with this one does show the warc bands and notch! I guess it's
> not the manual that came with this particular radio. Since ten meters uses four
> crystals for the different parts of the band, I can put in crystals for the warc bands
> in the upper ten meter positions and lose 29 to 30 mhz, which I don't use, since
> it's mainly fm anyway.
>
> Thanks for the interest!!
>
> Mike...
> _____________________________________
> Mike Pender Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
> Steam@megsinet.net or N9IVO@Amsat.org
> Fax: 708-795-7003
> Amateur Radio Call: N9IVO W.A.S. DXCC 10X-66444
> A.M.A 529703
> I.B.E.W. Local 9 Lineman 17 years.

2116. FS: Neck Microphone - New

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Morley" <endeavor@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <34EF30CE.6B5136FF@ultranet.com>
Source record: 152823

Hi,

I have for sale a JCK throat activated microphone headset with earphone.

This item consists of a throated activated microphone, earphone unit and
PTT.
This item is brand new, and has never been used. Sells at HRO for
$59.95. I
will sell for $34.95, and ship anywhere in the U.S.

Best 73's

John KA1JMF

2117. Re: I sell big amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <hjQvlHAJbt70EwGP@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152824
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

You have a point there Bill,
> I prefer the British term "valves" myself. It's really
> more accurate than "tube" or "pipe."
I believe 'Thermionic valve' is the correct term.

PS. The amp is on it's way to #12 for evaluation/modification if necessary. One's concerned about the bias circuit and whether it's properly regulated and also how bad the flat topping of the negative peaks are!
If I'm going to sell a 1kw output amp on the UK market I want it to be a 'sweet' one so I'm willing to wait while the basic design gets fully sorted.

I'll report back on all this.

Regards

Phil / UK

2118. JRC-245

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <34EEC81E.2302@nwlink.com>
Source record: 152825

Hi to all that read this.

Could someone please give me the Modification to open the all band transmit on the JRC-245. I know it's a simple mod but can't find it in the mod web pages.

73's Mark

2119. Ham Reviews of The MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3f06$cdcc16a0$098a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 152826

I am told that the MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller is more
effective and easier to use than the ANC-4, anyone have experiences to
verify this?
What level of transmit power and transmit switching speed can this thing
tolerate (e.g. will it's RFsense T/R switch handle a KW in Pactor I mode)?
Thanks for any helpful feedback!
--
73, DavidC AA1FA

2120. Tek 485 OSCILLOSCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cne6i$b3f@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152827

Hi All.
I have a for sale.
Tek 485 Osilloscpe 350MHz
Good working condition $600.00 Plus Shipping.

2121. Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6cnelb$fu6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152828

I performed the "beyond mars" mod to my TMV-7A and the radio still performs like the mod wasn't done.
I have done the full reset to my radio with both the reset button behind the face plate and by holding MR while turning the radio on. The radio still operates as though the mod wasn't done. I even took a magnifying glass and looked closely at where the resistor was removed to be sure the area was clean and no solder splashed to make a bad contact somewhere. Everything was very clean and just fine.
Just to be sure, I removed the chip resistor that had the number "0" right below it. The only other chip that was there had a number "1" below it. I did not remove that one, just the chip next to the number "0". The green jumper wires that the Kenwood supplement talked about are still intact. They were never touched.
I do remember that I did not reset the radio right after performing the mod, and that I started using the radio and programming some of the memory features and things like that. After realizing that the radio would not go below 410 mhz, I did a full reset of the radio to see if that would make the mod work. It did not. I've tried resetting the radio many times and still it performs as though the mod wasn't done.
I don't know what else I can do. I've double checked the work and reset the radio many times. I even put the chip resistor back into the radio, did a full reset, programmed some features and used the radio normally. Then I started all over again and removed the chip and did a full reset before doing anything else. It still did not work.

swtempo@worldnet.att.net

2122. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34ef303e.17507787@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152829
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 15:05:12 GMT, jbickel@iquest.net (Jake Bickel)
wrote:

>In the new age of entitlements where everyone expects free
>food,housing,education and "health care" why wouldn't he expect free
>internet access ?
>
>>Well said!

Well said indeed. The government ought to pay for
everything. That's what we pay them for!

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2123. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34ef30fe.17699293@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152830
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 19:58:49 GMT, moss.i@virgin.net wrote:

>In response to WALT davidsons comment, I dont mind paying the ISP
>costs but the local phone call cost I do object to paying for. It goes
>against the very spirit of the Internet. In America they can leave
>their computers connected to the net 24hours a day 365 days a year
>presumably, and all they pay is the ISP. Well thats What I want too
>over here.

And if they did that here, everyone and his wife would
be connected 24h/24h, and given the very limited capacity
of our landline comms. infrastructure, the whole country
would grind even near to a telecomms death than already is!
No thanks....no free local calls. PLEASE.

>I have even considered a small cheap two way SAT link to the NET.
>Apparently Bill gates has one up on me on this one, apparently he
>intends to implement a SAT system which would enable anyone with a 2
>way sat link, (which units i think he is going to develope which will
>be very cheap), to link to the NET.

And it won't be Gatesy who'll be paying for it.

>I too think for better communications, much improved speeds and
>services, it would be better to connect to the NET NOT via a modem and
>PHONE line, and to dispense with that archic part of the link
>altogther. So I am not the only one who thinks the modem phone link is
>a bad idea.

Then try getting B.T. and the other telecomms sharks
to make ISDN more attractive to you and me, for a
start. You might also suggest to the authorities that
some of these bloody amateurs be moved out of the
VHF/UHF/SHF spectrum they occupy* to make way for the
sort of free, high-speed Internet access you crave.

* ...or don't occupy, depending on your line of sight.

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2124. FS:HT'S & Mobiles!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell, Jr." <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6cnia1imi1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152831
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,tnn.radio.amateur
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Daniel Bell, Jr..vcf

I have the following ham gear for sale..

FT-50R EXCELLENT condition! Does NOT have the new style keypad includes 5 watt battery and FBA-15, slow charger, antenna, and manual. $275 plus shipping

IC-T22A Excellent condition 2 meter ht - extended transmit/receive mods have been done! battery, slow charger, antenna and manual $175 Plus shipping

DR-110 2 meter mobile - 45 watts good condition, includes manual, bracket, wiring $180 plus shipping

Interested please email kc4oxp@flash.net
73 Daniel KC4OXP

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J. Daniel Bell, Jr. KC4OXP
$13.95/Month* Internet Service
Independent FlashNet Distributor
http://www.flash.net/~kc4oxp/index.html
*One Year PrePaid @ $167.40 Other Plans Available!

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2125. Standard C510 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dedger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221220201.RAA03728@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152832

I just traded for one of these radios and am putting it through its paces.
Does anyone have any undocumented features or simple keyboard tricks that they
have discovered? Would like to hear about them. 73, Dave AA5NU

2126. RF Elec. Skywalker Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34EF49A2.D845B472@together.net>
Source record: 152833

Has anybody out there built a RF Electronics Skywalker Amp Kit? Anybody know if QST ever did a product review on one of their amps... am considering getting one and would like some feedback.

Tom
KB1CGA

2127. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lyndon Nerenberg <lyndon@ve7tcp.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <87zpjk63q5.fsf@ve7tcp.ampr.org>
Source record: 152834
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What I'm curious about is what the UK third-party traffic rules have to say about this. This sort of use is clearly beyond the scope of "transmissions of a technical nature whose importance does not justify the use of the public telecommunications infrastructure" (paraphrase of the Canadian regulations). What you propose would certainly be illegal in Canada.

--lyndon

2128. WTB: Kenwood TH28A BT-8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sckeith@mb.sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <34ef50ed.623792@news.mb.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 152835

I looking for a BT-8 which is the AAX6 battery case for the Kenwood TH28A 2m portable radio or any other accessory that may be available for the radio.

Thanks
Steve VE4FX

2129. Re:FS: Dualband HT & Dualband Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: daclark@lni.net
Message-ID: <6cnned$4gl$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6cm55k$quc@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>,
Melvin Holmes < faxmonster@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> sounds kinda high
>
Then don't buy it!

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2130. Re: Used FT-767GX or New IC-706MkII ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6cnmi6ffd1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 152837

Yongsup Park wrote in message <6cdl86$a4c$1@usenet.kreonet.re.kr>...
>I have an opportunity to buy one of these at a comparable price.
>Which would be better ?
>I have no intention for mobile operation.

Personally, I feel it's not even worth talking about. The Yaesu is the only one worth considering, unless you want absolute simplicity while sacrificing fine, top end receiver performance.

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Mike Pender Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
Steam@megsinet.net or N9IVO@Amsat.org
Fax: 708-795-7003
Amateur Radio Call: N9IVO W.A.S. DXCC 10X-66444
A.M.A 529703
I.B.E.W. Local 9 Lineman 17 years.

2131. Re: DRAKE 7-LINE PUSHBUTTONS NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Kuenzi <rkkuenzi@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6cnnrq$lc4@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 152838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

ilonka wrote:
>
> I need a few of the black pushbuttons used on the TR7/R7 and
> accessories. Does anyone have one or two spares they'd be willing to
> part with?
>
> Tnx/73,
> Dan
> KC0DE
> cslc82@email.mot.com
Have you tried Drake?

2132. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34ee0f23.54124627@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152853

On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 18:03:22 -0500, "J.R. Smullen" <maccpl@geocities.com> wrote:
>OK, OK... I know this is a bit of a lame question, but I will ask it anyway.
>The other night I successfully upgraded by ticke to general from technician.
>I've always wanted access to the HF bands and I've been busting my butt
>learning the code since I got my tech license this past December. Anyway,
>all this happiness was soon dashed when I took a look at the prices in the
>HF sections of my Ham equipment catalogs. As you mght have imagined, until
>the other night, i have been focusing on the neat shiny UHF/VHF equipment.
>Expensive, yes... but not totally unreasonable. But last night WOW!!!
>The 3 or 4 rigs I picked out were all over $1700. Several were over $4000.
>And THEN i took a look at the antenna section of the catalog.
>
>First let me say that I probably won't look at used equipment very
>seriously. The prices I've seen there are not THAT much lower, and I
>wouldn't want to get a lemon with no warranty. I also would feel a bit
>inadequate in the dickering department, with no more ham experience than I
>have. So what's the alternitive? First I've found great solace in this
>news group in the past. So I'll try it again.
>
>Any and all suggestions will be greatfully appreciated.

Used equipment is the way to go for the new ham on a budget.
The best used rig for the money (IMHO) is the IC-735. At about
$600 street price, it is a very good deal, and its performance
remains competitive with the current crop of HF transceivers.
There are a number of other great rigs on the used market at 50%
or less of the price of new rigs. For that size savings, it is worthwhile
to spend some time learning about them, and learning how to shop
for them.

Used equipment generally doesn't have a warranty, unless you
buy it though a dealer who offers one. But the purpose of a warranty
is to catch infant mortality problems in new equipment. Once the
radio has operated for a year or so, any problems a warranty is
designed to address are very likely to have already appeared and
been resolved. So you can feel pretty confident that the radio is Ok
if it is operating properly after that period.

(Just as it is not a good idea to buy a new car the first model year,
it generally isn't a good idea to buy a radio that's only been on the
market for a short time. The bugs probably haven't been worked
out yet. Look for radios with high serial numbers in radio models
with a good long service history. That's one reason the IC-735 is
so attractive, it had the longest production run of any amateur radio
ever. They got it right the first time.)

Aging problems don't become an issue until the radio has been in service for well over a decade. (With today's components, that may stretch to well over two decades.) It isn't like the old days when paper capacitors were used. Unlike tubes, transistors don't deteriorate with operating hours to any significant degree. Mechanical problems with switches and pots are generally a factor of use rather than age. It is pretty easy to spot a radio that has seen a lot of rough use. You'll probably want to avoid those, or offer less money.

Remember this. Most amateurs trade radios, not because the old one is worn out or giving trouble, but because they just want a shiny new toy. Typically, there will be nothing at all wrong with the older radio. Fear of lemons should only apply to new models being released into the amateur market. Buying a used radio with a good established reputation is really a very safe purchase. (But try to avoid buying sight unseen. Try it out first if you can. Seeing a radio work makes it worth more than something you buy blind.)

There is one word for HF antennas, *wire*. It is available at any electrical supply house very inexpensively. There is no need to buy overpriced collections of aluminum tubing in order to have a highly effective HF antenna system. It will be well worth your time to learn how to erect effective wire antennas.

Unless you are willing to lay down an *extensive* radial system, ignore vertical antennas for HF. Despite manufacturer's hype, there is no such thing as a ground independent HF vertical, and they do *not* operate efficiently or effectively without an elaborate radial ground system. (Physics will not be denied, no matter how large the antenna maker's advertising budget.)

(But note that even a bedspring can make contacts. Practically anything will radiate, it is how *well* it radiates that matters. Lots of amateurs will tell you how great their pile of aluminum tubing is, and really believe it because they have no good way to compare it to a really effective antenna.)

Also avoid excessively shortened antennas of any sort. They will have very low efficiency. Radiation is a function of the product of charge accelerated over a linear distance. In other words, current times distance. If you shorten an antenna from its self-resonant length, you have to pump lots more current into it to get the same amount of radiation. In other words, the radiation resistance of the antenna becomes smaller.

Antenna efficiency is the ratio

EFF = 100* Rrad/(Rloss+Rrad)

Rloss is fairly fixed in terms of copper loss, and in terms of ground losses. Power lost in Rloss is a function of I^2 * R, so more current means exponentially more loss. Thus you want to maximize Rrad while minimizing Rloss to get best efficiency. The way to do that is to maximize antenna size (up to the self-resonant length). And you

want to get it as far from Earth as possible, and avoid antennas which depend on Earth for a counterpoise because Earth has high I^2 * R losses.

In general, that leaves you with a high mounted horizontal doublet as the best antenna for the money on HF. At the going price for #12 wire, that sort of antenna costs you under $10 for any HF band.

There can be compelling benefits to yagis and quads on upper HF, but again, Tube Sales in your town has aluminum tubing for much less than the amateur antenna vendors, and quads are just wire with some bends in it. Build your own for economy. Don't waste hundreds on what you can build for tens.

It needn't be expensive to have a good HF station. Teenagers in the Great Depression did it. Just use your head instead of your VISA card and you'll do all right.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2133. Re: HELP.Do I get a Shortwave receiver or a Transceiver?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34ee254f.59802342@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152854

On Fri, 20 Feb 1998 16:42:49 +0000, FranJ <maverick@trekker.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>Please forgive me if this is the wrong group. But need advice.
>I'm presently studying for the RSGB Amateur Radio License including
>trying to learn Morse. I want to get involved now by listening in, but
>I have a dilemma. Do I buy a Shortwave receiver now, then in May when I
>pass my exam (Trying to be positive!), buy a transceiver OR Just buy a
>transceiver now, and not use the transmitting functions?!! Somebody
>suggested the Kenwood TS440s, I have no idea what a good Shortwave
>receiver is. Other people have advised to go to a club for advice, but
>presently I'm laid up with a slipped disc. So my computer and the phone
>are my only way of communicating with the world.

Buy the transceiver. It'll have a better receiving section than most
SWL receivers, and it'll give you an incentive to study harder to
pass the exam. There are a number of good used radios available.
My favorite is the IC-735, but a number of Kenwood and Yaesu
rigs are good too. If you shop intelligently, you can always resell
it later without taking much of a loss if you don't like it. (That's
one of the big attractions of buying used, most of the depreciation
was suffered by the poor soul who bought it new.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2134. Re: Cost of DSP ugrade to Icom 706MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34ee2679.60099451@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152855

On Fri, 20 Feb 1998 10:58:13 -0600, "Viking" <NotMe@add-inc.com> wrote:
>I called Icom and the DSP announcement was official on Jan 23. Apparently
>they will be offering the free DSP for radio's purchased up to 2 weeks
>before that date. The best I could get was a $20 coupon towards DSP. I guess
>I can't complain since I didn't even know DSP would be an option when I got
>my radio; it's just kind of ironic since my wife bought it for me for
>Christmas on Dec 23, approximately a month before I had planned on buying
>it. Suggested retail is $169. Since I am new to all this could someone with
>more experience tell me if I will still want mechanical filters for DXing or
>will DSP eliminate my need for those?
> 73 de Eric KB9QAI NotMe@add-inc.com

There aren't any mechanical filters available for the IC-706 series, so
that's a moot point. There are narrow SSB and CW crystal filters available
for it. IMHO the 500 Hz filter is a must have. I don't see much benefit to
the narrower SSB filter, heavy SSB operators might.

You want the filter even if you have DSP because the filter is up at the front
of the radio where it protects the bulk of the radio from overload and AGC
pumping. The DSP is at audio, so it doesn't. Also, it is my understanding that
the optional DSP unit for the IC-706 Mk II is only a noise reduction and
hetrodyne notcher. It isn't a narrow brick wall filter. Most external DSP
filters *do* offer narrow brick wall filtering, so buying one of them may well
be a better purchase than buying the optional Icom board.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2135. timewave dsp59+ f.s.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahmd@interlog.com
Message-ID: <N.022098.200128.72@LOCALNAME>
Source record: 152856

timewave dsp 59+ box/manual/mint in box $175.00u.s. + shipping

ph# 905-836-0052 or e-mail grahmd@interlog.com

2136. daiwa 1.5kw meter f.s.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahmd@interlog.com
Message-ID: <N.022098.200419.20@LOCALNAME>
Source record: 152857

vhf/hf daiwa xneedle meter for sale in box 180-1.8

$100.00 u.s. + shipping

ph# 905-836-0052 or e-mail grahmd@interlog.com

2137. Re: --- First impression of my new FT-920 ---

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: zilassoc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221013500.UAA05617@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152858

Thanks for the info David. What is the URL for the WM7D web page and what is the famous NB mod? Who could take the same amount of effort, as David did, and give a First impression for the MP for us all?

de K5PZ

2138. WTB: Turner model 602 Microhone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwbran1@uswest.com
Message-ID: <6clb6qdqb1@sanews.uswc.uswest.com>
Source record: 152859

Anybody have one of these laying around. I think they used them
in fast food joints and teller windows etc. If you have one ,
please let me know!

Tnx,
Mike Brandt (KA0PWW)

2139. Re: WTB: Turner model 602 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwbran1@uswest.com
Message-ID: <6clbafdqb2@sanews.uswc.uswest.com>
Source record: 152860

Anybody have one of these lying around. I think they used them
in fast food joints and teller windows etc. If you have one ,
please let me know!

Tnx,
Mike Brandt (KA0PWW)

2140. TENULINE COAXIAL ATTENUATOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6clbuc$q67@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152861

Hi All
I have for sale ATTENUATOR.
Good working codition.
I have two stock . $ 150.00 / EA Plus UPS
" TENULINE COAXIAL ATTENUTOR "
* Attenuation : 30DB
* Model : 8323
* Watts : 100
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

2141. ADMS-1D FOR YAESU VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: yc0ftd@yc0ftd.ampr.ORG
Message-ID: <68@yc0ftd.ampr.org>
Source record: 152862

Hello All,

Thanks for reading this e-mail.
Btw, do u have a ADMS-1D software for controling the Yaesu VX-1R ?
If yes, would u pse send me a copy to my e-mail address below :
wisnu@centrin.net.id
Thanks for your help and attention.
73 de Wisnu

2142. TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6clcn0$q67@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152863

Hi All
I have for sale.
Good working codition.
$ 150.00 / EA Plus UPS
" TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR "
* Model :8401
* Watts : 600
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

2143. FS Radio Dial Scales

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rockseaent@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221021100.VAA11768@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152864

We have lots of reproduction dial scales for old radios... Admiral to Zenith.
If we don't have it we will make it! A current list is posted on our web
page at:
http://members.aol.com/RockSeaEnt/
or E-mail for info and price list: dials@juno.com
or just call: (805) 646-7362. Thanks, Mike

2144. funtion gen & more FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@xxx.carroll.com
Message-ID: <Eopl8v.1Mo@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 152865

FS 0ne JVC BR7030 duplicator will make 3 copies at a time heads are good.
BUT THEIR IS A LOADING PROBLEM WITH 2 DECKS Asking only $ 600. or BO
New sold for $5000.

TWO JVC BR700U high end tape duplicators FS SEEMS TO BE WORKING OK SO
FAR Asking $250.00
new sold for 2100.00

FS TWO JVC BRS710U High end SVHS duplicating decks. MAY NEED
HEADS i SAY THIS BECAUSE ABOUT EVERY 7 MINUTES i SEE A SMALL BLACK STREAK IN
THE PICTURE asking $ 400 or BO New sold for $2600

FS SIX NEC 12 in monitors model c12-202a $50.00 they all work fine

FS TWO Stancore video divices PS 1000 (10 in one out routing switcher) With
stero audio $100.00

4 ICM DA Amps one in 10 out with mono audio $100.00

leader lfg1300s function generator $ 75.00

EICO flyback xfmr & yoke tester model 944 $ 25.00

hitachi waveform monitor v-099 400.00

GUZ WILLIAMS PRODUCTIONS 973 773-3559 OR bill@carroll.com

2145. Need 1st IF module for AN/SRR-11 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Norris <badgerNOSPAMMAGE@telalink.net>
Message-ID: <x6rH.773$0s1.2119719@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152866
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Like the title says.

So far have come up with several folks with the receiver,
but lots of receivers without the module.

If you have parts, I just need one of the switches from the
module. A very nonstandard switch, I'm afraid.

A whole module would be even better.

TIA

Please reply via email, as this news server is spotty
at best......

Tom
badger@telalink.net

Visit the Mil List for info on military radio gear--
http://www.telalink.net/~badger/millist/mi.html

2146. WTB: BC-456 Modulator & stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: duckman_osu@ionet.net
Message-ID: <34ee3c6e.1166281@news.ionet.net>
Source record: 152867

Want to buy BC-456 Modulator . Must be complete, in good condition,
and not butchered. To be used in working display. Also will buy DM-33
dynamotor. Also e-mail me if you have other ARC-5 equipment. E-mail
with asking price. Thanks!!!!!!

Dewayne "Duck" Moore
WB5BNQ
duckman_osu@ionet.net

2147. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <34ee8bf5.2483818@news.hoflink.com>
Source record: 152868

On 20 Feb 1998 02:44:34 GMT, "Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Where can I got it (Motorola speaker ?)

Go to a hamfest or listen on any "swap n shop" net (ask if anyone has
one for sale) The one you're looking for is the old Motorola speaker
that is mounted in the steel box and it says "MOTOROLA on the front.
You should be able to get them for under 5 bucks. They are plentiful.

Good Luck, Mark

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>
>Mark Russo <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote in article
><34ece0ce.3629059@news.hoflink.com>...
>> On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 00:50:49 -0000, "Ken Bickel" <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >
>> >Nelson wrote in message <01bd3b6c$c84df1a0$ae0148ca@nelson>...
>> >>I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other HT
>like
>> >>Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.
>> >>
>> >>73
>> >>
>> >>--------------------
>> >SURE - plug in an external speaker.
>> >
>> >
>> Plug in an old Motorola speaker (3-5 bucks at a hamfair). You won't
>> believe how LOUD the FT-50 and the FT-51are!
>>

2148. For Sale:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: geaugalake@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221053801.AAA16155@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152869

Nothing.

2149. Icom W32A Sensitivity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <tPtH.91$sL3.1339022@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 152870

I noticed that when the 32 is fully reset that the 440mhz is on the left side and the 144 mhz is on the right side. I know that they can be switched by holding down the Band button and turning on the power. But I noticed that in the specifications section that the "Original band is less that 0.16uV" and "Opposite Band is less than .032uV" Well is the "Original band" the default settings of 440 on the left and 144 on the right? Does the sensitivity go down if their switched? Or do they just mean selecting a band (using the band button) other than what was set for that side? Understand??? Cause I don't
--

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

2150. fs: 6meter module for Yaesu 736R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sargon585@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980221054501.AAA17140@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152871

E-mail if interested.

2151. FS: Dualband HT & Dualband Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erv <kb8tnq@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <34EE65BF.B2AD7C35@voyager.net>
Source record: 152872

Hi All:

Posting this for someone without internet access.

We have an Alinco DR-599 Mobile Rig 2m/70cm, 50watts/35watts with three power settings on each band. Radio is in excellent condition. Comes with manual and original packaging. Price is $400 or best offer. Price covers shipping via UPS.

The Dualband HT is a Yaesu FT-50R, one year old, with out-of-band mod done for receive. Comes with a ton of accessories, including extra High Power battery, drop-in charger, ext. Yaesu mic and cig. lighter adapter, to name a few. Price for the whole deal is $400 and will be shipped with manual, original packaging and a protective carry case.

Please email with questions or to make arrangements. No other warranties, implied or written accompany either of these items and they are offered in "as-is" condition.

7-3,
Erv KB8TNQ

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Please visit our Web Site at:
http://www.qsl.net/kb8tnq

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Spirit Free!"

2152. Wanted Kenwood SM-230 Station Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary AC5OV <viking@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <6clnv6$9t8@paperboy.world-net.net>
Source record: 152873

New Amateur Extra who needs new things for his shack. --give him a deal!

Want Kenwood SM-230 with pan display -- recently discontinued model -- to hook up to my TS-950S.

73

Gary AC5OV

2153. Wanted Kenwood YG-455CN-1 Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary AC5OV <viking@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <6clo29$9th@paperboy.world-net.net>
Source record: 152874

New Amateur Extra who needs new things for his radio. --Give him a deal!

Want to buy YG-455CN-1 for my Kenwood TS-950S. Also
interested in YK-88CN-1 and YK-88SN-1.

73

Gary AC5OV

2154. Re: --- First impression of my new FT-920 ---

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <34ee6204.2407191@news.one.net>
Source record: 152875

On 21 Feb 1998 01:35:21 GMT, zilassoc@aol.com (ZILASSOC) wrote:

>Thanks for the info David. What is the URL for the WM7D web page and what is
>the famous NB mod? Who could take the same amount of effort, as David did, and
>give a First impression for the MP for us all?
>
>de K5PZ

Just to follow up on my previous post:

Thanks for all your emails and I think I need to make a couple of clarifications:

(1) WM7D maintains a very detailed journal regarding to his FT-920. His URL is http://www.rdatasys.com or http://www.wm7d.net/

(2) Many people asked me about what I meant by Mode A and Mode B keying. Here is what I mean by it:

There are 2 ways of using the Iambic Paddles, namely Iambic A and Iambic B.

The Iambic modes work when you squeeze both paddles together. In Iambic B mode the keyer plays the alternating element after the paddles are released during an element. Iambic A mode does not produce an alternating element when the paddles are released during an element. For example, a release during the dash in ".-" produces ".-" or "A" in Iambic A mode but produces ".-." or "R" in Iambic B mode.

I think my iambic timing comes naturally in Iambic A. I can never make a correct "A" or a correct "N" in Iambic B. Likewise, I'll send the letter "K" when I send the letter "N" in Iambic B. I tried to change my own timing but failed miserably. In other words, I am stuck.

In the situation of my FT-920. Iambic B operators will not see any problem at all. If an Iambic B operator doesn't know he is mode B and never heard of Mode differences, he will probably think that I am crazy. Please trust me, it won't take long before an Iambic A coder finds out the keyer is set in Mode B.

Menu item #U-20 on the FT-920 offers some flexibility in paddle operating modes. But none helps with my situation:

EL1 -- Iambic keying with automatic character spacing disabled. This is the default and is in Mode B.

BUG -- Mechanical "But" key emulation. The "dot" paddle contact produces automatically-generated dots, while the "dash" contact produces dashes of a length produces manually.

EL2 -- Iambic keying with automatic character spacing enabled. This selection is best when programming message memories.

EL2 is not helping matter neither. It's still in Mode B, but the character spacing is enabled.

I'm going to call YAESU Monday to see if there is a way out of it.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

2155. Standard Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC2BTP@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6clpslnhl1@newsd-144.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 152876

I want to know if any has any problems with the C558A dual-band HT. My problem is VERY wierd. On the VHF SIDE the attenuator is like it doesn't want to turn off even though it says its off. BUT on the UHF SIDE there is NO problem at all. Also does anybody know of anything I can do about it. I really don't want to send it back to Standard. In the mean time I bought a new HT anyway. But I think its wierd because its only on one side.

Thanks and a very 73,

-Steve Goeller KC2BTP

2156. TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sventura@thegrid.net
Message-ID: <6clulv$3c8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152877

I have recently purchased the Kenwood TH-G71A. The radio performs very well; crisp audio, easy programming and use. Normally, I can find the mods for most radios, but this one has me stumped. I have searched everywhere for the mod for this little bugger, but to no avail. I'm beginning to wonder if the radio can be modified at all. Does anyone have any information reagarding the modification of this radio? I'd be most grateful.

Thanks,
steve
ke6gah

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2157. Search newsgroups while you sleep - 218 0221010006 CVK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: 90@554.com
Message-ID: <6cluofohc141@news1.triton.net>
Source record: 152878

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T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, and it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0221010006 --

2158. Re: Yaesu competion to 706 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony giroux <agiroux@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <34EEC0B2.4C0BB340@cvn.net>
Source record: 152879

The Band New FT 874 -- HF, 6 meters, 2meters, & 70centimeters.

They're advertising on the inside back cover of QST, but haven't
received FCC type acceptance.

Ken wrote:

> Has anyone heard any rumors of Yaesu coming out with something to
> compete with the IC-706 MK 11 ???\
>
> Ken, N1KK

2159. would like to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmmd0000@hcol.humberc.on.ca
Message-ID: <tcpnntpd.18.2.21.0.25.38.2443217854.7719663@hcol.humberc.on.ca>
Source record: 152880

hey how are ya?
I'm thinking of getting a ham, or ssb... any info would be
appreciated. I'm a sailor and would like to reach the Caribbean... but
basically don't know anything about regs, requirements or
installation... any info would be great.

2160. Re: SALE: YAESU 290/690/790

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6cm3ep$oe8$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 152881

In article <34EE008A.6EF75BD7@electronicinstrument.com>,
frank@electronicinstrument.com wrote:

>I have the following for sale: All good condition, with tt mic, manual,
>original box
>Make a reasonable offer....

>Yaesu FT-690 Mark II, six meter rig, 10 watt, FM/SSB(AES price $569)

FYI...AES is selling the FT-690 brand-new for $499.95.

2161. Re:FS: Dualband HT & Dualband Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Melvin Holmes <faxmonster@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cm55k$quc@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

sounds kinda high

2162. FS- TEN-TEC #238 2KW Tuner. MINT !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6cm5dk$6j$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 152883
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:
Ten-Tec model #238 Tuner.
This tuner is in absolutly like new condition, I sold
this tuner back in 1991 when I was a TenTec dealer to an
older fellow, and he never did get around to using it. He's
asked me to sell it for him.

With original Box, Manual. $275 + $7. shipping.

I can Email you some specs and a photo if your
not familier with the #238. This is also still a
currently availible model and you might be
able to find out more it at.....
http://www.tentec.com/

Email me....

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

2163. FS- Motorola Mocom 10 Base on 46.02Mhz Cheap $20.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6cm568$6e$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 152884
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale....cheap...

Motorola Mocom 10 Base Station
with built-in AC Power Supply
and Microphone.
currently on 46.02 Mhz
works fine. Very Very Clean!!!
could probably be put on 6m FM.

$20.00 plus shipping of $8.
email me....

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT
5885 Galbraith Line Road
Croswell, MI 48422
E-Mail n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

2164. ft-8100r mod page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mac <mcgyv@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34EEAD9D.6085@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152885

Here is the page for the Yaesu FT-8100R Wide TX mod

http://ww2.sd.cybernex.net/~mcgyv

I DO NOT have the ft-8000 radio so I don't have the mods for it.
Do not e-mail me about other mods for radios I don't own.
Any new mods sent to me will be posted on the page.

Mac

2165. Re: Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@REMOVETHIS.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <34eeb4b3.2278570@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 152886
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For some reason, around 17 Feb 1998 10:55:15 GMT, "W5IDX"
<KD5BAY@earthling.net> wrote:

O/: I Am In The Process Of Setting Up A Home Page For Amateur Radio &
Texas
O/: Stop By My Pages & Sign My Guest Book & Drop Me Any Comments Or
Suggestions
O/: You Might Have.
O/: Coming Soon A Call Sign Server & Other Neat Stuff.
O/: Gregg W5IDX Houston Texas

Brilliant!

How do we stop by if you don't give the address???
Seriously, I would like to stop by, but can't!

2166. Re: HELP.Do I get a Shortwave receiver or a Transceiver?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: alsden@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6cmcjg$gn6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152887

In article <34ee254f.59802342@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>
> On Fri, 20 Feb 1998 16:42:49 +0000, FranJ <maverick@trekker.demon.co.uk> wrote:
> >Please forgive me if this is the wrong group. But need advice.
> >I'm presently studying for the RSGB Amateur Radio License including
> >trying to learn Morse. I want to get involved now by listening in, but
> >I have a dilemma. Do I buy a Shortwave receiver now, then in May when I
> >pass my exam (Trying to be positive!), buy a transceiver OR Just buy a
> >transceiver now, and not use the transmitting functions?!! Somebody
> >suggested the Kenwood TS440s, I have no idea what a good Shortwave
> >receiver is. Other people have advised to go to a club for advice, but
> >presently I'm laid up with a slipped disc. So my computer and the phone
> >are my only way of communicating with the world.
>
> Buy the transceiver. It'll have a better receiving section than most
> SWL receivers, and it'll give you an incentive to study harder to
> pass the exam. There are a number of good used radios available.
> My favorite is the IC-735, but a number of Kenwood and Yaesu
> rigs are good too. If you shop intelligently, you can always resell
> it later without taking much of a loss if you don't like it. (That's
> one of the big attractions of buying used, most of the depreciation
> was suffered by the poor soul who bought it new.)
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>

Fran,
Don't go hog wild and buy a high dollar ham Rig.you may find that
you do not like ham radio.
I would buy a shortwave rec. for
under $200.00 bucks and listen for awhile.if you don't like ham.
you can listen to the other bands.
and you want have to waste your time
taking the test.Smoke on it a while!
most hams in my area want your equipment for dirt price.most will
not give you a fair shake!
If you like to fuss and fight then
ham radio is for you!ham is high-tech. C.B. good luck!Big Al

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2167. Re: does anyone know some satellite tracker hardware?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34EE9793.C9434419@triax.com>
Source record: 152888

Hi Liu. The Kansas City Tracker has been around for over 10 years. It works with most of the satilite tracking software. You can find information on it at this web site
http://www.llgrace.com/
Bob W7CTW

Liu HuiPing wrote:

> Hallo to everyone!
>
> Really I need a satellite tracker hardware,AEA ST-1 SATELLITE
> TRACKER might be a good choice,but unfortunately I hear that this
> company is closed,
> so I hope you give me some advises in purchasing such hardware
> or any other
> hardware that can also track the satellites.
>
> Thank you very much!!!!
>
> Sincerely,
>
> Liu HuiPing

2168. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <34F10135.11247A3@datacomm.com>
Source record: 152591

I once delivered a free load of firewood to a person when the power went out and they lost their heat source. I place of thanks I received a nasty lecture for not stacking the wood. I wonder if that situation applies here?

Louis

Parsons James wrote:

> R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak wrote:
> >
> > Clif wrote:
> > >
> > > hershman wrote:
> > > >
> > > > John Fleenor wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > Beware of Kenwood's Warranty on new radios. See
> > > > > http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf
> > > > This sounds familiar to me. I have heard many negative things about the
> > > > Service Ctrs of Kenwood. I have not had any first hand experience from
> > > > Cliff at ADvidd but by all the Flames he sent me I would not reccommend
> > > > ever dealing with the guy.
> > > > Steve NS1R
> > >
> > > If the shoe fits, wear it, you apologized to everyone but me. All I said
> > > was you were out of line on Gary and you admitted you were and
> > > apologized..
> > > --
> > > Clif @ AVVid
> > > AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> > > http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid
> >
> >
> > In defense of Cliff at AVVID I would like to point out his many posts
> > helping people, and giving free advise on what he thought was wrong and
> > what to do to fix there own rigs. I don't ever see any other service
> > centers trying to help people fix there own rigs at no charge.
> > Thank you Cliff and don't give up on use with your help.
> >
> > Bob
> > WB5APD
>
> I am a bit shocked to hear anything negative said about Clif at AVVID.
> He has answered many of my questions which I asked on the newsgroups. He
> has also answered many questions on private E-mail. He asked nothing in

> return, although I know it took much of his time.
>
> Also, I have had a number of friends praise his work. He does
> outstanding maintenance at a very affordable price.
>
> Usual disclaimer...
>
> I, for one, consider him top-notch!
>
> Jim, K5ROV
> --
>
> James (Jim), Parsons, K5ROV USAF, Ret.
> k5rov@worldnet.att.net QCWA, NWQRP, Fists, ARRL
> EX: W1RLA, K5FBB, K4FEO, SV0WN (CRETE), SV0WN (RHODES),
> DL4NC, DL4JP, KA2FC (JAPAN), KA2JP (JAPAN).
> JOHN 3:16

2169. Re: FS: HTX204 (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Harrison <donot@reply.com>
Message-ID: <34F10176.1C936454@reply.com>
Source record: 152592
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

rhansil@nospam.mychoice.net wrote:
>
> For sale via online auction: HTX204
> HTX 204 DUAL BAND
>
> Minimum Bid: $400.00
> Auction Ends: 3/7 7:16 pm PST

Don't waste your time with the auction and a $400 minimum bid when
you can buy my friend's HTX 204 dual band for $300! Here is his
ad as seen on Hank's Swap Shop on the Sonoma County Radio Amateurs
web site at http://cds1.net/scra/swap.html

Realistic HTX-204 2m/440 Dualband HT. In box w/manual, charger,
etc. MARS modified. $300.

Contact Kelly, KD6CJQ @ 707-837-9434 or email: kd6cjq@cds1.net
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73,
Ken

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____
Ken Harrison - ken AT cds1.net - Amateur: N6MHG
~~~~~~
Visit the Sonoma County Radio Amateurs Web Site
http://www.cds1.net/scra
--> New Java Based Amateur Radio Chat Room! <--
Hank's Swap Shop
~~~~~~

2170. Motorola ID help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iluv2way <bednark@garden.net>
Message-ID: <6cr0mi$dh0$1@news10.ispnews.com>
Source record: 152593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Saber 1, Model H44QXN7139AN. I have no manual on this unit, so if someone could break down the Model # for me and let me know the specs I would GREATLY appreciate it. Thanks.

KB

2171. FS: TH-79A 2m/440 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ted <mtp@usa.net>
Message-ID: <34F10E35.37BDD22B@usa.net>
Source record: 152594

I have a Kenwood TH-79A for sale. I comes with the following:

6v, 9.6v and AAA battery pack. Original wall charger. KSC-14Kenwood rapid , dual slot, charger. Original antenna and aftermarket antenna. Speaker mic. Packet connector. Protective case. Original boxes and manuals.

This HT is in good shape (no major gouges or scratches). Used by me (a non smoker) since I have had the rig. The display is in great shape as well.

$200.00 I wll ship

I would be willing to trade this HT for a Pro-2004

Thanks,

Reply to: mtp@usa.net

2172. Re: For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <34F11BBF.95023BE5@datacomm.com>
Source record: 152595

I bid nothing for the nothing you have for sale. Let me know if I'm the highest bidder.

Louis

allenb@cowtownrv.com wrote:

> Have for sale the following:
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2173. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <6crkedepm1@as1000.javanet.com>
Source record: 152596
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) wrote in message ...
>I took the time to read Fisher's vitriolic little webpage and have
>confirmed what I always thought, the man is definitely not playing with a
>full deck.

And you are/

>>The ARRL response cites factors as to non renewal and the very 1st reason
>is exactly why this started. By Fisher's own admission, he has not
>administered a VE session in the specified timeframe. According to Part
>97.525

Where did I EVER say that?

>No VEC may accredit a person as a VE if the person does not meet minimum
>VE statutory qualifications or minimum qualifications as prescribed by
>this part

And how do I NOT meet that?

>Burt's response is then to argue that he was "fired" for no apparent
>reason, yet he conveniently forgets that in another paragraph her
>mentions that there were others that supposedly have failed to meet the
>minimum qualification. In fact, this is the paragraph where he does
>admit his failure by lying..I quote

W1TTY gave less tests than I and was just renewed.

>If you'll remember the 1st go around, Fisher admitted to not having given
>a test in over a year, so he is blatantly (1) lying about and (2)
>attempting his little boy tantrums but crying that "other guys were doing
>it tooooo!!!"

Does the ARRL dismiss everone who does not give a test in a year?
Do they dismiss ANYONE BUT me?
I did not make the admission you fabricated.

>>Words speak very loudly here and the words from Fisher show a total lack
>of any sanity. Normally I don't promote websites but this you have to
>see. A man reduced to fabrications and outright lies to massage an
>obvious bruised ego.

Read it:
http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169/arrlve.htm

>
>I can see why the people of Packard Bell are paying him no mind as well.

You like Packard Bell?

>Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what
>type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools

Tell us here, the full story.
DeJa news is not always accurate.

Burt

2174. searching pc pakratt for windows

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: DBX238@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6cq0a3jnu1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 152597

hello all
i am searching the programm pc pakratt for windows.

who can help me !

2175. export / import from Europe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Telcom-GmbH.HV@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6cq85r$m0$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 152598
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Hello to everybody.
I want to give you some details about the prices in Europe. I saw some mails about the competition of new YAESU transceivers. You must know:
In european countries it is usual to put the enduser price including the local VAT!
In Germany you have 15 % VAT (from April 1st = 16%) VAT always included.
In the UK you have i.e. 17,5 % included.
It is law that you must quote prices for endusers including the VAT. If you offer to a company or expot you can offer net price.
To sell in the shop to a foreign visitor is most time a big problem, because the customer has to pay the local VAT and has to bring / mail back the documents after customs declaration. After all this the shop can refund the VAT ammount.
Most simple way is the mail order and shipment into foreign country. The prices can be quoted in German mark or if better also in foreign currency like US $.
The VAT will not be charged, the export price does not include the VAT, but destination must be outside of EEC countries.
If you have an APO, it will be same.
If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to come back.
Best wishes

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2176. Re: Wide band TX/RX for Alinco DR-510E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34F0B8E6.372F110A@triax.com>
Source record: 152599

go to
http://www.qsl.net/k7on/mods/alinco/mods/
There are two files there on mods for the dr510. Another site for info
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageA.html#MODS
I hope this helps.

Bob W7CTW

Geoff and Sarah Ingram wrote:

> Hi THERE
> Name here is Geoff and the Qth is Exmouth in Devon UK.
> someone told me was easy to get the alinco dr-510e to wide band tx/rx.
> I cannot seem to find any mods on the Internet wonder if anyone can help.
>
> thanks in advance
>
> 73's de geoff
> m0agi
>
> email: risager@eurobell.co.UK

2177. Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iluv2way <bednark@garden.net>
Message-ID: <6csutrajr1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 152600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hi all,
I have a Saber 1, Model H44QXN7139AN. It is 12 channel, high power, with securenet module installed. However, this unit is currently on 418Mhz, and I need one for the 440 ham band. I also have a NTN 4593A high-cap battery with it. I am looking to trade for another Saber 1 in the ham band, or another COMMERCIAL ht that will work in the 440 band. Securenet is not required. Thanks in advance, please reply via e-mail. This unit is an 8 on a scale of 10. It has just a few scratches on the case.

KB

2178. Re: TM-V7 Radio Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sta.REMOVETHIS@a-info.dk
Message-ID: <34f07b5a.1811263@news.uni2.dk>
Source record: 152641

Sorry, but it didn't work for me. Note : I have a TM-V7(E) for Europe,
and both the '0' and the '1' resistor was already removed when I
opened the radio. I have and have always had full RX-range (including
800 - 900 MhZ, but I still only have 144.000 - 146.000 VHF TX-range.
I tried resetting the radio, but all I got from that was an erased
memory. By still worth the try.

Any ideas?

TIA

Swtempo@worldnet.att.net (SwTempo) wrote:

>Here's what i got:
>
>I got this off this newsgroup awhile after the radio was introduced.
>It worked for me.
>All caveats apply!
>
>Remove both top and bottom covers.
>Unplug the speaker and set the covers aside.
>Lift up on the 6 tabs on the top and bottom of the front of the radio
>and remove it.
>We should now be looking at the back of the faceplate receptical.
>Position it so that the voice modual is at the top while looking down
>on it.
>Below and to the left of the modual is a V shaped copper spring.
>The resistor we want to remove is in the 0 (zero) position
>Remove nothing else.
>Do a full reset per the instruction manual
>You should now have 300 to 470mhz receive on UHF
>410 to 470 mhz transmit.
>118 to 174 mhz receive
>and 136 to 174 mhz transmit.
>
>I have heard that 800 mhz reception is possible, but I haven't been
>able to find much on it except a posting on packet from a guy in
>Belgium. His description of the mod sounded cryptic at best so I left
>it alone.
>
>Randy
>
>Randy
>Greater Cincinnati Northern Kentucky Scanner Page
>http://home.fuse.net/rwtrue00

>
>
>Remove the detatchable face and the bottom cover. Look at the pcb
>that
>is vertical behind the the front of the radio. There will be 5-6 sets
>of solder pads numbered 0-whatever. There will be 2 chip resistors on
>the first two pads, the rest are empty. Remove the resistor on the
>first pad (the one closest to the grounding spring-should be #0). The
>new range should be VHF 136-173.995TX 118-174RX UHF 410-469.995TX
>300-470 RX.
>
>This is directly from the Kenwood Supplementary Info sheet
>TM-V7A Beyond MARS Modification.
>
>--
>==
>Rik Rasmussen Direct Call, Inc. Durham/Raleigh, NC
>USA
> rik@vnet.net visit my homepage at http://users.vnet.net/rik/
>AOL Instant Messenger: Rik Rass ICQ#7920695 Amateur Radio:
>WA4BAN

2179. Re: HELP-What is happening??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenn, AA5PK" <aa5pk@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <6cpvji$ns5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152642

I'd have to guess your news reader is set to display only unread messages
'cuz your two FS posts are here.

Glenn AA5PK
> I have put a FS on this listing twice in the last 30 min and it
disappeared
> both times.

2180. FS- Yaesu FT 101E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Koonce <webmaster@arachnifile.com>
Message-ID: <34F0812D.F6DCBC2E@arachnifile.com>
Source record: 152643

Includes Paradynamic desk mic and matched cherry pic tubes.
--
Nick J. Koonce
Arachnifile Web Services

Full service Internet Development and
Information Architecture for the World Wide Web...

webmaster@arachnifile.com
http://www.arachnifile.com

2181. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6cpus1$6lr$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 152644
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Glen Self (gself@snlnet.com) wrote:
: But in most of the US it is a long distance call to an ISP. Only the large
: metro areas have a local call.

I disagree...
I live in BFE... the "end of the earth" here in houghton, Mi.
And there are about 7 different ISPs that are all local...

Joe

NOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47,
Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited
commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a
download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees
incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating
and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail.
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

:
: John Miles wrote in message <34EE0822.283F@pop.removethistomailme.net>...
: >Glen Self wrote:
: >>
: >> Let's see, if I stayed connected to an ISP for 24 hrs it would cost me
: >> ....DING
: >> $144/day in phone charges. And that is at a reduced rate.
: >> Where do you get this free in the US idea?
: >
: >It's hard to find a major ISP in the States that doesn't support
: >unlimited connect time for a flat rate these days. This includes some
: >of the "big ones" with millions of subscribers. Whether this pricing
: >model is going to be viable in the long run is a matter of some debate,
: >but the trend has been clear for quite awhile now.
: >
: >Local telephone companies don't care if you camp out on the line 24
: >hours a day, as long as you pay the US $20/month service charge. (This
: >is true of both basic and ISDN service in my area, although roosting on
: >an ISDN account will quickly send you to the poorhouse in ISP charges.)
: >
: >It's safe to say that "free" local calls are subsidized by long-distance
: >rates to some extent, although to be honest the average US citizen has
: >little grounds for complaint about high long-distance rates either.
: >
: >IMHO the U.K. and Europe have always been behind the times in matters
: >technological. Heck, I've been involved with personal-computer software

: >projects that had to support cassette tape drives as late as 1988, just
: >for the European market. Get with the program, you guys! :)
: >
: >-- jm KE5FX (trimming some newsgroups that don't have much to do with
: >radio modems...)
: >
: >---
: >Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
: >---
:
:
--
Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

2182. Re: TM 241 Help LIth Bat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Cohen <robco@netactive.co.za>
Message-ID: <888177725.631071@proxy.netactive.co.za>
Source record: 152645

Check the small connector to the display. Spray some switch cleaner on it
and connect and disconnect it a few times. Worked for me.....
I don't think it is your battery.

Rob ZS5LA

2183. Re: Yaesu Memorizer owners (HELP!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34F083CE.3BE496B6@earthlink.net>
Source record: 152646

If it is a 227R and not an RA or RB, there is only one memory..
it does not have batteries and if you remove the power from the
radio, it WILL lose the memory...keeping the power applied
BUT turning the radio OFF is ok....the power is still applied to
the memory ckts..

As for the trouble you are having, the OFFSET switch gets dirty
after a while and if it is not making good contact, the PLL
will not be able to lock properly. The OFFSET xtal ckt MUST be
working for the radio to lock up on channel...even in simplex mode.

Clean the switch with QUALITY spray....(Quietrol or similar)..that
leaves NO residue and is SAFE for plastics!!!
Work the switch back and forth to get it clean....

Also check the relay in the unit that switches 8V buss...and the
regulator itself (mounted to chassis at right
rear corner upper side)...the solder connections there can break
and cause intermittant problems...
I still have my 227R from 1977 ! Still working...

To store a freq in memory, set dial to the freq you want to store..
then press in the Yellow "M" button....its now stored...
to recall, press the Green "MR" button in..pressing the Yellow button
again will store a new freq...
to operate an odd spilt, store the TX freq you need and then dial
up the RCV freq....then set offset knob to MEM....
this will cause you to rcv on the dial and TX on memory!

Chris

Dave Edwards wrote:
>
> Just picked up an old memorizer. I think the model is FT227R.
> It works, but a bit screwed up.
> Sometimes it powers on at 2.000, sometimes it just has
> three digits. After messing with it for a while, I can get it to
> show the correct frequency.
> Anyway, that problem seems to be hopeless but can someone tell
> me how to operate the memory?
> Does it store the memory when turned off? There doesn't seem to
> be a battery in it.
> Could you email me with any suggestions or input you may have?
> ...Thanks...Dave

2184. Re: HELP-What is happening??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222203501.PAA21185@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152647

>I have put a FS on this listing twice in the last 30 min and it disappeared
>both times. What am I doing wrong. It is going out 'cause someone has already
>replied. But it disappears from the listing. Do I have to join something?

I'm sorry, you should have seen the message on your opening screen.

To have your listing appear for eighteen(18) days, send $20.00 to K&#65533;MB,
callbook address. This will allow you to list up to five(5) items during the
next three(3) months.

Cheers,
K&#65533;MB

2185. FS: Yaesu FT901E, free antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob331fl@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <v$%H.1477$AY1.2436871@news3.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152648

I inherited a lovely transceiver with general coverage receiver. It has not been used in about 4 months, taken out of working service. I cannot use it in a condo community, so must sell it. Please make offers, in excellent cosmetic and working condition, no manual.

Buy it SOON and Ill include FREE an Antenna Tuner 1KW.

Bob

2186. FS: Kenwood TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34F08D09.B68@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello..

I have for sale a very clean Kenwood TS-820S with optional
CW filter installed.. $375. Offers near this price will be considered.

Thanks

Steve-WA6GSD

2187. FS: Pair New in Box Eimac 4CX250B's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34F08D73.1D88@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152650
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hello..

I have for sale 2 each Eimac 4CX250B's, new in the box, date
code is week 42 of 1978..$80/pair plus shipping..

Steve-WA6GSD

2188. Re: Pakratt for Windows ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James T. Amos Jr." <ac5ed@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F0962D.74A9@swbell.net>
Source record: 152651
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

W. Charles Alexander wrote:
>
> Is there any way to get Packratt for Windows now?
> Program for AEA PK232 MBX
> I just bought one and was told it had this software but it only had Pakratt
> II
> the Windows version has a Signal Analysis Module and a few other nice
> things for my use which is Rx only
>
> Tkx
>
> --
> 73 de charlie KC8IKG
> W. Charles Alexander
> charlie@netset.com
You should be able to find it at:
http://www.timewave.com/

2189. Wanted: 2mtr module for FT-726-R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmneal@netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f08856.15129645@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 152652

Need 2mtr module, working or not for Yaesu FT-726-R

Terry Neal AA6TN
tmneal@netcom.com

2190. WTB: BK2040 RF analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6cq65p$f3a@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152653

This is a nicely attenuated RF generator that B&K intended to be used for CB transceivers. It was popular in the 1980s. Got one??? I am a cash buyer.

2191. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Bento <jwbento@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <34F09BA6.45203111@mindspring.com>
Source record: 152654
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Walt Davidson wrote:

> If you had to pay the phone line rentals commonly charged in the
> States, you might not think free local calls were such a good idea
> after all.
>

If you want to lease a T1, ISDN or such, yes. However, in California, I pay Pacific Bell $16 a month for my line. That includes unlimited free local calling. Any LD charges are done through any choice of carriers, such as MCI, ATT, Sprint, etc. We choose our own LD carrier, and now it is commonplace to choose your own local carrier. Rates are extremetly competitive.

However, for home-telephone service, US$16 a month is not a bad deal, especially considering I racked up 110 hours of internet connect time last month.

> There is no such thing as a free lunch.

True, but our phone service here is close to it. Rates for business/commercial on the other hand are priced very differently.

-Joe
N6DGY

2192. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LA8AK@RV2.4P710.no
Message-ID: <34f09417.23225782@news.sol.no>
Source record: 152655
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This is really disturbing!!
What has it to do with rec.radio.amateur.homebrew?

email: LA8AK@online.no
Netscape 3.04, Free-Agent 1.11, ICQ, Net-Meeting.

2193. FS - Nye-Viking 3kw matching network and 2kw swan wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Snodgrass <donsno@texas.net>
Message-ID: <6cq7c5$91a$1@news3.texas.net>
Source record: 152656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Nye-Viking Model MB II 3KW 10-160 meter antenna impedance matching network
with manual. Excellent condition.
$250.00

Swan model WM-2000A Peak Reading high power Watt and SWR meter. Hard to
find and in mint condition. (no manual)
$150.00

I will cover all shipping costs.

73
Don
KM5IC

>>

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2194. WTB : OLD DESKTOP MICROPHONES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN-MARIE CHERRY <jmc@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd3fe0$03c358c0$980d0dc3@Jammy>
Source record: 152657

Hi gang !

WTB for my collection, old DESKTOP microphones. Astatic, Shure, Turner,
RCA, Stromberg Carlson, General Electric, Armaco, yaesu etc....

Old hand mikes are also welcome (years 1820-1980)

Please email direct :
Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

2195. WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Fleenor <johnf@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <34F0A605.1532335B@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 152658

Beware of Kenwood's Warranty on new radios. See
http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf

2196. austin beam?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gws@n8emr.nitetech.com
Message-ID: <6cqa68$k0k@usenet42.supernews.com>
Source record: 152659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone know anything about an Austin Beam? I picked up one at a auction.
2 element made of fiberglass..

--
Gary W. Sanders gws@n8emr.nitetech.com
packet: N8EMR @ W8CQK Voice: 614-895-2552 (eves/weekends)
Everyone is entitled to be stupid, but some abuse the privilege."
This address may *not* be used for unsolicited mailings.

2197. Wide band TX/RX for Alinco DR-510E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff and Sarah Ingram <risager@eurobell.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6cq92d$d46$1@sol.zynet.net>
Source record: 152660

Hi THERE
Name here is Geoff and the Qth is Exmouth in Devon UK.
someone told me was easy to get the alinco dr-510e to wide band tx/rx.
I cannot seem to find any mods on the Internet wonder if anyone can help.

thanks in advance

73's de geoff
m0agi

email: risager@eurobell.co.UK

2198. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: p.day@virgin.net
Message-ID: <34f0a1d5.1314812@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 152661
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 21:23:51 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>Maybe some day, too, you will have a 100% digital telephone trunk
>network like we have.
>
>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
which in turn increase the fuel consumption so causing us to use more
fuel than we did before and so deplete our natural resources faster!
(A qualified car mechanic told me this ... so unless you're an expert
on cars don't flame me :)))
>car exhausts, like we do, to reduce the amount of pollution you pump
>into the atmosphere.

73 from Peter, G3PHO

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Editor: RSGB Microwave Newsletter
Microwave Homepage (The World above 1000MHz):
http://freespace.virgin.net/p.day/ghz.htm
(mirror site at: http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Vista/7012
and at http://www.qsl.net/g3pho

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2199. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: p.day@virgin.net
Message-ID: <34f0a366.1715952@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 152662
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 21:34:34 GMT, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
(Jim Dunnett) wrote:

>Then try getting B.T. and the other telecomms sharks
>to make ISDN more attractive to you and me, for a
>start. You might also suggest to the authorities that
>some of these bloody amateurs be moved out of the
>VHF/UHF/SHF spectrum they occupy* to make way for the
>sort of free, high-speed Internet access you crave.

It's already happening... the 47GHz part of the spectrum, later this
year, may see the first evidence of this. The amateur band up there is
in real danger if the commercial people "run out of space"...

73 from Peter, G3PHO

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Editor: RSGB Microwave Newsletter
Microwave Homepage (The World above 1000MHz):
http://freespace.virgin.net/p.day/ghz.htm
(mirror site at: http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Vista/7012
and at http://www.qsl.net/g3pho

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2200. Want To Buy: K&E Model 4083-3 Slide Rule

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James F. Chumbley" <chumbley@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <6cqar7$66e@masters0.InterNex.Net>
Source record: 152663

I would like to buy a K&E model 4083-3 slide rule. This is the one they called a "Log-Log-Duplex-Decitrig-Vector." If you have one you'd like to sell, or if you know of one that is for sale, please contact me.
Thanks,
Jim Chumbley, N6UF

2201. FS: Ten Tec Scout w/ many accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34F0AF94.46246EAE@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a very nice Scout model 555. It is only about 5 months old with very
few hours on it. I bought it as a backup rig for the shack and to use for
the kids Scouting weekends and the Jamboree on the Air/Guides on the Air

(the Girl Scout equivalent.) I have the following options: band modules for
20, 30 and 40M; model 701 hand mic, model 297 NB (an internal option),
model 296 Mobile bracket and a 12V fan added to the heat sink to help
prevent finals from getting too warm. I will even throw in a 12V battery or
two to run it off of. If bought new and essentially is new, would cost $694
I will sell the whole thing for $500 including shipping.

Almost forgot to tell you, the only reason for selling is the local amateur club
has donated some radio equipment and I can now use the money for my new
Contesting rig.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
KU4IT Amateur Op
ku4it@bellsouth.net
KU4IT@WD9AGK.SIN.IN.USA.NA
http://personal.sdf.bellsouth.net/sdf/k/u/ku4it/pers1.html

Amateur Radio Transmitting Society
of Louisville, KY

2202. WTB: Yaesu MMB-62 Mobile Controller Bracket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <BA2I.236$sL3.2395345@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 152665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Wanted the MMB-62 mobile controller bracket for the Yaesu FT-8500. E-mail with asking price.

Thanks

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

2203. Re: Please compare TS-570D & TS-440s/at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <6cqd3u$ah9@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 152666

In <QqPzXEA0q070EwwQ@two-way.demon.co.uk> Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk> writes:

>Clark,
>Interesting post.

>>For the same money, I might choose the 570 except that I have some
>>experience inside the 440, so small problems don't bother me. I also
>>just love the rig with good filters in it. Just put some TS 940
>>filters in mine, and the audio is superb as well as giving good
>>selectivity. Nice radio.

>Surely with the 570 you can also dial-up 'superb' audio due to tailoring
>it with the DSP and possibly a heil insert:-)
>Now I wonder who'll be the first to bring out a truly mobile HF set with
>real IF DSP!

Good point, Phil. However, the 940 filters are 2.7 KHz wide, and the extra 300 Hz makes a very large difference in SSB audio to my ear. The little 570 has the stock 2.4 KHz Kenwood filter (and only one filter) ahead of the DSP, so you can't hear any more than 2.4 wide, though a friend of mine put in the YK-88S1 at 2.7 and he has nicer audio, both receive and transmit. If I had the 570, I would probably do that, too, or maybe cascade a pair of 2.7 filters to get a little better rejection of QRM crud on 40 meters, where I like to operate!

Clark
WA3JPG

2204. relm handheld scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: smg3@Lehigh.EDU
Message-ID: <6cqecf$pq0@ns3-1.CC.Lehigh.EDU>
Source record: 152667

I'm curious if anyone has had any experience using or has purchased the Relm handheld scanner with the CTCSS/DCS capabilities? It looks like a good unit at the price and seems to be the only handheld with PL. Regency has always been a good company, I just want to be sure Relm has followed with their recent units. Any information would be greatly appreicated, thanks in advance.

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* Sean M. Gilligan (610.758.1188) *
* CompSci '01 *
* Lehigh University Bethlehem, PA *
* Box: C252 Email: SMG3 *
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2205. WTB - HF Mobile Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick - WD8CEB <DickWD8CEB@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cqgog$edo@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152668
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Would like to purchase one of the following:

1. Metron
2. SGC
3. MFJ / Ameritron

Please respond to myself or kr4kh@avana.net (Russ) with cost and phone number to be contacted.

Thank You,

Dick

2206. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F0C0A3.F4A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152669

John Fleenor wrote:
>
> Beware of Kenwood's Warranty on new radios. See
> http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf
This sounds familiar to me. I have heard many negative things about the
Service Ctrs of Kenwood. I have not had any first hand experience from
Cliff at ADvidd but by all the Flames he sent me I would not reccommend
ever dealing with the guy.
Steve NS1R

2207. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LONGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f5a80c4464e1f90989970@news.planet.net>
Source record: 152670
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <34f09417.23225782@news.sol.no>, LA8AK@RV2.4P710.no says...
> This is really disturbing!!
> What has it to do with rec.radio.amateur.homebrew?
>
> email: LA8AK@online.no
> Netscape 3.04, Free-Agent 1.11, ICQ, Net-Meeting.

It has everything to do with all aspects of amateur radio. One individual with a bruised ego has decided that amateur radio no longer serves what he considers his agenda/purpose/deranged ideals. There is always someone out there with an equally warped sense, or lack of, purpose in a position to make things happen. Burt cares only for himself. He's proved that time and time again. As with a puppy that messes off the paper, the time has come to rub Fisher's nose in it and not only call his bet, but to raise the stakes as well.

If you're not interested, by all means, use the killfile/delete feature of your newsreader.

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Steve KF2TI
KF2TI@planet.net
http://www.planet.net/adell

Bring out your Dead <clang>
Bring out your dead <clang>
I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

2208. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike & Jayne Goad <ka4ezy@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <34F0CF30.3588@flinet.com>
Source record: 152671

Phil Wheeler wrote:
>
> > Also, the Web page indicates there is a 1.8 MHZ to 440 MHZ antenna
> > for the car that is motorized the Screwdiver type that only works with
> > the FT-847 price $250.
>
> An odd option, that. The 847 is not intended (primarily) as a mobile
> radio, is it? Well, maybe for a motorhome!
>
> Phil
Why wouldn't be a mobile rig. Its the same size as the Icom 735 which
was sold as a mobile rig for many years until it was discontinued a
couple of years ago. About the only ones who couldn't use this as a
mobile would be the sports car drivers. But, then, who wants a big
hf antenna on their Corvette or Trans-Am any way. [Forgive me, I am
partial to GM ;-)] While rigs have gotten smaller, the laws of physics
have prevented us from making efficient antennas much smaller.

After they've had a year to work out the bugs, I intend to buy an
FT-847. And, yes, I will run it mobile as well as in the house.

73
Mike Goad, KA4EZY

2209. FS: Kenwood Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Magruder <n5qde@vicksburg.com>
Message-ID: <34F0D216.AD969841@vicksburg.com>
Source record: 152672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS-450S (No Auto-Tuner) $650
All-Mode HF 160-10 Meters

Kenwood TS-50S $650
All-Mode HF Mobile 100 Watts

Kenwood MB-13 Quick-Release Bracket $ 35
To Be Sold With Above TS-50 or if TS-50 sells first Only

All items in excellent condition both cosmetically and electrically - No

problems with any of them. Each includes mike, power cable, and manual,

TS-450 also includes service manual. Shipping extra on all
items.

TNX Ed ..... N5QDE Located in Vicksburg, MS 39180

2210. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34F0D7F0.2975@onramp.net>
Source record: 152673

hershman wrote:
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> John Fleenor wrote:
> >
> > Beware of Kenwood's Warranty on new radios. See
> > http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf
> This sounds familiar to me. I have heard many negative things about the
> Service Ctrs of Kenwood. I have not had any first hand experience from
> Cliff at ADvidd but by all the Flames he sent me I would not reccommend
> ever dealing with the guy.
> Steve NS1R

If the shoe fits, wear it, you apologized to everyone but me. All I said
was you were out of line on Gary and you admitted you were and
apologized..
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

2211. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34F0DCA6.5CBA@stc.net>
Source record: 152674

Clif wrote:
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> hershman wrote:
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> > John Fleenor wrote:
> > >
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> > > http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf
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> > Cliff at ADvidd but by all the Flames he sent me I would not reccommend
> > ever dealing with the guy.
> > Steve NS1R
>
> If the shoe fits, wear it, you apologized to everyone but me. All I said
> was you were out of line on Gary and you admitted you were and
> apologized..
> --
> Clif @ AVVid
> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

In defense of Cliff at AVVID I would like to point out his many posts
helping people, and giving free advise on what he thought was wrong and
what to do to fix there own rigs. I don't ever see any other service
centers trying to help people fix there own rigs at no charge.
Thank you Cliff and don't give up on use with your help.

Bob
WB5APD

2212. Reliant Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: lprzyski <lprzyski@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34F0DED2.9EBB0E67@erols.com>
Source record: 152675

QST: What's the scoop on a Reliant L-103 Linear amp? It uses two 4CX300A tetrodes and does 80-10 mtrs. with 2kw input. Anyone have any experience with this amp- good, bad or otherwise?

Tnx es 73 de Larry - K3PEG

2213. YEASU QUADRA SYSTEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas johnson <iix@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <34F0DE88.7A66B2A2@interaccess.com>
Source record: 152676

Does anyone own the new Yeasu quadra system VL1000 amp and VP1000 power supply? interested in what you think of it? Thanks in advance to any replys...Doug W9iix

2214. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mc@shore.net
Message-ID: <6cqmrr$n7k@northshore.shore.net>
Source record: 152677
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey Guys!

Packet radio has NOTHING to do with Boatanchors so please DO NOT
CROSS-POST this kind of crap to rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors. We are NOT
interested!

W1RC

2215. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LONGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34F0D324.4DD5@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152678
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) wrote:
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> > This is really disturbing!!
> > What has it to do with rec.radio.amateur.homebrew?
> >
> > email: LA8AK@online.no
> > Netscape 3.04, Free-Agent 1.11, ICQ, Net-Meeting.
>
> It has everything to do with all aspects of amateur radio.

Except homebrewing.

-- jm KE5FX (followups trimmed, get the hint?)

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Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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2216. WTB: Hallicrafters R-46, R-46A, or R-46B Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: DA Honeycutt <k3458@leo.infi.net>
Message-ID: <34F0DD2D.D6284585@leo.infi.net>
Source record: 152679

I need a Hallicrafters R-46 series speaker to use with my SX-96
receiver. Please let me know what you've got, condition, and price.
Thanks,
David

2217. Wanted: TH-G71A feedback

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Gannon <rgannon@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F0E369.B25C49D8@nospam.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152680

After searching through DejaNews I'm sort of surprised at the lack of discussion on the Kenwood TH-G71A. Does anyone have feedback, (good, bad, otherwise) on this rig?

Thanks!

2218. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: burt@innocent.com
Message-ID: <6cqp8h$a04$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <MPG.f59f52e5c8d74fd98996f@news.planet.net>,
kf2ti@planet.net (Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ)) wrote:
> The ARRL response cites factors as to non renewal and the very 1st reason
> is exactly why this started. By Fisher's own admission, he has not
> administered a VE session in the specified timeframe. According to Part
> 97.525

Others who have given LESS exams than I have been renewed.
Plus I did not say what you said I said.

> No VEC may accredit a person as a VE if the person does not meet minimum
> VE statutory qualifications or minimum qualifications as prescribed by
> this part

I meet and exceed the requirements.

> Further, I know several VE's that have never been active in giving a test
> (as I have) that have not lost their status as a VE examiner"

Your alleged quote itself is a lie.

> If you'll remember the 1st go around, Fisher admitted to not having given
> a test in over a year, so he is blatantly (1) lying about and (2)
> attempting his little boy tantrums but crying that "other guys were doing
> it tooooo!!!"

I did not.

> Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what
> type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools

Go ahead, post here .

Visit http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169/arrlve.htm

for the full story.

Burt

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2219. Wanted Lunar Amp. VHF 25-200p

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Gleim <garyg@madnet.net>
Message-ID: <34F0EF9A.47041AAD@madnet.net>
Source record: 152682

Looking for a Schematic and component list for a Lunar Amp. Model
25-200p.
Can anyone help?????? Will pay reasonable amount $$.
Thanks,
Gary
WA6TOB

2220. HELP!! HAL ST-6000 in RS-232 mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nx7u@primenet.com
Message-ID: <34f0f033.101608174@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 152683

I recently obtained a fine HAL ST-6000 RTTY demodulator locally. I intend to replace my patchwork-quilt-semi-homebrew Kantronics Interface][(remember those?) with it. Right now the kludge works with a PC running BMKMULTY.

FWIW, the Kantronics is TTL, so part of the kludge is a homebrew TTL-RS232 converter. It's worked very well for several years.

Well, I hook up the HAL, carefully following the special instructions for RS232 operation (jumper the accessory connector, add shorting plugs to Loop1&2 and Loop3), but...no workee. Pull out the RS232 das-blinkenlights-analyzer, and bipolar data is indeed coming out of the correct pin, etc. Reversing polarity still no workee.

So I pull out the osillyscope, and look at the RS232 output of the Kantronics kludge. Looks good, 22ms signalling at +/- 15V just like the handbook promises. Now for the HAL...

There's this "puncture" voltage pulse train on the RS232 data...about every 9-10ms the polarity reverses for maybe 2ms...so it looks like someone superimposed almost a timing pulse on top of the Baudot data...it's close to twice a Baudot symbol but the scope is free-triggering so it's hard to tell for sure.

Unfortunately I don't speak "Green-key-style" RTTY too well, so it's difficult for me to decypher much of the HAL documentation.

So...any suggestions? Has anyone out there successfully interfaced an ST-6000 with a simple PC/RS232 interface (there must be hundreds!!)? Any hints? PS the MIL-xxx pins have the same disease.

Thanks Much In Advance!!!!

Scott Townley
Gilbert, AZ
nx7u@primenet.com

2221. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2202981857340001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 152684

In article <34F0C0A3.F4A@ix.netcom.com>, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>I have not had any first hand experience from
>Cliff at ADvidd but by all the Flames he sent me I would not reccommend
>ever dealing with the guy.

Funny. . . . From all the contacts I've had with Clif and all that I've
read on the net over the past couple of years, I would trust him in an
instant.

Clif has proven to be a valuable resource, not like some people who litter
the landscape with questionable "facts" and even more questionable
opinions.

73, Dick
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

2222. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Parsons James <k5rov@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cqs15$14m@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152685

R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak wrote:
>
> Clif wrote:
> >
> > hershman wrote:
> > >
> > > John Fleenor wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Beware of Kenwood's Warranty on new radios. See
> > > > http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf
> > > This sounds familiar to me. I have heard many negative things about the
> > > Service Ctrs of Kenwood. I have not had any first hand experience from
> > > Cliff at ADvidd but by all the Flames he sent me I would not reccommend
> > > ever dealing with the guy.
> > > Steve NS1R
> > >
> > If the shoe fits, wear it, you apologized to everyone but me. All I said
> > was you were out of line on Gary and you admitted you were and
> > apologized..
> > --
> > Clif @ AVVid
> > AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> > http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid
>
>
> In defense of Cliff at AVVID I would like to point out his many posts
> helping people, and giving free advise on what he thought was wrong and
> what to do to fix there own rigs. I don't ever see any other service
> centers trying to help people fix there own rigs at no charge.
> Thank you Cliff and don't give up on use with your help.
>
> Bob
> WB5APD

I am a bit shocked to hear anything negative said about Clif at AVVID.
He has answered many of my questions which I asked on the newsgroups. He
has also answered many questions on private E-mail. He asked nothing in
return, although I know it took much of his time.

Also, I have had a number of friends praise his work. He does
outstanding maintenance at a very affordable price.

Usual disclaimer...

I, for one, consider him top-notch!

Jim, K5ROV
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James (Jim), Parsons, K5ROV USAF, Ret.
k5rov@worldnet.att.net QCWA, NWQRP, Fists, ARRL
EX: W1RLA, K5FBB, K4FEO, SV0WN (CRETE), SV0WN (RHODES),
DL4NC, DL4JP, KA2FC (JAPAN), KA2JP (JAPAN).
JOHN 3:16

2223. Wanted, Robot 1200c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Gleim <" garyg"@madnet.net>
Message-ID: <34F0F2E8.6AE79987@madnet.net>
Source record: 152686

Wanted, a mint Robot 1200c SSTV converter.
Gary
WA6TOB

2224. WTB: Relm HS200 Scanner!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean M. Gilligan" <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <34F0EE16.9E10B8AB@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 152687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for this specific model of the Relm,
and this model only. Must be in good working and
cosmetic condition, with all parts (belt clip, ant,
manual, AC adapt, and hopefully box). Please email
me with any offers you have. I have found prices
in the $179-$199 range from various companies on
the web, so keep in mind they did go down in price
over the years. Thanks in advance.

2225. Pair Eimac 4CX250B's Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34F0F5C8.743D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

The pair of Eimac 4CX250B's are sold.. Thanks to all who replied..

Steve-WA6GSD

2226. Re: WHY K1OIK IS NOT A VE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Fowler <kenfowkr@pop.flash.net>
Message-ID: <34F0FCF0.6785@pop.flash.net>
Source record: 152689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) wrote:
>
<snipped>
> Oh well. I too will counter with editorials should Burt's appear. I
> will submit posts from the newsgroups such as ASD to show discredit
> whatever he submits. Such is his right, such is mine.
> --
> Steve KF2TI
> KF2TI@planet.net
> http://www.planet.net/adell
>
> Bring out your Dead <clang>
> Bring out your dead <clang>
> I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

Steve,

Please don't bother countering his posts in rec.radio.amateur.antenna.
The posts and the rebuttals are both non-germane.

TX es 73, Ken

2227. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: allenb@cowtownrv.com
Message-ID: <6cqvne$io1$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152690

Have for sale the following:

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2228. Re: Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7nono.com
Message-ID: <34ef7955.129906322@news.dancris.com>
Source record: 152723
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

bry@REMOVETHIS.mnsinc.com (Brian Carling) wrote:

>For some reason, around 17 Feb 1998 10:55:15 GMT, "W5IDX"
><KD5BAY@earthling.net> wrote:
>
>O/: I Am In The Process Of Setting Up A Home Page For Amateur Radio &
>Texas
>O/: Stop By My Pages & Sign My Guest Book & Drop Me Any Comments Or
>Suggestions
>O/: You Might Have.
>O/: Coming Soon A Call Sign Server & Other Neat Stuff.
>O/: Gregg W5IDX Houston Texas
>
>Brilliant!
>
>How do we stop by if you don't give the address???
>Seriously, I would like to stop by, but can't!

Kinda reminds me of an announcement for the Psycic hotline Home
Page...You know where it's at!

2229. Want: Trio (early Kenwood) o'scope manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd3f2a$f8ed00a0$240f9fcf@john>
Source record: 152724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Hello:

Anyone out there have a manual for a Trio o'scope
model CO-1303G?

Will pay for whatever you have, either original or
good copies (even a copy of an old ad for the thing).

Thanks de John
occupant@ns.net
..
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2230. Yaesu FT-920 Mod Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Milton Krain <milt@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3f43$c4db3160$2af6face@6648hvy6e066>
Source record: 152725

Hi,

Yaesu has a modification for an FT-920 that has low average
talking power output on sidband. The expected results of
the modification is improvement of average talking power.

The modification procedures consists of adding and/or
replacing several resistors and capacitors on the DSP board.
It is documented by Yaesu in File No. TSN-9743, Trouble Shooters
Note.

How can I tell if my FT-920 needs this modification?

73

Milt, W2UNL
Over fifty years of ham radio.

2231. WTB: BC-454/R-21/ARC-5 receiver, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: duckman_osu@ionet.net
Message-ID: <34ef80a2.43015412@news.ionet.net>
Source record: 152726

Want to buy BC-454/R-21/ARC-5 receiver (3.0-6.0mHz). Must be complete and not butchered. With or without dynamotor. Will be used in working display. Also still looking for BC-456 Modulator and/or DM-33 dynamotor or any other ARC-5 equipment. E-mail me with asking price. Thanks!!!

Dewayne "Duck" Moore
WB5BNQ
duckman_osu@ionet.net

2232. $120 can put shortwave in your car!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcgoodman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34ef8812.23165469@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 152727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Check out http://worldwave.home.mindspring.com for more info.

2233. WTB: COLLINS 312B-4 & 516F-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6eg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222025500.VAA21102@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152728

LOOKING FOR COLLINS 312B-4 STATION CONTROL AND COLLINS 516F-2
POWER SUPPLY WITH CABINET IN GOOD CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE PRICE .. TNX
ED K6EG PH/FAX 310-672-8428
HOME PAGE HTTP://MEMBERS.AOL.COM/K6EG/TIJERA.HTML

2234. FS/FT: Butternut HF6V Vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <34EF938A.69D3@mci.com>
Source record: 152729

FS/FT: Butternut HF6V Vertical

I have a very nice Butternut HF6V vertical antenna with STR-II radials kit for sale. Excellent antenna.

The antenna was purchased in 95, used for just over a year, and been in storage since. Extremely clean, almost like new. Complete with all hardware and documentation.

Work all 6 most popular bands 80 meters thru 10 meters with a single, highly efficient vertical radiator only 26 feet tall. Optional adapters may be purchased for 160 meters, 6 meters, and 17/12 meters.

Visit (http://www.bencher.com/antennas.html) for more info and specifications.

AES price is $285.90 ($219.95 for the antenna and $65.95 for the radials kit). I want just $150 + shipping, for the whole thing.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

2235. FS: HTX204 (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhansil@nospam.mychoice.net
Message-ID: <34ef99d0.1@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 152730
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,stl.forsale

For sale via online auction: HTX204
HTX 204 DUAL BAND

Minimum Bid: $400.00
Auction Ends: 3/7 7:16 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=110536

* To learn more about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

2236. AOR 2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: slkdealr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222033900.WAA28417@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152731

I am trying to locate a manual for an older AOR 2500 scanner.
Any assistance would be appreciated.

2237. FS: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: AucunNom@nospam.earthling.net
Message-ID: <34efab65.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 152732
Cross-posted to: harvard.marketplace,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale via online auction: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB
Cobra portable CB model HH35 w/magnetic mount cobra antenna &
cigarette lighter adapter

Minimum Bid: $25.00
Auction Ends: 2/24 8:30 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=110545

* To learn more about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

2238. FS/FT: Commercial 5GHz Digital Microwave radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <34EFB00A.1DEA@mci.com>
Source record: 152733

FS/FT: Commercial 5GHz Digital Microwave radios

I have nice pair of commercial spread spectrum digital microwave radios.
They are made by CYLINK, model FT1, with the following major specs:

Frequency 5.725 to 5.850 GHz (cover ham band)
Freq step 5 to 10 MHz
System Gain 110 dB
Tx Output power 30.5 dBm Min
Rx Noise Figure 5.5 dB Max
RF interface N Connector
Voltage 110 V
Dimensions 5.25 x 17 x 15 in
Weight 39 lb.

These were pulled from service, only few years old, in excellent
shape, with manual.

Use for a commercial microwave link project, or for ham use
on the 5.650 - 5.925 GHz ham band.

These new sell for over $8K each, will sell or trade to best
reasonable offer.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

2239. kenwood 570S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980222004859.22305C-100000@klingon>
Source record: 152734

Hey guys, i wanted some opinions from all of you. I am seriously thinking of upgrading from a TS440 to a 570 and wanted some input. I have generally had good luck with Kenwood stuff. Any opinions would be greatly appreciated. You can email directly to jbarton@ici.net Thanks and 73 de n1jbc.

+---+
|| Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net> Emerson College | Phone:
(617)728-1971 Undergraduate School |
| Amateur call: n1jbc (general class) Boston, Ma 02116 |
| "I may be blind, but my resume tells the whole story." |
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2240. Info on Henry HF Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbest@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6coi4q$3vi@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone have a guess as to what a Henry
2K-D5 is worth used but in fair to good condition?

Tnx
Jim

2241. Programming the TH-G71A handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC Tingey <jtingey@sisna.com>
Message-ID: <34efd131.0@news.worldnow.com>
Source record: 152736

Does anyone know how to program the g71a with the programming software. Is there a special key the needs to be pressed in order to program the radio. Let me know please and thank you. KF7ZX

2242. KENWOOD TV 506 6M TRANSVERTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6conp5fju4@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 152737

I HAVE A TV506 IN IMMACULATE CONDITION WITH ALL CABLES/CORDS AND ORIGIONAL MANUAL. PRICE IS (USD) $285 +SHIPPING.

SHIPPING WILL COST (USD) $45 INSURED SURFACE MAIL (ABOUT 2 MONTHS)
(USD) $55 INSURED ECONOMY AIR (ABOUT 2 WEEKS)

"NOTE" I AM IN SYDNEY AUSTRALIA.....ONLY CONTACT ME IF YOU ARE SERIOUS ABOUT BUYING THIS UNIT AS I HAVE BEEN STUFFED AROUND BY TOO MANY PEOPLE.

IF YOU DONT LIKE THE PRICE ....SIMPLE!!!! (DONT BUY IT) NO NEGATIVE FEEDBACK PLEASE!

THANKS !
DARREN.

PS.. HAVE PICS OF STUFF IF U NEED TO SEE.

2243. WTB FM-430 FM board for Kenwood TS430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim McGhee <jmcghee@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <34EFE78E.121A@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 152738

Hi all,
I just bought a used Kenwood TS430 and need a FM board for it. If you have one you're not using anymore, I could use it.
Also, is there a way to put a CTCSS tone on a TS430?

Thanks,
Jim McGhee N5FZT

2244. Re: HELP.Do I get a Shortwave receiver or a Transceiver?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Glashan <alan.glashan@dundee.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3f76$9d8d0ec0$af014999@user>
Source record: 152739

Franki,
For the money you quote, I don't think it would be a good idea to get a receiver then sell it & get a transceiver. Just buy a transceiver and don't transmit.
I personally don't overly like the TS440s. This impression comes from the one my friend has - it has the noisiest receiver I have ever heard! (There are internally generated modulated noises all over most bands even with the antenna connected.) He has had it from new and should have had it checked out, but never bothered, so my impression could be totally false.
Personally I would get an IC735, expect to pay 450 to 500 pounds.
However, this doesn't leave you much money left if you want to buy an antenna or ATU.

Decide what money you will need for things other than the radio, then see what you have left over - this should help narrow down even further what Transceivers you can afford!

Alan
GM4JCM

FranJ <maverick@trekker.demon.co.uk> wrote in article
<dqW6SGAJKb70EwBm@trekker.demon.co.uk>...
> Please forgive me if this is the wrong group. But need advice.
> I'm presently studying for the RSGB Amateur Radio License including
> trying to learn Morse. I want to get involved now by listening in, but
> I have a dilemma. Do I buy a Shortwave receiver now, then in May when I
> pass my exam (Trying to be positive!), buy a transceiver OR Just buy a
> transceiver now, and not use the transmitting functions?!! Somebody
> suggested the Kenwood TS440s, I have no idea what a good Shortwave
> receiver is. Other people have advised to go to a club for advice, but
> presently I'm laid up with a slipped disc. So my computer and the phone
> are my only way of communicating with the world.
>
> Hope somebody can help, my budget is about £600 in total
> Thanks
> Franki:-)
>
>
> '---mavericc@trekker.demon.co.uk---'
> ANTI-SPAM - replace the 2nd c with a k and your mail I will get:-)
> A move to slow down the SPAM clutter in my bit of space
>

2245. Wantet: Kenwood SM230 Scope/Pan Adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <6cotm8$k6f$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 152740
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Anyone want to dump their SM230, please email me. Thanks, 73, Mike...

2246. Microwave Modules MMT1296 Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Cooper <g0fwk@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <6covb9$i51$1@mendelevium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 152741

Hi,

If anyone has a copy of the manual for the MMT1296 T/verter, and would be willing to send a copy (e-mail or snail mail) it would be gratefully appreciated.

Any reasonable costs will be reinbursed.

Thanks and 73

Mark G0FWK

g0fwk@btinternet.com

2247. Re: Eagle sidewinder 400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: berlin@solaris1.mysolution.com
Message-ID: <34eff9e6.162648689@207.87.184.6>
Source record: 152742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

NOT good choice for a amateur I would say.....

On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 16:35:30 -0800, mr_rhumba <NO_SPAMrumcd@open.org>
wrote:

>>Eagle Sidewinder 400:
>
>How much of the 10 Meter band does it cover with the jumper in the stock
>position?
>Somewhere I saw 28.315-28.755 or something, right? Sort of odd if it
>doesn't go higher. FM section is much higher in the band. Hmmm...
>
>What is the total frequency coverage with the jumper moved?
>26-30? Any chance of 12M?
>
>Also, is there anyway to reach the "a" channels that are skipped in the 10M
>band?
>I would guess 28.345, 28.395, etc.
>
>I ordered one, but am trying to figure out all the logistics. I intend on
>using it on 10M, the Novice/Tech+ voice section 28.3-28.5.
>
>It appears that with the jumper moved it has "bands"? Could someone
>explain!
>
>The Copper site and catalog do a fairly poor job of explaining exactly what
>this thing does, but for $149, I guess I shouldn't complain.
>
>The output is a bit low for 10M. What will the "tune-up" give you for
>output on SSB?
>
>Please reply to my e-mail as I have spotty usenet access.
>
>Thanks & 73
>de Xopher
>
>rumcd@open.org
>
>
>> Very easy. Just move the black jumper on the small circuit board from
>> pins
>> 1 and 2 to pins 2 and 3 and you will have 400 channels.
>> RV5 = AMC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. AM modulation)
>> RV6 = ALC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. SSB modulation)

>> RV4 = AM/FM power Adjust to bring AM key power up to no more that half
>> of what it will swing.
>> RV7 = Transmit Meter adjustment Adjust to personal preference (no
>> effect on performance)
>>
>> I would like to know if someone comes up with a mod to keep this radio
>> from resetting when it is turned off and back on. Really aggravating to
>> have to reset the band, mode and channel every time you turn it off.
>> 73 de Tony
>
>
>

2248. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: pa3erl@xs4all.NL
Message-ID: <01bd3f7f$ef3d2440$LocalHost@hetnethetnet.nl>
Source record: 152743
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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Dit is een meerdelig bericht in MIME-indeling.

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unsub Ham-Equip

------=_NextPart_000_0070_01BD3F88.51018C40

charset="iso-8859-1"

unsub=20
Ham-Equip

------=_NextPart_000_0070_01BD3F88.51018C40--
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2249. JRC-245 HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <34EFAB2E.222@nwlink.com>
Source record: 152744

Hi to all that read this.

Could someone please give me the additional front panel Modification function to open the all band transmit on the JRC-245. I would also like to know of any other additional front panel functions that are available on the JRC-245 and not listed in the user's manual.

73's Mark

2250. WHY K1OIK IS NOT A VE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f59e0dfeb71e87f98996e@news.planet.net>
Source record: 152745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

When this thread had it's first go around last year (Burt does love to recycle his compost), by his own admission, he never once administered a VE session during the last 12 month period thus the VEC has, at its discretion, the powers to non-renew a VE's credentials. According to the booklet, Burt failed in his performance as a VE and therefore his credentials were revoked. What this all boils down to is sour grapes

Burt's use of threats is consistent to his personality. He is also currently harassing the people of Packard Bell for failing o provide him with free customer service on a computer that (1) is 2 years old and (2) he admitted damaging in trying to install a piece of hardware.

What amazes me is that he threatens to cause great fiscal harm to the company unless they comply with his demands on the basis of his side job of selling computers. IMNSHO, if this person really were a skilled salesman of computers and a genuine teacher of electronics, you'd think he'd be able to diagnose the problem and fix it. Alas, this is probably not the case as this is not the first post that Burt has made when something electronic has failed and he has no clue as to the problem.

His use of threats unless he gets his way smacks of the little kid who throws temper tantrums and stomps his feet. His constant referral to the nazis' and of Germany are truly amazing as he himself has used their tactics to foist his opinions on others.

His constant haranguing of amateurs as gutless is unfounded. Burt is like one of those annoying little dogs that yip at everything that comes close yet will never leave its own yard. When challenged, Burt has always come up with reason after reason as why we refuses to meet face to face on neutral terms. One of his best was when, invited to meet at a Boston area computer show (which he loves to attend) he DEMANDED 25 cents per mile plus expenses.

When asked to actually come on the air, he picks frequencies that are unusable, usually 40 meters at night. To his credit he then asks YOU to pick the frequency. So far, every frequency has too many problems...no propagation on 10 meters, no 20 meters because we're too close, 80 meters is too noisy, he has no antennas for the WARC bands...and on and on.

Like everything this too shall pass, but until then I suspect an endless stream of recycled compost...funny the first 1/2 dozen times, tedious the next.

Oh well. I too will counter with editorials should Burt's appear. I will submit posts from the newsgroups such as ASD to show discredit

whatever he submits. Such is his right, such is mine.
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Steve KF2TI
KF2TI@planet.net
http://www.planet.net/adell

Bring out your Dead <clang>
Bring out your dead <clang>
I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

2251. Yaesu : FT920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Vermote <pvermote@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <6cp88r$4pk$1@front3.grolier.fr>
Source record: 152746

Hi,

I'm looking for any informations and mods about FT-920.

Tnx for any informations.

Patrick (F6IIT)
pvermote@cyberion.fr

2252. Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f59f52e5c8d74fd98996f@news.planet.net>
Source record: 152747
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I took the time to read Fisher's vitriolic little webpage and have confirmed what I always thought, the man is definitely not playing with a full deck.

Yes, his credentials were not renewed. He was not fired as he states. He, from the outset, trys to throw his "weight" around by threatening to go and "cry" to the FCC. you must restore FORTHWITH he states....and then..states he is being discriminated against.

The ARRL response cites factors as to non renewal and the very 1st reason is exactly why this started. By Fisher's own admission, he has not administered a VE session in the specified timeframe. According to Part 97.525

No VEC may accredit a person as a VE if the person does not meet minimum VE statutory qualifications or minimum qualifications as prescribed by this part

Burt's response is then to argue that he was "fired" for no apparent reason, yet he conveniently forgets that in another paragraph her mentions that there were others that supposedly have failed to meet the minimum qualification. In fact, this is the paragraph where he does admit his failure by lying..I quote

Further, I know several VE's that have never been active in giving a test (as I have) that have not lost their status as a VE examiner"

If you'll remember the 1st go around, Fisher admitted to not having given a test in over a year, so he is blatantly (1) lying about and (2) attempting his little boy tantrums but crying that "other guys were doing it tooooo!!!"

Fisher then continues his tirade with threats to write his Congressman concerning amateur spectrum. In fact he is really threatening to stoop to blackmail to get his VE status restored.. I quote " I suggest you do not motivate me to do as I might wish. I am willing to let sleeping dogs lie, just restore my VE status.

If you do so, this matter ends, quietly. If not, neither of us can be sure what is at the end of the road."

What is also very interesting is now Fisher claims to be a member of a minority. My question is exactly what minority is that?? Obvious he's not black, Latino, Asian, most definitely he's not a woman, although he has a tendency to cry and whine like some. In fact, he claims

discrimination on this basis. He further claims to have done quite well on Wall Street and therefore will bring his considerable financial might to bear with legal action.

Words speak very loudly here and the words from Fisher show a total lack of any sanity. Normally I don't promote websites but this you have to see. A man reduced to fabrications and outright lies to massage an obvious bruised ego.

I can see why the people of Packard Bell are paying him no mind as well.

Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools

2253. TS-570d CW lockup problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Lyon <kj5xf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cpa3f$opa@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152748

Greetings,
I wanted to share a continuing problem that I have had
with my Kenwood TS-570D, that is VERY frustrating if you
are a CW operator. The problem is associated with the
transmitter locking up during CW operation. Here are
the typical symptoms:

a) Transmitter will randomly lock up during CW transmit.
To "unlock" it, you have to tap the key.
b) It happens while using either an internal or external
keyer.
c) It happens at any power level between 5 and 100 watts.
d) It happens at any CW speed between 5wpm and 30wpm.

At first I thought it might be RF feedback related. So,
I checked the ground, SWR, etc. I also put toroids on
the power cable, keyer cable, etc. But, that didn't
change it at all....

I had a QSO recently with a ham who has seen the
EXACT same problem. I also have received emails from
hams describing the EXACT problem. So, this is NOT
an isolated problem.

If you are seeing this problem, I'd suggest that you
contact Kenwood and ask them what they are planning
on doing about it. Kenwood still thinks that
it is an "isolated" case.....

73,
Tony Lyon (KJ5XF)

P.S. I should have kept my TS-430..... :-(

2254. Re: Info on Henry HF Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6KKT@FRAZMTN.COM
Message-ID: <34f02a60.4354161@news.frazmtn.com>
Source record: 152749

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 06:52:43 GMT,
jbest@worldnet.att.net wrote:

>Does anyone have a guess as to what a Henry
>2K-D5 is worth used but in fair to good condition?
>
>Tnx
>Jim

Jim, 2kw (input), 2ea 3-500 tubes, and "D" is desk
model.
73, Jesse, W6KKT

2255. Yaesu Memorizer owners (HELP!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <34f02f4b.812948@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 152750

Just picked up an old memorizer. I think the model is FT227R.
It works, but a bit screwed up.
Sometimes it powers on at 2.000, sometimes it just has
three digits. After messing with it for a while, I can get it to
show the correct frequency.
Anyway, that problem seems to be hopeless but can someone tell
me how to operate the memory?
Does it store the memory when turned off? There doesn't seem to
be a battery in it.
Could you email me with any suggestions or input you may have?
...Thanks...Dave

2256. Re: WHY K1OIK IS NOT A VE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: lar01@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <34f02339.761938@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 152751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thank you for your comments.
I have met people like Burt, in my short 49 years of life and 33 years as an amateur. They really get me, you, going, but, when I find that they have little to back themselves up, I then reanalyze what I am doing and settle back..... It isn't worth arguing with them.
Thanks again.
Larry ve3fxq

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 07:58:35 -0500, kf2ti@planet.net (Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ)) wrote:

>When this thread had it's first go around last year (Burt does love to
>recycle his compost), by his own admission, he never once administered a
>VE session during the last 12 month period thus the VEC has, at its
>discretion, the powers to non-renew a VE's credentials. According to the
>booklet, Burt failed in his performance as a VE and therefore his
>credentials were revoked. What this all boils down to is sour grapes
>
>Burt's use of threats is consistent to his personality. He is also
>currently harassing the people of Packard Bell for failing o provide him
>with free customer service on a computer that (1) is 2 years old and (2)
>he admitted damaging in trying to install a piece of hardware.
>
>What amazes me is that he threatens to cause great fiscal harm to the
>company unless they comply with his demands on the basis of his side job
>of selling computers. IMNSHO, if this person really were a skilled
>salesman of computers and a genuine teacher of electronics, you'd think
>he'd be able to diagnose the problem and fix it. Alas, this is probably
>not the case as this is not the first post that Burt has made when
>something electronic has failed and he has no clue as to the problem.
>
>His use of threats unless he gets his way smacks of the little kid who
>throws temper tantrums and stomps his feet. His constant referral to the
>nazis' and of Germany are truly amazing as he himself has used their
>tactics to foist his opinions on others.
>
>His constant haranguing of amateurs as gutless is unfounded. Burt is
>like one of those annoying little dogs that yip at everything that comes
>close yet will never leave its own yard. When challenged, Burt has
>always come up with reason after reason as why we refuses to meet face to
>face on neutral terms. One of his best was when, invited to meet at a
>Boston area computer show (which he loves to attend) he DEMANDED 25 cents
>per mile plus expenses.
>

>When asked to actually come on the air, he picks frequencies that are
>unusable, usually 40 meters at night. To his credit he then asks YOU to
>pick the frequency. So far, every frequency has too many problems...no
>propagation on 10 meters, no 20 meters because we're too close, 80 meters
>is too noisy, he has no antennas for the WARC bands...and on and on.
>
>Like everything this too shall pass, but until then I suspect an endless
>stream of recycled compost...funny the first 1/2 dozen times, tedious the
>next.
>
>Oh well. I too will counter with editorials should Burt's appear. I
>will submit posts from the newsgroups such as ASD to show discredit
>whatever he submits. Such is his right, such is mine.
>--
>Steve KF2TI
>KF2TI@planet.net
>http://www.planet.net/adell
>
>Bring out your Dead <clang>
>Bring out your dead <clang>
>I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

2257. FS: RS HTX-100 - $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34F035DC.2C5D@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 152752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Very good condition with original UP//down mike. No box or bracket but works great. $125+COD from Boston but can arrange pickup if not too far.

Steve Ross

2258. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta>
Message-ID: <6cpdl9$9nu$2@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 152753
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Maybe one day they'll have real beer.

2259. Re: Used FT-767GX or New IC-706MkII ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f03c5e.134863136@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152754

On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 17:07:34 -0600, "Mike Pender" <steam@megsinet.net> wrote:
>Yongsup Park wrote in message <6cdl86$a4c$1@usenet.kreonet.re.kr>...
>>I have an opportunity to buy one of these at a comparable price.
>>Which would be better ?
>>I have no intention for mobile operation.
>
>Personally, I feel it's not even worth talking about. The Yaesu is the only
>one worth considering, unless you want absolute simplicity while
>sacrificing fine, top end receiver performance.

I own a 706, and I must agree. It is in a different class from the
FT767GX. The latter has a much more robust receiver. OTOH,
the 706 has 6m and 2m, and is *tiny*. But that's only of real
interest if you're going to operate mobile. For fixed station use,
the Yaesu is the better deal at the same price.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2260. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Self <gself@snlnet.com>
Message-ID: <6cpeed$m2$1@esinet2.esinet.net>
Source record: 152755
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

But in most of the US it is a long distance call to an ISP. Only the large
metro areas have a local call.

John Miles wrote in message <34EE0822.283F@pop.removethistomailme.net>...
>Glen Self wrote:
>>
>> Let's see, if I stayed connected to an ISP for 24 hrs it would cost me
>> ....DING
>> $144/day in phone charges. And that is at a reduced rate.
>> Where do you get this free in the US idea?
>
>It's hard to find a major ISP in the States that doesn't support
>unlimited connect time for a flat rate these days. This includes some
>of the "big ones" with millions of subscribers. Whether this pricing
>model is going to be viable in the long run is a matter of some debate,
>but the trend has been clear for quite awhile now.
>
>Local telephone companies don't care if you camp out on the line 24
>hours a day, as long as you pay the US $20/month service charge. (This
>is true of both basic and ISDN service in my area, although roosting on
>an ISDN account will quickly send you to the poorhouse in ISP charges.)
>
>It's safe to say that "free" local calls are subsidized by long-distance
>rates to some extent, although to be honest the average US citizen has
>little grounds for complaint about high long-distance rates either.
>
>IMHO the U.K. and Europe have always been behind the times in matters
>technological. Heck, I've been involved with personal-computer software
>projects that had to support cassette tape drives as late as 1988, just
>for the European market. Get with the program, you guys! :)
>
>-- jm KE5FX (trimming some newsgroups that don't have much to do with
>radio modems...)
>
>---
>Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
>---

2261. Re: HTX204 (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <6cpfto$pct3@news.i2020.net>
Source record: 152756
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,stl.forsale

hahhahahahahah
rhansil@nospam.mychoice.net wrote in message <34ef99d0.1@news.tsoft.net>...
>For sale via online auction: HTX204
>HTX 204 DUAL BAND
>
>Minimum Bid: $400.00
>Auction Ends: 3/7 7:16 pm PST
>
>To bid, please go to CityAuction:
>http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=110536
>
>* To learn more about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
> http://www.cityauction.com

2262. FS: Icom 745 HF XCVR and Icom PS-20 Speaker/Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222153100.KAA23168@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152757

For Sale: Mint condition Icom 745 HF XCVR and matching Icom PS-20 speaker / power supply. Single owner radio, non-smoker. Radio includes Icom HM-12 scanning microphone, manuals and original Icom cartons. Radio belonged to my Dad, WA2GEX, who is now a silent key. Has low hours and is in excellent condition. Asking $550 plus UPS shipping and insurance. For additional info, call me at 314-862-5698 or e-mail.

73,
Dave, K2DP, St.Louis
73,
Dave, K2DP
St.Louis

2263. looking for voice synthesizer for icom 751

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980222102109.20871D-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 152758
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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hi all, i am blind, and need that voice synthesizer.
if you have one, e-mail back. i am in griffin, georgia.
.73's from n4pge
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2264. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F043FF.75AA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152759

hershman wrote:
>
> Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX wrote:
> >
> > Pete McGreevy wrote:
> > (snip snip)
> > >
> > > ANd oh Yeah, is the 846 replacing the 736, or the 840, or the 900, both,
> > > all, any ideas???
> > >
> > > There's more than ya bargained for -- Pete -- KA2YDY
> >
> > Well it looks as if the 736 will be around for awhile. Yaesu is still
> > advertising it along with the 847. It supports 222MHZ and 1.2GHZ
> > whereas the 847 does not.
> >
> > --
> > **********
> > * Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
> > * (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
> > * http://tonto.netsurftech.com/~rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
> > **********
> Got a Email from a contact at Yaesu UK (England). He said the British
> version will also put out 10 watts all mode for the British 70 MHZ band.
> They did this at the last moment to "FINISH OFF" the Competion.
> I think the FT-847 has a software mod just like the FT-920 and that is
> how this is possible.
> Steve NS1R

There is a rumer the FT-847 price will be $1350 USA Street price and
this radio is repacing the FT-900CAT. I wish this was true but I have a
couple of questions. First, the FT-920 list price is Japan is 198,000
YEN and the radio costs about $1650 USA dollars (including coupons).
SO if the FT-847 list price is 210,000 Yen then one would figure the
radio to cost more than the FT-920. The price of $1700-$1800 sounds
about right. I HOPE I AM WRONG AND THE GUY WHO SAID HE WAS AT THE HAM
STORE IN JAPAN AND THE STREET PRICE WAS $1350 USA WAS CORRECT !!!
73's Steve NS1R

2265. Yaesu FT-301 Mods and FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Labrecque <jalab@lightlink.com>
Message-ID: <34F04C49.AFD5D212@lightlink.com>
Source record: 152760

Hi-

Does anyone know of a source of mods for the Yaesu FT-301 Transceiver? In
particuliar, I am looking to improve RF front end on receive and the audio response
on AM receive (seems very bassy).

For the latter, I have tried tweaking the coupling capacitor values between stages,
replacing the output caps in the audio amplifier, etc. with some improvement, but
not a lot. I have been trying to find an archive of the older Fox Tango lists but
have not been successful.

Also, I have a Heathkit HK232MBX TNC. This was Heath's version of the popular AEA PK232. It is assembled, functioning and in good condition. I
have all the manuals, cables, etc. I'd like $100 plus shipping.

Thanks,

Jim, KC1RM

2266. Needed: Schematic for Sony Earth Orbiter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: K4WHS <k4whs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <34F04B9D.1433@mindspring.com>
Source record: 152761

Needed: Schematic for Sony Earth Orbiter. Will Pay.

Joe
K4WHS

2267. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F04EB4.20E9187D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152762

> Also, the Web page indicates there is a 1.8 MHZ to 440 MHZ antenna
> for the car that is motorized the Screwdiver type that only works with
> the FT-847 price $250.

An odd option, that. The 847 is not intended (primarily) as a mobile radio, is it? Well, maybe for a motorhome!

Phil

2268. Yaesu FT 212 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jan and/or Len P." <n9hkg@apci.net>
Message-ID: <34f05233.0@queeg.apci.net>
Source record: 152763

Yaesu FT 212 Rh-45w, 21 memories, MH-15db dtmf 10 memory smart mic, with manual & mobile bracket. Will ship. $200.00 Send inquiries to n9hkg@apci.net

2269. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F05187.121D4E3A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152764

Yeah, Pete .. the lack of an internal AT is a big negative for me. That will mean buying an optional ext AT, if they have one, and more $$$ and space.

My initial enthusiasm is considerably dampened. Already have HF (TS-570D, with internal AT), 6 m all-mode (TS-60, with manual tuner), 2 m all-mode (TM-255). Adding 440 all-mode and getting rid of boxes is appealing; but an external AT would be a move in the wrong (and costly) direction. Plus what I have works well for me. So.....

Phil

2270. searching pc pakratt for windows

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: DBX238@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6coqcf$7av$1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 152765

hello all

i searching the pc pakratt programm for windows.
how can send me this or send me an adress for download this prg.

2271. Re: Cost of DSP ugrade to Icom 706MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F0537A.46F0D1C2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152766

Audio DSP (and current IF DSP, as well) does not do the job of a crystal filter. You will want both.

If you only use the radio for SSB, you probably need not add the optional 1.9 kHz (I believe that's the BW) filter, since I think it has a wider filter built in; I have that filter and it is effective, but likley the DSP will do that job. But, with no user reports to date (I haven't seen any), who knows how good this DSP implementation is?

If you use CW you will definitely want the optional xtal filter (500 Hz?).

Phil

2272. FS: ICOM 781 + XTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankl1jr1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222164300.LAA03607@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152767

ICOM 781 FOR SALE. XTRAS INCLUDE SPEAKER, DESK MIKE, SHOP MANUAL. RADIO IS IN N.CA. (I AM IN HAWAII) CONTACT MY BROTHER JIM HEALY AT 916-926-1759.

2273. FD: Timewave 9+ has upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: trouts1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222164401.LAA14249@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152768

Purchased for AM mobile use but it did not work
out.
$125 + shipping.
David Kirkpatrick N1RBM
19 Crescent St
Marlbrough, Mass 01752.
davidk@artax.webo.dg.com
trouts1@aol.com

2274. Re: WHY K1OIK IS NOT A VE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <34f052b4.7647270@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 152769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>credentials were revoked. What this all boils down to is sour grapes

Much Drivel Deleted

>--
>Steve KF2TI
>KF2TI@planet.net
>http://www.planet.net/adell

You must be one of those ARRL, VEC, Moosepumpers..

2275. STOLEN! Kenwood TH-78A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3ok@nospam.amsat.org
Message-ID: <34f959df.226825566@news.netins.net>
Source record: 152770

Hi,

Thanks for reading my post. On 1 December 1997 I was at Angie's Restaurant in Omaha, NE and someone smashed in my side window and stole my Kenwood TH-78 dual band HT. When it is turned on it displays my call sign KE3OK. It has Des Moines and Omaha repeaters programmed in and the batteries were fully charged. If anyone happens upon this radio please let me know. You can email me at KE3OK@nospam.amsat.org (remove the "nospam" to reply) or call collect at 515-243-5293. Just say "Ham radio" when the operator asks for you name and I'll accept the charges. Thanks in advance and 73, Al

2276. Kenwood hand mike wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3ok@nospam.amsat.org
Message-ID: <34fa59ff.226857107@news.netins.net>
Source record: 152771

Hi Gang,

I'm looking for a Kenwood hand mike compatible with the TS-430S. Let me know what you have. Just remove the nospam in my email address. Thanks in advance and 73, Al

2277. WTB: Kenwood hand mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3ok@nospam.amsat.org
Message-ID: <34fb5a13.226877138@news.netins.net>
Source record: 152772

Hi Gang,

I'm looking for a Kenwood hand mike compatible with the TS-430S. Let me know what you have. Just remove the nospam in my email address. Thanks in advance and 73, Al

2278. Wanted: Kenwood hand mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3ok@nospam.amsat.org
Message-ID: <34fc5a22.226892448@news.netins.net>
Source record: 152773

Hi Gang,

I'm looking for a Kenwood hand mike compatible with the TS-430S. Let me know what you have. Just remove the nospam in my email address to reply. Thanks in advance and 73, Al

2279. FS: TenTec OmniVI w/Option 3 Upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: edvanc@skypoint.com
Message-ID: <6cpmcj$rd0$1@shadow.skypoint.net>
Source record: 152774

For Sale: Mint TenTec Omni VI with Plus Option 3 Upgrade. Beautiful rig! No smoke, dust or damage. Includes: 9MHz IF filter - 218(1.8KHz); 6.3MHz IF filters - 282(250Hz); 285(500Hz); 288(1.8KHz); power cable; connectors; manual; service history. $2100 plus shipping. Contact Ed, W0VC, edvanc@skypoint.com or call 612-636-0108.

2280. FS: ICOM 781 + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankl1jr1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222172001.MAA19749@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152775

ICOM 781 IN EXCELLENT CONDITION. MOVED TO HAWAII AND HAVE TO GET RID OF A TOY. RIG IS IN NORTHERN CALIF AT MY BROTHER'S PLACE, BOXED AND READY TO SHIP. EXTRAS INCLUDE SHOP MANUAL, ICOM DESK MIKE AND ICOM SPEAKER. I AM JON AB6SC AND MY BROTHER IS JIM WH6LZ. CONTACT JIM AT 916-926-1759. YOU MAY NOT BE ABLE TO E-MAIL ME (AND HAVE ME RECIEVE IT)

2281. For Sale: Mirage 2 Meter Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dxr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222172601.MAA10358@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152776

Model B-1030G. 10 watts in for 300 out. All mode with preamp. Asking $395. I'll pay shipping. Respond by email if interested.

Mark - k5dxr@aol.com

2282. CELLUAR MOD FOR THE YEASU FT3000M THANKS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cfisher@klis.com
Message-ID: <34f05ff7.635146@news.klis.com>
Source record: 152777

EMAIL CFISHER@KLIS.COM

2283. FS QRP CW Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka3ivb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222173101.MAA21610@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152778

Emtech 80 meter version, covers entire CW sub band
comes with optional audio filter along with one that comes
with it. Has meter circuit built in, have meter but needs wired
in. Power out is 5-9 watts. Very loud audio and smooth qsk.
Aligned at factory, nice and small 61/2 21/2 51/2
Never used so looks and runs as new.
$79 and will ship priority mail 48. K3ivb

2284. Re: **********TICKLISH GUYS**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <kilroy@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <34F065F4.6BAC6C56@fuse.net>
Source record: 152779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Yes, I agree. Is there a moderator on this NG?
If not, to whom can we go to get this type of garbage removed/filtered from the NG?

newbie wrote:

> This is really disturbing!!
>
> Joseph wrote in message <69nmf6sfs1@techsrv1.tech>...
> >
> >GO AWAY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
> >
> >
> >
> >tsunkndj@tickling.net randomly organized the following:
> >:-=-
> >:-=- Are you a guy between the ages of 18-23 who is
> >:-=- HOT, TICKLISH, and IN NEED OF SOME U.S. CASH?
> >:-=- Or, perhaps, even a new NEC Ready PC with a Pentium Pro
> >:-=- processor? If so, read on... I'm very serious about what you'll
> >:-=- find.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- UPDATE: Right now, I have 3 NEC Ready 9716 PCs available,
> >:-=- featuring:
> >:-=- 56 kbs US Robotics X2 modem
> >:-=- 4+ gig hard drive
> >:-=- 32 mb RAM
> >:-=- Video Card/2 mb video memory
> >:-=- Built-in Zip Drive
> >:-=- 24 speed CD Rom
> >:-=-
> >:-=-
> >:-=- Other PC systems are also available.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- My name is Terri. I am a female college student in the Boston area.
> >:-=- As a hobby...one that costs me ALOT of money...I maintain a
> >:-=- personal collection of amateur videos featuring guys being
> >:-=- tickled (usually for 30 or 60 minutes) by a girlfriend, good girl
> >:-=- friend, girl friends, or even guy friends. I am not a business,
> >:-=- video trader, or porn solicitor. My interest is in TICKLING.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- I am actively looking for guys to make videos that I can add to
> >:-=- my collection. Guys that interest me are YOUNG (basically,

> >:-=- my age...18-23), HOT (swimmer/soccer/runnerbuilt....on the
> >:-=- thin side...not too "big-n-buff"....with little or no bodyfat
> >:-=- whatsoever), and TICKLISH! No sex or nudity are wanted in
> >:-=- my videos. I just want to see guys tied up and mercilessly,
> >:-=- relentlessly TICKLED.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- If you are interested in this UNIQUE (and hopefully FUN) way of
> >:-=- making $$$$, please e-mail me. I need you to provide me with
> >:-=- a general picture (.gifs, .jpgs, .bmps, and pictures found on
> >:-=- webpage URLS are fine...and I have a mailing address to "snailmail"
> >:-=- regular photos, also) before I can make you a concrete cash offer.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- Average fees paid:
> >:-=- $125 for a 30 minute video
> >:-=- $250 for a 60 minute video
> >:-=-
> >:-=- PCs are available for multiple video deals and to groups of
> >:-=- guys (frats, teams, etc) that make videos.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- Money offered is determined by your looks, ticklishness, and who
> >:-=- will be tickling you.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- Asian, Black and Hispanic guys are ESPECIALLY welcomed and wanted!!!
> >:-=-
> >:-=- I have numerous online references that are available for contact to
> >:-=- assure you of my honesty, legitimacy, and SERIOUSNESS about all of
> >:-=- this.
> >:-=-
> >:-=- PLEASE NOTE: This is not a TICKLING SERVICES AVAILABLE
> >:-=- POSTING. I have a boyfriend, full cadre of friends, and plenty of
> >:-=- guys to tickle already. I AM NOT LOOKING TO MEET OR TICKLE ANY
> >:-=- GUYS ENCOUNTERED FROM CYBERSPACE!!!! I also do not provide
> >:-=- videotaping equipment, facilities, or girls to tickle you. All
> >:-=- aspects of video production are your responsibility!!!!!
> >:-=-
> >:-=-Think about it!!! E-mail me if interested: TerriTickling@hotmail.com
> >:-=-
> >:-=-
> >:-=-
> >:-=-
> >--
> >Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ. <n8ouz@qsl.net> http://radiolink.net/n8ouz
> >Systems Operator, Husky Amateur Radio Club - W8YY
> > "All puffed up with vanity, we see what we want to see,
> > To the beautiful and the wise, the mirror always lies..." --RUSH

2285. HELP-What is happening??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankl1jr1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980222174700.MAA24045@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152780

I have put a FS on this listing twice in the last 30 min and it disappeared both times. What am I doing wrong. It is going out 'cause someone has already replied. But it disappears from the listing. Do I have to join something?

2286. kenwood 742 and cross band repeat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980222123756.23672A-100000@klingon>
Source record: 152781

Hey guys, i am wondering if you can help me out. I am trying to setup my cross band repeat on the kenwood 742 so that i can turn it on and off remotely. However i also can't seem to do any functions remotely except change power levels either. I pressed the remote button before activating cross band. Any help on this would be greatly appreciated. You can email directly to jbarton@ici.net. Thanks and 73 de Jed.n1jbc

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|| Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net> Emerson College | Phone:
(617)728-1971 Undergraduate School |
| Amateur call: n1jbc (general class) Boston, Ma 02116 |
| "I may be blind, but my resume tells the whole story." |
+--+

2287. * FS QRP Rig, MM-3, Key all with pictures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <bill@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3fbd$709dcac0$0a203fce@bill.halcyon.com>
Source record: 152782

I am selling some of the items I am no longer using. Each item on the list below has a hot link to a picture or pictures of the item. You will have to use the back button on your browser to get back to this message.

My terms of sale are as follows:
I will not ship outside the US.
Payment should be by cashiers check or money order.
Buyer pays shipping and insurance.

You can view my high integrity rating on eBay.

You may contact me by email at bill@halcyon.com

Here are the items!

Index Laboratories QRP Plus

160-10 meter CW/SSB transceiver. This is the latest (last) version they sold. It has never been used in the field and has been used very little in my ham shack. It has a built in keyer and audio filter.

This rig runs some of the best full break-in CW I have ever found. It has a general coverage receiver.

It will come in its original box.

This is the best QRP rig ever made. The original cost was $695.00.

There is a brochure included. The manual is also there.

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/qrp-fnt.jpg

Sale price is $525.00

MM-3 Keyer

This is one of the famous keyers from AEA. These are now collector's items. AEA has not sold them for about 3 years now. There won't be any more of these!

The keyer has more features than any I have ever used, memory, contest mode, contest simulator, serial number, paddle reverse, and much more. I have included a picture of the label on the front of the keyer that has a list of all of the functions. The keyer comes with a manual.

The link to the function label is below:

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mm3-lab.jpg

The front of the keyer can be viewed at:

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mm3-fnt.jpg

The rear of the keyer can be viewed at:

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/mm3-rear.jpg

Sale price is $165.00

Gold Plated Hand Key?

This key was made by Wm. M. Nye Co. It is new in the box. It is one of the best looking hand keys I have ever seen. It is gold plated (see below) and has a black crinkle base.

Very few of these keys were made. This one was made for Icom to be used as a presentation item.

It has a great feel and is very smooth.

You will be proud to have this key in your shack.

I sold this key a few weeks ago and the person who purchased it did not think the key was gold plated. He felt it was polished brass. I accepted its return. I was an Icom employee and was told, when I was given the key, that it was gold plated. I can not be sure. I do not know how to tell if it is gold plate or polished brass. This time I will sell it and not represent it as positively being gold plate. I do know it looks great!

$55

http://www.halcyon.com/pub/users/bill/key.jpg

Reply to bill@halcyon.com

2288. Re: Kenwood TMV-7A Mod Problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cas@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6cpqh7$i94@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 152783

In article <6cnelb$fu6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
SwTempo <Swtempo@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>I performed the "beyond mars" mod to my TMV-7A and the radio still
>performs like the mod wasn't done.

I have been following the TMV7 threads with interest because Im
thinking of buying one. I see this same post nearly every day!
Is there something screwy in the network regenerating it??
I cant imagine that the author is reposting the same article that
much.

chuck

2289. WTB: yaesu FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: me <overa@slip.net>
Message-ID: <34EFFF22.205E@slip.net>
Source record: 152784

Looking for ft-530.

email condition, usage and asking price.

LCD microphone would be nice as well :)

thanks,

ME :)

2290. WTB: yaesu FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: me <overa@slip.net>
Message-ID: <34EFFF4A.11EE@slip.net>
Source record: 152785

Looking for ft-530.

email condition, usage and asking price.

LCD microphone would be nice as well :)

thanks,

ME :)

2291. FS: Yaesu FT-51R HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <devenal@SPAMnac.net>
Message-ID: <34F070A9.4891543E@SPAMnac.net>
Source record: 152786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

With extra battery, MH-29 mic and NC-50 rapid charger - all in great shape.
Need to raise funds. Asking $425
KC2BXU

-Chris
mailto:devenal@nac.net
http://www.users.nac.net/devenal/
To reply to this message delete SPAM from the E-mail address.

2292. Re: WHY K1OIK IS NOT A VE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Scherkenbach <jerrys@mail.execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6cprmv$34h@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 152787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What does all of this have to do with DX. Please don't post this here.

2293. Re: Eagle sidewinder 400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mr_rhumba <*NO_SPAM*rumcd@open.org>
Message-ID: <34F0749A.B5722E8D@open.org>
Source record: 152788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I realize this thing is no Yaesu, but with my limited $$$ and the fact that conditions have improved and will continue to do so, I thought it might be better than NO 10M radio in the car. I travel quite a bit on the weekends, this will allow me to make some 10M contacts when I'm not at the base (which is a semi-cheapie RCI-2950 with which I make all sorts of National and International DX contacts BTW.) Perhaps I'll try and run an amplifier in the car too, who knows. Thanks for the comment anyway.

73 de Xopher
rumcd@open.org

Stone Cold wrote:

> NOT good choice for a amateur I would say.....
>
> On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 16:35:30 -0800, mr_rhumba <NO_SPAMrumcd@open.org>
> wrote:
>
> >>Eagle Sidewinder 400:
> > >
> > >How much of the 10 Meter band does it cover with the jumper in the stock
> > >position?
> > >Somewhere I saw 28.315-28.755 or something, right? Sort of odd if it
> > >doesn't go higher. FM section is much higher in the band. Hmmm...
> > >
> > >What is the total frequency coverage with the jumper moved?
> > >26-30? Any chance of 12M?
> > >
> > >Also, is there anyway to reach the "a" channels that are skipped in the 10M
> > >band?
> > >I would guess 28.345, 28.395, etc.
> > >
> > >I ordered one, but am trying to figure out all the logistics. I intend on
> > >using it on 10M, the Novice/Tech+ voice section 28.3-28.5.
> > >
> > >It appears that with the jumper moved it has "bands"? Could someone
> > >explain!
> > >
> > >The Copper site and catalog do a fairly poor job of explaining exactly what
> > >this thing does, but for $149, I guess I shouldn't complain.
> > >
> > >The output is a bit low for 10M. What will the "tune-up" give you for
> > >output on SSB?
> > >

> >Please reply to my e-mail as I have spotty usenet access.
> >
> >Thanks & 73
> >de Xopher
> >
> >rumcd@open.org
> >
> >
> >> Very easy. Just move the black jumper on the small circuit board from
> >> pins
> >> 1 and 2 to pins 2 and 3 and you will have 400 channels.
> >> RV5 = AMC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. AM modulation)
> >> RV6 = ALC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. SSB modulation)
> >> RV4 = AM/FM power Adjust to bring AM key power up to no more that half
> >> of what it will swing.
> >> RV7 = Transmit Meter adjustment Adjust to personal preference (no
> >> effect on performance)
> >>
> >> I would like to know if someone comes up with a mod to keep this radio
> >> from resetting when it is turned off and back on. Really aggravating to
> >> have to reset the band, mode and channel every time you turn it off.
> >> 73 de Tony
> >
> >
> >

2294. 10 meter CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary W8PU <w8pu@your-net.com>
Message-ID: <34F07B76.91C50319@your-net.com>
Source record: 152789

There goes the neighborhood.....

> 1 and 2 to pins 2 and 3 and you will have 400 channels.
> RV5 = AMC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. AM modulation)
> RV6 = ALC control Adjust clockwise to max. (for max. SSB modulation)

> RV4 = AM/FM power Adjust to bring AM key power up to no more that
half
> of what it will swing.
> RV7 = Transmit Meter adjustment Adjust to personal preference (no
> effect on performance)
>
> I would like to know if someone comes up with a mod to keep this radio

> from resetting when it is turned off and back on. Really aggravating
to
> have to reset the band, mode and channel every time you turn it off.
> 73 de Tony

2295. FS -- Yaesu FT-726R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Schretter <schrette@nova.org>
Message-ID: <6cpu0p$vp@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 152790

Excellent condition, non-smoker home

Satellite modules installed

$600

Stan, W4MQ

2296. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f25a5d4efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152441
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <6crnlbgdd8@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>, on 02/23/98
at 11:47 AM, rnh@gmrc.gecm.com (Richard Herring) said:

>> Cheap shot..... Never Twice the Same Colour has been around since the
>> early fifties...

>Nobody is disputing it. I think Walt's point was that (a) PAL is
>significantly less prone to messing up the colo[u]r, and (b) the extra
>100 lines make a significant difference to the vertical resolution.

If I'd thought that was Walt's point I wouldn't have commented. You're
perfectly correct.

Walt, on the other hand, merely wanted to crow about supposed American
inferiorities, and as his comments showed, he doesn't appear to know what
he's talking about.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2297. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f25b32$5$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152442
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In <6cs21n$j2a$1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>, on 02/23/98
at 02:45 PM, b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk said:

>I'm not trying to cause trouble; I just want to say that I agree, but I
>have found that when you ask the UKRS for help, you get a quicker, more
>attentive reply.

What's the UKRS? I wasn't aware you fellows had more than one national
amateur radio society.

73, Bob, VE7HS

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2298. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <34F1F4EB.54A@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 152443
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Burt wrote:

>
> W1TTY gave less tests than I and was just renewed.
>

> >Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what
> >type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools
>

Obviously someone who doesn't know the difference between
less and fewer. Sad indeed.

John, W2FS

2299. Hickok Model 388

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry <ewing@arn.net>
Message-ID: <34F250CE.B00FEF2A@arn.net>
Source record: 152444

Hi Guys,
I need a schematic or any service info that I can find for this
piece of test equipment. Can anyone help me?
Thanks,
Larry WC5Y

2300. Re: Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Carles <rcarles@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F264A3.3F19@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152445

Kevin J wrote:
>
> > >Gary Pearce KN4AQ wrote:
> > >
> > >> To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive:
> > >>
> > >> -- Turn off the radio
> > >>
> > >> -- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.
> > >>
> > >> -- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
> > >> wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
> > >> and squelch buttons.
> > >>
> > >> -- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.
>
> This does nothing as far as opening up the RX on 800MHz
> with my IC-W32A. All it does is an LCD test.
>
> However, due to the wonderful anomalies of your typical FM
> receiver design, try scanning between the legal frequencies
> of 961.110 MHz and 986.10 MHz in 30 kHz steps on you IC-W32A.
>
> Or just set the VFO as follows....
>
> Image_Frequency = Freq_Of_Interest + (1st_IF_Freq * 2)
>
> So for the IC-W32A UHF (including 800MHz) side...
>
> Image_Frequency = Freq_Of_Interest + 92.1 MHz
>
> So say you wanted to listen to a really cool 800 MHz trunked
> control channel on 865.125 MHz. While you would hear the
> signal just fine on 865.125 MHz, the same signal can also
> be heard booming in at full intensity on 865.125 + 92.1 or 957.225 MHz.
>
> Aint' double conversion grand?? ;-)))

I can recieve cell phone frequencys on the 600mhz band between 614mhz to
630 mhz.
73

2301. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f25d79$6$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152446
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34f1b066.2278681@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/23/98
at 06:39 PM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:

>Here in Europe, we were leaders in the field of direct broadcast
>satellites with small (less than 1 metre diameter) receiving dishes.
>Meanwhile in North America, you were still playing around with clumsy 10m
>diameter dishes like miniature radio telescopes in your backyards.

I rather doubt anyone in North America ever had 10m diameter dishes unless
they were commercial earth ground stations. Most of the C Band dishes were
more like 2 to 3 m in diameter, and most of the dbs dishes are about 65 cm
in diameter.

>> Seems you don't know what you're talking about.

>As I said twice before .... people in glass houses ....

Care to try for three?

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2302. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Carles <rcarles@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F2684E.504C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152447

J.R. Smullen wrote:
>
> OK, OK... I know this is a bit of a lame question, but I will ask it anyway.
> The other night I successfully upgraded by ticke to general from technician.
> I've always wanted access to the HF bands and I've been busting my butt
> learning the code since I got my tech license this past December. Anyway,
> all this happiness was soon dashed when I took a look at the prices in the
> HF sections of my Ham equipment catalogs. As you mght have imagined, until
> the other night, i have been focusing on the neat shiny UHF/VHF equipment.
> Expensive, yes... but not totally unreasonable. But last night WOW!!!
> The 3 or 4 rigs I picked out were all over $1700. Several were over $4000.
> And THEN i took a look at the antenna section of the catalog.
>
> First let me say that I probably won't look at used equipment very
> seriously. The prices I've seen there are not THAT much lower, and I
> wouldn't want to get a lemon with no warranty. I also would feel a bit
> inadequate in the dickering department, with no more ham experience than I
> have. So what's the alternitive? First I've found great solace in this
> news group in the past. So I'll try it again.
>
> Any and all suggestions will be greatfully appreciated.
>
> Regards,
> J.R. Smullen KB3B YZ/AG

I bought a IC-706 before I had HF priveliges as an incentive to
upgrade.
One advantage of this radio is that you can use it for base or mobile
op. Prices are good since everyone is dumping them for the IC-706 MK11.
73.

2303. Ten-Tec Centaur Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <34F2502F.34D1@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 152448

I am looking for some opinions on the Ten Tec Centaur 600 Watt Amplifier. Construction quality, performance, and especially Noise (how loud is that fan, really, and how annoying is it, and can it be replaced with a quieter one?). Any info is appreciated...

Tnx -- Pete -- KA2YDY

2304. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <888278171snz@iapetus.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152449
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34F15C37.FBB1C8A@rl.ac.uk>
"M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk "Mike Willis" writes:

-> Gas as far as I remember never had lead in it. The good thing about gas is that
-> is is so much cheaper than other fuels for central heating. Much of the UK
-> electricity supply comes from burning gas as we have large reserves.

Never been quite sure why a fuel that provides heat and light perfectly
well in its own right is destroyed and vapourised, thus increasing the
pollution of the atmosphere, simply to produce heat and light somewhere
else. I wonder how much longer the gas supplies will last if it is used
only for direct use, rather than being used up by gnerating electricity?

rgds
LAurence

2305. FS: GP300 UHF 8 Ch.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: STC <utscanaday@cc.memphis.edu>
Message-ID: <34F22B15.5C882304@cc.memphis.edu>
Source record: 152450

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FS: GP300 UHF HT
8 channels
comes with trickle charger and flex antenna
covers amateur band
4 W output (programmable)
standard PL and DPL programmable

$200.00 or best offer
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2306. Re: HELP.Do I get a Shortwave receiver or a Transceiver?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: FranJ <maverick@trekker.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <cfDqPLADIO80EwqU@trekker.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152451

Thanks to everybody who replied either bt E-mail or to the news group, the majority advice was to get a Transceiver, the IC735 was mentioned quite abit. So decision is made, I'll be on the phone to hack a good deal.

Thanks again
Take Care
Franki :-)

'---mavericc@trecker.demon.co.uk---'
ANTI-SPAM - replace the 2nd and 3rd 'c'with a k and your mail I will get:-)
A move to slow down the SPAM clutter in my bit of space

2307. Re: RF Elec. Skywalker Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <f4xQzDATkW80Ewp0@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152491

Hi Tom,
>Has anybody out there built a RF Electronics Skywalker Amp Kit? Anybody
>know if QST ever did a product review on one of their amps... am
>considering getting one and would like some feedback.
I built one of Lee's 8 device Skywalkers and am please with it's
performance, it really kicks ass:-)
I also have an SGC 500 watter but the Skywalker has more than double
it's output on the Bird 43 on the dash, that'll give you 3dB signal
increase alone and save you bucks in the process.
You'll burn out all the Screwdriver antennas, especially on the low
bands 160/80m so stick with good mono-banders or roll your own.
Don't forget ato upgrade your /M PSU.

Good luck

Phil G4ZOW/M

2308. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: will Herzog <herzog@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34F1FB8F.54A4@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 152492

Beautiful point:
Louis Bybee wrote:
> I once delivered a free load of firewood to a person when the power went out and
> they lost their heat source. I place of thanks I received a nasty lecture for not
> stacking the wood. I wonder if that situation applies here?

Ye, plus some guy's wearrysome bully-pulpit to blackmail/overkill.
I think it's backfired on him, cuz so many testimonials like:

> > > In defense of Cliff at AVVID I would like to point out his many posts
> > > helping people, and giving free advise on what he thought was wrong and
> > > what to do to fix there own rigs. I don't ever see any other service
> > > centers trying to help people fix there own rigs at no charge.
> > > Thank you Cliff and don't give up on use with your help.
> > >
> > > Bob
> > > WB5APD
> >
> > I am a bit shocked to hear anything negative said about Clif at AVVID.
> > He has answered many of my questions which I asked on the newsgroups. He
> > has also answered many questions on private E-mail. He asked nothing in
> > return, although I know it took much of his time.
> >
> > Also, I have had a number of friends praise his work. He does
> > outstanding maintenance at a very affordable price.
> >
> > Usual disclaimer...
> >
> > I, for one, consider him top-notch!
> >
> > Jim, K5ROV

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Will; K2LB <herzog@frontiernet.net>

2309. FS-Kenwood HF and PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223195501.OAA01874@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152493

Have for sale a nice clean, good working Kenwood TS-430, and matching Kenwood power supply. The 430 covers the HF bands, CW, SSB, AM, and FM, 100 W, with a general coverage rcvr. Price: $600 for both pieces.
73, George, K1RBS

2310. FS- Kenwood HF rig and PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223200601.PAA03129@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152494

Offering for sale a nice clean Kenwood TS-430, with matching Kenwood power supply. The 430 covers the HF bands, CW, SSB, AM and FM, General coverage rcvr, 100 W out. A real nice first radio, mobile, or backup rig. price:$600 for both.

73, George, K1RBS

2311. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34F1D618.13C6@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 152495
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Gary OM,

How right you are! So many consumers (which is, to me, a derogatory term, meaning advertising believers, in previous times known as suckers) cannot seem to understand that higher octane gasoline does not give you more power, or more mileage, from an engine designed for lower octane. It is a physical impossibility. I first discovered this while reading a 1918 textbook on internal combustion engine design. It is interesting how very little fundamental knowledge is really NEW!

Best 73,

Don, W6JL

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:44:48 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day G3PHO) wrote:
> >On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 21:23:51 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
> >Davidson) wrote:
>
> >>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
> > ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
> >which in turn increase the fuel consumption so causing us to use more
> >fuel than we did before and so deplete our natural resources faster!
> >(A qualified car mechanic told me this ... so unless you're an expert
> >on cars don't flame me :)))
>
> The only real benefit to leaded gas is reduced valve wear in certain
> older engines. For the past 25 years, we've used hardened valves
> and seats which no longer require lead as a lubricant. There are
> other ways to boost octane for the high compression engines which
> need it than by adding tetraethyl lead.
>
> What your mechanic was probably trying to say is that engine
> efficiency is directly related to compression ratio. The higher
> the compression ratio, the better the engine's efficiency *can
> be* (though it isn't always better in practice, depending on other
> design tradeoffs). When lead free gas was introduced, most
> engine makers dropped the compression ratio of their engines
> from 10:1 to 8:1 because of fears of pre-ignition. But compression
> ratios have gradually moved back up as reformulated fuels and
> better combustion management systems have become available.
>
> For a given compression ratio, you get best performance by

> using the *lowest octane* fuel which does not cause pre-ignition
> (knocking and pinging). That's because lower octane fuel has
> more BTUs per pound than higher octane fuel. That's something
> the fuel companies really don't advertise because they'd like you
> to pay extra for higher octane fuel you don't need in the mistaken
> belief that it'll make your car run better. It won't.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2312. Re: HELP-What is happening??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: j.no@iies.es
Message-ID: <34F1DE8C.60BB@iies.es>
Source record: 152496

MailfrmPA wrote:
>
> >I have put a FS on this listing twice in the last 30 min and it disappeared
> >both times. What am I doing wrong. It is going out 'cause someone has already
> >replied. But it disappears from the listing. Do I have to join something?
>
> I'm sorry, you should have seen the message on your opening screen.
>
> To have your listing appear for eighteen(18) days, send $20.00 to Kï¿½MB,
> callbook address. This will allow you to list up to five(5) items during the
> next three(3) months.
>
> Cheers,
> Kï¿½MB

What?
I really was thinking the news were free.
So somebody is getting money out of this??
I unsubscribe
Javier

2313. HELP: Yaesu FL 2100B Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F1DEDA.14D0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152497

QRO Types:

Recently acquired a Yaesu FL2100B amp from an inactive ham. Last time the amp was even turned on was about 8 or 9 years ago. Hooked it up according to the instructions and can't get it to dip. Minimum plate current I can get with 80W into it is about .35 amps, usually much higher. I only do this for a few seconds at a time naturally.

Given that I normally do not operate QRO, and admittedly have zero experience with an amp, a little help would be much appreciated.

1. Is this indicative of the 572B's being toasted? If so, any sources for good tubes at cheap prices?
2. Could the electrolytics be on their way out?
3. Anything else you could suggest would be appreciated.

The inactive ham does not want to sell the amp nor put any $$ into it. He loaned it to me basically because I have helped him in the past with numerous computer problems. Being short of funds at the moment I can't put much money into it either.

Thanks in advance for your helpful comments.

73 de Ron, W1AAE
W Brookfield, MA

2314. Re: Icom IC-207H or triband - thoughts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julwhan Ampeniode <exmal@fremdal.net>
Message-ID: <01bd409a$f4877060$4e9192ce@default>
Source record: 152498

To jump from the 207 to the 642 is quite a jump in price. The 207 is very, very barebones and most users seem to be trading or selling them. The 642 has the typical Ken ultra slooooow scan rate, intermod problems and the 642 in addition seems to blow the finals quite easily, which they do warn you about incidentally. In between these is quite a gamut of good rigs for your purpose, i.e. the Yaesu FT 8500, which just recently dropped its price tag by about $200. Standard 5900 is another tri bander which is oceans above the 642 in every way. Most better dual banders now have detachable face plates. The Standards, all have them , I believe.

Ralph Forsythe <ralph@hemi.com> wrote
> I was wondering if any of you use/own one of these, and if so do you like it?
> My other option is a tri-bander of some kind, but Kenwood seems to be the only
> company that makes one of these (the 642A I think). If you know of any other
> tri-band radio's out there let me know on that too...

2315. Re: Ham Reviews of The MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: matti@istar.ca
Message-ID: <GfIl.31$aX.480748@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 152499

In article <Pine.LNX.3.95.980223114041.17513A-100000@shell.one.net>, "David Ho (de AF4BH)" <davidho@one.net> wrote:
>
>Did MFJ mention anything about the possibility of daisy chainning the
>MFJ-1026 to eliminate multiple noise sources?
>

Well, I have thought about this too, but I think it could be problematic. MFJ doesn't mention the possibility.

Physically, I think you could daisy chain the Main antenna path through two units. The Auxiliary (noise) antenna could not be daisy chained but would have to parallel feed the inputs on the two units, or you could use separate noise antennas.

I don't think I would worry too much about loss through the daisy chain arrangement, since the MFJ-1026 actually adds some gain with the Main antenna control cranked. I measure about 2 S units (12 dB?) on 40 meters with slightly less gain at higher frequencies. This is at the cost of some trivial noise added by the internal amplifiers. I believe I read that the ANC-4 has 6 dB loss.

The first problem with daisy chaining is that the Main antenna gain controls would interact since these gain stages are now series connected.

The second problem is that adding in the Auxiliary signal from the second box into the Main signal path would destroy the null achieved by the first box, i.e. you would reintroduce the first noise. You might be able to get it to work with two separate noise antennas that each only receive the particular noise you are trying to get rid of.

The third problem is too many knobs to twiddle!

So, I hope someone can prove me wrong or think of a better arrangement.

Anyway, back to the original David's questions. I just noticed in looking through the manual that you could use the unit with a KW linear. Just hook the box between your transceiver and your linear. I don't know how fast the relay in the MFJ unit can switch but I don't notice any significant shortening of the first CW dit (I don't have a scope to be sure).

Also, if you want to read more about how the MFJ-1026 works, MFJ has a partial manual on line at http:\\www.mfjenterprises.com.

The MFJ-1026 is definitely effective when it comes to getting rid of a single dominant local source of noise, as long as the noise antenna you are using has a good quantity of the noise to play with. Also it is a convenient box for

switching to a lower noise receiving antenna automatically when not transmitting, as I sometimes do.

73,

Matti VE7BDX

2316. FS: Packratt PK-64 TNC & Com 64. Free Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5a55$fc2c1a40$51f21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 152500

Selling PK -64 TNC and Commadore 64,, in working condition.
$55. includes shipping. Color Monitor Free, you pay shipping.$15.
working.

Marty ,, WA2MC. Tel. 201 797-6868..... Days.

2317. Re: RF Elec. Skywalker Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <hTavJFA9bd80Ew9f@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152501

Hey Joe and Gary,
>>Has anybody out there built a RF Electronics Skywalker Amp Kit? Anybody
>>know if QST ever did a product review on one of their amps...
>
>
>> am
>>considering getting one and would like some
>
>>.....feedback.
>
>That is the last thing you want to have when you buy an amplifier.
Lee's amp's have always had on-going improvements from feedback from
builders.
There is plenty of negative feedback, there'd have to be with those
2879's running from 1.8-30 also induces better stability of course even
though one may lose a little of the out and out power capability of
these superb bi-polars.
I drive my 8-pill with a harris military set in the van and have a
beautiful current spec collins relay switched LP filter arrangement in
the output.
Looks ok to me on the motorola test set and analyser.

What's the problem that an up to the job homebrewer, mobile PSU and
serious antenna won't cure?

Phil G4ZOW/M

2318. Re: Yeasu VX-1R software problem (ADMS-1D)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Burlington, NC" <JMaynard@MyMachine.com.**SPAM**>
Message-ID: <6cskleejp1@dailyplanet.netpath.net>
Source record: 152502

I see the same thing. I deal with a similar software to hardware relationship with my security system, and the way I always handle it is, whenever you want to make a change, do a download first from the radio, then save as the file name. This will always insure you will be working with the exact setting in the rig before changes.

KE4KSJ

Frank wrote in message <34E5D3F8.1F803089@halcyon.com>...
>I have a Yeasu VX-1R and am using the ADMS-1D (ver.1.03) programming software.
>
>The software seems properly installed. I can download from the radio to the PC to create an .rdf file. I can also
>create a new .rdf file and save it. Then I can re-open and change these files on the PC. So far, so good.
>
>When I upload an .rdf file to the radio, the upload works (the memories and associated parameters are OK in the radio).
>
>However, after upload of an .rdf file to the radio, the next time I try to run and open that .rdf file on the PC, I get
>the message "Radio data file image is corrupted".
>
>I've reinstalled the software and created a new template a couple of times but the problem persists. Anyone have any
>suggestions about this problem?
>
>Any help or advice would be appreciated.....Frank Kandt N7DGO
>

2319. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: LA8AK@RV2.4P710.no
Message-ID: <34f12070.59160387@news.sol.no>
Source record: 152503
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 22 Feb 1998 21:28:11 -0500, mc@shore.net (Michael Crestohl) wrote:

>
>Hey Guys!
>
>Packet radio has NOTHING to do with Boatanchors so please DO NOT
>CROSS-POST this kind of crap to rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors. We are NOT
>interested!
>
>W1RC
>
Indeed! Neither has it to do with rec.amateur.radio.dx and
rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

LA8AK

email: LA8AK@online.no
Netscape 3.04, Free-Agent 1.11, ICQ, Net-Meeting.

2320. Butternut HF6V Vertical on 6meters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Mrowka <mrowkas@open.org>
Message-ID: <34F1EBF1.5E6C@open.org>
Source record: 152504

Can anyone who owns a Butternut HF6V vertical and uses it on 6 meters,
please tell me about the performance on this band??

Thanks!

2321. Re: FRG 9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marco Pantanetti <mpantanetti@hermesnet.com>
Message-ID: <34f1fb00.0@news7.kcdata.com>
Source record: 152505
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Si, esiste il suo convertitore che va fino a 1.4 GHz non costa molto e va
anche discretamente. Io lo pagai 100.000 lire.
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Marco Pantanetti
mpantanetti@hermesnet.com
17, rue de Dudelange
L-3631 Kayl
G. D. du Luxembourg
Tel. 00352-562524
Alessandro Canalini ha scritto nel messaggio <6csh02$2cm@mikasa.iol.it>...
>---------- ITALIANO ------------------------
>C'e' qualcuno che puo' fornirmi indicazioni per modificare la banda di
>ricezione dello scanner YAESU FRG 9600 per portarlo alla freq. della
>telefonia cellulare (950 Mhz)?
>Grazie
>Alessandro IK4PKL E-Mail al.cana@iol.it
>
>------------ ENGLISH ----------------------
>There is anybody that can furnish me indications for modify the range of
>receipt of the scanner YAESU FRG 9600 for carry it to the freq. of the
>cellular telephons (950 Mhz)?
>Thank you
>Alessandro IK4PKL E-mail al.cana@iol.it
>
>

2322. TH-G71A MOD, I HAVE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham <not@public.com>
Message-ID: <34f1f1e1.0@heather.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 152506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

Hi,

I have the mod for the TH-G71A. The specs are:

AFTER MOD RX Capability:

136.000 - 173.995 400.000 - 469.995
320.000 - 399.99375 800.000 - 823.9875
849.000 - 868.9875 894.000 - 949.9875

If you want a copy of the mod sheet you can do 1 of 2 things:

Send an SASE to: Graham Crosby
2506 Devon Drive
Albany, GA 31707

OR 2:

Log back on tonight about 9:00 PM. I will scan and post it in BMP format .

73,
Graham
K4XA

"Mr. President, your proctologist called, they found your head."

2323. Re: I sell big amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: nq9220700-Ostrowski <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <34F1F547.6069@lucent.com>
Source record: 152507
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Philip de Cadenet wrote:
>
> You have a point there Bill,
> > I prefer the British term "valves" myself. It's really
> > more accurate than "tube" or "pipe."
> I believe 'Thermionic valve' is the correct term.
>
> PS. The amp is on it's way to #12 for evaluation/modification if
> necessary. One's concerned about the bias circuit and whether it's
> properly regulated and also how bad the flat topping of the negative
> peaks are!
> If I'm going to sell a 1kw output amp on the UK market I want it to be a
> 'sweet' one so I'm willing to wait while the basic design gets fully
> sorted.
>
> I'll report back on all this.
>
> Regards
>
> Phil / UK

Am I going to be the 'last one to know' that the amp is on it's way?

#12

2324. Chesapeake Bay Ham Radio Nautical News Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Weidner <weidner@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <6csubi$j5u$1@news4.ispnews.com>
Source record: 152508

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Maritime hams on the Chesapeake Bay interested in
forming and joining a Chesapeake Bay net on 75M
contact Jim Weidner, K2JXW, at weidner@waterw.com
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2325. Re: HELP-What is happening??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f1fdc8.33776429@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152509

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 21:39:40 +0100, j.no@iies.es wrote:
>MailfrmPA wrote:
>>
>> >I have put a FS on this listing twice in the last 30 min and it disappeared
>> >both times. What am I doing wrong. It is going out 'cause someone has already
>> >replied. But it disappears from the listing. Do I have to join something?
>>
>> I'm sorry, you should have seen the message on your opening screen.
>>
>> To have your listing appear for eighteen(18) days, send $20.00 to K&#65533;MB,
>> callbook address. This will allow you to list up to five(5) items during the
>> next three(3) months.
>>
>> Cheers,
>> K&#65533;MB
>
>What?
>I really was thinking the news were free.
>So somebody is getting money out of this??
>I unsubscribe
>Javier

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*Now* look what you've done, Martin.
You've scared the poor fellow away.
You ought to be ashamed of yourself.
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Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
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2326. FS: Rohn Tower in North NJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mb@nac.net
Message-ID: <mb-2302981818520001@nac-wsh4-s24-115k.nac.net>
Source record: 152510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have 40' of Rohn Tower with top section and rotor plate in excellent condition for sale. It's dis-assembled and ready to be seen and picked up. Reply via email if interested.

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_____________M_a_r_k___S___B_o_n_d____W_2_M_B__

2327. Dalton GA Hamfest 2/28/98

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Galgano" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <34F1FEA9.1004@america.net>
Source record: 152511

Hi Group.....
Anyone going to the Dalton, GA Hamfest this weekend.......and have any
VHF/UHF equipment for sale? Especially looking for at dual band HT.
Drop me a E mail if you have something I may be interested in.
73,
John Galgano
(Proud owner of a CSCE for tech, but no call sign yet)

2328. Re: AM synchronous detection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <34F207B4.1557400B@wavefront.com>
Source record: 152512

I have one that I built from a kit. I have used it with an FT-980 and
an FT-990. It does help. I have tried it on non-technical friend,
in-laws, etc., and they always say that the sound is less "distorted"
using the sync detector.

I got the kit from:

Steve Johnson
PO Box 3420
York, PA, 17404-0420

73, CJ K0CJ

Colin B. Marks wrote:
>
> Can anyone tell me if the new feature on some receivers and transceivers
> (FT1000MP) "synchronous detection" significantly improves reception of
> AM signals from SW stations, particularly in regard to distortion caused
> by selective fading?
> Replies by email or to this group would be appreciated.
>
> Colin VK2EAZ Sydney Australia Email: cbm@zip.com.au

2329. Kenwood TH235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobgeomts@aol.com
Message-ID: <6ct22c$4ah$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152513

Along with my TH-235, I also got the battery case, BT-10. It says in the instructions not to use commercially available NiCad batteries, but to use only alkalines. Does anyone know the reason for this?
The battery pack
that came with the radio is NiCad!
Also they state the recharge time for the
battery pack using the wall charger is 25 hours. Does anyone know how long it takes using input from a DC power supply?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2330. WTD: TEK 454A Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <34f209bf.2912414@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 152514

Looking for manual for TEK 454A Oscilloscope. Will pay $$ or have
other Tek manuals to trade:

1L20 Spectrum Analyzer
1L40 Spectrum Analyzer
53/54C Plug-In

73, Dick, W1KSZ

2331. Re: FRG 9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: &miker <&miker@ethergate.com>
Message-ID: <34F2166E.865B5424@ethergate.com>
Source record: 152515
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Marco Pantanetti wrote:

> Si, esiste il suo convertitore che va fino a 1.4 GHz non costa molto e va
> anche discretamente. Io lo pagai 100.000 lire.
> --
> Marco Pantanetti
> mpantanetti@hermesnet.com
> 17, rue de Dudelange
> L-3631 Kayl
> G. D. du Luxembourg
> Tel. 00352-562524
> Alessandro Canalini ha scritto nel messaggio <6csh02$2cm@mikasa.iol.it>...
> >---------- ITALIANO ------------------------
> >C'e' qualcuno che puo' fornirmi indicazioni per modificare la banda di
> >ricezione dello scanner YAESU FRG 9600 per portarlo alla freq. della
> >telefonia cellulare (950 Mhz)?
> >Grazie
> >Alessandro IK4PKL E-Mail al.cana@iol.it
> >
> >------------ ENGLISH ----------------------
> >There is anybody that can furnish me indications for modify the range of
> >receipt of the scanner YAESU FRG 9600 for carry it to the freq. of the
> >cellular telephons (950 Mhz)?
> >Thank you
> >Alessandro IK4PKL E-mail al.cana@iol.it
> >
> >

There's an empty connector originally intended for a extended frequency converter. It is not shown on the schematic. If you ground pin 14, the readout will program from 0 to 999 MHz.

I hooked a 6.8K resistor from UHF1 to UHF2 on the band unit. This enables the existing front end
to run in the 905-999 frequency range.
Mine worked up to 925 before the oscillator went out of lock. I expect you could tweek the insides
of the front-end module to shift the range up to get to 950.

If you want lower frequencies, the radio is set up to tune 0-20, 20-40 and 40-60 MHz. with a 73 MHz
first IF. All you need is three VCOs, a couple of mixers and an oscillator to mix the 73 down to 10.7.
If anyone has implemented this board, I'd be interesteed in the results.

DISCLAIMER: I HAVE NO INSIDE INFORMATION. ALL THIS WAS DETERMINED FROM
REVERSE-ENGINEERING ONE UNIT. MY DESCRIPTION MAY CONTAIN ERRORS. YOUR
MILEAGE MAY VARY. PROCEED AT YOUR OWN RISK. I AM NOT RESPONSIBLE
FOR YOUR BROKEN RADIO.
MIKER

--
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK BELOW.
http://www.ethergate.com/users/miker/index.html
NM7U I Usually have stuff WANTED and FOR SALE.
If you get a URL error, try again later.

2332. Homing Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daryl Bevis <dbevis@phoenix.net>
Message-ID: <6ct4vi$d4g$1@uhura1.phoenix.net>
Source record: 152516
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.exotic-modes,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.nocode,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

I am a technician no-code and I am looking for a homing device one which is very small and light weight, and has a range of at least 1000ft. This is for my cat who likes to stay gone for too long at a time. Any info on homing devices will help. URLs or schematics.... anything..

2333. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34F2100E.7815@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152517
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Walt Davidson wrote:
>
> On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 17:55:21 GMT, "D. TOWNSEND" <pog@bellsouth.net>
> wrote:
>
> >No! the insult is the ARRL insistence that anyone who applies for an
> >exemption is a cheat
>
> The unfortunate fact is that many of them are. That is why the rule
> had to be changed, so that the facility would only be available to
> those in genuine need.
>
> >David Sumner is merely the Hachette man for the Board
> >of Directors and is doing exactly what he is told by the board to do.
>
> If he did not do as he was instructed by the Board, he would not be
> performing his job properly. That's what he's paid to do.
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

Take this out of rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, please.

-- jm

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

2334. WTB 8874 (3CX400A7) tubes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BROWNBUZZER@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ct1k8gmu1@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 152518

Looking for three of these puppies. Please reply by e-mail

BROWNBUZZER@webtv.net

2335. Re: WTD: TEK 454A Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34F2106A.2194@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152519

w1ksz@tiac.net wrote:
>
> Looking for manual for TEK 454A Oscilloscope. Will pay $$ or have
> other Tek manuals to trade:
>
> 1L20 Spectrum Analyzer
> 1L40 Spectrum Analyzer
> 53/54C Plug-In
>
> 73, Dick, W1KSZ

Try Ed Matsuda or Deane Kidd -- their contact info can be found with a
quick DejaNews search.

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

2336. WTB: 440 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmgillah@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6ct7rr$40h$1@harbor.me>
Source record: 152520

Hi!

The club I'm in is interested in a 440 amp for our repeater on 444.5
The transmitter puts out 2 Watts, and we'd like to get 30-40 watts
out. 120 VAC or 12 VDC, doesn't matter. Please let me know if you
have anything that might be even close. Thanks.

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Dave Gillahan dmgillah@mtu.edu Michigan Technological University
Office: (906) 487-3443 ki8dl@usa.net http://radiolink.net/ki8dl
ki8dl@w8yy.#upmi.mi.usa.noam
Amateur Radio: work long hours,
get no money, and call it fun. Without integrity, one has nothing
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2337. FS: Shure 444 Desk Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Jennings" <markjenn@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <6ct8mhjcn1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 152521

This is a classic desk mic from the early 80's in mint condition with original shipping box. It was my favorite microphone for HF while I was on the air and worked perfectly with my Kenwood HF gear. Standard 4-pin screw-on connector with generous 6-foot cord. It is gray/silver in color with a square, heavily weighted base and large PTT switch on the base. Handsome.

This is the last piece of gear from my shack so I'm motivated to sell. Please contact me via email if interested.

- Mark (markjenn@halcyon.com, N9AFL)

2338. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: XSavageFam@paonline.com
Message-ID: <34f1e13d.2709764@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 152522

I agree with W6VZV. The TS-850 at a kilobuck will, IMHO, outperform
any newer rig that sells for less than $1800. BUT most of the newer
rigs offer 6 Meters, which the -850 doesn't have.

K3AN

On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 04:43:37 -0800, "Roger, W6VZV" <rogerjb@ibm.net>
wrote:

>J.R. Smullen wrote:
>>
>> First let me say that I probably won't look at used equipment very
>> seriously. The prices I've seen there are not THAT much lower, and I
>> wouldn't want to get a lemon with no warranty. I also would feel a bit
>> inadequate in the dickering department, with no more ham experience than I
>> have. So what's the alternitive? First I've found great solace in this
>> news group in the past. So I'll try it again.
>>
>> Any and all suggestions will be greatfully appreciated.
>>
>
>Hey, way to go! Congrats on the upgrade.
>
>There are two suggestions I would tender for your
>consideration.
>
>1. You can get a new FT-900CAT for around eleven hundred
>bucks. This is a very nice rig. With the matching power
>supply, it makes a very snappy base station, and the bonus
>is that it is small and portable too. I own the 900 and
>really like it.
>
>2. I have seen used TS850 rigs for a grand. Now, I own one
>of these radios, and if you can get a used one that is clean
>(they are around) you will love it. It is a first-class
>radio, really essentially as good as the 4 grand rigs for
>most hams. And even though it will be out of warranty, you
>can still get Kenwood to fix it if it breaks, and typically
>the cost is not great. Usually when rigs have a significant
>parts failure it is after the rig is out of warranty anyway.
>
>As far as antennas go, I use wire antennas, costs about ten
>bucks. Used beams are around for a song.
>
>Have fun on HF!

>
>--
>Roger J. Buffington
>W6VZV
>
>
>"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my
>Grandfather...
>Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."
>
>"When Ronald Reagan was President, Democrats complained that
>the White House bought new china.
>Now that Clinton is President, people are complaining that
>China has bought the White House."

2339. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Little <little@galileo.galilei.com>
Message-ID: <34F227D0.1B09@galileo.galilei.com>
Source record: 152523
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Walt Davidson wrote:

> The obvious response to that challenge is to ask what sort of TV
> service, full stop, did you have in the 1930's? We had BBC TV from
> Alexandra Palace, you had zip.

I'll remind you that Leo Farnsworth invented the electronic picture tube
when you guys were still playing with spinning disks.

> Here in Europe, we were leaders in the field of direct broadcast
> satellites with small (less than 1 metre diameter) receiving dishes.
> Meanwhile in North America, you were still playing around with clumsy
> 10m diameter dishes like miniature radio telescopes in your backyards.

Man, every house I see here in the states has a DBS dish. Get your
facts right.

> We are now moving rapidly towards digital TV systems here, and wide
> screen TV sets with provision for digital compatibility are already in
> the shops.

DTV is reality now in the top 10 markets here in the U.S. It will be in
the top 31 markets by 4Q98, and the top 70 markets by 4Q99. That's most
of the U.S. population.

You obviously haven't seen enough TV about what goes on in the states.

Keith Little
KC0CPN

2340. FS YAESU 767 GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond Tompkins <raymond.tompkins@snet.net>
Message-ID: <34F22257.DD700969@snet.net>
Source record: 152524

IT HAS FTS-8-CTSS UNIT AUTO ANT TUNER . BRAND NEW HAND MIKE AND NEW DESK
MIKEMD-1C8 AND EXT 767 SPEAKER NOT NEW. HAS 2 METER MODULE . AND BRAND
NEW 6 METER AND 440-B MODULES. OPERATING MANUAL AND TECHNIAL MANUALS.
NICE CLEAN RIG. ASKING $ 1400.00

2341. Kenwood TS570D battery failure

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: K9GCO <howerter@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <6ctggh$8ss$1@news.tbcnet.com>
Source record: 152525

My TS570D is less than one month old and it looks like the lithium battery
is dead. If I shut it off for over one hour the memory is lost. Anyone
else with simular experience? Also wonder how hard it is to change.
Mike

--
K9GCO

2342. Re: Kenwood TH235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: XSavageFam@paonline.com
Message-ID: <34f1e377.3279326@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 152526

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 17:51:40 -0600, bobgeomts@aol.com wrote:

>Along with my TH-235, I also got the battery case, BT-10. It says in the
>instructions not to use commercially available NiCad batteries, but to use
>only alkalines. Does anyone know the reason for this?
The battery pack
>that came with the radio is NiCad!
Also they state the recharge time for the
>battery pack using the wall charger is 25 hours. Does anyone know how long
>it takes using input from a DC power supply?
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

I have the TH235. I don't think you can charge the standard NiCd
battery any other way except with the wall-wart. 25 hours is a
ridiculous length of time; it's the only real shortcoming the rig has.

However, since I don't use the rig a lot, I rely entirely on the BT-10
pack, filled with alkalines. I guess you could put in AA NiCd's, but
the alkalines offer more capacity, and they don't self-discharge. I
have had a set of C size alkalines in a flashlight for five years now.
It gets used less than an hour per year (primarily during Field Day)
and the light output is still pretty good. That's a long shelf life.

Given the amount of use my HT gets, I'm sure I'll get a year or more
from the alkalines, as opposed to having to remember to charge the
NiCd's every three months or so, even if I don't use the HT at all.
Also, I just bought an alkaline battery pack for my wife's cell phone
for the same reason.

Duracell just announced a new alkaline with 50% more capacity for 20%
more price, tipping the balance even more in their favor.

Opinion: Alkalines rule. NiCd's suck. :-)

K3AN

2343. WTB:VS-1 Voice Synthesizer for Kenwood TM-3530A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Siedentopf <bigal@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <34F235E5.B356299D@sonic.net>
Source record: 152527

Kenwood no longer sells that devise...

any junk radios that might have the unit kicking around?

Al

****
Al J. Siedentopf Amateur Radio: N6MSL

mailto:bigal@sonic.net
WEB Page: http://www.sonic.net/bigal/
****

2344. NEW ASTRONOMY SITES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <dan@kb8uyz.com>
Message-ID: <6ctcpopoo1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 152528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

New DHC/KB8UYZ Astronomy Sites

DHC ASTRONOMY LINKS PAGE
http://megaman.dhcom.com/astronomy

NEW MARS GLOBAL SURVEYOR PAGE
http://megaman.dhcom.com/mars

DHC COMPUTER CONSULTING
http://megaman.dhcom.com
Web Site Design and Hosting Services

KB8UYZ.COM
http://kb8uyz.com
Amateur Radio News and Information Services

2345. Kenwood TM-241 Display problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Pinner <KD4JXY@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#4NPPHNQ9GA.204@upnetnews04>
Source record: 152529

Has anyone else encountered the squirrely display that is intermittent.
Mine powers up fine some times, other times it display all the characters on
the screen or bits & pieces of the display.
A good whack will clear it up once in a
while.....

I have heard Kenwood has never been able to identify the problem and/or fix
it.

So, has anyone else figured out how 2 fix it?????

It's beginning to be a pain in the BUTT!

Thanx,

Dennis

2346. Re: RF Elec. Skywalker Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W7AX <w7ax@montana.com>
Message-ID: <6cu251$bjq@news.montana.com>
Source record: 152530

For Tom,
Just wanted to say that I have custom built many of these amplifiers and
they are very good. I have several people on the air with them mobile for
the last 4 years or so and not one of them has ever broken down. I highly
recommend the optional bandpass filters though. They require about 30 watts
drive for about 500 watts. Good luck on your choice there.... 73 de W7AX,
Lee
Gary Coffman wrote in message <34f155f3.14144969@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 02:02:51 GMT, jleikhim@nettally.com (Joe Leikhim)
wrote:
>>Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net> wrote:
>>
>>>Has anybody out there built a RF Electronics Skywalker Amp Kit? Anybody
>>>know if QST ever did a product review on one of their amps...
>>> am
>>>considering getting one and would like some
>>
>>>.....feedback.
>>
>>That is the last thing you want to have when you buy an amplifier.
>
>Actually, most supposedly linear amplifiers could use some feedback,
>negative feedback to be precise. Running a supposedly linear amplifier
>open loop isn't a very good idea.
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2347. FS: Pro 43 w cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: DON LARSON <SPEEDDEMON@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6cthod$42pe$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 152531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale,

Pro 43 scanner with cellular band modification, service manual, carrying case, both the stock and a telescoping antennas, users manual and original box. This radio is in good condition, never dropped or otherwise abused. I have been very happy with the radio but I must sell it to pay off some debts. 230 o.b.o.

Don Larson
(406)388-1997 evenings and weekends
(800)595-8903 weekdays

2348. FS-IC2AT&rapid charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F24D69.6F91@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152532

For sale IC2AT and rapid charger. Wall charger and two battery packs.
In good condition and operational. Price $75.00 plus shipping.
E-mail Lee at .... revcon78@hotmail.com

2349. FS-FT101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F24DDA.6714@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152533

For sale Yaesu FT-101 and manual in good condition $200.00 plus $40.00 for shipping. E-mail Lee ....revcon78@hotmail.com

2350. Trade FT101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F24F2B.6108@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152534

Will consider part trade for what ever you may have. I am looking for a late model metal detector. White Electronis or similar high end unit.
E-mail Lee .... revcon78@hhotmail.com

2351. FS-SWR/PWR meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F24E84.6034@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152535

Brand new in the box never used Daiwa SWR/PWR meter model NS-660.
$95.00. I will ship to lower 48 at my cost. E-mail Lee ...
revcon78@hotmail.com

2352. FS-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee / AB7ON <revcon78@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F24FD2.385F@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152536

For sale HAL model ST-6 in good condition. $75.00. In very good condition and working properly. E-mail Lee ... revcon78@hotmail.com

2353. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f25351$2$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34f26cd3.6189402@news>, on 02/19/98
at 05:34 PM, orion@abcnycap.rr.com said:
>Well Moss, if you would stop screaming and foaming at the mouth for a few
>minutes, you might realize that Packet radio doesn't have the bandwidth
>or speed necessary to carry a full internet connection. Besides, the rest
>of us have to pay, why not you?

Sorry, Larry, but 56K is quite fast enough for an internet connection.
There are several repeaters and systems up in my area running today, and
the long term goal is for a full T1 connection via radio (at about 5.7
GHZ).

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2354. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f25299$1$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152538
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In <34ec29ae.173807146@news.internetmci.com>, on 02/19/98
at 12:48 PM, john.wilcox@mci.com (John Wilcox) said:

>>In any case, I am curious to know why he thinks he should be given
>>everything for nothing. (Doesn't want to pay for phone calls, ISP,
>>etc.) Does he think the Internet is provided free of charge by some
>>charity?
>>
>>73 de G3NYY

Hey, lighten up, guys. In England, they have to pay for EVERY phone call,
even local ones and what we take for granted is quite expensive. All he
wants to do is get to the same place as those of us in North America.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2355. WTB: FT102DM VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Maury Guzick <m_guzick@teleteam.com>
Message-ID: <34F25B81.FB62282E@teleteam.com>
Source record: 152539

Posting this for W5IO, please resond to him at 903-892-9697.

He is looking for this VFO to go with a recently acquired FT102, if any one has one for sale, please contact him.

Thanks
W5BGP

2356. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f257d4$3$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152540
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34f1ca43.3547115@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/23/98
at 07:54 AM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:

>On Sat, 21 Feb 98 21:27:52 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>>In <34ef448e.1263875@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/21/98
>> at 09:23 PM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:
>>
>>>Well, maybe one day you'll modernise your lousy NTSC color TV system in
>>>the States, to bring it up to the standard of quality we've been
>>>accustomed to here in Europe since 1966.
>>
>>Cheap shot..... Never Twice the Same Colour has been around since the
>>early fifties...

>Cheap shot maybe ... but true, nevertheless. You have done nothing to
>improve it since the early fifties.

I said cheap shot because its always easier to come along ten years later,
make improvements based on what has been learned with an earlier
experience, and then crow about your "superior" system - both of which
will likely be supplanted by new wider digital formats anyway. As for the
Amercians doing nothing, they've been working on high definition new
formats for at least the past decade, which I'm sure you know already. And
I haven't done anything about it because I'm not American, nor do I work
in the broadcasting industry.

>I notice whenever anyone has the effrontery to criticise anything
>American, it's always "a cheap shot".

Naw, the Americans can look after themselves, but it was a cheap shot
nonetheless.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2357. Re: For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F14074.64702FFE@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152541

allenb@cowtownrv.com wrote:

> Have for sale the following:
>

How much ?

> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

2358. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F146DC.72D02CCA@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152542
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Walt Davidson wrote:

> On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 05:10:09 GMT, rhawk@megabits.net (robert hawk)
> wrote:
>
> > The ARRL has shown it's discrimination toward the handicapped,
> >and in my opinion david sumner K1ZZ, is a disgrace to the hobby
> >of amateur radio, by virtue of being prejudiced, toward the
> >handicapped. no!!! I did not renew my subscription..
>
> A disability is not a handicap.
>
> In this country, a disability does not entitle a person to exemption
> from the Morse Test. Alternative means of taking the test are
> arrived at, depending upon the disabled person's individual
> circumstances. The vast majority of disabled people would prefer not
> to be given preferential treatment. Exemption is an insult.
>

I have told this story before. Someone wrote and asked me to re-run it
from time to time. this seems like a good time, so here goes:

A few years ago a young man was at VE at a test session taking the 13 WPM
test. He was legally blind, could have easily obtained a waiver, he did
not want, or need one. As the code tape was playing he had a legal pad and
a felt tip pen with which he wrote the code down, 3-4 characters a page
while all the while flipping pages in the pad. When the tape was over, I
read a question to him, he flipped through the pages until he found what
he was looking for and I would re-read the question along with the choice
of answers, it was multiple choice. He would write the # of the question
and his answer on a page of the legal pad. When he was through I had no
trouble reading his answers, or going through the code he copied and
reading it. He got 8 of 10. He moved after that but I heard he upgraded to
Advanced.

After that, we coordinated on 2 meters while he walked me through in
connecting with his computer, an IBM Compatible, through the phone lines.
My computer back then was a Tandy 2000. It was my first modem connection.A
very brillant young man, who did not let his lack of vision slow him down.

> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com

> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

2359. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f14bf1.11582361@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152543
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 21:23:51 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) wrote:
>On Fri, 20 Feb 1998 16:48:03 -0600, John Miles
><jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net> wrote:
>
>>IMHO the U.K. and Europe have always been behind the times in matters
>>technological. Heck, I've been involved with personal-computer software
>>projects that had to support cassette tape drives as late as 1988, just
>>for the European market. Get with the program, you guys! :)
>
>Well, maybe one day you'll modernise your lousy NTSC color TV system
>in the States, to bring it up to the standard of quality we've been
>accustomed to here in Europe since 1966.

And indeed DTV terrestrial broadcasting starts here in October of this year,
which will neatly leapfrog your primitive analog system. But tell us, Walt, what
sort of color TV did you have in 1954? We had NTSC, you had zip. Being first
sometimes means you don't get to take advantage of an incremental improvement
like PAL due to installed base.

>Maybe some day, too, you will have a 100% digital telephone trunk
>network like we have.

Hmm, our trunk networks are nearly 100% fiber optic.

>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
>car exhausts, like we do, to reduce the amount of pollution you pump
>into the atmosphere.

We've had cat converters and lead-free gas for 25 years. The only place
you can find leaded gas in the US today is at an airport. Seems you don't
know what you're talking about.

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2360. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f14eff.12365191@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152544
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:44:48 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day G3PHO) wrote:
>On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 21:23:51 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
>Davidson) wrote:

>>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>which in turn increase the fuel consumption so causing us to use more
>fuel than we did before and so deplete our natural resources faster!
>(A qualified car mechanic told me this ... so unless you're an expert
>on cars don't flame me :)))

The only real benefit to leaded gas is reduced valve wear in certain
older engines. For the past 25 years, we've used hardened valves
and seats which no longer require lead as a lubricant. There are
other ways to boost octane for the high compression engines which
need it than by adding tetraethyl lead.

What your mechanic was probably trying to say is that engine
efficiency is directly related to compression ratio. The higher
the compression ratio, the better the engine's efficiency *can
be* (though it isn't always better in practice, depending on other
design tradeoffs). When lead free gas was introduced, most
engine makers dropped the compression ratio of their engines
from 10:1 to 8:1 because of fears of pre-ignition. But compression
ratios have gradually moved back up as reformulated fuels and
better combustion management systems have become available.

For a given compression ratio, you get best performance by
using the *lowest octane* fuel which does not cause pre-ignition
(knocking and pinging). That's because lower octane fuel has
more BTUs per pound than higher octane fuel. That's something
the fuel companies really don't advertise because they'd like you
to pay extra for higher octane fuel you don't need in the mistaken
belief that it'll make your car run better. It won't.

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2361. Re: **********TICKLISH GUYS**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f1525f.13228953@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152545
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 12:52:53 -0500, kilroy <kilroy@fuse.net> wrote:
>Yes, I agree. Is there a moderator on this NG?
>If not, to whom can we go to get this type of garbage removed/filtered from
>the NG?

The best person to go to is yourself. Use a good threaded newsreader with
a regular expression filter capability and you won't see this sort of thing. A
good newsreader allows you to customize what you see so that *you*
determine what you get from a newsgroup, or collection of newsgroups.
Rather than depending on someone else to be your nanny, you can make
your own choices. Freedom, what a concept!

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2362. Re: RF Elec. Skywalker Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f155f3.14144969@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152546

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 02:02:51 GMT, jleikhim@nettally.com (Joe Leikhim) wrote:
>Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net> wrote:
>
>>Has anybody out there built a RF Electronics Skywalker Amp Kit? Anybody
>>know if QST ever did a product review on one of their amps...
>> am
>>considering getting one and would like some
>
>>.........feedback.
>
>That is the last thing you want to have when you buy an amplifier.

Actually, most supposedly linear amplifiers could use some feedback,
negative feedback to be precise. Running a supposedly linear amplifier
open loop isn't a very good idea.

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2363. Re: HELP!! HAL ST-6000 in RS-232 mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f15894.14818078@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152547

On 22 Feb 1998 20:47:01 -0700, nx7u@primenet.com (Scott Townley) wrote:
>I recently obtained a fine HAL ST-6000 RTTY demodulator locally. I
>intend to replace my patchwork-quilt-semi-homebrew Kantronics
>Interface][(remember those?) with it. Right now the kludge works
>with a PC running BMKMULTY.
>
>FWIW, the Kantronics is TTL, so part of the kludge is a homebrew
>TTL-RS232 converter. It's worked very well for several years.
>
>Well, I hook up the HAL, carefully following the special instructions
>for RS232 operation (jumper the accessory connector, add shorting
>plugs to Loop1&2 and Loop3), but...no workee. Pull out the RS232
>das-blinkenlights-analyzer, and bipolar data is indeed coming out of
>the correct pin, etc. Reversing polarity still no workee.
>
>So I pull out the osillyscope, and look at the RS232 output of the
>Kantronics kludge. Looks good, 22ms signalling at +/- 15V just like
>the handbook promises. Now for the HAL...
>
>There's this "puncture" voltage pulse train on the RS232 data...about
>every 9-10ms the polarity reverses for maybe 2ms...so it looks like
>someone superimposed almost a timing pulse on top of the Baudot
>data...it's close to twice a Baudot symbol but the scope is
>free-triggering so it's hard to tell for sure.

Set your scope to trigger off the AC line. I think you'll find these
spikes will then stand still. You've got a nasty ground loop in
your setup somewhere, and it is causing the slicer to false
on peaks.

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2364. Re: TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bblackburn@puc.edu
Message-ID: <6crpm9hhs1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152548

I am looking for the mods too.
Thank you in advance.
Ben Blackburn (KE6GWF)

In article <6clulv$3c8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
sventura@thegrid.net wrote:
>
> I have recently purchased the Kenwood TH-G71A. The radio performs very well;
> crisp audio, easy programming and use. Normally, I can find the mods for
most
> radios, but this one has me stumped. I have searched everywhere for the mod
> for this little bugger, but to no avail. I'm beginning to wonder if the
radio
> can be modified at all. Does anyone have any information reagarding the
> modification of this radio? I'd be most grateful.
>
> Thanks,
> steve
> ke6gah

>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

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2365. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnh@gmrc.gecm.com
Message-ID: <6crnlbgdd8@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>
Source record: 152549
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
> In <34ef448e.1263875@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/21/98
> at 09:23 PM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:

> >Well, maybe one day you'll modernise your lousy NTSC color TV system in
> >the States, to bring it up to the standard of quality we've been
> >accustomed to here in Europe since 1966.

> Cheap shot..... Never Twice the Same Colour has been around since the
> early fifties...

Nobody is disputing it. I think Walt's point was that (a) PAL is
significantly less prone to messing up the colo[u]r, and (b) the extra
100 lines make a significant difference to the vertical resolution.

I will refrain from comment on SECAM.

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Richard Herring | richard.herring@gecm.com | Speaking for myself
GEC-Marconi Research Centre |

2366. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnh@gmrc.gecm.com
Message-ID: <6crnfngdd7@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>
Source record: 152550
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Dunnett (olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk) wrote:
> On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 19:58:49 GMT, moss.i@virgin.net wrote:

> >In response to WALT davidsons comment, I dont mind paying the ISP
> >costs but the local phone call cost I do object to paying for. It goes
> >against the very spirit of the Internet. In America they can leave
> >their computers connected to the net 24hours a day 365 days a year
> >presumably, and all they pay is the ISP. Well thats What I want too
> >over here.

> And if they did that here, everyone and his wife would
> be connected 24h/24h,

Only if the ISPs didn't start charging for connection time.

--
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2367. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f16480.17870950@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152551
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 07:54:21 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) wrote:
>On Sat, 21 Feb 98 21:27:52 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>
>>In <34ef448e.1263875@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/21/98
>> at 09:23 PM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:
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>>>Well, maybe one day you'll modernise your lousy NTSC color TV system in
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>>
>>Cheap shot..... Never Twice the Same Colour has been around since the
>>early fifties...
>
>Cheap shot maybe ... but true, nevertheless. You have done nothing to
>improve it since the early fifties.

Actually, we did. A number of initiatives going under the heading of ATV
(Advanced Television) have been implemented over the last 20 years
which have markedly improved our analog TV system. The most important
of those is probably the mandatory adoption of RS-170A as a synchronizing
standard. In addition, the near universal adoption of comb filtering to remove
the herringbone rainbow artifact has been a large improvement. And we've
inserted the VIR pulse in the vertical interval so receivers can maintain
correct hue and saturation of broadcast pictures. There have been a
number of other improvements as well, but those three have changed
NTSC from Never Twice the Same Color to Now Truly the Same Color.

But of course DTV will obsolete all of that.

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2368. Atlas' New Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: trinit69@idt.net.nospam
Message-ID: <trinit69-2302980715030001@ip183.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 152552

Whatever became of the comeback of Atlas which restarted a couple of years ago?

I know they were taking orders for their new transceiver, but that was the
last I heard of Atlas.

Thanks

Tom

--
Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

2369. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Willis <"M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <34F15C37.FBB1C8A@rl.ac.uk>
Source record: 152553
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Gary Coffman wrote:

> We've had cat converters and lead-free gas for 25 years. The only place
> you can find leaded gas in the US today is at an airport. Seems you don't
> know what you're talking about.

Gas as far as I remember never had lead in it. The good thing about gas is that
is is so much cheaper than other fuels for central heating. Much of the UK
electricity supply comes from burning gas as we have large reserves.

--
Mike

(Remove the space from the Email address to reply)

2370. Wtb: Help Nye-Viking, Help & Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6crv2j$98r@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152554
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I Purchased A NYE-Viking Antenna Matchbox This Weekend At A Local Swapmeet
& Got It Home & Found The Insides A Mess & Also That It Uses An External RF
Coupler To read Power & SWR's That I Do Not Have. I Am In Need Of A Little
Help & A Manual & Schematic And Possibly The RF Coupler.
The Antenna Match Box ID Tag Is Missing & All That It Has For
Identification Is
275 Watt Antenna Matchbox & Catalog No 250-23-
Any Help Would Be Greatly Appreciated.

2371. FS Standard HX-400 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Max Powell <codtrap@keys.4ez.com>
Message-ID: <34F18565.F5A12E04@keys.4ez.com>
Source record: 152555

Standard HX-400 UHF transceiver with charger and battery. EPROM
programming up to 25 channels. Currently has 3 channels in the 456 mhz.
range. Like new condition.
$110.00 or best offer.

2372. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnh@gmrc.gecm.com
Message-ID: <6cs031$j2q$3@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>
Source record: 152556
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Mike Willis ("M.J.Willis"@rl.ac.uk) wrote:
> Gary Coffman wrote:

> > We've had cat converters and lead-free gas for 25 years. The only place
> > you can find leaded gas in the US today is at an airport. Seems you don't
> > know what you're talking about.

> Gas as far as I remember never had lead in it.

There were probably traces when we made it from coal.

--
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2373. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6cs21n$j2a$1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 152557
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 1998-02-21 rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca said:

rs>available. So, in conclusion, if I were you, I'd find a
rs>knowledgable person at the RSGB who can tell you what is possible
rs>under UK rules. They would also be able to steer you to active
rs>packet people in the UK. 73, Bob, VE7HS

I'm not trying to cause trouble; I just want to say that I agree, but I have found that when you ask the UKRS for help, you get a quicker, more attentive reply.

The email address is

admin@ukrs.org

Bill, GM8APX
Edinburgh, Scotland

Silent enim leges sunt inter arma

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

2374. FS RHOMBIC TERMINATION RESISTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Max Powell <codtrap@keys.4ez.com>
Message-ID: <34F18DE3.7C4F7724@keys.4ez.com>
Source record: 152558

Have a quantity of non-inductive, 600 ohm, 175W resistors. These consist of quick change modules with 2 resistors per module. Resistors and mounting hardware can easily be removed. Price: $15.00 per module plus UPS.

2375. Re: Ham Reviews of The MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd400e$0d55f9a0$658a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 152559

Wow! Awesome review! Thanks!
Since I don't yet understand the technology this may be a ridiculous question, but could one run two one the same line and thus remove a second source of severe noise as you describe?
I understand that these devices do cause a measurable loss when they are inserted, but then they make it possible to hear a signal that even without the loss was unreadable - I presume there is a bypass switch that removes the device and also any loss if desired? Thanks again & 73, DavidC

> There are some limitations. I can't null multiple noise sources at once. For
> example, when I get rid of the halogen light noise on 40, I can still hear my
> computer monitor harmonics loudly since they require a different setting to
> null out. This is not a big deal, since I can just change the refresh
> frequency of my monitor to shift the interference as required. Also I can't
> reduce my high S5 evening noise floor on 40, which I suspect comes from the
> 500+ TV's/halogen lights within a block of me.
> 73, Matti VE7BDX

2376. Re: Ham Reviews of The MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <34f1977c.235987211@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 152560

Did MFJ mention anything about the possibility of daisy chainning the MFJ-1026 to eliminate multiple noise sources?

I am think about getting one, but just don't know which one to get -- with or without the active antenna. Also the sub-urb I am living in yields S5 noise on 40M at nights, too!

Thanks for the review. It's been very helpful.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

2377. opinions needed on icom 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980223103411.28253A-100000@klingon>
Source record: 152561

Hey folks, i am seriously looking at the Icom 756 HF rig and wanted opinions from all of you who might be using them. If you could email me directly i would greatly appreciate it. Thanks and 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

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+-------------------------------------------------------------------------+
|| Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net> Emerson College | Phone:
(617)728-1971 Undergraduate School |
| Amateur call: n1jbc (general class) Boston, Ma 02116 |
| "I may be blind, but my resume tells the whole story." |
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2378. Re: Icom W32A Sensitivity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ormos@mcs.com
Message-ID: <6cs7sb$i8j$1@Venus.mcs.net>
Source record: 152562

In article <tPtH.91$sL3.1339022@news.inreach.com> (posted to rec.radio.amateur.equipment on Sat, 21 Feb 1998 05:42:49 GMT), "Greg Ottria" <Gottria@Inreach.com> writes:

= I noticed that when the 32 is fully reset that the 440mhz is on the left
= side and the 144 mhz is on the right side. I know that they can be switched
= by holding down the Band button and turning on the power. But I noticed
= that in the specifications section that the "Original band is less that
= 0.16uV" and "Opposite Band is less than .032uV" Well is the "Original band"
= the default settings of 440 on the left and 144 on the right? Does the
= sensitivity go down if their switched? Or do they just mean selecting a
= band (using the band button) other than what was set for that side?
= Understand??? Cause I don't

The IC-W32A appears to have two essentially independent transceivers--

a first transceiver optimized for VHF use (the one that covers the air band, the weather channels, the 2m ham band and vicinity (136--200 MHz), and the 70cm ham band and vicinity (435-455 MHz)), which is by default assigned to the right-hand display and "dial", and

a second transceiver optimized for UHF use (the one that covers the the 2m ham band and vicinity (136-200 MHz), the 300-400 MHz band, the 70cm ham band and vicinity (400-600 MHz), and the 600-1000 MHz band), which is by default assigned to the left-hand display and "dial".

Note that both the VHF-optimized and UHF-optimized transceivers cover both the 2m and 70cm ham bands. Although, by default, the left display and "dial" corresponds to the UHF-optimized transceiver and the right display and "dial" corresponds to the VHF-optimized transceiver, you can swap these by using the "Exchanging the Displays" feature described on p. 13 of the manual. If you don't remember which side is VHF and which side is UHF, you can always tell which transceiver you're controlling by which additional bands are available when you press the BAND key, and by the beep tone you get when you use the keyboard (when you're controlling the UHF-optimized transceiver, the beep tone is higher in frequency).

I believe the reduced sensitivity spec corresponds only to using the VHF-optimized transceiver in the 70cm band or the UHF-optimized transceiver in the 2m band. I don't think it matters at all whether you've used the "Exchanging the Displays"

feature described on p. 13 of the manual.

As a practical note, in my experience both the UHF-optimized and VHF-optimized transceivers seem to hear equally well in the 2m ham band. I haven't compared them at other frequencies, nor have I tried to measure the sensitivity.

I find it interesting that ICOM specifies two different first IFs--30.85 MHz for VHF and 46.05 MHz for UHF. I suppose this could mean either (1) the 30.85 MHz IF always corresponds to the VHF-optimized transceiver and the 46.05 MHz IF always corresponds to the UHF-optimized transceiver, or (2) the 30.85 MHz IF is always used when receiving VHF frequencies and the 46.05 MHz IF is always used when receiving UHF frequencies. I wonder which? I tried to find out by listening for some IF leakage using another radio , but couldn't hear any. I suppose I can find out by looking for images. It might matter because if it's the former, you might be able to eliminate an intermod or image problem appearing on one transceiver by selecting the other one.

--neil ormos wd8bdp ormos@mcs.com

2379. Collins 30L-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dahl@q-net.net
Message-ID: <34f1a1e9.3869487@news.q-net.net>
Source record: 152563

I am in need of a indepth discription of the wiring from the
A/C sorce to the transformer windings for the Collins 30L-1 amp.
I have the original manual, however some of the wires have been moved.
I would appriciate some help with this problem. A diagram showing both
sides of the terminal strip from trans. to A/C sorce with color codes,
and discription of wires and or photo would be greatly appriciated.
WD-4-PTC

2380. Re: Ham Reviews of The MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David Ho (de AF4BH)" <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.980223114041.17513A-100000@shell.one.net>
Source record: 152564

Did MFJ mention anything about the possibility of daisy chainning the
MFJ-1026 to eliminate multiple noise sources?

I am think about getting one, but just don't know which one to get --
with or without the active antenna. Also the sub-urb I am living in
yields S5 noise on 40M at nights, too!

Thanks for the review. It's been very helpful.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998, Matti Niit wrote:

> Hi David -
>
> I just purchased an MFJ-1026 and spent a weekend using it. I love it!
>
> To answer your questions: the unit can only handle 100 watts, and the manual
> recommends against relying on the RF sense circuitry, so I control the
> switching with the TR relay output from my transceiver.
>
> I haven't used the ANC-4 unit so I can't compare, but I notice the MFJ has
> at least one advantage. You can control antenna gain on both the Main and
> Auxiliary (noise) antenna separately. I use the MFJ box as kind of an
> "antenna mixing board" with the Main antenna being my transmitting inverted-V,
> and the Auxiliary hooked up to an amplified shielded loop I made. That way I
> can select whichever antenna has lowest noise for receiving, and if both
> antennas have noise I can mix them together at appropriate levels and adjust
> the phase for best results.
>
> How does it work? I couldn't believe the results! I suffer from my
> neighbours halogen light fixture wiping out 40 meters, a constant grinding on
> 20 meters that I haven't tracked down, and some other intermittent but severe
> problems. On 40 meters I was able to reduce S9+20 noise to S5 which is the
> normal noise floor here in the evening. I can make the 20m grinding
> disappear. On the weekend I operated a bit of the ARRL DX contest on 15m
> thanks to this box. HF was a real problem for me before, since I live in a
> high-density urban neighbourhood.
>
> There are some limitations. I can't null multiple noise sources at once. For
> example, when I get rid of the halogen light noise on 40, I can still hear my
> computer monitor harmonics loudly since they require a different setting to

> null out. This is not a big deal, since I can just change the refresh
> frequency of my monitor to shift the interference as required. Also I can't
> reduce my high S5 evening noise floor on 40, which I suspect comes from the
> 500+ TV's/halogen lights within a block of me.
>
> I opened the box up to change a jumper, and the construction seems to be very
> solid and high quality, a pleasant change from some rather dissapointing MFJ
> products I purchased many years ago.
>
> If you have any questions please ask. This box has made DXing a real
> possibility for this urban dweller, and I worked lots of great stuff this
> weekend.
>
> 73,
>
> Matti VE7BDX
>
> In article <01bd3f06$cdcc16a0$098a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>, "DavidC"
> <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
> >I am told that the MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller is more
> >effective and easier to use than the ANC-4, anyone have experiences to
> >verify this?
> >What level of transmit power and transmit switching speed can this thing
> >tolerate (e.g. will it's RFsense T/R switch handle a KW in Pactor I mode)?
> >Thanks for any helpful feedback!
>
>

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY USA
E-Mail: davidho@one.net
URL: http://w3.one.net/~davidho Always, always under construction

2381. New to Ham radio, request advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard C. Mumm" <rmumm@orednet.org>
Message-ID: <34F13763.6098B8B8@orednet.org>
Source record: 152565

Hello,

I am considering buying either short wave or ham radio equipment. I was first interested in short wave, mainly to list to international news broadcasts, but am curious to know if the same frequencies can be listened to from Ham equipment, with the obvious additional advantage of being able to communicate with others.

I have sent for a book reviewing short wave radio sets, and probably will end up spending around $250 for a good radio receiver.

I guess my question is, how much $ would it cost at minimum to get set up to do Ham radio?

Thanks.

Richard Mumm
rmumm@orednet.org

Clean Water International - a non-profit organization, dedicated to bringing clean, pure water to the poor all over the world. Any interested parties, please get in touch.

2382. INFORMATION PLEASE ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JAMES LATENDORF <famtech@ns.net>
Message-ID: <6cs8ur$m9e$1@aurora.ns.net>
Source record: 152566

YESTERDAY I RAN ACCROSS AN ICOM MODEL
IC-21 WITH IT'S MATCHING VFO (IC-21VFO). CAN
ANYBODY OUT THERE SHED ANY LIGHT ON THIS
GEAR. POWER OUTPUT? FREQUENCY COVERAGE? THE
VFO SEEMS TO COVER ONLY 146 - 148 Mhz. ANY INFO
WHOLD BE HELPFULL. I THINK IT IS AN EARLY PLL FM RIG
THAT THE USER PROGRAMED THE CHANNELS VIA A
DIODE MATRIX.

73'S
JIM
WB6KVD

2383. Mods for a Kenwood TM-V7A needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Harris <hwroger@interkan.net>
Message-ID: <6cs7vihhr1@news.chatlink.com>
Source record: 152567

Can someone help me with this problem. I need the mods for the above mentioned radio. Any help would be grately appreciated. Can E-Mail me at: hwroger@interkan.net.
Thanks
Roger Harris

2384. Variac Transformers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6csa3h$45@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152568

Hi !. All
> I have for sale.
> I have aTwo Stock (Unused) New in Box
> $ 100.00 / EA Plus Shipping
>
Model:W20 Technipower Company
> Mounting Hole Diameter : 0.281 onches Nominal Single Group
> Frequency Rating : 50.0 Hertz Nominal Single Componet or 60.0 Hertz

> Nominal
> Input-output Phase Relationship :Single Phase to Single
> Length : 7.500 inches nominal
> Width : 4.625 inches nominal
> Height : 8.062 inches nominal
> Distance between Mounting Facility Centers :6.250 inches nominal Single
Mounting
> Facility Single Center Group
> Scale Direction and Range : 0.0/140.0 Clockwise
> Inclousure Type : open
> Mounting Factility Quantity : 4 Single Group
> Mounting Method :Unthreaded Hole Single Group
Net Weight Pounds : 22
Tel :714-778-5151
Thanks
Joon

2385. Tek 485 Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6csb4c$h2m@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152569

Hi All.
I have a for sale.
Tek 485 Osilloscpe 350MHz
Good working condition $600.00 Plus Shipping.
With operator handbook
Tel:714-778-5151
Thanks
Joon

2386. Heathkit SB-102 station Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Hawkins <gary@flightplan.com>
Message-ID: <01bd407e$1a4f3f20$79e167ce@gary>
Source record: 152570

Thanks to all who responded.

Gary Hawkins

2387. FS MFJ 949C Versa Tuner II Deluxe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Hawkins <gary@flightplan.com>
Message-ID: <01bd407e$65ac75a0$79e167ce@gary>
Source record: 152571

10-80 Meter with the 50 ohm dummy load, SWR/Power meter, etc.. Good mechanical and cosmetic condition. $75 shipped CONUS.

Gary Hawkins

2388. WTD YG-3395C filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1126 <1126@nethawk.com>
Message-ID: <34F1AFE6.48848534@nethawk.com>
Source record: 152572

I need a C/W filter for a TS-530S.

Please respond via E-Mail

2389. FS YG-88C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1126 <1126@nethawk.com>
Message-ID: <34F1AF6A.700AA080@nethawk.com>
Source record: 152573

I have one YG-88C filter for sale or trade for YG-3395C filter.
Bought this on at the ham fest and got the wrong one. I need the filter
for C/W on my TS-530S.

Please respond by E-Mail

2390. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. TOWNSEND" <pog@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <dKiI.104$I34.225016@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152574
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Walt Davidson wrote in message <34f12d33.1230383@news.dial.pipex.com>...
>On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 05:10:09 GMT, rhawk@megabits.net (robert hawk)
>wrote:
>
>> The ARRL has shown it's discrimination toward the handicapped,
>>and in my opinion david sumner K1ZZ, is a disgrace to the hobby
>>of amateur radio, by virtue of being prejudiced, toward the
>>handicapped. no!!! I did not renew my subscription..
>
>A disability is not a handicap.
>
>In this country, a disability does not entitle a person to exemption
>from the Morse Test. Alternative means of taking the test are
>arrived at, depending upon the disabled person's individual
>circumstances. The vast majority of disabled people would prefer not
>to be given preferential treatment. Exemption is an insult.
>
>73 de G3NYY
>
>--
>Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
>"Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

No! the insult is the ARRL insistence that anyone who applies for an exemption is a cheat and to justify that, they demand full access to a persons medical records without any guarantee they will not be made public by the ARRL or used in a manner detrimental to that person later down the line. Ever paid for a full set of copies regarding a severe medical condition? I have and it cost hundreds of dollars. If you are disabled you will know what I mean. David Sumner is merely the Hachette man for the Board of Directors and is doing exactly what he is told by the board to do.

KF4HMN

2391. Icom ICW-32 A MODS WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6csbm4$ek6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152575

Does anybody have any mods for the Icom ICW-32A dual band ht?? I am
looking for a extended RX/TX mod in particular.
Please email any info you may have to
swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Thanks

2392. Balantine 3440A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Norm Melick <henmel@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cscbk$gqo@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152576

I have a Balantine 3440A that I am trying to get some parts and a manual for. There is no listing in Boonton or Cedar Knolls, NJ for this company. If anyone has a contact for this Company, I'd really appreciate a shout.

Thanks alot,

Norm/KQ6SD

2393. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f1b730.15702134@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152577
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 23 Feb 1998 11:47:55 GMT, rnh@gmrc.gecm.com (Richard Herring) wrote:
>rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>> In <34ef448e.1263875@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/21/98
>> at 09:23 PM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:
>
>> >Well, maybe one day you'll modernise your lousy NTSC color TV system in
>> >the States, to bring it up to the standard of quality we've been
>> >accustomed to here in Europe since 1966.
>
>> Cheap shot..... Never Twice the Same Colour has been around since the
>> early fifties...
>
>Nobody is disputing it. I think Walt's point was that (a) PAL is
>significantly less prone to messing up the colo[u]r, and (b) the extra
>100 lines make a significant difference to the vertical resolution.

Receivers using comb filtering and the VIR pulse don't mess up the
colors either. The alternate line phase of PAL was once an advantage
in editing, but today with the universal use of RS-170A that's no longer
a problem for NTSC. And the extra resolution of PAL is more illusion
than reality. The 4 MHz video bandpass only allows 232 pixels per line
horizontal in either system, and NTSC has 262.5 vertical lines in a 3:4
aspect ratio, so we already have more vertical resolution than horizontal
resolution. The major difference is PAL's 25 Hz frame rate (flicker flicker)
as opposed to our 30 Hz frame rate. That's very noticable, and annoying.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2394. Communique HX507 Radio's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy <andy@comptech.force9.net>
Message-ID: <6cse45$7si@news2.force9.net>
Source record: 152578
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,uk.radio.amateur

Hi,

I am trying to obtain two Communique HX507 hand held two way radio's, I have a complete system (ie base stn, chargers, batteries etc) apart from two bodies and would like to make use of them. I am told these units are about 7yrs old and are no longer made. If anyone has any for sale or could point me in the right direction I would be most grateful.

Regards,
Andy Daws

2395. Re: Atlas' New Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f1ba62.16520465@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152579

On 23 Feb 1998 13:08:56 GMT, trinit69@idt.net.nospam (Tom) wrote:
>Whatever became of the comeback of Atlas which restarted a couple of years ago?

They folded again.

>I know they were taking orders for their new transceiver, but that was the
>last I heard of Atlas.

Looks like they took the money, spent it, and were never able to ship
product.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2396. F.S.T2X Tailtwister HyGain $400. and other Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223181601.NAA10675@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152580

Have ONE HyGain T2X Tailtwister Extra Heavy Duty
w/Control Box and manual

$400. + Shp. 30 Lbs. More Info E-Mail Me

ASLO have HyGain Ham 4 $295 + Shp.
CDE Ham 3 $250.+Shp. All rotors are rebuilt!

This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2397. WTB MFJ-490 Memory Keyer Combo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Hawkins <gary@flightplan.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4087$c3e884c0$2ee167ce@gary>
Source record: 152581

I am looking for the MFJ memory Keyer Bencher Key combo with power cube (if available).

Thanks,

Gary Hawkins

2398. Re: WTB- Motorola Programming Cables for GM300 & GP300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34f1bec3.16032658@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 152582
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have the cable for the GM300. $23.00 shipped by USPS

Email if interested.

Doug

"Kim E. Wells" <seaus@shore.intercom.net> wrote:

>WTB- Motorola Programming Cables for GM300 & GP300
>
>Please contact
>Kim Wells
>Ocean City, MD
>n3oac@qsl.net
>
>
>

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2399. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: investigation@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34f0ce26.848365@news.total.net>
Source record: 152583
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:44:51 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day G3PHO)
wrote:

>On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 21:34:34 GMT, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
>(Jim Dunnett) wrote:
>
>>Then try getting B.T. and the other telecomms sharks
>>to make ISDN more attractive to you and me, for a
>>start. You might also suggest to the authorities that
>>some of these bloody amateurs be moved out of the
>>VHF/UHF/SHF spectrum they occupy* to make way for the
>>sort of free, high-speed Internet access you crave.
>
>It's already happening... the 47GHz part of the spectrum, later this
>year, may see the first evidence of this. The amateur band up there is
>in real danger if the commercial people "run out of space"...

young commecial people are run out of space...
and amateurs are dying...

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Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

2400. Icom IC-207H or triband - thoughts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph@hemi.com
Message-ID: <6csggl$4d@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 152584

Hello! I am considering the purchase of an Icom 207H for use in my Pathfinder. The main reason for this radio is not the features it has (or doesn't have) but the tiny detachable display that would fit perfectly on my dash and make for a very clean install. (Alas, it doesn't cover 200MHz but I can work around that somehow...)

I was wondering if any of you use/own one of these, and if so do you like it? My other option is a tri-bander of some kind, but Kenwood seems to be the only company that makes one of these (the 642A I think). If you know of any other tri-band radio's out there let me know on that too...

Thanks a bunch!

- Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

2401. Re: Atlas' New Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb840@scn.org
Message-ID: <EouHEE.520@scn.org>
Source record: 152585

In a previous article, trinit69@idt.net.nospam (Tom) says:

>Whatever became of the comeback of Atlas which restarted a couple of years ago?
>
>I know they were taking orders for their new transceiver, but that was the
>last I heard of Atlas.
>
Unfortunately they went completely bankrupt. QST had a short write up
about it shortly after it happened.
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Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

2402. FRG 9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Canalini <al.cana@iol.it>
Message-ID: <6csh02$2cm@mikasa.iol.it>
Source record: 152586
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

---------- ITALIANO ------------------------
C'e' qualcuno che puo' fornirmi indicazioni per modificare la banda di
ricezione dello scanner YAESU FRG 9600 per portarlo alla freq. della
telefonia cellulare (950 Mhz)?
Grazie
Alessandro IK4PKL E-Mail al.cana@iol.it

------------ ENGLISH ----------------------
There is anybody that can furnish me indications for modify the range of
receipt of the scanner YAESU FRG 9600 for carry it to the freq. of the
cellular telephons (950 Mhz)?
Thank you
Alessandro IK4PKL E-mail al.cana@iol.it

2403. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@mailhost2.planet.net
Message-ID: <6csic8$i32$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6crkedepm1@as1000.javanet.com>,
"Burt" <burt@innocent.com> wrote:
>
>
> Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) wrote in message ...
> >I took the time to read Fisher's vitriolic little webpage and have
> >confirmed what I always thought, the man is definitely not playing with a
> >full deck.
>
> And you are/

As I have no problem with my VE status and I have yet to ever resort to
blackmail and threats, the answer would have to be YES, I AM

>
> >>The ARRL response cites factors as to non renewal and the very 1st reason
> >is exactly why this started. By Fisher's own admission, he has not
> >administered a VE session in the specified timeframe. According to Part
> >97.525
>
> Where did I EVER say that?

On many occasions back in June 1997, when you first dragged this dead horse
out, you were repeatedly asked when was the last VE session you administered.
You never answered. In fact, your response was, that you didn't know there
was a time factor and before the time factor was revealed you volunteered that
several other VE's had not administered a testing and they had not lost their
VE status. Interesting that you would on one hand make such comments and yet
never once answer a direct question posed to you.
>
> >No VEC may accredit a person as a VE if the person does not meet minimum
> >VE statutory qualifications or minimum qualifications as prescribed by
> >this part
>
> And how do I NOT meet that?

By your own admission on not having administered a VE session in the alloted
time frame.
>
> >Burt's response is then to argue that he was "fired" for no apparent
> >reason, yet he conveniently forgets that in another paragraph her
> >mentions that there were others that supposedly have failed to meet the
> >minimum qualification. In fact, this is the paragraph where he does
> >admit his failure by lying..I quote

>
> W1TTY gave less tests than I and was just renewed.

Soemthing that can only be taken at face value and unfortuneatly you are less
than reliable for accurate information
>
> >If you'll remember the 1st go around, Fisher admitted to not having given
> >a test in over a year, so he is blatantly (1) lying about and (2)
> >attempting his little boy tantrums but crying that "other guys were doing
> >it tooooo!!!"
>
> Does the ARRL dismiss everone who does not give a test in a year?

As a matter of fact yes. I know of several.

> Do they dismiss ANYONE BUT me?

see above

> I did not make the admission you fabricated.

Check Dejanews Burt, it's all there.

>
> >>Words speak very loudly here and the words from Fisher show a total lack
> >of any sanity. Normally I don't promote websites but this you have to
> >see. A man reduced to fabrications and outright lies to massage an
> >obvious bruised ego.
>
> Read it:
> http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169/arrlve.htm
>
> >
> >I can see why the people of Packard Bell are paying him no mind as well.
>
> You like Packard Bell?

Can't say if I do, never owned anything of theirs but redaing their resposne
to your threats, I can safety say it was handled in a correct manner

>
> >Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what
> >type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools
>
> Tell us here, the full story.
> DeJa news is not always accurate.

I do have 2 e-mail messages from 2 of your students. They speak far less
highly of you than you may think.

>
> Burt
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2404. FS: Kenwood TH-22ATH HT Package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: greyfox001@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223192901.OAA18608@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152588

Hello all,

Have the following package with pre-owned radio and accessories For Sale (Great for the new 'ham' just starting out):

1 Kenwood TH-22ATH 5 watt 2 meter HT. Unit is in Great Condition. 9 on a scale of 1-10. Has been modified for CAP/MARS operation if needed. Includes PB-34 (5w) battery, antenna, and standard drop-in charger.

1 Kenwood PB-34 (5w) Battery (extra one)

1 Super SMC-34 Speaker Mic

1 Kendoo KSC-14 Quick Charger. Dual slot

1 Kenwood Cigarette lighter cord w/ filter

The above radio and accessories makes up the entire package. $300 (U.S.) for the package with shipping included to your door.

If interested or if you require addn'l info., please email me directly. Thanks.

GreyFox001@aol.com

2405. FS Kenwood 732 in Mint condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Fischer <jfischer@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <34F1CE69.1EE7FCD4@crosslink.net>
Source record: 152589

I have a Kenwood 732 with the TSU-6 Decode Tone board installed in it, and extended transmit and receive mods done to it. The radio is Mint, never been mobile, was brought home, puts some rubber feet on it and used as home radio only. Extremely clean and in excellent cosmetic, and operational conditions. I would like to get $375 for it, and will ship to lower 48 states for that price.
Leave me a note if interested, Jeff KB4MKL

2406. Re: Building a Dummy Load?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: will Herzog <herzog@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34F1F940.3E02@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 152590

I ain't laffin, I'm seconding it as fast and cheep.
HERE ARE COME CAUTIONS LEARNED:
I did it with a 10 KW transmitter and 5 gallon can, but found that it cavitated.
That is it boiled so fast near the wire that it jumped in vswr a lot way before the water seemed to really boil. A good test for antenna arcing protection though.
The fix is of course bigger electrode, and less salt. (or less power)

> If you want a cheap one that works good (only up thru 10 meters) then you
> can build one with a gallon paint can (metal) and some copper wire.
> I used to use one that I made and it worked great for years without any
> change in the resistance.

Replace the water by adding to make up for evaporation.
Do not seal or explodes!
Do not store in spot where the salt-water will cause the whole lab to be mad at you when it eats thru the can, in a couple months.

> 1. mount a chassis mount SO239 connector in the center of the paint can
> lid.
> 2. insert a straight piece of #12 copper wire (stripped house wire works
> fine) in the center conductor of the SO239 on the inside of the lid. Make
> it long enough so that it likes about 1" reaching the bottom of the can.
> 3. Form a coil of #12 bare copper (stripped house wire works fine) about
> 2" in diameter and 5 to 7 (not critical) turns and make it long enough
> that it will like about 1" reaching the bottom of the can. Hook this to
> one of the screws that holds the SO239 in place. Place the coil such that
> the straight wire from the SO239 runs down thru the center of the coil.
> 4. Fill the can with WATER up to within about 1" of the top of the can.
> 5. In a separate container, mix you some pretty strong SALT WATER about a
> tablespoon of salt to a half cup of water. Make sure the salt is dissolved
> good.
> 6. Place the lid on the can and attach your HF rig with the SWR meter
> inline.
> 7. Apply some Transmit power and check the SWR on 10 meters. It should be
> high at this point.
> 8. Start adding small amounts of the SALT WATER to the water already in
> the paint can and mix well. Return the lid and check the SWR again. You
> should see the SWR start to drop very soon. It doesn't take much of the
> SALT WATER. It's been a long time sense I did this but best I remember it
> took less than a tablespoon. I guess it depends on how strong you mix your
> SALT WATER. I would recommend using an eye dropper to add the SALT WATER.
>
> If anybody out there is laughing by now. I hope you will give this a try

> before you laugh too much.
> IT WORKS GREAT.
> 73 de Tony, KD4K
> Cumming, GA.
> EM74wd
>
> Marty Tippin wrote:
>
> > Would like to build a 50 ohm dummy load - the kind that is made from a
> > gallon paint can, some transformer oil and a resistor.

Yeah, I bought a 50 ohm globar, but used water instead of the mineral
oil that commercials used. Oil cost to much , took too much time, and
was flamable.
But found the vswr was horrible,
Removing the resistor gave better swr, and thus the discovery it was the
water's dirt, and that adding salt was fine to home in on 50 ohms.

> > -Marty KI0LO
> > martyt@pobox.com

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Will; K2LB <herzog@frontiernet.net>

2407. Comments on Kenwood TH-K7 please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrinky@xtra.co.nz
Message-ID: <34f0c50f.1322429@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 152601

Hi,

Thank you for reading this message.

I am interested in the Kenwood TH-K7 transceiver and would like to
hear from anybody that has experience with this radio or any views on
it please.

73 de David
ZL1TLU.

2408. FS: Motorola DPC-550 Cellular Phone w/acc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223000101.TAA16150@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152602

Hello there,

I have for sale (or trade) the following cellular phone.

Motorola DPC-550 Cellular Flip Phone, it comes with the following accessories:

1. Two batteries, one is High Capacity, other is "Slim Line" type.
2. Car DC power/charge cord
3. Dual OverNight Charger (charges two batteries, and powers phone at the same time)
4. Original Packaging, full ESN/MSN (both are clean) info, original phone #, etc.
5. Phone is in excellent condition!!!! It is virtually new!!! (no joke)

I also have a "Test Mode" jumper installed (which can be easily removed) which enables the unit to also function as a reciever on all the allocated cellular freqs. Lots of docs are included with the phone about this. Price: $65 or trade.
If you are interested, please email me back. Thanks for reading this.

73s
N3ZVM
TeenHam@aol.com

2409. Re: Yaesu FT-301 Mods and FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6cqg02$nn5$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 152603

In article <34F04C49.AFD5D212@lightlink.com>, Jim Labrecque <jalab@lightlink.com> wrote:
>Does anyone know of a source of mods for the Yaesu FT-301 Transceiver?
>In
>particuliar, I am looking to improve RF front end on receive and the
>audio response
>on AM receive (seems very bassy).

The RF front end on my FT301 is outstanding, better than most newer rigs. Sensitivity is one of the best, and IMD seems quite low. Wonder what you are expecting of yours, unless it is defective? Also, AM response is fine on mine too. AM may naturally be more "bassy" depending on the TX characteristics of the transmitting station you are listening to.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
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2410. fs mfj tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6cqggi$h12@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 152604
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the MFJ 941-D VERSER TUNER II. It has the swr/power meter. Will
sell/ship for 50 bucks.
thanks...gene/WM9H
wm9h@execpc.com

2411. mfj grandmaster keyer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6cqglk$h12@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 152605
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the MFJ GRANDMASTER KEYER. Only problem is it won't hold the memory
when you turn it off. I believe a new battery will take care of this.
Either way, its a great keyer.
I will ship/sell for 25 bucks. I have the manual also.
thanks... gene/WM9H

wm9h@execpc.com

2412. fs mfj paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6cqgqm$h12@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 152606
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the MFJ IAMBIC DELUX BLACK PADDLE. In like new condition. I will ship/sell for 30 bucks.
thanks...gene/WM9H.

wm9h@execpc.com

2413. Wanted! Info/mods for the Standard C168A 2 meter HT!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6cqhtcibc2@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 152607

meter radio. I just got one and LOVE it so far. Please if anyone has anything

on it then E-mail it to me or post the info here. thanks....

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73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

2414. Re: relm handheld scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6cqk24$73o@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 152608

In article <6cqecf$pq0@ns3-1.CC.Lehigh.EDU>, <smg3@Lehigh.EDU> wrote:
>I'm curious if anyone has had any experience using or has purchased the Relm
>handheld scanner with the CTCSS/DCS capabilities? It looks like a good unit
>at the price and seems to be the only handheld with PL. Regency has always
>been a good company, I just want to be sure Relm has followed with their
>recent units. Any information would be greatly appreicated, thanks in advance.

The unit is manufactured in Japan under contract by Yupiteru, makers of
some of the best wideband scanners on the market. By all accounts the Rf
performance of the Relm unit is superb, not even taking its CTCSs
capabilities into account.

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Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

2415. FS-Kenwood 430 and PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223015400.UAA16697@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152609

Offering for sale, a nice clean Kenwood TS-430, 100 watt HF rig, with general coverage rcvr, and matching Kenwood power supply. Price-$600 for both.
George, K1RBS

2416. Mod for Icom T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Gilbert <vis_pfg@unx1.shsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6cqihv$ru1$1@unx1.shsu.edu>
Source record: 152610

Looking for the wide band mod for an Icom IC-T7A. Going to CAP service and need it.

Send mod and suggested places to look at .... vis_pfg@unx1.shsu.edu

Thanks....

Paul, KE5ZW

2417. Re: RF Elec. Skywalker Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <6cqlg7qnf1@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 152611

Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net> wrote:

>Has anybody out there built a RF Electronics Skywalker Amp Kit? Anybody
>know if QST ever did a product review on one of their amps...

> am
>considering getting one and would like some

>.........feedback.

That is the last thing you want to have when you buy an amplifier.

>Tom
>KB1CGA

Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

2418. Re: Ham Reviews of The MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: matti@istar.ca
Message-ID: <oB5I.201$OL.658013@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 152612

Hi David -

I just purchased an MFJ-1026 and spent a weekend using it. I love it!

To answer your questions: the unit can only handle 100 watts, and the manual recommends against relying on the RF sense circuitry, so I control the switching with the TR relay output from my transceiver.

I haven't used the ANC-4 unit so I can't compare, but I notice the MFJ has at least one advantage. You can control antenna gain on both the Main and Auxiliary (noise) antenna separately. I use the MFJ box as kind of an "antenna mixing board" with the Main antenna being my transmitting inverted-V, and the Auxiliary hooked up to an amplified shielded loop I made. That way I can select whichever antenna has lowest noise for receiving, and if both antennas have noise I can mix them together at appropriate levels and adjust the phase for best results.

How does it work? I couldn't believe the results! I suffer from my neighbours halogen light fixture wiping out 40 meters, a constant grinding on 20 meters that I haven't tracked down, and some other intermittent but severe problems. On 40 meters I was able to reduce S9+20 noise to S5 which is the normal noise floor here in the evening. I can make the 20m grinding disappear. On the weekend I operated a bit of the ARRL DX contest on 15m thanks to this box. HF was a real problem for me before, since I live in a high-density urban neighbourhood.

There are some limitations. I can't null multiple noise sources at once. For example, when I get rid of the halogen light noise on 40, I can still hear my computer monitor harmonics loudly since they require a different setting to null out. This is not a big deal, since I can just change the refresh frequency of my monitor to shift the interference as required. Also I can't reduce my high S5 evening noise floor on 40, which I suspect comes from the 500+ TV's/halogen lights within a block of me.

I opened the box up to change a jumper, and the construction seems to be very solid and high quality, a pleasant change from some rather dissapointing MFJ products I purchased many years ago.

If you have any questions please ask. This box has made DXing a real possibility for this urban dweller, and I worked lots of great stuff this weekend.

73,

Matti VE7BDX

In article <01bd3f06$cdcc16a0$098a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>, "DavidC"
<davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>I am told that the MFJ-1026 Signal Enhancing Noise Canceller is more
>effective and easier to use than the ANC-4, anyone have experiences to
>verify this?
>What level of transmit power and transmit switching speed can this thing
>tolerate (e.g. will it's RFsense T/R switch handle a KW in Pactor I mode)?
>Thanks for any helpful feedback!

2419. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd400a$04a1b8c0$8f0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 152613

Thanks a lot.

73

Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote in article
<6cmjhe$i9o@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>...
> FT-50 has very good speaker volume. See if you can get a friends 50-r to
> compare it to. That way you can be sure. Mine is louder then the TH78
>
> Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other HT
like
> > Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.
>
> > 73
>
>

2420. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd400a$20a86780$8f0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 152614

Tks yr suggestion.

73

Mark Russo <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote in article
<34ee8bf5.2483818@news.hoflink.com>...
> On 20 Feb 1998 02:44:34 GMT, "Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> >Where can I got it (Motorola speaker ?)
>
> Go to a hamfest or listen on any "swap n shop" net (ask if anyone has
> one for sale) The one you're looking for is the old Motorola speaker
> that is mounted in the steel box and it says "MOTOROLA on the front.
> You should be able to get them for under 5 bucks. They are plentiful.
>
> Good Luck, Mark
>
> >
> >
> >Mark Russo <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote in article
> ><34ece0ce.3629059@news.hoflink.com>...
> >> On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 00:50:49 -0000, "Ken Bickel" <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
> >> wrote:
> >>
> >> >
> >> >Nelson wrote in message <01bd3b6c$c84df1a0$ae0148ca@nelson>...
> >> >>I found that the speaker volume is very weak compare with the other
HT
> >like
> >> >>Kenwood TH78A, thus anybody know how to make the speaker louder.
> >> >>
> >> >>73
> >> >>
> >> >----------
> >> >SURE - plug in an external speaker.
> >> >
> >> >
> >> Plug in an old Motorola speaker (3-5 bucks at a hamfair). You won't
> >> believe how LOUD the FT-50 and the FT-51are!
> >>
>
>

2421. Re: FT-51R (Yaesu) - Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd400a$34e33cc0$8f0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 152615

Thanks your advice.

Best Rgds

73

Dave Martindale <davem@cs.ubc.ca> wrote in article
<6cj9p3$sdl@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>...
> "Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> writes:
> >Where can I got it (Motorola speaker ?)
>
> Almost any external speaker will be a lot louder than the one inside the
> HT. With plenty more radiating area, the external speaker will be a lot
> more efficient. If you can't find a used one, Radio Shack makes a
> passive external speaker. The FT-50 works even better than the FT-51
> for driving the external speaker, since the 50 has 500 mW audio output
> power while the 51 has only 200 mW (typical of many HTs - the 50 is
> unusually powerful).
>
> Even this might not be enough if you are trying to listen to your HT
> inside a noisy moving car. If you need even more volume, an amplified
> speaker can boost the HT audio output to several watts of power. This
> needs to be hooked to the car 12 V power.
>
> Dave
>

2422. FT-8500 Mars/Cap Extended TX mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiEotA6s.7rF@netcom.com>
Source record: 152616

I recently picked up an FT-8500 and can't locate the green wire for extended TX. I'm guessing I have a newer version. Does anyone know how to enable extended TX?

Stephen
KY6K

2423. Heathkit SB220 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: VR2RD <cbmak@hkstar.com>
Message-ID: <6cpktj$qna12@lyra.hkstar.com>
Source record: 152617

The Eimac 3-500Z tubes in my Heathkit SB220 are broken during
transportation. Does anybody know where could I buy one through mail order.
I was told that the 3-500Z tubes are rather old. Is there a better
equivalent model ?

73 DE
KF6FRD

2424. Re: relm handheld scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6cqpub$p6o$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 152618

Mike "NO UCE" Schuster (schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com) wrote:
: In article <6cqecf$pq0@ns3-1.CC.Lehigh.EDU>, <smg3@Lehigh.EDU> wrote:
: >I'm curious if anyone has had any experience using or has purchased the Relm
: >handheld scanner with the CTCSS/DCS capabilities? It looks like a good unit
: >at the price and seems to be the only handheld with PL. Regency has always
: >been a good company, I just want to be sure Relm has followed with their
: >recent units. Any information would be greatly appreicated, thanks in advance.

: The unit is manufactured in Japan under contract by Yupiteru, makers of
: some of the best wideband scanners on the market. By all accounts the Rf
: performance of the Relm unit is superb, not even taking its CTCSs
: capabilities into account.

HOWEVER, the unit is only a double-conversion unit-so image reception will
be a problem in signal-rich environments.
Of course, the CTCSS/DCS decode function can make the above less annoying,
but it won't eliminate it.
I'd like to see a triple conversion version of the HS200, at about the
same price.

: --
: Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
: schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

2425. Re: Spam filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rubicon@nmia.spamthis.com
Message-ID: <34f0f690.50551857@news.nmia.com>
Source record: 152619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Here it is: http://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/47/227.shtml

P.

On 18 Feb 1998 19:36:35 -0500, jrerlewe@mtu.edu (Joseph) wrote:

>Yes, to a search on the web for "US CODE" and find the subchapter and
>notice how this adaptation can actually be used to do what it says! :)
>although, good luck finding a valid email address to send the bill to, and
>have fun convincing them not to laugh at you.... i got a couple guys
>scared real good though, thought it was funny as hell! :)
>
>-joe
>
>
>Will White (wcw@asu.uswest.net) wrote:
>: Is this true? Is it enforceable?
>:
>: Joseph wrote:
>:
>: >
>: > NOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47,
>: > Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited
>: > commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a
>: > download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees
>: > incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating
>: > and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail.
>: > E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.
>: >
>: > --
>: > Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
>: > http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

2426. Re: Heathkit SB220 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: davearea51@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223041901.XAA12813@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152620

3-500 tubes are still quite current and in use. You might try RF Parts in San Marcos, Ca. There are also a number of ads in QST and other amateur publications. Good luck.

Dave - W6LEV

2427. JRC-245 Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thad Mazurczyk <thadmaz@axiomnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4015$29a34a20$d35a6acf@thadmaz>
Source record: 152621

Hi Thad here.
Does anyone know of any mods, Engineering revision notices, or other for the JRC-245
useful info for this radio? I'd appreciate any useful info that can be supplied.
In addition to replying to me at the news group, I can be reached at: thadmaz@axiomnet.com.

Thanks de Thad M

2428. Standard C401 UHF HT Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thad Mazurczyk <thadmaz@axiomnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4017$4e094de0$d35a6acf@thadmaz>
Source record: 152622

Hi, Thad here.
I have a Japanese domestic version of the Standard C401 UHF micro-HT.
It doesn't access the US portion of the 70cm band on transmit.
Does anyone know of mods for this radio?? Does anyone have a schematic or
service manual for this?
Thanks in advance fr any help you may be able to provide.

73's de Thad

pls either reply here or by email to me at : thadmaz@axiomnet.com

Thx again.

2429. Re: WARNING!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cr1u9$sqo@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152623

You mean you didn't stack the wood?
Louis Bybee wrote in message <34F10135.11247A3@datacomm.com>...
>I once delivered a free load of firewood to a person when the power went
out and
>they lost their heat source. I place of thanks I received a nasty lecture
for not
>stacking the wood. I wonder if that situation applies here?
>
> Louis
>
>Parsons James wrote:
>
>> R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak wrote:
>> >
>> > Clif wrote:
>> > >
>> > > hershman wrote:
>> > > >
>> > > > John Fleenor wrote:
>> > > > >
>> > > > > Beware of Kenwood's Warranty on new radios. See
>> > > > > http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf
>> > > This sounds familiar to me. I have heard many negative things about
the
>> > > Service Ctrs of Kenwood. I have not had any first hand experience
from
>> > > Cliff at ADvidd but by all the Flames he sent me I would not
reccommend
>> > > ever dealing with the guy.
>> > > Steve NS1R
>> > >
>> > If the shoe fits, wear it, you apologized to everyone but me. All I
said
>> > was you were out of line on Gary and you admitted you were and
>> > apologized..
>> > --
>> > Clif @ AVVid
>> > AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
>> > http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid
>> >
>> >
>> > In defense of Cliff at AVVID I would like to point out his many
posts
>> > helping people, and giving free advise on what he thought was wrong

and
>> > what to do to fix there own rigs. I don't ever see any other service
>> > centers trying to help people fix there own rigs at no charge.
>> > Thank you Cliff and don't give up on use with your help.
>> >
>> > Bob
>> > WB5APD
>>
>> I am a bit shocked to hear anything negative said about Clif at AVVID.
>> He has answered many of my questions which I asked on the newsgroups. He
>> has also answered many questions on private E-mail. He asked nothing in
>> return, although I know it took much of his time.
>>
>> Also, I have had a number of friends praise his work. He does
>> outstanding maintenance at a very affordable price.
>>
>> Usual disclaimer...
>>
>> I, for one, consider him top-notch!
>>
>> Jim, K5ROV
>> --
>>
>> James (Jim), Parsons, K5ROV USAF, Ret.
>> k5rov@worldnet.att.net QCWA, NWQRP, Fists, ARRL
>> EX: W1RLA, K5FBB, K4FEO, SV0WN (CRETE), SV0WN (RHODES),
>> DL4NC, DL4JP, KA2FC (JAPAN), KA2JP (JAPAN).
>> JOHN 3:16
>
>
>

2430. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <34f106b8.5596539@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 152624
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:18:36 GMT, LA8AK@RV2.4P710.no (J M Noeding)
wrote:

>This is really disturbing!!
> What has it to do with rec.radio.amateur.homebrew?

Just to let you no, your message was crossposted in 6 NG's
>
>email: LA8AK@online.no
>Netscape 3.04, Free-Agent 1.11, ICQ, Net-Meeting.

2431. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <34f0ff83.3751400@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 152625
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 08:47:57 -0500, kf2ti@planet.net (Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ)) wrote:

>I took the time to read Fisher's vitriolic little webpage and have
>confirmed what I always thought, the man is definitely not playing with a
>full deck.
>
>Yes, his credentials were not renewed. He was not fired as he states.
>He, from the outset, trys to throw his "weight" around by threatening to
>go and "cry" to the FCC. you must restore FORTHWITH he states....and
>then..states he is being discriminated against.
>
>The ARRL response cites factors as to non renewal and the very 1st reason
>is exactly why this started. By Fisher's own admission, he has not
>administered a VE session in the specified timeframe. According to Part
>97.525
>
>No VEC may accredit a person as a VE if the person does not meet minimum
>VE statutory qualifications or minimum qualifications as prescribed by
>this part
>
>Burt's response is then to argue that he was "fired" for no apparent
>reason, yet he conveniently forgets that in another paragraph her
>mentions that there were others that supposedly have failed to meet the
>minimum qualification. In fact, this is the paragraph where he does
>admit his failure by lying..I quote
>
>Further, I know several VE's that have never been active in giving a test
>(as I have) that have not lost their status as a VE examiner"
>
>If you'll remember the 1st go around, Fisher admitted to not having given
>a test in over a year, so he is blatantly (1) lying about and (2)
>attempting his little boy tantrums but crying that "other guys were doing
>it tooooo!!!"
>
>Fisher then continues his tirade with threats to write his Congressman
>concerning amateur spectrum. In fact he is really threatening to stoop
>to blackmail to get his VE status restored.. I quote " I suggest you do
>not motivate me to do as I might wish. I am willing to let sleeping dogs
>lie, just restore my VE status.
>
>If you do so, this matter ends, quietly. If not, neither of us can be
>sure what is at the end of the road."

>
>What is also very interesting is now Fisher claims to be a member of a
>minority. My question is exactly what minority is that?? Obvious he's

If the gentleman is handicapped, bend over, put your head between
your legs, and kiss your ass goodby.. He would be a minority..

Butt then again, in the OCT 97 qst page 9, K1ZZ in his infinite
stupidity suggest's, that if you seek a morse code exemption, you must
supply on demand, to the VEC, your medical records.
with no binding law on the confidentiallity, of these records.
The ARRL has shown it's discrimination toward the handicapped,
and in my opinion david sumner K1ZZ, is a disgrace to the hobby
of amateur radio, by virtue of being prejudiced, toward the
handicapped. no!!! I did not renew my subscription..

>not black, Latino, Asian, most definitely he's not a woman, although he
>has a tendency to cry and whine like some. In fact, he claims
>discrimination on this basis. He further claims to have done quite well
>on Wall Street and therefore will bring his considerable financial might
>to bear with legal action.
>
>Words speak very loudly here and the words from Fisher show a total lack
>of any sanity. Normally I don't promote websites but this you have to
>see. A man reduced to fabrications and outright lies to massage an
>obvious bruised ego.
>
>I can see why the people of Packard Bell are paying him no mind as well.
>
>Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what
>type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools

2432. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <34f10503.5159861@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 152626
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>email: LA8AK@online.no
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WGAF..

2433. TempoOne info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mobil1 <mobil1@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <01bd3ff3$214f7460$202142d1@mobil1.jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 152627

Any info on this rig would be more than I have or can find.

KB2PAU

2434. Re: Pakratt for Windows ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike.luther@ziplog.com
Message-ID: <6cr2ss$7o9$3@news.myriad.net>
Source record: 152628
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In <34F0962D.74A9@swbell.net>, "James T. Amos Jr." <ac5ed@swbell.net> writes:
>W. Charles Alexander wrote:
>>
>> Is there any way to get Packratt for Windows now?
>> Program for AEA PK232 MBX
>> I just bought one and was told it had this software but it only had Pakratt
>> II
>> the Windows version has a Signal Analysis Module and a few other nice
>> things for my use which is Rx only
>>
>> Tkx
>>
>> --
>> 73 de charlie KC8IKG
>> W. Charles Alexander
>> charlie@netset.com

>You should be able to find it at:
> http://www.timewave.com/

If you intend to use it with OS/2 as a WIN-OS2 operation, while you are digging for things be sure you get a copy of the OSTSR time slice release utility. This one is free ware. At least install it with your setup, otherwise PPWIN will clobber your CPU load.

The best utility for bringing it under control in OS/2, to my experience, is the TAME320 utility, but that one will cost you a few bucks to register. It is more versatile than OSTSR and has let me do some things I needed that OSTSR wouldn't do...

//----------------------------
Mike.Luther@ziplog.com
Mike.Luther@f3000.n117.z1.fidonet.org

2435. ICOM IC-H6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrf9949@garnet.acns.fsu.edu
Message-ID: <6cr2a6$61u$2@news.fsu.edu>
Source record: 152629

I recently purchased an ICOM IC-H6 VHF radio. Does anyone know about
any mods? How do I change the frequencies/crystals?

2436. Which station monitor / pan with TS870s?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <6cr52idnl1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 152630

Can anyone tell me for sure, which station monitor product, the SM220, or the SM230 would you use with the TS870 for PAN purposes? Thanks, very confused, Mike -

2437. Re: TH-79A 2m/440 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4025$322cb400$c00148ca@nelson>
Source record: 152631

Please adv whether this is USA version or General version and all in good
condition i.e. TX and RX.
I am interest to buy at USD180 including shipment to Hong Kong.

If you consider, pls adv how to arrange payment and whether you courier
this equipment by DHL ?

73

ted <mtp@usa.net> wrote in article <34F10E35.37BDD22B@usa.net>...
> I have a Kenwood TH-79A for sale. I comes with the following:
>
> 6v, 9.6v and AAA battery pack. Original wall charger. KSC-14Kenwood
> rapid , dual slot, charger. Original antenna and aftermarket antenna.
> Speaker mic. Packet connector. Protective case. Original boxes and
> manuals.
>
> This HT is in good shape (no major gouges or scratches). Used by me (a
> non smoker) since I have had the rig. The display is in great shape as
> well.
>
> $200.00 I wll ship
>
> I would be willing to trade this HT for a Pro-2004
>
> Thanks,
>
> Reply to: mtp@usa.net
>
>

2438. Re: RF Elec. Skywalker Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34F1172F.B9748E14@together.net>
Source record: 152632

Hmmm.... was this an attempt at humor...? You forgot to add the "hi hi"...
so we'll all know for sure ;)

hihi

Tom
KB1CGA

Joe Leikhim wrote:

> Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net> wrote:
>
> >Has anybody out there built a RF Electronics Skywalker Amp Kit? Anybody
> >know if QST ever did a product review on one of their amps...
>
> > am
> >considering getting one and would like some
>
> >.........feedback.
>
> That is the last thing you want to have when you buy an amplifier.
>
> >Tom
> >KB1CGA
>
> Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
> Jleikhim@nettally.com
>
> "tv dinner by the pool,
> i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967
>
> "The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

2439. Re: SSB & The Spirit of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Gillman <jimmy@fiber-net.com>
Message-ID: <34F113E2.6C74@fiber-net.com>
Source record: 152633
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.cruising,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you'll check, you've posted to SEVERAL newsgroups. Have you considered e-mailing one-to-one? Or just posting to the newsgroup dealing with your subject of interest?

I know most Hams don't go on the air on five bands at once, but that's just about the equivalent of the present situation.

Being the gentlemen that Hams have always been, I know you'll want to rectify this situation.

Thanks for the consideration.

73
Jim Gillman (N8HVL/4)

2440. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Norbert Mai <n.mai@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cr748$m1a@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152634
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) <kf2ti@planet.net> wrote in article
<MPG.f59f52e5c8d74fd98996f@news.planet.net>...
> I took the time to read Fisher's vitriolic little webpage and have
> confirmed what I always thought, the man is definitely not playing with a

> full deck.
> snip
> Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what
> type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools

Well said Steve. After reading his web page, I had to go to the porcelain
appliance and relieve myself of lunch. Typical of someone devoid of ideas.
Instead of promoting ideas, the object is to attack, attack, attack.
Hmmmm, sounds like Washington!!!!

73
Norbert
WA5NWT

2441. Re: Building a Dummy Load?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony C. Cash" <tonycash@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cr79b$nkm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152635

Well, My opinion is that if you want one like the store bought with a resistor and oil, you would be better off to go out and buy it.
If you want a cheap one that works good (only up thru 10 meters) then you can build one with a gallon paint can (metal) and some copper wire.
I used to use one that I made and it worked great for years without any change in the resistance.
1. mount a chassis mount SO239 connector in the center of the paint can lid.
2. insert a straight piece of #12 copper wire (stripped house wire works fine) in the center conductor of the SO239 on the inside of the lid. Make it long enough so that it likes about 1" reaching the bottom of the can.
3. Form a coil of #12 bare copper (stripped house wire works fine) about 2" in diameter and 5 to 7 (not critical) turns and make it long enough that it will like about 1" reaching the bottom of the can. Hook this to one of the screws that holds the SO239 in place. Place the coil such that the straight wire from the SO239 runs down thru the center of the coil.
4. Fill the can with WATER up to within about 1" of the top of the can.
5. In a separate container, mix you some pretty strong SALT WATER about a tablespoon of salt to a half cup of water. Make sure the salt is dissolved good.
6. Place the lid on the can and attach your HF rig with the SWR meter inline.
7. Apply some Transmit power and check the SWR on 10 meters. It should be high at this point.
8. Start adding small amounts of the SALT WATER to the water already in the paint can and mix well. Return the lid and check the SWR again. You should see the SWR start to drop very soon. It doesn't take much of the SALT WATER. It's been a long time sense I did this but best I remember it took less than a tablespoon. I guess it depends on how strong you mix your SALT WATER. I would recommend using an eye dropper to add the SALT WATER.

If anybody out there is laughing by now. I hope you will give this a try before you laugh too much.
IT WORKS GREAT.
73 de Tony, KD4K
Cumming, GA.
EM74wd

Marty Tippin wrote:

> Would like to build a 50 ohm dummy load - the kind that is made from a
> gallon paint can, some transformer oil and a resistor.
>
> Problem is, I don't have a clue what kind of resistor would be
> appropriate.

>
> I need something that can handle up to 1 kw for maybe 30 seconds at a
> time.
>
> I see MFJ sells a kit with everything but the oil - will I be better
> off buying from them or can I make one myself for less?
>
> Thanks
>
> -Marty KI0LO
> martyt@pobox.com

2442. Want 1750-tone on Yaesu FT-911

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommy Karlberg <tommy.karlberg@ecs.ericsson.se>
Message-ID: <34F12096.4942@ecs.ericsson.se>
Source record: 152636

Hey!

I have a Yaesu FT-911 but it has no 1750 for opening repeaters here in Europe. I have a vague memory of all it requires is to move a soldering jumper on the CPU-board. But this information was for the FT-411. Can anybody help me out on this? I know that it is the "monitor" switch that is used. But how do I transform it from monitor to toneburst operation?

Best 73's dev SM7PAF

2443. FS - USED TUBES GALORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: iakincorp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980223073100.CAA06806@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152637

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<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/iakincorp/tubes/index.htm">Used Tubes</A>
Click above to go to site.
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2444. F.S. Johnson Viking Adventurer transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <34F135E4.2428@nidlink.com>
Source record: 152638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Johnson Viking Adventurer c.w. transmitter.

This unit is in excellent condition. Looks more like ten years old than 30 to 40. Although it won't be mistaken for new by any means, the cosmetic flaws are easily dealt with for restoration. Looks complete, front panel unchanged. The only change I can see is the substitution of an SO238 for the original RCA socket antenna connector.

I cannot attest to the circuit. I do have a copy of the "Assembly Details" (assembly and operating instructions, circuit description, assembly diagrams and photos). Also a copy of the Assembly and Operating instructions for the modulator (I do not have a modulator -- only the instruction sheet) will be included.

This should be a very easy restoration and a little c.w. transmitter that will load anything from bedsprings to door knobs.

In the next day or so, I will post some digital photos at alt.binaries.pictures.radio

$150.00 plus $12.50 UPS for stateside delivery.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

2445. FS: Kenwood + Icom 2M gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: acooney@netcom.com
Message-ID: <acooneyEotMn5.MFK@netcom.com>
Source record: 152639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.forsale

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Qty Description
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Hand held radios:
(2) Kenwood TH-21AT hand held radios w/leatherette cases
(2) Kenwood HMC-1 headsets with VOX for TH-21
(2) Kenwood DC-21 mobile battery eliminators for TH-21
(2) AC chargers for TH-21, one good, one questionable

Mobile radios:
(2) Icom IC-22S, one works, one needs repair, with diagram.
(1) Mobile mounting bracket for IC-22S.
(1) Cal-Amer 10-80 mobile SSB/FM amplifier (5-15W in, 80W out)

Details:
TH-21AT is a 144-148MHz synthesized mini FM transceiver with 1W
output (150mW on low power). With touch-tone keypad on front.
Approximate dimensions are 2.6" wide x 5.0" high x 1.3" deep.
Frequency entry is via thumbwheels on top.

IC-22S is a diode-matrix programmed 22 channel FM mobile. I
believe these have 10W output. Good solid radios. I liked the
first one so much that I bought another. One died, and I have
not taken the time to look at it. These have rubber feet for
base station use.

All work great (exept as noted), and all are in excellent
physical condition. I'm moving, and need the money more than
the radio gear.

Asking price: $200 for everything (includes shipping/C.O.D.)
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2446. Re: Yaesu FT 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <34f1280c.7623895@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152640

Steve,
I understand what you are saying. My main concern is the local
police department is on 856 MHz which is in the middle of the cellular
band. That is really what interested me more.

Thanks,
Chris

On 17 Feb 1998 15:23:32 GMT, nospam@see.sig.to.reply (Steve Zinski)
wrote:

>On Fri, 13 Feb 1998 21:23:06 GMT, Chris wrote:
>> But do you happen to have the cellular mods for this rig?
>
>Monitoring the cellular band is ILLEGAL. As a law abiding amateur radio
>operator, you should heed this warning. Use the radio for its intended
>purpose (talking with other hams) instead of trying to eavesdrop on
>private conversations.
>
> --Steve K4GBA
>
>--
>==
> To reply via email, remove one 'r' from my address:
> szinski@rrichmond.edu

2447. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f339a9.6777130@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152341
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 23 Feb 98 20:49:55 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>Hey, lighten up, guys. In England..

Look at the title of this newsgroup:
uk.radio.amateur not english.radio.amateur
Some of us resent being made into Englishmen!

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2448. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f337a6.6262286@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152342
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 21 Feb 1998 14:35:30 -0700, Lyndon Nerenberg
<lyndon@ve7tcp.ampr.org> wrote:

>What I'm curious about is what the UK third-party traffic rules
>have to say about this. This sort of use is clearly beyond the
>scope of "transmissions of a technical nature whose importance
>does not justify the use of the public telecommunications
>infrastructure" (paraphrase of the Canadian regulations). What
>you propose would certainly be illegal in Canada.

Just about everything's illegal in Canada.

I've been led to believe that, provided all the traffic
passed over any (theoretical) Internet/Amateur Radio
interface is originated by and destined for licenced
Radio Amateurs, then such an interface would not
be illegal.

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2449. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f331e5.4789546@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152343
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 10:54:38 -0000, "Nick"
<Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta> wrote:

>Maybe one day they'll have real beer.

Maybe one day we will. Or real lager anyway..

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2450. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f3396e.6718126@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152344
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 23 Feb 98 18:00:38 GMT, "Dave {Reply address in.sig}"
<noone@llondel.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>And some of us don't care about what TV was like in 1954 because we
>weren't around then :-)
>

Aw come on, who are you trying to kid?

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2451. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f336a3.6003314@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152345
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 23 Feb 1998 11:44:55 GMT, rnh@gmrc.gecm.com (Richard Herring)
wrote:

>Jim Dunnett (olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk) wrote:
>> On Thu, 19 Feb 1998 19:58:49 GMT, moss.i@virgin.net wrote:
>
>> >In response to WALT davidsons comment, I dont mind paying the ISP
>> >costs but the local phone call cost I do object to paying for. It goes
>> >against the very spirit of the Internet. In America they can leave
>> >their computers connected to the net 24hours a day 365 days a year
>> >presumably, and all they pay is the ISP. Well thats What I want too
>> >over here.
>
>> And if they did that here, everyone and his wife would
>> be connected 24h/24h,
>
>Only if the ISPs didn't start charging for connection time.

Then should it happen that BT is so ill advised as to
drop local call charges, I hope the ISPs do introduce
connect-time charges.

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
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Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2452. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f33658.5928675@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152346
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 10:42:45 -0600, "C.A.S."
<aaaadeletethis@topher.net> wrote:

>> > You guys are arguing over color TV and gasoline? Where are your priorities?
>> > GB certainly has better beer, and that's where American progress ought to be
>> >aimed.
>>
>**********
>I agree that GB has better WARM beer, but what respectable
>Yankee would drink warm beer to begin with !!!!

Warm...and flat as ink..!

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2453. For Sale: 10 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: zbecker@mailhost.net.nospam
Message-ID: <6cvjj2$e2g@news.wesleyan.edu>
Source record: 152347

For sale in CT:

Radio Shack HTX 10 meter rig
-USB/LSB/CW
-25w and 5w output
-All solid state
-Comes with mobile-mount bracket
-Requires 12 volt DC power supply

Features 10 channel memory and microphone with up/down selector.

Asking $175/bo. Will deliver free locally or you pay to ship via your choice. Used only briefly, but worked some great DX. Still in great condition; an excellent starter rig, or addition to the vacation shack, as well as a mobile rig. Great for working DX as the sunspot cycle gets into high gear again. Reply via email for more info.

To reply remove ".nospam" from address.

2454. FS: Yaesu FRG-100 Shortwave Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Halligan <halligan@capecod.net>
Message-ID: <34F352B3.55AC0B58@capecod.net>
Source record: 152348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings,

I have for sale a Yaesu FRG-100 general coverage table-model shortwave receiver. Radio covers 50 KHz - 30 MHz in AM, USB, LSB, CW. Will also receive HF FM signals with optional FM board (not included).

Radio was purchased new by me approx 2 years ago. It is in excellent condition with no scratches or blemishes. It has seen minimal usage. Radio can be computer controlled with Yaesu CAT interface (not included in this sale).

Comes with original box, manual, 12 VDC power supply, and schematics.

Asking $475.00 plus COD shipping, cash or money order. If interested, please respond to my E-mail address only. Thanks for reading.
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Scott
halligan@capecod.net
http://www.capecod.net/~shalliga
"Cape Cod Public Safety Radio Guide"

2455. Anyone Use the MFJ1278/DSP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224232300.SAA19051@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152349

I am looking to purchase one. I am using a Macintosh And i understand that is the only company that makes software for the Mac

Any help would be appreciated

Thanks
John

2456. Has anyone connected a TNC to an Icom 706 Mk II?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f5d436ffc1646f9896a8@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 152350

I see in the book that they show all connections being made through the microphone connector. I wonder if you could connect your TNC to the mike connector on the rear, and the mike to the connector on the front, and not have to switch anything? (keep both hooked up all the time?)

I once tried connecting my TNC to my Icom 735 through the ACC connector on the back, and could not get enough audio to drive the TNC. So, I'm skeptical that the ACC connector on the 706 or the mike connector (either one) will have enough oomph to drive the TNC, and that I may have to draw audio from the speaker jack in any case. Is that the way this is going to have to work?

Input appreciated- snake's already bitten me once- don't want it to happen again- these RJ-45's are too much trouble to put on to be installed incorrectly! I want to do it right the first time, unlike the trial and error I had with my 735.

Thanks! -Web

kr4wm@bigfoot.com

P.S. A special note to all SPAMmers:

Please sign and return the form below prior to SPAMming me:

I, _____, by sending SPAM mail to kr4wm@bigfoot.com, do hereby acknowledge that I wish to be mail bombed and to receive computer viruses which will cause destruction to my personal computer system and also the computer system belonging to my internet service provider via e-mail at my personal and/or business e-mail addresses.

As I am sending SPAM to the address KR4WM@BIGFOOT.COM, I hereby consent and agree that I will hold harmless Web Williams, his heirs and assigns, and I will happily accept whatever damage occurs to my system as a result of Web Williams efforts at accosting my system including the system belonging to my service provider.
As a responsible spammer, I hereby state that I have full permission to represent my ISP and enter him/her into this agreement, and that I have his/her express permission to sign this form on his/her behalf. I agree that my SPAMming prior to signing this agreement and returning it constitutes my full acceptance of these terms without Web Williams obtaining my signature or consent.

SIGNED_____

2457. Re: Kenwood TS570D battery failure

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <OdyROBYQ9GA.353@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 152351

Yep, this seems to be some kind of problem with them. I have some notes at
http://www.al-williams.com/wd5gnr about this and how to exactly replace it.

One of the guys around here said that if the replacement is done correctly,
the battery won't fail again. I have also heard the problem comes from
turning off the external power and not the power switch. Don't know if
either of those stamtements is true!

73,

Al WD5GNR

K9GCO wrote in message <6ctggh$8ss$1@news.tbcnet.com>...
>My TS570D is less than one month old and it looks like the lithium battery
>is dead. If I shut it off for over one hour the memory is lost. Anyone
>else with simular experience? Also wonder how hard it is to change.
>Mike
>
>--
>K9GCO
>
>

2458. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <6cvvahvhm1@as1000.javanet.com>
Source record: 152352
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Glenn Schultz wrote in message ...
>I see Burt got someone's goat, again!
>He has been playing this game on-line for several years.
>Please people, treat this "person" like the child that he is, don't give
him
>a reaction. That's what he is looking for. Bad attention to him is better
>than no attention at all. He is an insecure person who must create
>controversy to make himself feel important.
>In a word, ignore him. His threats and insults are nothing but hot air.

Ignore me?
Like you did?
For the truth about the ARRL's attack go to:

http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169/arrlve.htm

Burt

2459. FS: Tektronix C-5C O'scope camera

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6d0034$gdv@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152353

This is a mint condition Tektronix oscilloscope camera. The oscilloscope image is recorded by placing the camera over the display and snaping a picture. $100.00

rlong3@ix.netcom.com

2460. 100 ks crystakls FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34F382BC.1E66@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 152354

100 kc crystals for sale, $12.00 plus postage.

2461. GOVERNMENT CONTROL?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <dan@kb8uyz.com>
Message-ID: <6d01gohrl1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 152355

February 25, 1998

KB8UYZ.COM is pleased to announce the new Current Features section of our web site, where you can post your views regarding amateur radio, and have your voice heard!

Our current article features the recent establishment of the Enforcement Task Force, and how much control do they really have? Or, how much control should they be given?

You can visit the site at http://kb8uyz.com and choose the Current Features section. Any comments or suggestions regarding this site would be greatly appreciated. Any response from our viewers will be posted at the bottom of the web page. Thanks!

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73's
Dan KB8UYZ
dan@kb8uyz.com

2462. Alpha 86 prices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Hardman <eric@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <6d0708$hsj1@news.midusa.net>
Source record: 152356

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Can anyone advise what Alpha 86's are selling for?
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Eric
eric@midusa.net
N1516E K&#65533;UR

2463. JRC NRD-1EL does anyboday know what this is?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Ho <jho@xilinx.com>
Message-ID: <34F3361A.41C67EA6@xilinx.com>
Source record: 152357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Dear Netter,

As title, As far as I know this is a tube type communication receiver made by Japan Radio Corp and covers ~1MHz to 30MHz with AM SSB and CW modes. I would like to get more information about this radio.

Tnx.

Jonathan

2464. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f39f00$1$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152358
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34f7894c.4774761@news.dial.pipex.com>, on 02/24/98
at 09:13 AM, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) said:

>On Mon, 23 Feb 98 21:02:58 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>>I said cheap shot because its always easier to come along ten years later,
>>make improvements based on what has been learned with an earlier
>>experience, and then crow about your "superior" system

>May I just remind you that it was the following remark by John Miles
>which started this acrimonious debate:

>>IMHO the U.K. and Europe have always been behind the times in matters
>>technological. Heck, I've been involved with personal-computer software
>>projects that had to support cassette tape drives as late as 1988, just
>>for the European market. Get with the program, you guys! :)

>Now that's what I *call* a cheap shot!

On that score I'd agree with you. I didn't see that posting. Nonetheless,
TWO cheap shots seem worse than one.......

Bob.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2465. FT-847 UPDATE !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F39F2D.7068@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152359

Go to http://www.waters-and-stanton.co.uk/ft-847.htm

They even advertise the Atas Antenna that is for your car that goes with the FT-847. It covers from 1.8 to 70CM !!!! Sort of like a screwdriver antenna but automatic from the ft-847.

73's Steve NS1R

2466. Re: Alpha 86 prices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <34F3A6AB.43BCC644@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 152360

Eric Hardman wrote:

> Can anyone advise what Alpha 86's are selling for?
>
> --
> Eric
> eric@midusa.net
> N1516E Kï¿½UR

I sold mine about 3 years ago for $2250. It was mint and had come back from Alpha for the third time and was up to "Alpha 89 specs", no charge. I heard it went back again about a year ago and is now really up to 89 specs, again no charge. Go figure. I would say that since it has a lifetime warranty, it's still worth around $2000 to $2300. If you're buying one you might check with Alpha Power on status of the unwritten lifetime warranty on these turkeys.

Chuck

--
Charles (Jack) Hawley
Chuck....Ham Radio KE9UW
AKA "Jack" BMW Motorcycles, MOA #224 K100RS
Wife rides...Viki, MOA #18120 K100RS
President IBMWR
c-hawley@uiuc.edu
Sr. Research Engineer Emeritus
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

2467. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f3a132$2$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152361
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34f3326f.4927383@news.prestel.co.uk>, on 02/24/98
at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:

>My present one uses the fuel of the future - diesel.
>It returns 50 mpg from a 2-litre direct-injection
>engine (with a catalytic converter).

Diesel the fuel of the future? Not likely....Hydrogen is far more likely
as a fuel of the future than any fossil fuel, especially when the only
byproduct is water.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2468. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f3a40d3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152362
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:

>Then should it happen that BT is so ill advised as to
>drop local call charges, I hope the ISPs do introduce
>connect-time charges.

Actually, there is argument for completely flat rates at the national
level for telecommunications - i.e. no toll charges for long distance at
all both in Europe and America.

I find it difficult to understand your hostility to flat rate local calls,
though. What is your basic objection?

It seems to work just fine in North America.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2469. Want: parts for MH10/MH70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bohica@i-link-2.net
Message-ID: <34F3AC74.18CA@i-link-2.net>
Source record: 152363

I need several motorola (or similar) M9827 transistors.
Their part number 4800869827.
They want $41.00 each and I can use 6 to 8.
Does anyone have anything else that will work?

2470. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f3a65c4efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152364
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34f3320c.4828720@news.prestel.co.uk>, on 02/24/98
at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:

>They're totally anti-diesel over there as well.
>I'm told you can't buy it unless you own a lorry
>(truck).

What a silly idea! Of course we can buy diesel wherever we want. There are some of the older VW Rabbit diesels running around here, plus the odd Mercedes. Where on earth do you guys get these far-fetched notions about North America?

The reason diesel isn't very popular is because:

1. It stinks more than gasoline when the engine is running,
2. Diesel engines produce less power than equivalent sized gasoline engines (in
cars, anyway),
3. Diesel engines are harder to start in cold weather,
4. Diesel fuel here costs about the same as gasoline
5. Diesel engines are generally noisier than gas ones.

I suspect point 4 is the deciding one, though.

73, Bob, VE7HS

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2471. The best microphone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <34F3B6C7.54DB@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 152365

Hi--

I am confused about microphones. What is the best type? Crystal? Ceramic? Dynamic? Electret? Amplified or no? Is one better for tube rigs, or for solid-state?

Will White

2472. Icom 756 Filter change?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <34f2cf99.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 152366

Is there any way to change the shipped filters that come with the Icome 756?
Instead of 15Khz can a 6 Khz filter be put in for better AM Reception?

Lou Roppoli

2473. Re: Kenwood TM-241 Display problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@bright.net
Message-ID: <6cuo8iskf1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 152391

"Dennis Pinner" <KD4JXY@email.msn.com> wrote:

>Has anyone else encountered the squirrely display that is intermittent.
>Mine powers up fine some times, other times it display all the characters on
>the screen or bits & pieces of the display.
>A good whack will clear it up once in a
>while.....

Dennis,

My understanding of the problem is that corrosion develops in the
ribbon cable connector to the front panel. A squirt of Deoxit should
take care of the problem in short order.

Good Luck & 73,

Tony N8SNC

2474. Re: Kenwood TM-241 Display problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1Eow3Mp.LHJ@netcom.com>
Source record: 152392

In article <#4NPPHNQ9GA.204@upnetnews04>,
Dennis Pinner <KD4JXY@email.msn.com> wrote:
>Has anyone else encountered the squirrely display that is intermittent.
>Mine powers up fine some times, other times it display all the characters on
>the screen or bits & pieces of the display.
>A good whack will clear it up once in a
>while.....
>
>I have heard Kenwood has never been able to identify the problem and/or fix
>it.
>
>So, has anyone else figured out how 2 fix it?????

Its the crummy connector between the display and radio. Its surface
mount. Its a difficult fix, but I jumped across the connector
with 2" span of wirewrap wire. Never a trashed display now.

2475. FS:Kenwood TS 440 sat $575 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8htv@flash.net
Message-ID: <6curff$g94$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

Ts 440 sat Works good. 100 watts HF, Used mobile, has some scratches on case. New face plate just installed. Has built in auto antenna tuner, mic, manual, and dc cord.

Price is $575.00 shipped con. US via UPS ground

Call (810) 445-8175 or e-mail: n8htv@flash.net

2476. FS: Astron RS-35 A $120 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8htv@flash.net
Message-ID: <6curt7$g94$2@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

FS: Astron RS35 A power supply, 25 amps cont. 35 amps surge.

Works good, price is $120.00 shipped con US via UPS ground.

Call: (810) 445-8175 or e-mail: n8htv@flash.net

2477. FS: Kenwood TS 690 S with Auto tuner.$865 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8htv@flash.net
Message-ID: <6cuseo$g94$3@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

FS: Kenwood TS 690-S with biult in antenna tuner.
Very good condition. Works great 160 through 6 meters.
Comes with hand mic,manual and dc cord.

Price is $865.00 shipped con US via UPS ground

Call (810) 445-8175 or e-mail: n8htv@flash.net

2478. FS:Bird 43 and acc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8htv@flash.net
Message-ID: <6cut7firg1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

For sale: Bird 43 watt meter with leather case, and 4 slugs

2-30 250 watt
2-30 2500 watt
100-250 500 watt
400-1000 100 watt

Price is $275.00 shipped con US via UPS ground

Call(810)445-8175 or e-mail: n8htv@flash.net

2479. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.A.S." <aaaadeletethis@topher.net>
Message-ID: <34F2F885.F48@topher.net>
Source record: 152397
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Walt Davidson wrote:
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> On Tue, 24 Feb 98 02:12:24 GMT, Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com (Ed G)
> wrote:
>
> > You guys are arguing over color TV and gasoline? Where are your priorities?
> > GB certainly has better beer, and that's where American progress ought to be
> >aimed.
>
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I agree that GB has better WARM beer, but what respectable
Yankee would drink warm beer to begin with !!!!

:>))) Andy in Dallas

2480. For Sale: Kenwood 440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <ed@personallythere.com>
Message-ID: <6cuunc$k52$1@client3.news.psi.net>
Source record: 152398

Kenwood TS-440S with Alinco EP-2030 power supply...$650 for both. Also have MFJ-422B electronic paddle keyer and all band vertical antenna. Make offer. Reply to ed@personallythere.com.

2481. Tower 4-Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Shelton <mshelton@hacemx.hac.com>
Message-ID: <34F2FD7D.FFD@hacemx.hac.com>
Source record: 152399

40 foot Rohn HBX-40 tower disassembled and ready for pickup in Central
NJ. Includes TB-3 thrust bearing, hardware and rotor mounting plate.
Best offer received via email by 2/28 gets it.
reply via email to marvs@worldnet.att.net.

73 de WA2BFW

2482. Wanted: Manual for Dentron Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jimallen@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34F2FDAA.601D@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Source record: 152400

I'm in need of a manual for a Dentron Scout HF QRP rig. One for the matching power supply would also be appreciated. I'll pay copy/shipping charges, etc.

Thanks,

Jim

KQ6LB

2483. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnoul@gaap.saclay.cea.fr
Message-ID: <6curgo$59f$1@news.cea.fr>
Source record: 152401
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> Receivers using comb filtering and the VIR pulse don't mess up the
> colors either. The alternate line phase of PAL was once an advantage
> in editing, but today with the universal use of RS-170A that's no longer

Down here in Europe we say Never Twice the Same Colors vs Perfect Art Lines ;-)
Pse no flames, just kidding... We don't even have PAL in France, but SECAM...
Well my SONY camcorder uses PAL and my TV set can understand both.

> a problem for NTSC. And the extra resolution of PAL is more illusion
> than reality. The 4 MHz video bandpass only allows 232 pixels per line
> horizontal in either system, and NTSC has 262.5 vertical lines in a 3:4
> aspect ratio, so we already have more vertical resolution than horizontal

Hmm, 100 vertical lines are 100 lines more !

> resolution. The major difference is PAL's 25 Hz frame rate (flicker flicker)
> as opposed to our 30 Hz frame rate. That's very noticable, and annoying.
>
Hence the 100 Hz digital TVsets which double the image scan rate, no more
flickering at 100 Hz, 60 Hz is not even enough, 50 Hz is terrible...

It seems that the TV standards scan rate used to be matched with the mains AC
frequency to cope with the electromagnetic field produced by the transformer
and generating beat distorsion in the images. At least with matched scan
rate, the distorsion was stable...
I guess it is no more a provblem as of today, considering the multiple
scan rates of PCs. Transformers are probably well shielded.

73 de f5hnk/Patrick

2484. Re: TH-G71A MOD, I HAVE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracker557@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224172000.MAA24633@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152402

if you have it im .BMP format please E-Mail it to me. Greatly appreciated if you would.

Tracker.

p.s. - what is the TX range?

2485. Re: Homing Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobr19@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224172800.MAA25487@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152403

In answer to:>Subject: Homing Devices?
>From: "Daryl Bevis" <dbevis@phoenix.net>
>Date: Mon, Feb 23, 1998 21:39 EST
>Message-id: <6ct4vi$d4g$1@uhura1.phoenix.net>
>
>I am a technician no-code and I am looking for a homing device one which is
>very small and light weight, and has a range of at least 1000ft. This is for
>my cat who likes to stay gone for too long at a time. Any info on homing
>devices will help. URLs or schematics.... anything

A shot gun would do it! Just kidding get the cat fixed, it will stay home .

Good luck,

Bob M

2486. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6cv0qa$h5o@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 152404
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

parnoul@gaap.saclay.cea.fr writes:
>I guess it is no more a provblem as of today, considering the multiple
>scan rates of PCs. Transformers are probably well shielded.

These days, TVs and monitors don't use 60 Hz transformers at all.

A TV or fixed-frequency computer monitor typically runs the horizontal sweep off rectified line voltage, and derives all of the other voltages it needs from extra windings off the horizontal sweep transformer. So any magnetic interference is phase-locked to H sweep - no beat frequencies possible.

Multiscan monitors are a bit more complex since the H sweep has to operate over a wide range of frequencies. They typically use a separate oscillator, still at relatively high frequency, for the power supply.

Even back in the very early days of video, depending on the vertical sweep to be the same as the line frequency couldn't have worked for network programming. The local electric grids in various parts of a country as large as the US or Canada are not locked together, yet all TVs were locked to the sync generator at the studio where the TV cameras were located.

Dave

2487. Please do _not_ waste our time with stupid garbage like this.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dannyb@panix.COM
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.94.980224124119.24665B-100000@panix.com>
Source record: 152405

(note to everyone else: I'm bcc'ing the entire list just so you know the original moron has been responded to. If you feel like sending off another msg, please make sure to either _not_ include the original group, or to at least use 'bcc')

there's only one thing worse than someone who falls for stpid idiocy like this and wastes our time by sending it over, and that's a doubly stupid idiot who grabs ahold of a bulk mail program and sends it out, _WITH_ everyone's name in the "to" field, thus being triply annoying.

Please turn over your keys to the 20th century and make sure the door locks behind you.

Knowledge may be power, but communications is the key
dannyb@panix.com
[to foil spammers, my address has been double rot-13 encoded]

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998, Alessandro Brun wrote:

[forwarded copy of the gates letter snipped]

2488. FT-900CAT v. 706MKII v. 570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Molus <marcus@fdldotnet.com>
Message-ID: <34f30e7c.0@tornado.tcccom.net>
Source record: 152406

Looking for comparative comments for the
Yaesu FT-900CAT
Icom 706MKII
Kenwood 570D

Assume for the moment that 6m and 2m isn't important,
and that the rig is to be used only for base operation.
The rigs are comparably priced, with some differences
in features: antenna tuners, DSP, etc.

How do these rigs compare? (receiver performance,
ease/comfort of operation, quality/reliability, etc.)
If you have experience with more than one of the above,
I'd like to hear from you.

Thanks.

Mark Molus
N9KQP

2489. FS: RPTR CONTROLLERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34F31BA3.442C@erols.com>
Source record: 152407

FOR SALE: Two (2) ACC controllers, model #96. In excellent condition and operational. Excess to our needs. $250 each. Will ship. Murray, K3BEQ

2490. Sale Kenwood TS-440S - cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <34F30D0C.5BA1B435@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 152408
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have a Kenwood TS-440 for sale.
This radio is working but has a few cosmetic flaws.
A few scratches, and has an internal blemish on the (inside) glass.
The blemish is probably due to "contact cleaner" or similar.
The radio does work though. Comes with mic, manual, mobile bracket.
Call me if interested. Frank work 630-924-1600

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2491. WTB: Receiver front end board for SB-104a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbutler@nospam.awod.com
Message-ID: <34f51029.20363478@news-2.awod.com>
Source record: 152409

Anyone parting out a Heathkit SB-104a....I'd like to buy the "E" and
"G" boards, if they're still working.

73,

Butch kf4sag
H.P."Butch" Butler KF4SAG
Mt. Pleasant, SC

Please remove "nospam" from my email address to reply
I refuse to accept any unauthorized or unsolicited E-mail
communications.

The sending of an unsolicited E-mail communication shall
be proof that the sender has agreed, by action, to send $500.00
US/ certified funds to me, prior to any unsolicited or unauthorized
transmission.

"By US Code Title 47, Sec.227(a)(2)(B), a computer/modem/printer
meets the definition of a telephone fax machine.
By Sec.227(b)(1)(C), it is unlawful to send any unsolicited
advertisement to such equipment.
By Sec.227(b)(3)(C), a violation of the aforementioned Section is
punishable by action to recover actual monetary loss, or $500,
whichever is greater, for each violation."

2492. Light Modulation on HTX-242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbutler@nospam.awod.com
Message-ID: <34f30f3d.20127860@news-2.awod.com>
Source record: 152410

The modulation, according to others in my area is very light on my 2M HTX-242. Is there a "fix" or established mod for this problem/radio?

73,

Butch kf4sag
H.P."Butch" Butler KF4SAG
Mt. Pleasant, SC

Please remove "nospam" from my email address to reply
I refuse to accept any unauthorized or unsolicited E-mail communications.

The sending of an unsolicited E-mail communication shall be proof that the sender has agreed, by action, to send $500.00 US/ certified funds to me, prior to any unsolicited or unauthorized transmission.

"By US Code Title 47, Sec.227(a)(2)(B), a computer/modem/printer meets the definition of a telephone fax machine.
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By Sec.227(b)(3)(C), a violation of the aforementioned Section is punishable by action to recover actual monetary loss, or $500, whichever is greater, for each violation."

2493. Re: UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 Transmitter/ receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: .remove.Antony@Sailboats.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f32595.122134690@news.btinternet.com>
Source record: 152411
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ukradio.amateur

What problems (apart from not being licensed for use in UK) would a American transmitter/ receiver handhelds operating between UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 have. I see no reason why they won't work in the UK - but is there any 'registered' traffic already using this frequency.

The units in question are made by Motorola and have a range of upto 2 miles - and are in quite common use by walkers, bikers and skiers .

Please excuse my ignorance, this is all new to me.

Thanks

.remove.Antony@Sailboats.co.uk

2494. WTB: High Band MVP REAL BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7RCM@POBOX.COM
Message-ID: <6cv45u$j66$2@oasis.coam.net>
Source record: 152412

Looking for this particular radio or one that can do the same as this. We are trying to put up a
222 repeater and this radio, from what I here, can be moded to go up there.

If you have an extra one, and want to sell it, please e-mail. Our club is trying to add this band
to it's ranks. Thanks.

(S.M.A.R.C.) Sunrise Mountain Amateur Radio Club

73 de N7RCM...in Las Vegas

2495. New Kenwood USA Homepage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KENWOOD USA <Kenwood@USA.com>
Message-ID: <34F31291.2564@USA.com>
Source record: 152413

http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf

2496. New Kenwood USA Wed Page !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KENWOOD USA <Kenwood@USA.com>
Message-ID: <34F312D2.56F9@USA.com>
Source record: 152414

http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf

2497. Re: UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 Transmitter/ receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: news@thule.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f318c1.5230617@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152415
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ukradio.amateur

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 19:55:05 GMT, .remove.Antony@Sailboats.co.uk
wrote:

>What problems (apart from not being licensed for use in UK) would a
>American transmitter/ receiver handhelds operating between UHF
>462.5625 - 467.7125 have. I see no reason why they won't work in the
>UK - but is there any 'registered' traffic already using this
>frequency.
>
>The units in question are made by Motorola and have a range of upto 2
>miles - and are in quite common use by walkers, bikers and skiers .
>
>Please excuse my ignorance, this is all new to me.
>
>Thanks
>
>.remove.Antony@Sailboats.co.uk
>

This band contains, amongst other users, many of the Police personal
radios...

your choice...!

2498. FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224192100.OAA08554@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152416

For Sale: Kenwood TS870---Excellent condition. No dents or dings----I'm selling because I'm not home all that much and don't use it enough to justify keeping it.
Asking $1,800.00----includes shipping. Original price-----$2,3000---save 500 over new!
Email me at n8wgm@cyberdrive.net -------or--------n8wgm@aol.com

2499. WTB: Collins Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chemely@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224193000.OAA09629@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152417

Collins Mike wanted. Either mobile or base...Must be in very good condx

2500. kenwood 742

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980224141958.6253B-100000@klingon>
Source record: 152418

Hey folks, i am trying to get my Kenwood 742 to be able to cross band. Actually the problem i am having is trying to figure out how to turn the cross band on and off remotely. If any of you can help i would greatly appreciate hearing from you. 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

2501. Cultural network without own radio resources needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: semanue@usa.net
Message-ID: <6cums6$b0j$10@diana.bcn.ibernet.es>
Source record: 152419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.b

During about 10 years have lost money with the Radio
the emissions were all cultural.
In SPAIN do not have COMPANY FREEDOM and by so many can not mount A commercial
network by administrative and bureaucratic problems.
This is due to the fact that to obtain a frequency one must go through a
contest I publish And here it is when appear The problems.
The speculators, those which do business without having interest in the radio
emissions, alone want the grant for power to sell it, even to coast of bidding
farewell to all The insole of a network that operate well, it is preferable
that all controlled este by the large chains and thus to remove the natural
right to the FREE EXPRESSION and COMPANY FREEDOM.
It is easier to control to a chain than hundred Independent radio, the radio
networks Are considered but a form of washing the brains that a form of social
expression.
In this country to nobody is pursued to himher you by their its political
ideas, is not given to himheryou frequency And is remained without issuing
in radio, without work and if protests put you a fine of 67.000 $dollars And
if do not pay to the jail, that if this is a democracy and all is going well,
very well.
So that then they arrive to you the rumors of the fact that before of the
contest publishes, the frequencies already it Has been given and to the
friends of always, if this finally is going to seem a republic ++Bananera.
We have lost the @@expensa of reissuing in a way commercial and power to live
of our Work, hard work and not always well-paid, but we are some professionals
of the radio And we do not know to make nothing but, alone radio and
television, but finishes esta is worse still.
We are professional of the communication cloral and our goal is the prompt
breach.
During the radio emission of makes some months a key beam on the repeater of
the destruction network our unit of power, to prescribe it of the liaison
and the antenna of the same, remained destroyed,
The cost of the nevosa equipment is superior to 8.000 dollars.
We do not have money for power to pay the new equipment and we leave with 38

courtyards in cute Forcing to the network so that this, draw all what could, with noises provoked by The regulation upon having the issuer to less of 5 meters of the audio equipment.
Please if you can help us sends us at least 10 dollars, if not the commissions
of the Banks is quedarian with all money and not us llegaria given, if you are many Could buy a new issuing of radio in fm (88 - 108 mhz) commercial band.
Not pens&#65533;is that we want to earn money, with this proposal, we would prefer an equipment such as the one which were having before, compound by
Codificador st&#65533;reo
Commercial issuer of 30 watts commercial band 88 - 108 @@mhz power Unit of 1000 watts
Liaison unit (network and receiving) commercial band 890 @@mhz 4 dipolos of vertical polarization - horizontal with 8 db of profit.
That we can offer you, few thing but if someone wants that theirits your his maqueta, theirits your his disk Theirits your his cultural association, to spread some ideas, theirits your his form of thinking make known some movement, cultural trend ect as long as this ideas will be LEGAL, we can help you we.
We have opened I number an of account in a bank, where be able to do The income, almost that it will be will be well received.
If @@disponeis of radio equipment, much better
They are accepted from 10 dollars (recommended at least 15 or 20), we need 8.000 @@dolares or a new equipment.
CAJA RURALCASTELLON
Urban Dr Mara&#65533;on
Dr mara&#65533;on esq.Moncada
CASTELLON
(SPAIN)
Num account 3114 - 2204 - 0-9-01-100343-24
Page web www.ciberia.com /~vjroig
A heartfelt greeting to all

2502. F.S Laptop Modems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224193800.OAA10621@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152420

Two laptop modems forsale

1- TDK CyberExpress 3000
V.34 28.8kbps Data/14.4 kbps fax
Asking $125

1- Megahertz PCMCIA Modem w/XJACK Connector
28.8/14.4 kbps Data/ Fax
Asking $125

Please e-mail me with all inquires
Thanks
Robert
DeForger@aol.com

2503. Re: FS RHOMBIC TERMINATION RESISTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Max Powell <codtrap@keys.4ez.com>
Message-ID: <34F32956.C0E2CE5B@keys.4ez.com>
Source record: 152421

These have all been sold.
Thanks, Max

Max Powell wrote:

> Have a quantity of non-inductive, 600 ohm, 175W resistors. These consist
> of quick change modules with 2 resistors per module. Resistors and
> mounting hardware can easily be removed. Price: $15.00 per module plus
> UPS.

2504. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: p.day@virgin.net
Message-ID: <34f328d7.3484408@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 152422
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 10:36:41 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:44:48 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day G3PHO) wrote:
>>>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
>> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>>which in turn increase the fuel consumption so causing us to use more
>>fuel than we did before and so deplete our natural resources faster!
>>(A qualified car mechanic told me this ... so unless you're an expert
>>on cars don't flame me :)))
>
>The only real benefit to leaded gas is reduced valve wear in certain
>older engines.

<snip>

My comment was aimed at the poorer fuel consumption experience after
the introduction of catalytic converters (not at the use of unleaded
fuel)....my original posting underlined the cat converter with the
^^^^^ symbol but it did not come out that way on the newsgroup!

When questioning the dealer who supplied our latest car (a 1.2 litre
General Motors thing) about the poor mpg (only 32 in the city and a
bare 40 to 42 on the motorway) and comparing this performance to our
previous car, a Fiat of the same capacity (44 in town and 56 mpg on
the open road) we were informed that catalytic converters degraded
mpgs by as much as 30 percent or so...

Anyway, what's this to do with amateur radio? :))

73

73 from Peter, G3PHO

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Editor: RSGB Microwave Newsletter
Microwave Homepage (The World above 1000MHz):
http://freespace.virgin.net/p.day/ghz.htm
(mirror site at: http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Vista/7012
and at http://www.qsl.net/g3pho

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2505. Re: UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 Transmitter/ receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: david pullen <david@lincs1.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Uc56tBABty80EwKz@lincs1.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152423
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ukradio.amateur

In article <34f2f0e7.108648518@news.btinternet.com>,
antony@sailboats.co.uk writes
>What problems (apart from not being licensed for use in UK) would a
>American transmitter/ receiver handhelds operating between UHF
>462.5625 - 467.7125 have. I see no reason why they woni¿½t work in the
>UK - but is there any ï¿½registeredï¿½ traffic already using this
>frequency.
>
>The units in question are made by Motorola and have a range of upto 2
>miles - and are in quite common use by walkers, bikers and skiers .
>
>Please excuse my ignorance, this is all new to me.
>
>Thanks
>
><remove>Antony@Sailboats.co.uk
>
Hi Antony
If you want to be on your local radio station try it out as they use a
round here for O B links and they would love to here you.?
--
david

2506. Re: UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 Transmitter/ receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Woodward <ray.w@zen.co.uk>
Message-ID: <mXypPDAc0y80Ewsq@zen.co.uk>
Source record: 152424
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ukradio.amateur

In article <34f32595.122134690@news.btinternet.com>, ?.remove.Antony@Sai
lboats.co.uk comments :

>What problems (apart from not being licensed for use in UK) would a
>American transmitter/ receiver handhelds operating between UHF
>462.5625 - 467.7125 have.

Well you may very well end up transmitting through a police personal
radio system - that part of the spectum is where the input channels for
said system are (amongst other things).

I would suggest *not* using that equipment on those frequencies within
the UK.

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Ray

mailto:ray.w@zen.co.uk

2507. Re: Fw: [Fwd: FW: [Fwd: Fwd(2): PLEASE READ! YOULL BE GLAD YOU DID! (fwd)]]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ehall@ehsco.COM
Message-ID: <34F32CF4.DCC51C29@ehsco.com>
Source record: 152425

<<< No Message Collected >>>

2508. FL7000 and FT990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jirving@taranaki.ac.nz
Message-ID: <34f33afb.1305896@news.taranaki.ac.nz>
Source record: 152426

Thank you very much for taking the time to read this.

I have recently purchased a second hand AMP (FL7000) and it is running off my FT990.

I need someone to help me out regarding certain points eg the tuner.

There are a few things that I just cannotunderstand Iwould be extremely grateful if you have the same gear as me and would,nt mind answering just a few qustions.

I look forward for your help.

Jim ZL2BMH.

2509. Looking for hams using Ilyama Visionmaster Pro 17 and Dell 300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevehan@ptd.net
Message-ID: <ZiGI.107$iX.329020@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 152427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Going to be purchasing the IIyamva Visionmaster Pro 17 and was concern about how much RFI it produces on the ham/shortwave bands. I know some monitors are better then others. Being in an apartment I'm limited to inside antennas.

Also probably will be looking at the Dell computers also.

Thanks
Steve

2510. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wayne@hoxnet.com
Message-ID: <34f32e8e.109684407@ntserv02>
Source record: 152428
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 23 Feb 1998 14:11:45 GMT, rnh@gmrc.gecm.com (Richard Herring)
wrote:

>Mike Willis ("M.J.Willis"@rl.ac.uk) wrote:
>> Gary Coffman wrote:
>
>> > We've had cat converters and lead-free gas for 25 years. The only place
>> > you can find leaded gas in the US today is at an airport. Seems you don't
>> > know what you're talking about.
>
>> Gas as far as I remember never had lead in it.
>
>There were probably traces when we made it from coal.

HUH?

Leaded gas was very cheap petroleum distillate (low octane=~70 or so)
spiked with tetraethyl lead -- (CH_3CH_2)_4Pb -- as a cheap way of
bumping the octane up. 15 drops of tetraethyl lead added to a gallon
of 70 octane gasoline would bump the octane up to 100. This was great
until the lead started damaging the environment. Then we had to pay
more for higher quality gasoline with more expensive additives (like
Methyl-tert-butyl ether -- MTBE).

As far as I know (still a student pilot) 100LL Av Gas (100 octane low
lead) has no lead in it at all, but the name is still used from when
there were several varieties of Av Gas available (At least that's what
the guys at the air service tell me).

I don't think gasoline was ever made from coal -- at least not in any
commercial quantity. It was considered back in the 70's when gas
prices were skyrocketing, but petroleum based gasoline would have had
to go up to $3.00/gal (1970's US dollars) to be cost effective.

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Wayne D. Hoxsie Jr. KG9ME
wayne@hoxnet.com
http://www.hoxnet.com

2511. Re: Cultural network without own radio resources needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cgoin@mail.ime.net
Message-ID: <6cvdd5sa1@news.ime.net>
Source record: 152429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.b

God gave you a free will, and the "democracy" you complain about not having is, in fact, exactly what you do have and is persecuting you. Why haven't you simply moved to another country? You could qualify for a station license with hard work and only the usual amount of beauraucatic politics, and wouldn't have to look for handouts to have a voice.

2512. WTB: Kenwood $400.00 to $600.00 any model considered.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gutorres@pelican.davlin.net
Message-ID: <6cvfu2$5pp$1@news2.cais.com>
Source record: 152430

Want to buy a Kenwood in good working order. Willing to pay from $400.00 to $600.00. Radio needs to be in Texas. Willing to drive to your location for testing, PLEASE don't make me drive for nothing. I can tell if your radio is a piece of "shit". If modified for 11 mtr. Better ....Please e-mail me with info.
Thanks
Gus
PS: Please don't e-mail if you have JUNK!!!

2513. WTB: Kenwood Multi-band $400.00 to $600.00. in Texas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gutorres@pelican.davlin.net
Message-ID: <6cvgdb$5pp$2@news2.cais.com>
Source record: 152431

Want to buy a Kenwood in good working order. Willing to pay from $400.00 to $600.00. Radio needs to be in Texas. Willing to drive to your location for testing, PLEASE don't make me drive for nothing. I can tell if your radio is a piece of "shit". If modified for 11 mtr. Better ....Please e-mail me with info.
Thanks
Gus
PS: Please don't e-mail if you have JUNK!!!

2514. FS: Timewave DSP-9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6cvhsu$le6$1@newssvr09-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 152432

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FS: one Timewave DSP-9.
Perfect condition w\ manual.
$110.00 Shipped to you in US.
mor55ac@prodigy.net

73's
Nahum - N1frh
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2515. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <zLIceCAd0x80Ewe3@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152433
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <6cta6kcjt2@news.ncal.verio.com>, Ed G
<Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com> writes
>In article <34F1D618.13C6@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>, dhuff@popmail.vcd.hp.com wrote:
>>
>> How right you are! So many consumers (which is, to me, a derogatory
>>term, meaning advertising believers, in previous times known as suckers)
>>cannot seem to understand that higher octane gasoline does not give you
>>more power, or more mileage, from an engine designed for lower octane.
>>It is a physical impossibility. I first discovered this while reading a
>>1918 textbook on internal combustion engine design. It is interesting
>>how very little fundamental knowledge is really NEW!
>>
>
> Yeah, we got the lead out alright! sigh .... now if we would only get all
>the sulfer out!
>
> Ed

Interesting point that. In fact our local Sainsburys has started selling
'low sulphur - City Diesel' I asked what this was all about and was told
that it is being introduced across the country, although this is the
first time I have seen it. Price is 1p/ltr on top of normal price. Small
price to pay for lower emissions? I really wanted to know what 'exactly'
is the composition of it? On my Open Uni degree course this year we have
been looking at alternative fuels and one of them is an alternative
diesel fuel derived from rape seed oil. Apparently called 'bio-diesel'
it has very low sulphur emissions, low particulate discharge but stinks
like rotten cabbage when used! I also wondered about performance so such
fuels? Although the local bus company is using this low sulphur diesel
to such an effect that all the taxi drivers are using it, but it seems
that they think it gives better MPG than normal diesel.

Simon GM4PLM
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| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
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2516. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <xbvcqHAA3x80Ew+$@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152434
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <888278171snz@iapetus.demon.co.uk>, Laurence Taylor
<laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk> writes
>In article <34F15C37.FBB1C8A@rl.ac.uk>
> "M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk "Mike Willis" writes:
>
>-> Gas as far as I remember never had lead in it. The good thing about gas is
>that
>-> is is so much cheaper than other fuels for central heating. Much of the UK
>-> electricity supply comes from burning gas as we have large reserves.
>
>Never been quite sure why a fuel that provides heat and light perfectly
>well in its own right is destroyed and vapourised, thus increasing the
>pollution of the atmosphere, simply to produce heat and light somewhere
>else. I wonder how much longer the gas supplies will last if it is used
>only for direct use, rather than being used up by gnerating electricity?
>
>
>rgds
>LAurence
>

Natural gas burns much cleaner than any other fossil fuel (CO2 and SO2)

Predictions are that current 'known' reserves will last until at least
2025

Simon
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| Simon Lewis GM4PLM Editor - EMN |
| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
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2517. F.S. 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "greg h." <kb2qqm@msn.com>
Message-ID: <eRRuXPXQ9GA.267@upnetnews04>
Source record: 152435

Radio Shack 2m ht. covers 144-148 and includes radio, battery, charger and antenna.
excellent condition. $125 and i ship anywhere in U.S. Greg
KB2QQM@email.msn.com

2518. Re: FS:TOKYO HY POWER HL-1KA HF AMP not working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <yFkLsKAHLr80Ewf0@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152436

In article <6c2gvm$13g$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
KF6IKC@webtv.net writes
>This cute little amp runs a pair of 4X150 or 4CX250B tubes for 500-600
>PEP watts out on all bands 10-160 meters.I think the transformer is bad.
>Was working but now blows the fuse when you turn it on. Peter Dahl
>stocks the transformer,or can be used as a parts unit.amp is complete
>w/tubes. I'm asking $175.00 + shipping. AS IS!!
>
>For more info call me @ (530)241-0843 9am-9pm PST
That sure is a pretty little amp and a steal at that price, one of you
guys on the ng better BUY IT NOW!!!

Phil Unit 148/G4ZOW /UK

2519. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f33153.4643442@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152437
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 23 Feb 98 21:02:58 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>Naw, the Americans can look after themselves, but it was a cheap shot
>nonetheless.

It's the mess they make when they try to look after
us that worries me.

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2520. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f3320c.4828720@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152438
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:44:48 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day
G3PHO) wrote:

>>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>which in turn increase the fuel consumption so causing us to use more
>fuel than we did before and so deplete our natural resources faster!
>(A qualified car mechanic told me this ... so unless you're an expert
>on cars don't flame me :)))
>>car exhausts, like we do, to reduce the amount of pollution you pump
>>into the atmosphere.

They're totally anti-diesel over there as well.
I'm told you can't buy it unless you own a lorry
(truck).

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2521. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f3344a.5402081@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152439
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 98 02:10:06 GMT, Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com (Ed G)
wrote:

> Yeah, we got the lead out alright! sigh .... now if we would only get all
>the sulfer out!

He means 'sulphur' I think.

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2522. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f3326f.4927383@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152440
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 07:54:22 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>All I know is, I get more miles to the gallon from my 1-year old 1800
>cc Mondeo than I did from my 1300 cc Austin A40 back in the sixties!

Nothing wrong with the A40. I used to have one of those.
Petrol prices then were at about the silly level they are
in the USA today so the MPG didn't matter quite so much!

My present one uses the fuel of the future - diesel.
It returns 50 mpg from a 2-litre direct-injection
engine (with a catalytic converter).

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2523. AM synchronous detection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Colin B. Marks" <cbm@zip.com.au>
Message-ID: <34F22A7E.86D@zip.com.au>
Source record: 152452

Can anyone tell me if the new feature on some receivers and transceivers
(FT1000MP) "synchronous detection" significantly improves reception of
AM signals from SW stations, particularly in regard to distortion caused
by selective fading?
Replies by email or to this group would be appreciated.

Colin VK2EAZ Sydney Australia Email: cbm@zip.com.au

2524. Kenwood 940 SAT For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224001200.TAA03038@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152453

Kenwood 940 SAT for sale with 2 or 3 extra filters for CW.....
Looks like a 9+ and works like a 10, I have the original box and a shipping box....
I have the Owners man and the Shop Man.
This is a rig from an Estate Sale that looks really good,,,
Old timer was a CW operator,,
The Extra filters are: Yg455Cn-1 and Yk88c-1 and Yk88s1,
Good RIG.
Asking $ 1,100.00 and I pay shipping to you....
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock, AR
On the air every night on 3.987.5 Razorback Net
73

2525. Re: Mods for a Kenwood TM-V7A needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ct4bi$aak@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152454

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 10:29:02 -0600, "Roger Harris"
<hwroger@interkan.net> wrote:

>Can someone help me with this problem. I need the mods for the above
>mentioned radio. Any help would be grately appreciated. Can E-Mail me at:
>hwroger@interkan.net.
> Thanks
> Roger Harris
>
Remove both top and bottom covers.
Unplug the speaker and set the covers aside.
Lift up on the 6 tabs on the top and bottom of the front of the radio
and remove it.
We should now be looking at the back of the faceplate receptical.
Position it so that the voice modual is at the top while looking down
on it.
Below and to the left of the modual is a V shaped copper spring.
The resistor we want to remove is in the 0 (zero) position
Remove nothing else.
Do a full reset per the instruction manual
You should now have 300 to 470mhz receive on UHF
410 to 470 mhz transmit.
118 to 174 mhz receive
and 136 to 174 mhz transmit.

2526. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. TOWNSEND" <pog@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <WopI.251$I34.472864@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152455
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Walt Davidson wrote in message <34f40300.15873802@news.dial.pipex.com>...
>On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 17:55:21 GMT, "D. TOWNSEND" <pog@bellsouth.net>
>wrote:
>
>>No! the insult is the ARRL insistence that anyone who applies for an
>>exemption is a cheat
>
>The unfortunate fact is that many of them are. That is why the rule
>had to be changed, so that the facility would only be available to
>those in genuine need.
>
>>David Sumner is merely the Hachette man for the Board
>>of Directors and is doing exactly what he is told by the board to do.
>
>If he did not do as he was instructed by the Board, he would not be
>performing his job properly. That's what he's paid to do.
>
>73 de G3NYY
>
>--
>Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
>"Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

Given the present debate about a VEC on the newsgroup let me ask you this question. "How comfortable would you be turning your complete medical History over to some of these guys and how long do you think it would be before one of them posted your whole medical history for the world to see?" Can't happen! don't bet on it.

KF4HMN

2527. F.S. T2X Tailtwister HyGain $400. and other Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224012400.UAA16173@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152456

Have ONE HyGain T2X Tailtwister Extra Heavy Duty Rotor
w/Control Box and manual

$400. + Shp. 30 Lbs. More Info E-Mail Me

ASLO have HyGain Ham 4 $295 + Shp.
CDE Ham 3 $250.+Shp. All rotors are rebuilt!

This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2528. FS: HELIAX W/CONNECTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd40c1$b92c5cc0$98dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 152457

6ea Matched Lengths, 102" long, " dia, 52 ohm, Andrews Low Loss Hardline w/covering &
waterproof type "N" Brass Connectors on each end...Low loss, for antenna stacking good to
24ghz...$25.00/length

Dwight Raddatz, WA9EUN
email draddatz@gwe.net
Phone 970-626-5111

2529. Re: HELP: Yaesu FL 2100B Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224014401.UAA29881@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152458

I'd be surprised if this amp called for having the plate dipped! Select the switch position for PWR OUT, and tune for max. Then, check the GRID range. If its over 500ma, reduce the drive from the exciter. In key-down CW, 500 ma. is max..For telephany, keep the plate below 250ma.

K&#65533;MB

2530. Re: Dalton GA Hamfest 2/28/98

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <34f22741.18610309@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152459

John,
Can you give me directions from I-75/Barrett Parkway in Kennesaw?

Thanks,
Chris
bandit@"nospam"avana.net

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 17:56:41 -0500, "J. Galgano"
<jgalgano@america.net> wrote:

>Hi Group.....
>Anyone going to the Dalton, GA Hamfest this weekend.....and have any
>VHF/UHF equipment for sale? Especially looking for at dual band HT.
>Drop me a E mail if you have something I may be interested in.
>73,
>John Galgano
>(Proud owner of a CSCE for tech, but no call sign yet)

2531. Re: Homing Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomb@lsid.hp.com
Message-ID: <6cta02$m4q@hpcvsnz.cv.hp.com>
Source record: 152460
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.exotic-modes,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.nocode,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

Daryl Bevis (dbevis@phoenix.net) wrote:
: I am a technician no-code and I am looking for a homing device one which is
: very small and light weight, and has a range of at least 1000ft. This is for
: my cat who likes to stay gone for too long at a time. Any info on homing
: devices will help. URLs or schematics.... anything..

Holy Cow, Daryl, how many groups did you post this to?? Sorry...but I trimmed the response to just r.r.a.homebrew...hope that works...it seems like the right one.

You could do it two different ways...either put a transmitter on the cat, or a receiver...well, you could put a receiver-transmitter (transponder), I suppose, instead.

Transmitter on cat: you use a direction finding antenna to find the cat. You really don't need much power for this, as long as the cat isn't in the habit of burrowing underground or crawling into culverts. 1 milliwatt should be PLENTY. There's a cute Motorola IC that can do this sort of thing, crystal controlled...you could add a tiny 555 to pulse it on occasionally. Would involve some construction. 445MHz would be a reasonable frequency. And you might get interested enough in fox hunting to get involved (or start??) a local group!

Receiver on cat: (smiley face on...) You could try to whisper sweet nothings into the cat's ear through the receiver, but if he doesn't come to your calls now, he probably wouldn't then. But you could also hook it up to give him a good shock, so he'd let out a loud MMEOWLLL when you key your transmitter...making him easy to find. (Sorry...smiley face off)

Transponder on cat: Kinda like the transmitter on the cat, but there are ways you can get more info. You could get round-trip times for the RF and get an idea of range. (Tough to do very accurately!!) You could put a GPS on the cat and have it report back the location when queried. ...

OK, OK, only the transmitter seems to make much sense. Power budget: 10mW. Package it in a 9V rechargeable battery case, using 3 of the 6 cells for power (removing the others to make room for the transmitter). 100mAH...should run for quite a few hours per charge. Pulse it to extend the life further...say 5 seconds on, 10 off. Antenna can be the collar that holds the transmitter on the cat. You can arrange to recharge thru the same terminals as you use for the antenna...and those are just the battery term's.

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Cheers,
Tom
tomb@lsid.hp.com

2532. FS 120 pcs Type N Chassis mount connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ctahl$arn@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152461

Posting for a freind

Type N connectors female flange mount four hole mount 0.5" on centers, stripline launch. I can send jpeg photos via e-mail if anyone is interested. $2.99 each 10% discount for all 120 pieces plus shipping..

Mike WB2GLW

2533. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6cta6kcjt2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 152462
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34F1D618.13C6@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>, dhuff@popmail.vcd.hp.com wrote:
>
> How right you are! So many consumers (which is, to me, a derogatory
>term, meaning advertising believers, in previous times known as suckers)
>cannot seem to understand that higher octane gasoline does not give you
>more power, or more mileage, from an engine designed for lower octane.
>It is a physical impossibility. I first discovered this while reading a
>1918 textbook on internal combustion engine design. It is interesting
>how very little fundamental knowledge is really NEW!
>

Yeah, we got the lead out alright! sigh .... now if we would only get all
the sulfer out!

Ed

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==

2534. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6ctaatcjt3@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 152463
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You guys are arguing over color TV and gasoline? Where are your priorities?
GB certainly has better beer, and that's where American progress ought to be
aimed.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==

2535. FS Type 43,84,80 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ctamm$arn@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152464

10 pieces type 43, 4 pcs type 84 1 of type 80 best offer, these are new (so I am told) in the boxes but the boxes got wet from a roof leak.

Mike WB2GLW

2536. Icom W32A and Intermod!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <NnqI.305$sL3.2968967@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 152465

Well first day at work with my new Icom W32A and it worked OK. But as soon as I got a call in San Francisco the damn radio was deaf. Not a thing. So I tried my mini mag antenna, even worse now I couldn't even hear the repeater!!! Went on a T-hunt Saturday night and we tried the W32 as the doppler radio and tuned it to the weather channel and it was very very weak. The Standard he used worked much better for a doppler radio. I tried the weather channel later that night and it worked fine. It seems that if the W32 is near any interference or stray RF or whatever it completely wipes out the receiver. Overload, intermod??? I have no Idea, all I know is that the radio works GREAT at home and about, but get it near RF and the dang thing is COMPLETELY DEAF!!!

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

2537. FT-8000 Expanded TX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpf@southeast.net
Message-ID: <6ctd8l$cji@news.southeast.net>
Source record: 152466

Hello,

I recently attempted the expanded TX mod on my FT-8000. When I got inside the radio, I found one of the internal screws that holds the front cover on was stripped and could not be loosened. Any of you mechanical minded folks know how to loosen a phillips screw that has a stripped/worn head? This screw is preventing me from getting to the area where the mod is done.

Thanks for any advice.

Jim
WA5VPW

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

2538. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd40d7$f7b93ba0$418a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 152467

Would someone be kind enough to define the key differences between the TS-850 and the TS-440S which justify the $400+ difference in the used price? I am unfamiliar with the 850. Also, how does the 940 fit into the mix?
Thanks! & 73, DavidC AA1FA

> I agree with W6VZV. The TS-850 at a kilobuck will, IMHO, outperform
> any newer rig that sells for less than $1800.
> >2. I have seen used TS850 rigs for a grand. Now, I own one
> >of these radios, and if you can get a used one that is clean
> >(they are around) you will love it. It is a first-class
> >radio, really essentially as good as the 4 grand rigs for
> >most hams.

2539. Re: WTB: yaesu FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6ctlrf$fo5$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 152468

What condiin are you looking for, broke or working?
joe

me (overa@slip.net) wrote:
: Looking for ft-530.
:
: email condition, usage and asking price.
:
: LCD microphone would be nice as well :)
:
:
: thanks,
:
:
: ME :)
--
Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

2540. MY INPUT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6ctmfo$ecu@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 152469
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have been reading postings in this news group for quite a while now and I have to put my input here on some unhappy results people get when they buy from someone here.

First I will say that probably 95+ percent are honest people who just want to upgrade thier equipment and sell thier old gear. The gear that gave them years of trouble free service. Maybe the new radio "bug" bit them too deep and the results are out with the old, in with the new.

Then, you have the ones who CAN'T WAIT to get thier "untrained" paws inside the rig and attempt to tweak this or that to maybe get another 10 watts output, which would be next to inpossible to notice ANYWAY. All they are doing is putting unessesary stain on some componants and creating a danger for major damage.

Oh yes, then there is the "ol-stand-by", the phrase that will me even the poorest ham come running with thier money flopping in the wind. "MY RIG IS MARS READY", all that tells me is someone put thier hands in where they shouldn't be in the first place, and if they had it in for that, who knows what ever else has been clipped, knicked, or cut from inexperiance.

I guess the bottom line is....be carefull who and where you buy your used rig from. I think almost ALL hams are honest people who take care of their equipment like it was one of thier family. Its the ones who think they know everything there is to know from day one of electronic, get into trouble with it. And in some cases, get fryed in the process. Then when they got it screwed up so bad they come on here and tell us. VERY LITTLE USE, ITS A 9.5 ON A SCALE OF 10. and so on and so on. I would NEVER buy a 1 or 2 thousand dollar pce of radio from a total stranger here and have them ship it to me. I would either have to know the person, or someone who knows them so I can find out if he/she can be trusted. And not someone who had philips screwdrivers for fingers, and wire cutters for thumbs.

like the ol saying says BUYER BEWARE.
have a good day...GENE/WM9H

2541. Re: Spam filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billn@peak.org
Message-ID: <6ctn68ajl1@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 152470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Will White (wcw@asu.uswest.net) wrote:
: Is this true? Is it enforceable?
:
: Joseph wrote:
:
: >
: > NOTICE TO ALL BULK EMAILERS: Pursuant to US Code,Title 47,
: > Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 227, any and all nonsolicited
: > commercial E-mail sent to this address is subject to a
: > download and archival fee of $500 U.S. All legal fees
: > incurred in collection to be paid by entity originating
: > and/or forwarding all such unsolicited commercial E-mail.
: > E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

No, it is not enforceable. The few court attempts have failed.
E-mail and bulk mail is NOT fax material, so the fax statutes
do not apply - even though they say that any device "capable"
of receiving faxes is included.

Until the legislators decode to do something decent, and make
such bulk mail illegal, you are going to see more and more of
the trash mail. The mailers are now good enough that it takes
a concerted effort from numerous sites to determine the actual
originating site.

Until such time - notices like the above are just a waste of
bandwidth.

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

2542. Re: Kenwood TM-241 Display problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34F26086.5B806CE8@together.net>
Source record: 152471

This is a known problem with the TM-241A, there is apparently a poor solder connection to the ribbon cable that goes from the main board to the display. Occassionally the ribbon cable may need to be replaced. If you don't want to try to fix it yourself, I think Cliff at Aavid quoted me $50-60 for the repair.

--Tom
KB1CGA

Dennis Pinner wrote:

> Has anyone else encountered the squirrely display that is intermittent.
> Mine powers up fine some times, other times it display all the characters on
> the screen or bits & pieces of the display.
> A good whack will clear it up once in a
> while.....
>
> I have heard Kenwood has never been able to identify the problem and/or fix
> it.
>
> So, has anyone else figured out how 2 fix it?????
>
> It's beginning to be a pain in the BUTT!
>
> Thanx,
>
> Dennis

2543. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <34F26165.AA997199@together.net>
Source record: 152472

Basically the difference is "Features" Kenwood puts more bells & whistles into the higher number models,
i.e. 400 series has less features than 900 series. The '30', '40', '50's are successive models in the same line. I purchased a used TS-930S/AT .... very satisfied with it... quite a nice performer... and was fully loaded for a rig manufactured at that time.

--Tom
KB1CGA

DavidC wrote:

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> TS-850 and the TS-440S which justify the $400+ difference in the used
> price? I am unfamiliar with the 850. Also, how does the 940 fit into the
> mix?
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> > >(they are around) you will love it. It is a first-class
> > >radio, really essentially as good as the 4 grand rigs for
> > >most hams.

2544. FS: Yaesu FT-990's ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9MDX Larry <w9mdx@netohio.net>
Message-ID: <01bd40e6$cb9d95c0$b927a2ce@robison>
Source record: 152473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am posting this for a friend who has 2, like new, Yaesu FT-990's.

#1 Was purchased at Dayton last year and was meant as a backup for the other 990. It has been in the box and since the first one never failed, this one was never used. It doesn't have any options installed and the price is firm at $1360 plus shipping.

#2 Was purchased about 6 months prior to Dayton last year. It has the optional 2 khz filter installed and the price is firm at $1400 plus shipping for this one. I think this one has a piece of dust on it or something, since the filter is $140 option.

He is selling them because he wants a FT-1000 MP ... ???

Email if you are interested and I will pass the information on

Larry W9MDX

2545. Towers for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ov <ojapql1@main.rgv.net>
Message-ID: <34F265BB.843A6179@main.rgv.net>
Source record: 152474
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NEW TOWER SECTIONS FOR SALE!!! $58
PER 10 FT SECTIONS...A GREAT DEAL!!!! BECAUSE ANYWHERE ELSE 10FT TOWER
SECTIONS COST OVER ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS NOT INCLUDING SHIPPING!!
we don't include shipping but we may be able to work out a deal for you!!
My friend really needs to get rid of these tower sections to buy
other equipment he needs for his business. Call him at :

Emergency Equipment Service

P.O. Box 399

Elsa, TX 78543 Phone:
956-262-4210 or email me and i'll pass
the word. Thanks.

2546. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: airboy@juno.com
Message-ID: <34f5616f.26278905@news.c-com.net>
Source record: 152475
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 21 Feb 1998 21:34:33 GMT, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
(Jim Dunnett) wrote:

>
>Well said indeed. The government ought to pay for
>everything. That's what we pay them for!
>

Thank God we don't get as much government as we pay for!

2547. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6ctrrc$7jq$1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 152476
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 1998-02-23 rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca said:
rs>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.
rs>amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.am
rs>In <6cs21n$j2a$1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>, on 02/23/98
rs>at 02:45 PM, b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk said:
rs>>I'm not trying to cause trouble; I just want to say that I agree,
rs>>but I have found that when you ask the UKRS for help, you get a
rs>>quicker, more attentive reply.
rs>What's the UKRS? I wasn't aware you fellows had more than one
rs>national amateur radio society.
rs>73, Bob, VE7HS
rs>--
rs>--
rs>rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
rs>--

Sorry, OM. It stands for United Kingdom Radio Society.

bill, gm8apx
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

2548. Info Needed on Kenwood TR-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhetheri@freenet.npiec.on.ca
Message-ID: <6ctuer$959$1@brain.npiec.on.ca>
Source record: 152477

I have a Kenwood TR-9000 2-meter all mode transceiver, but have misplaced all the manuals.

I am looking for the power output on the low and high setting. My meter is not well calibrated and reads about 7 watts on low (this could be 5 or 10, or even worse.)

I am considering this rig for running a 6 meter transverter, so the low power setting is of utmost importance to me.

Thanx for your help.

73/72
Jeff - VA3JFF
http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/2572/QRP.html

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L. JEFFREY HETHERINGTON
Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada
Email : VA3JFF@rac.ca

2549. Re: Towers for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F28AF1.6FA73E34@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152478
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ov wrote:

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> PER 10 FT SECTIONS...A GREAT DEAL!!!! BECAUSE ANYWHERE ELSE 10FT TOWER
> SECTIONS COST OVER ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS NOT INCLUDING SHIPPING!!
> we don't include shipping but we may be able to work out a deal for you!!
> My friend really needs to get rid of these tower sections to buy
> other equipment he needs for his business. Call him at :
>
>
Emergency Equipment Service
>
P.O. Box 399
>
Elsa, TX 78543 Phone:
> 956-262-4210 or email me and i'll pass
> the word. Thanks.

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

2550. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stuart, G0SLX" <g0slx@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6cu51mdie1@morse.news.easynet.net>
Source record: 152479
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Gary Coffman wrote in message <34f14eff.12365191@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...

>For a given compression ratio, you get best performance by
>using the *lowest octane* fuel which does not cause pre-ignition
>(knocking and pinging). That's because lower octane fuel has
>more BTUs per pound than higher octane fuel. That's something

Nice to see that the Americans are using BRITISH Thermal Units ;-)

2551. Re: Atlas' New Rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edmund Hajjar <ejh3@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6cu99lihs1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 152480

Atlas went out of business. Many customers never received a radio. QST had
an
article on the failure of Atlas a couple of years ago.

Ed K1MMI
Tom wrote in message ...
>Whatever became of the comeback of Atlas which restarted a couple of years
ago?
>
>I know they were taking orders for their new transceiver, but that was the
>last I heard of Atlas.
>
>Thanks
>
>Tom
>
>--
>Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.
>
>Thanks
>
>Tom N5OFF

2552. Re: Re: **********TICKLISH GUYS**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <kilroy@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <34F2B7CF.109E64D4@fuse.net>
Source record: 152481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

kilroy wrote:

> Yes, I agree. Is there a moderator on this NG?

==========**********==========**********==========**********I would like to apologize to this NG for the referred msg. As was pointed out to me in an e-mail, I was only propagating the garbage which I do not like.
I did not stop to think (a common ailment <G>) before unleashing my keyboard and quoted the entire thing.
Again, I apologize for the wasted space and time on your part.

2553. wanted hal only receiver demodulator no RTX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claudio <radio@mbox.queen.it>
Message-ID: <6cudvk$8u5@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 152482

from Italy

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radio@mbox.queen.it

2554. REALISTIC PRO-2022 SCANNER.. EXC!! WITH MOD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: natwse@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980224134700.IAA01855@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152483

One of the most requested scanners of ALL TIME is here and available for your bidding pleasure!!! This is one of the Realistic PRO-2022 scanner that is sooo heavily requested because of its cellular mod ability, well you get the mod already with this scanner!! ALREADY READY TO GO!! Complete with the original box (shown) and antanna... and in EXCELLENT CONDITION!! 200 channel programmibility (20 channels in 10 banks) and TONS OF FEATURES!! You dont see em here too often, so get one while you can.. Folks, Please use this scanner only for legal testing purposes!! Winner pays shipping FOB Miami, Florida.. GOOD LUCK!!

SEE IT AT:http://iguana.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6880799

2555. SGC 2020 Good Buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H.Silvia" <hsilvia@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <34F2CF80.4476@flinet.com>
Source record: 152484

I've been considering a protable HF rig for a while now and have noticed SGC's recent entry into the market, the model 2020. Has any one had any experience with this radio? Maybe it was shown at Dayton or Miami.

Hopefully this is a good laymans answer to the 706 series.

Henry

2556. Re: Yeasu VX-1R software problem (ADMS-1D)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <hFAI.38$iX.121760@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 152485

In article <6cskleejp1@dailyplanet.netpath.net>,
JMaynard@MyMachine.com.**SPAM** says...
>
>I see the same thing. I deal with a similar software to hardware
>relationship with my security system, and the way I always handle it is,
>whenever you want to make a change, do a download first from the radio, then
>save as the file name. This will always insure you will be working with the
>exact setting in the rig before changes.
>
>KE4KSJ
>
>
>Frank wrote in message <34E5D3F8.1F803089@halcyon.com>...
>>I have a Yeasu VX-1R and am using the ADMS-1D (ver.1.03) programming
>software.
>>
>>The software seems properly installed. I can download from the radio to
>the PC to create an .rdf file. I can also
>>create a new .rdf file and save it. Then I can re-open and change these
>files on the PC. So far, so good.
>>
>>When I upload an .rdf file to the radio, the upload works (the memories and
>associated parameters are OK in the radio).
>>
>>However, after upload of an .rdf file to the radio, the next time I try to
>run and open that .rdf file on the PC, I get
>>the message "Radio data file image is corrupted".
>>
>>I've reinstalled the software and created a new template a couple of times
>but the problem persists. Anyone have any
>>suggestions about this problem?
>>
>>Any help or advice would be appreciated.............Frank Kandt N7DGO
>>
>
>
I had the same problem. I contacted Rod at RT Systems; he sent me V/1.04
which has completely cleared up this problem. Hope this helps.

Best regards,

John

N3ZQJ

2557. FS: Icom IC-25H 2m Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <34f2d279.67146992@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 152486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Icom IC-25H 2m Mobile:

* 45 / 5 watts output
* 5 memories, 2 VFOs, scanning
* Icom IC-BU1 Battery backup unit for memories
* Quick-release mobile mounting bracket
* Hand mike with DTMF pad
* Original box and manual
* Communications Specialists SS-32A Programmable PL Tone Encoder installed

This is an older 2m mobile rig without a lot of bells and whistles. Has been mobile most of its life so has some wear but is in very good shape. The rig works great - I've used for the last year or so with no problems. The PL Tone encoder can be changed to any of the standard subaudible tones via dip switch settings.

Would make a good starter rig or could be used as a backup or base packet station.

$150 shipped in the lower 48.

E-mail if interested

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

2558. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A Half Duplex mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Meserve <stevenme@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <6culov$boa@news.microsoft.com>
Source record: 152487

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That's correct David, that's exactly my problem. What bugs me the most is
that I know the circuitry to do this is already in the radio, I just can't
seem to find a way to activate it in the VHF/UHF mode. How do I know?, well,
if you put the radio in the VHF/VHF or UHF/UHF mode (both VFOs in the same
band), the radio will blank the receiving side while xmitting (they have to
since it would take real duplexers to handle the RF with one antenna within
the same band).

Very frustrating!

Steve
N1FZA

David Tse wrote in message <6cglv3$hbk$1@news.bc>...
>jrhodes@iti2.net (John Rhodes) wrote:
>
>>>The real problem arises when using a cross band repeater (lets say input
>>>146.490, output 443.000). My input (tx on the main, or left band) is
>>>repeated on 443.000, which is being received on my subband (right band),
>>>thus I get some nasty audio feedback. Kenwood's solution is to turn down
the
>>>volume on the subband while xmiting, then turn it back up to receive. I
>>>think that's a low tech solution to a high tech problem! Any thoughts?
>
>>Unplugging the mic seems to work. If you've got the mic mod done, it
>>shouldn't happen anyway. I have one v7a with the mic mod and one
>>without.
>
>You have misunderstood his situation. He is manually transmitting to
>a crossband repeater, which he is also receiving the other side on the
>other half of his V7A, and because he is hearing the same thing he is
>talking about. This is called a feedback. It will produce squeaking
>kinda sound. He said "using a cross band repeater" not "using it as a
>cross band repeater". There is a difference. Only mobile I know
>which has some muting is the Yaesu FT-8100R, which does not completely
>mute, only attenuate it quite a bit. The solution is to use a
>headphone or make yourself a speaker cut-off circuit when TX is on. I
>am trying to build something to that effect on my radios.
>
>David Tse VE7MDT
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>>John Rhodes amateur radio--KC0ARV Clifton, Colorado
USA
>>http://www.iti2.net/~jrhodes/
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http://www.qsl.net/~kc0arv/
>>jrhodes@iti2.net
kc0arv@qsl.net
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> ----
> In real life: David Tse In ham radio: VE7MDT
> Primary e-mail: dtse@intergate.bc.ca
> Alternative e-mail: dtse@rflab.ee.ubc.ca, dtse@ve7ubc.ampr.org
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>

2559. Re: UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 Transmitter/ receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: antony@sailboats.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f2f0e7.108648518@news.btinternet.com>
Source record: 152488
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ukradio.amateur

What problems (apart from not being licensed for use in UK) would a American transmitter/ receiver handhelds operating between UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 have. I see no reason why they won't work in the UK - but is there any "registered" traffic already using this frequency.

The units in question are made by Motorola and have a range of upto 2 miles - and are in quite common use by walkers, bikers and skiers .

Please excuse my ignorance, this is all new to me.

Thanks

<remove>Antony@Sailboats.co.uk

2560. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn Schultz <n0vyk@goldengate.net>
Message-ID: <joBI.23$KQ2.157732@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 152489
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I see Burt got someone's goat, again!
He has been playing this game on-line for several years.
Please people, treat this "person" like the child that he is, don't give him
a reaction. That's what he is looking for. Bad attention to him is better
than no attention at all. He is an insecure person who must create
controversy to make himself feel important.
In a word, ignore him. His threats and insults are nothing but hot air.

73
Glenn
N0VYK
10x - 68391
n0vyk@goldengate.net

Radio Tyme Antique and Amateur Radio Homepage
http://www.goldengate.net/~n0vyk/

2561. Re: Building a Dummy Load?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <egX1FCTQ9GA.275@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 152490

The old Heath Cantenna used a really big noninductive resistor made of some carbon composite material, if memory serves. Of course, in those days xformer oil was full of PCBs....

I have heard people having success with the noninductive wirewound resistors, but note that ordinary wirewound resistors are not suitable. NI resistors have their windings alternated to cancel inductance (hmmm... wonder why they don't do that for antenna loading coils).

1KW for 30 seconds is a lot of heat. You need to make sure there is enough dissapation to handle it either oil, or forced air, or whatever. Also, you want to make sure the complex impedence of the load is as close to 50+j0 as possible. At HF, ordinary wiring and the like won't be a problem, but at VHF/UHF even a little run of wire may have significant reactance.

Regards,

Al Williams
AWC
*Solderless Stamp and PIC Prototypes at http://www.al-williams.com/awce.htm

Marty Tippin wrote in message <34ed8e85.61227600@news.supernews.net>...
>Would like to build a 50 ohm dummy load - the kind that is made from a
>gallon paint can, some transformer oil and a resistor.
>
>Problem is, I don't have a clue what kind of resistor would be
>appropriate.
>
>I need something that can handle up to 1 kw for maybe 30 seconds at a
>time.
>
>I see MFJ sells a kit with everything but the oil - will I be better
>off buying from them or can I make one myself for less?
>
>Thanks
>
>-Marty KI0LO
> martyt@pobox.com

2562. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f484e2.4879369@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152241
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 98 20:55:30 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>In <34f3320c.4828720@news.prestel.co.uk>, on 02/24/98
> at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:
>
>
>>They're totally anti-diesel over there as well.
>>I'm told you can't buy it unless you own a lorry
>>(truck).
>
>What a silly idea! Of course we can buy diesel wherever we want. There are
>some of the older VW Rabbit diesels running around here, plus the odd
>Mercedes. Where on earth do you guys get these far-fetched notions about
>North America?
>
>The reason diesel isn't very popular is because:
>
>1. It stinks more than gasoline when the engine is running,
>2. Diesel engines produce less power than equivalent sized gasoline
>engines (in
> cars, anyway),
>3. Diesel engines are harder to start in cold weather,
>4. Diesel fuel here costs about the same as gasoline
>5. Diesel engines are generally noisier than gas ones.

1 and 2 are rubbish. Do you believe everything you
read in the press?

3 Not here. If you choose to live in the freezer,
that's your problem.

4 As here in UK, but not so in the rest of Europe
where diesel is considerably cheaper.

5 Granted. Slightly more noisy.

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2563. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f48611.5182632@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152242
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 25 Feb 98 07:33:04 GMT, tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
("Anthony R. Gold") wrote:

>In article <34f3320c.4828720@news.prestel.co.uk> Jim "Jim Dunnett" writes:
>
>> They're totally anti-diesel over there as well.
>> I'm told you can't buy it unless you own a lorry
>> (truck).
>
>You were told wrong, I drive a diesel car "over there".

Why?

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2564. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f486d5.5377886@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152243
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 98 20:40:42 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>In <34f3326f.4927383@news.prestel.co.uk>, on 02/24/98
> at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:
>
>>My present one uses the fuel of the future - diesel.
>>It returns 50 mpg from a 2-litre direct-injection
>>engine (with a catalytic converter).
>
>Diesel the fuel of the future? Not likely....Hydrogen is far more likely
>as a fuel of the future than any fossil fuel, especially when the only
>byproduct is water.

Well, for the forseeable future anyway....

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2565. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f48759.5510011@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152244
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 24 Feb 98 20:51:04 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>In <34f336a3.6003314@news.prestel.co.uk>, on 02/24/98
> at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:
>
>>Then should it happen that BT is so ill advised as to
>>drop local call charges, I hope the ISPs do introduce
>>connect-time charges.
>
>Actually, there is argument for completely flat rates at the national
>level for telecommunications - i.e. no toll charges for long distance at
>all both in Europe and America.
>
>I find it difficult to understand your hostility to flat rate local calls,
>though. What is your basic objection?
>
>It seems to work just fine in North America.

This isn't North America. We don't _have_ to do everything
you Yanks do.

We don't have the capacity to support all the great unwashed
being on-line 24+ hours a day. I'd rather pay for local calls
(which are dirt cheap anyway) than suffer the problems caused
by under capacity at the telephone- and ISP-levels.

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- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2566. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f48a3b.6248291@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152245
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 08:22:14 GMT, moss.i@virgin.net wrote:

>OK well I found out what I wanted to find out, best help was from
>David TSE, and a link to force9 etc, i was able to find out that the
>technology IS available to actcheive FULL internet connection via
>Packet Radio. NOW wheather the HAM laws on Packet radio contents will
>allow internet access in England, and IF things might be changing (
>loads thing changing in this country NEW labour) [New Arseholes]
>new laws etc etc and
>wheather there is a line of site gateway from my location within say
>60-100 miles of me, has all yet to be determined.

When you have set up this free, full-access radio system,
please post details here.

And while you're at it, get a dictionary and grammar
checking programme.

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2567. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f48b62.6543808@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152246
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 25 Feb 1998 09:41:56 GMT, parnoul@gaap.saclay.cea.fr (Patrick
Arnoul) wrote:

>Though I noticed in this thread some "mine's bigger" arguments, tssk, tssk...
>
>73 de f5hnk/Patrick

And what's wrong with that? Mine's certainly bigger than
yours.

Haven't I seen your callsign somewhere before? In
'Megahertz' perhaps?

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2568. ADMS 1D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sune@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <888445264.665417@nn1>
Source record: 152247

Thanks 4 reading this!
I have a FT50 with ADMS 1 program and cable.
Now i bought a VX1R. It is the same cable, but a different program called ADMS 1D. When i contacted my local Yaesu dealer he said that i have to buy a new cable with the right program (just to get the right program) the cable is the same. Im asking now if any one has the ADMS 1D and let me buy, or if u could send a copy of it me at my E-Mail adress.

Thanks once again......

Christer.

cardex@hem.passagen.se

2569. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sammy <sammy89@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F48E8F.6F04@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

ke6qmj@hotmail.com wrote:
>
> Amazing News!
>
> A friend of mine called the fine folks at ADI-Premier Communications today to
> ask some questions about their products. The tech on the phone told him
> about some of what they have coming out. He was excited to learn, and I was
> too, that they have a new radio about to hit the streets -- a low cost HF rig!
>
> I was told that the radio would have all 9 HF bands, general coverage
> receive, and be very easy to use. The folks at ADI also said that the radio
> would be very simple, and would not have many of the more advanced features
> of other radios. The price? UNDER $500!
>
> I can't wait to see the new radio! With the sunspots coming back, and ADI's
> new low cost HR radio coming out, maybe some guys like me will finally be
> able to afford to get on HF!
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Good Detective Work !!!!! Thanks for sharing the info with the Group.
I think ADI gives food value for $$. THis radio sounds exactly what I
am looking for too!!!
73's Steve NS1R

2570. Re: BEER (was FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta>
Message-ID: <6d25mu$d5i$1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 152249
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Jim Dunnett wrote in message <34f331e5.4789546@news.prestel.co.uk>...
>On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 10:54:38 -0000, "Nick"
><Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta> wrote:
>
>>Maybe one day they'll have real beer.
>
>Maybe one day we will. Or real lager anyway..
>

The Guinness here is fine, thanks. The current trend stateside seem to be
"microbrews" which to be honest tasted to me like those home-made beer kits.

Thought you Jocks drank "heavy" (5 /- or whatever it was)

(This is on-topic in rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, isn't it??)

- Nick

2571. F/S: AEA PK232MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Oakland <Scott_Oakland@brown.edu>
Message-ID: <34F49FD4.4EA6@brown.edu>
Source record: 152250

I have one (1) AEA PK232MBX for sale with the PACTOR eprom upgrade installed. I am not sure if the unit works as it has been in storage, but will refund if it does not. Best offer.

Scott WA1P

2572. Looking for Radio Tech in MPLS, MN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr.PotateoHead@Idaho.com
Message-ID: <6d27cq$1su@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152251

I'm looking for a radio repair tech who is familiar with the Kenwood
TMV-7A. I'm having a problem with mine and would like to talk with
you.
Email me at swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Thanks

2573. F/S: AEA CP-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Oakland <Scott_Oakland@brown.edu>
Message-ID: <34F4A025.2A39@brown.edu>
Source record: 152252

I have one (1) AEA CP-1 computer patch interface for sale. It was popular in the 1980s when home computers were just coming out. Great if you have a C64, VIC20, or other computer & want to get on RTTY. Best offer.

Scott WA1P

2574. F/S: AEA PK232MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Oakland <Scott_Oakland@brown.edu>
Message-ID: <34F4A146.D50@brown.edu>
Source record: 152253

I have one (1) AEA PK232MBX for sale with the PACTOR eprom upgrade installed. I am not sure if the unit works as it has been in storage, but will refund if it does not. Best offer.

Scott WA1P

2575. Re: FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F4A3FC.17E565A6@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152254

Young Man,
One more temper tantrum like that and your Mommie might send you to your
room without any supper.

Naw, your not going to filter me out. You would be afraid you will miss something.

chr (34)s are free, you might want to use some where appropriate.

N8WGM wrote:

> I would like to appologize to all the folks on rec. amateur.equipment for
> this--but it must be done!
> Hey curtis, First---there are a lot of people who own New
> Digital 870's---your oppinion of 870 Kenwoods are only because you can't
> afford to own one! Being unemployed does limmit your choices.
> Second.Why don't you find yourself a woman . You need something to
> occupy your time---I don't think you'll be able to find one though.I doubt that
> you could find a woman to accept money to mess with your ugly ass!!!!!!! I
> have to admit---it took allot of guts to put your ugly face on the internet so
> you could troll for hosebags. I bet some of the whores you've been talking
> dirty to on the internet are really guys. I wonder what Sid would say to that?
> "And now something for the ladies"----what a jerk. Do you think that by putting
> pictures of flowers on your web site will attract women to you? Curtis--face
> the facts---you are one old ugly acerbic unemployed fool! .I doubt there is a
> woman out in cyberland that would want your rotten old carcass.
> And by the way---I've been getting 40 over signal reports from
> California with that piece of junk you say it is!!!!!!
> Looks like your not getting any more replies to your 3950
> postings on rec. radio.shortwave. Most people have been filtering you and
> kk7ho's postings--I'll be doing the same--they and I don't want to deal with
> trite inane tedious dribblings of an unemployed navy know nothing who just
> went into the military so he would not have to work after 20 years.Not all
> military people are that way--but I know you are.What was it I heard you say on
> 3950---something like-"I think that I should have not retired so early. I think
> it was a mistake." Hope Clinton cuts off your retirement money. That way
> you'll have to go out & get a job flipping burgers----or spend more of your
> time doing things that really matter instead of harrassing people on these
> newsgroups. Anyway curtis--I've wasted enough time responding to your
> posting---you have a nice day. And get a life.

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.

Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

2576. WTB: 2M/440 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lorren Robison <lrobison@brigham.net>
Message-ID: <34F4AA1C.637C@brigham.net>
Source record: 152255

I am looking for a dual-band HT in excellent condition.

Lorren Robison, KI7OX
lrobison@brigham.net
robisl@thiokol.com
(801)723-6108 after 5 MDT
(801)863-8828

2577. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: richm@mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Message-ID: <slrn6f98sf.fc9.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 152256
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 22:44:48 GMT, Jim Dunnett <olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk> wrote:
>On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:44:48 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day
>G3PHO) wrote:
>
>>>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
>> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>>which in turn increase the fuel consumption so causing us to use more
>>fuel than we did before and so deplete our natural resources faster!
>>(A qualified car mechanic told me this ... so unless you're an expert
>>on cars don't flame me :)))
>>>car exhausts, like we do, to reduce the amount of pollution you pump
>>>into the atmosphere.
>
>They're totally anti-diesel over there as well.
>I'm told you can't buy it unless you own a lorry
>(truck).
>

Far from it. Most gas stations that service the public have at least
one Diesel pump, and they certainly don't ask whether you're fueling
your car or your Kenworth truck.

- Rich

--
Rich Mulvey
My return address is my last name,
followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

2578. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: richm@mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Message-ID: <slrn6f9920.fc9.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 152257
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 22:44:57 GMT, Jim Dunnett <olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk> wrote:
>On Mon, 23 Feb 98 20:49:55 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>Some of us resent being made into Englishmen!
>

Which, of course, is one of the reasons that we Colonists had a
bit of a tiff with King George back in the 1770's. :-)

- Rich

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Rich Mulvey
My return address is my last name,
followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

2579. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: richm@mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Message-ID: <slrn6f98us.fc9.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 152258
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 22:44:47 GMT, Jim Dunnett <olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk> wrote:
>On Mon, 23 Feb 98 21:02:58 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>
>>Naw, the Americans can look after themselves, but it was a cheap shot
>>nonetheless.
>
>It's the mess they make when they try to look after
>us that worries me.
>

So the AEF in WWI, and Lend-Lease was a bad idea?

- Rich

--
Rich Mulvey
My return address is my last name,
followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

2580. QRZ CD's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <6d2ddv$re21@news.i2020.net>
Source record: 152259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Still looking for old QRZ CD's. Let me know if you have one lying around.

Pat
N5PW

2581. For Sale Again! DR-110T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell, Jr." <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6d2fn7nvm1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152260
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,atl.forsale,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,tnn.radio.amateur
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Do to a deal that fell through the Alinco DR-110T 2 meter mobile is again up forsale.

Radio is in good condition, been modified, receives 800mhz even! Includes mobile mount, mic, power cord, and owners manual. $185 plus shipping.

Interested? Email kc4oxp@flash.net

73 Daniel KC4OXP
Winder, Ga.

--
J. Daniel Bell, Jr. KC4OXP
$13.95/Month* Internet Service
Independent FlashNet Distributor
http://www.flash.net/~kc4oxp/index.html
*One Year PrePaid @ $167.40 Other Plans Available!

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2582. WTB: GR-916A manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nx7u@primenet.com
Message-ID: <34f4cb87.3383105@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 152261

or copy of same.
Quote me!
Thanks in advance,

Scott Townley
Gilbert, AZ
nx7u@primenet.com

2583. ICOM 2GXAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwm@reidnet.com
Message-ID: <6d2p1o$j5v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152262

IC-2GXAT 144MHz FM TRANSCEIVER
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Guaranteed range is 144-148 MHz.
Extended Receive
Number of channels 43
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Output power (at 13.5VDC) 7W (high), 1W (low)
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Original owner.

$225 shipped.

Leave Email at mwm@reidnet.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2584. Re: FS YG-88C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1126 <1126@nethawk.com>
Message-ID: <34F4D6B8.447673F6@nethawk.com>
Source record: 152263

Let me rephrase that I have the YG88C filter for a TS-530 and need the
YG3395C for a TS-520s. Guess I sliped a finger on the keyboard.

1126 wrote:

> I have one YG-88C filter for sale or trade for YG-3395C filter.
> Bought this on at the ham fest and got the wrong one. I need the filter
> for C/W on my TS-530S.
>
> Please respond by E-Mail

2585. Re: WTD YG-3395C filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1126 <1126@nethawk.com>
Message-ID: <34F4D755.D909E0E2@nethawk.com>
Source record: 152264

Need this for a TS-520s not a 530. I must have had a bad day typing.

1126 wrote:

> I need a C/W filter for a TS-530S.
>
> Please respond via E-Mail

2586. FS: Saber SI UHF 403-470

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wph0101@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <34F4D9A0.4B49@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 152265

For sale:
Motorola Saber SI
Frequency range 403 to 470.
It is the 3 model with the dual line alpha display and full keypad.
Looks and acts like an Astro, but without the digital modulation.
$700 shipped.

reply email for further information...

2587. f/s 7.5volt@21amps trans

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <34F44D80.6B5C@swbell.net>
Source record: 152266
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a filament transformer for a 4-1000 7.5 volt 21 amp...$25. plus ups....Bob

2588. Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew Kleinmann <matthew@pleisto.geo.cornell.edu>
Message-ID: <34F44B4B.2781E494@pleisto.geo.cornell.edu>
Source record: 152267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

The Cornell Amateur Radio Club, W2CXM is selling a Motorola R-390A/URR.
The radio is in good working condition. It is serial number 882 (from
the front tag).

You can see the radio at http://www.ebay.com

it is item unmber 6957323

Or you can search for R-390A

Bid high, and bid often, you are helping a good cause!

--Matthew

2589. TM-V7A extended Rx?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam B.Repsher" <abrep@csrlink.net>
Message-ID: <34F4E181.40FA3D77@csrlink.net>
Source record: 152268

I have seen mods for extended Tx, but what about receive????

anyone???

--Adam

2590. Re: Ten-Tec Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F4E575.829@pacbell.net>
Source record: 152269

Michael L Miller wrote:
>
> I am considering purchasing a Ten-Tec Scout. It seems to fit my budget
> and entry needs as a new ham with strong interest in CW. Anyone out
> there have any opinions or experience with it? Are there any
> similar rigs I should consider? Thanks!
> Michael L Miller
> Northwestern University, Evanston, IL. USA
> millerm@merle.acns.nwu.edu

I don't own one yet, but I have done a search of past postings using
DejaNews. The bottom line is there are a lot of Hams out there
the love their Tentec Scout Rig. You can read it yourself by going to
this link:

http://www.dejanews.com/

If you do a Power Search you can search the current and "old" messages.
Be sure to search for both "Tentec Scout" and Ten-tec Scout".

If you plan on buying all the band modules, that would push the total
price up to around $800 (new). A new Alinco DX-70T sells for about
that price.

On the other hand, if you're a Tech Plus, like me, all you need is 10m,
15M, 40M, and 80M. That would put the total price to under $700.

I'm sorry, but I don't have the Tentec Scout price list with me so these
aren't exact figures.

73,

Bob
KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

2591. Re: Programming the TH-G71A handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <phalliha@vt.edu>
Message-ID: <6d2pok$dd2$1@solaris.cc.vt.edu>
Source record: 152270

You have to turn menu option 15 to "ON"
--Rick

JC Tingey wrote in message <34efd131.0@news.worldnow.com>...
>Does anyone know how to program the g71a with the programming software. Is
>there a special key the needs to be pressed in order to program the radio.
>Let me know please and thank you. KF7ZX
>
>

2592. Re: FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F4ED00.F9D0ADD6@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152271

Curtis M LaFon wrote:

> chr (34)s are free, you might want to use some where appropriate.
>

Make that chr(13)s and chr(10)s.

> N8WGM wrote:
>
> > I would like to appologize to all the folks on rec. amateur.equipment for
> > this--but it must be done!
> > Hey curtis, First---there are a lot of people who own New
> > Digital 870's---your oppinion of 870 Kenwoods are only because you can't
> > afford to own one! Being unemployed does limmit your choices.
> > Second.Why don't you find yourself a woman . You need something to
> > occupy your time---I don't think you'll be able to find one though.I doubt that
> > you could find a woman to accept money to mess with your ugly ass!!!!!!! I
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> > you could troll for hosebags. I bet some of the whores you've been talking
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> > woman out in cyberland that would want your rotten old carcass.
> > And by the way---I've been getting 40 over signal reports from
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> > Looks like your not getting any more replies to your 3950
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> > you'll have to go out & get a job flipping burgers----or spend more of your
> > time doing things that really matter instead of harrassing people on these
> > newsgroups. Anyway curtis--I've wasted enough time responding to your
> > posting---you have a nice day. And get a life.
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> --
>
> 73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq
> --
> Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
> Eat a prune.

> Unbunch your shorts.
> Ignore posts that make you angry.

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

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Ignore posts that make you angry.

2593. FS: Pro 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: DON LARSON <SPEEDDEMON@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6d2raf$kg8$1@newssvr07-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 152272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale,

Pro 43 scanner with cellular band modification, service manual, carrying case, both the stock and a telescoping antennas, users manual and original box. This radio is in good condition, never dropped or otherwise abused. I have been very happy with the radio but I must sell it to pay off some debts. 200 o.b.o.

Don Larson
(406)388-1997 evenings and weekends
(800)595-8903 weekdays

2594. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f4eb3d1efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152273
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <34f3a1e5.109969079@news.atl.bellsouth.net>, on 02/25/98
at 05:07 AM, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) said:

>If it were up to me, all our boys would be home right now.
>Too many have died in Europe this century cleaning up
>your messes. Next time we should stay home and let
>you settle it among yourselves.

A lot of people would rather you guys stayed home from a lot of places -
Nicaraugua, Grenada, Cuba, etc. I wouldn't be too terribly smug about
WWII, either. America's lack of support for the League of Nations
certainly didn't help prevent it, either.

>And that goes for the Middle East too. We should sell
>them all the arms they have cash to buy and let them
>go at it until they all kill each other. After the glass
>cools down a bit, Bechtel can go back in and reopen
>the wells.

If they buy all the arms money can buy, they won't just kill each other. A
lot of the rest of us may be in for it too.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2595. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f4ebb2$2$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152274
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <888416316snx@llondel.demon.co.uk>, on 02/25/98
at 07:18 AM, "Dave {Reply address in.sig}" <noone@llondel.demon.co.uk>
said:

>OK, if you don't burn to CO2, what do you do? Until you can find an
>economical and safe way to carry and burn pure hydrogen, you'll always
>get CO2. You just need a car with a good MPG so it burns less.

There already is a way. It's called a fuel cell. There are buses running
on them now.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2596. F/S AEA PK232MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Oakland <Scott_Oakland@brown.edu>
Message-ID: <6d300u$53h@cocoa.brown.edu>
Source record: 152275

I have one (1) AEA PK-232MBX for sale, updated to PACTOR. I am not sure if the unit still works, will refund if not. Best offer $

Scott WA1P

2597. WTB: Kennwood TS-790A Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill & Chris Shell <shell@callamer.com>
Message-ID: <6d2toingn1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 152276
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.swap

Hello,
I would like to buy a Kenwood TS-790A Service Manual. Does anyone have one
that they would like to sell? Please contact me by email at:
shell@callamer.com

--
TU es 73, Bill
N6WS
shell@callamer.com

2598. F/S AEA PK232MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Oakland <Scott_Oakland@brown.edu>
Message-ID: <6d301f$53t@cocoa.brown.edu>
Source record: 152277

I have one (1) AEA PK-232MBX for sale, updated to PACTOR. I am not sure if the unit still works, will refund if not. Best offer $

Scott WA1P

2599. F/S AEA PK232MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Oakland <Scott_Oakland@brown.edu>
Message-ID: <6d2t6p$367@cocoa.brown.edu>
Source record: 152278

I have one (1) AEA PK-232MBX for sale, updated to PACTOR. I am not sure if the unit still works, will refund if not. Best offer $

Scott WA1P

2600. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f4f12f3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152279
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <ynQcVIA$3980Ew8n@pacsat.demon.co.uk>, on 02/25/98
at 09:01 AM, Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk> said:

>In article <34f3a65c4efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
>rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
>>In <34f3320c.4828720@news.prestel.co.uk>, on 02/24/98
>> at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:
>>
>>The reason diesel isn't very popular is because:
>>
>>1. It stinks more than gasoline when the engine is running,

>True

>>2. Diesel engines produce less power than equivalent sized gasoline
>>engines (in
>> cars, anyway),

>True - but most diesel cars have bigger engines/turbos than petrol

>>3. Diesel engines are harder to start in cold weather,

>Wrong, thats why they have heaters! My landrover at work starts day in
>day out without a problem and thats in some of the worst weather in the
>country!

Excuse me, Simon, but I don't think you get -50 degrees C for three weeks
at a stretch in England. You do in northern BC. To get even gasoline
engines to start means plugging in circulating water heaters, battery
warmers, etc.

>>4. Diesel fuel here costs about the same as gasoline

>Cheaper here

>>5. Diesel engines are generally noisier than gas ones.

>Not true. Modern diesels are just as noisey as a 5 year old average
>family saloon. And having seen some of the wrecks wandering around here,
>better! Can't say my landrover is quieter though! But I would like to see
>your family saloon climb a 3000ft mountain road in winter!

You obviously haven't heard a Cummings Diesel in a Dodge pickup. It's
really LOUD. What's so hard, though about driving up a three thousand foot
mountain? That's not very big, as mountains go.

>>
>>I suspect point 4 is the deciding one, though.

>I have changed over to diesel in the UK because of the cost. I believe
>recent figures show an upward trend in EU towards diesel.

Many years ago, diesel fuel here was substantially cheaper than gasoline.
At one time, back in the 70's, using diesel was considerably cheaper than
gasoline. Not any more, though, so why bother with the extra cost of
buying and servicing diesels?

73, Bob, VE7HS
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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2601. WTB:CW filter for JST245

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Young Kim <K6hm@wenet.net>
Message-ID: <34F50128.4738@wenet.net>
Source record: 152280

Hello I am looking for the cw filter ,500Hz for 9 MHZ and 455KHZ IF.
Thanks and 73's
de K6hm

2602. @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34f44445.204772@news.total.net>
Source record: 152281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi.

My problem with IC-706:
- 2m TX not working properly (power output)
- 2m RX is too low
- All other amateur bands are working properly

The antenna is working properly. I tried with two antennas. I could use it for HTX-242 so the antenna shouldn't be a problem. Now, it must be somewhere inside, but I can't figure it out. (the cables are connected properly...)

Thanks for your help.

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
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Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
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URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

2603. F.S.: Complete HP141T spectrum analyzer package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34F4FB67.5F46@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 152282

HP 141T configuration for sale w/the following accessories:

- HP141T analog storage mainframe
- HP8552B IF section
- HP8554B RF section (coverage to 1250 MHz)
- HP8444A tracking generator for HP8554B, 100 kHz - 1.25 GHz
- HP8553B HF section (high-resolution coverage to 110 MHz)
- HP8556A LF section (high-resolution coverage to 300 kHz w/built-in LF tracking generator)
- All operating and service manuals
- Spare storage CRT in original sealed HP carton

All units are in excellent operating condition w/good appearance, noting minor paint scratches on 8552B, 8444A, and 141T panels, and missing HP logo on 8444A. .JPG photos available on request.

This package delivers complete analysis and tracking coverage between 20 Hz and 1.25 GHz. Asking $1900 for everything, plus shipping from Austin, Texas. Unit available in Austin, TX for inspection by interested parties. (Come to Austin and pick it up, and you can have it for $1800. :)

-- jm KE5FX

(please note the spam-proof email address when replying)

2604. Re: Ten-Tec Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Worthlin <qrm@uswest.com>
Message-ID: <6d31u7$9ue@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 152283
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

The Scout uses an LC oscillator for frequency control. When it drifts a counter waits until it has drifted a prescribed amount and then sends a correction signal to the LC oscillator. On CW this results in a periodic jump in frequency that is noticeable both in the receiver and in the transmitted signal. The early Scouts were pretty bad but the later models are much improved. However I could always tell I was working a Scout even before the guy told me. I started in the days of drifty tube rigs so this never bothered me but might be annoying to those used to modern rock solid phase loop control rigs. (This only applies to CW as the jump is small and not noticeable on SSB.)

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2605. Yaesu Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jan and/or Len P." <n9hkg@apci.net>
Message-ID: <34f4bd70.0@queeg.apci.net>
Source record: 152284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Yaesu FT 767 GX-HF 10-160M + 6M +2M +70CM, built in tuner, desk mic. with Heil Cartridge, hand mic., service and owner's manual and keypad QSYer. $1600.00 or BO. Will help with shipping.

Yaesu FT 212 RH-45w, 21 memories, MH-15db dtmf smart mic. with manual & mobile bracket. Will ship. $200.00

Send inquiries to n9hkg@apci.net

2606. Re: Comments on Kenwood TH-K7 please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Cohen <robco@netactive.co.za>
Message-ID: <888518546.488946@proxy.netactive.co.za>
Source record: 152285

Very Neat little radio but the ones we imported do not do the 12.5kHz steps on the VHF ham band only though.....somewhat puzzling. Must be a problem with the programming inside the CPU. Does airband as well as 76-99MHz FM band but uses the supplied earphone as the antenna on the FM Band. The audio is pretty low so the earphone is the best option. Very light and a pleasure to carry around. Nice for working in conjuction with a dual-band mobile radio with cross-band repeat for increasing your distance.
Recommended for true portability.

Hope this sheds some light.

Regards,

Rob ZS5LA.

2607. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <888449062snz@iapetus.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152286
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <888367920snx@llondel.demon.co.uk>
noone@llondel.demon.co.uk "Dave {Reply address in.sig}" writes:

-> I doubt if there are many modern TVs or monitors with mains transformers
-> in them. Switch-mode power supplies are now so cheap and reliable and
-> are a lot smaller and lighter for a given power rating.

Actually, quite a few current TV sets have mains transformers in them -
somewhat to my surprise.

I don't know about SM supplies being "cheap and reliable" - to
manufacture maybe, not so much for us poor engineers who have to fix
them!

rgds
LAurence

2608. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <888449719snz@iapetus.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152287
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f39c8f.108602508@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
ke4zv@bellsouth.net "Gary Coffman" writes:

-> If anyone seriously cared about the environment, we'd stop greenhouse
-> gas production cold and switch to a fully nuclear powered energy system.
-> We have tens of thousands of years worth of proven reserves for that.
-> Instead of gigatons of CO2 and megatons of fly ash to dispose of every
-> year, we'd have a few hundred pounds of hot stuff to pile out in a desert
-> somewhere and put a fence around.

Fine, if they can ensure that the atomic plant will be 100 per cent safe
100 per cent of the time, with no leaks, explosions, meltdowns, blowups,
etc. The UK processing plant at Windscale is notorious for springing
leaks. And what are you actually going to do ith all the hot waste that
is currently buried in a field or slung in the sea?

rgds
LAurence

2609. Re: FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F3BBDE.318D9C92@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152291

N8WGM wrote:

> For Sale: Kenwood TS870---Excellent condition. No dents or dings----I'm selling
> because I'm not home all that much and don't use it enough to justify keeping
> it.
> Asking $1,800.00----includes shipping. Original price-----$2,3000---save 500
> over new!
> Email me at n8wgm@cyberdrive.net -------or--------n8wgm@aol.com

You still trying to peddle that piece of junk? Sell it to, what's his call
ex 'Americas Goober Gobbler'. Maybe he can get on frequency
and people will be able to understand him. Then they will really
see, never mind.

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

2610. FS Yaesu FL 7000 hf Amp $600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F3C415.12DB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152292

Yaesu FL 7000 amp needs work. Iwas told it needed one of the four output transistors. It has fome scratches on the case otherwise it will make a great amp for a low price. $600+shipping. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

2611. WTD: Info 10m siltronix 1011d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcf@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <6d0l84$kk7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I recently purchased a old 1011d. I am trying to restore the radio.
looking for information on how to wire the jones/cinch power cord for the
1011d. Also a schematic and manual. Also some used good 8950 sweep tubes
RICH
rcf@crosslink.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2612. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <888391984snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152294
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f3320c.4828720@news.prestel.co.uk> Jim "Jim Dunnett" writes:

> They're totally anti-diesel over there as well.
> I'm told you can't buy it unless you own a lorry
> (truck).

You were told wrong, I drive a diesel car "over there".

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

2613. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: moss.i@virgin.net
Message-ID: <34f3cf9e.8271744@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 152295
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

RIGHT while I have had the flue over the last few days and have not checked this little posting (which is growing into a monster !!!!) for a little while, I was amazed to see it has grown from my inital posting to 89 thus far!!!!!!!! Going from Internet access via Packet radio, somthing about govermnet should pay for everything, to TV, to Vehicles GAS etc etc etc HUH!!!!!! MAN!!!!!

OK well I found out what I wanted to find out, best help was from David TSE, and a link to force9 etc, i was able to find out that the technology IS available to actcheive FULL internet connection via Packet Radio. NOW wheather the HAM laws on Packet radio contents will allow internet access in England, and IF things might be changing (loads thing changing in this country NEW labour) new laws etc etc and wheather there is a line of site gateway from my location within say 60-100 miles of me, has all yet to be determined.

But my initial thoughts of wheather the technology exits has been answered YES IT IS. I Have found that it is Possible.

It may interest all who have responed to my initail posting that i
have found another way of connecting to the net which if is successful
will give me 120hours/month FULL internet access VIA ISP through a
MOBILE PHONE FOR JUST £32/month, which price also INCLUDES an ISP
monthly charge of £12...YES I KNOW BUT IT IS TRUE.

ITS not full free access but 120 hours FULL Internet access for £32
all in aint bad at all PLUS its legal.

So 89 Posting upto now....I wonder what the world record is on postings to a NewsNET posting is? Anyone know? Wanna Join this Fast growing Posting?

DO TRY AND KEEP IT TO DIFFERENT WAYS OF CONNECTING TO THE NET, USING ANY FORM OF TECH. RADIO, MICROWAVE, CABLE, TELEPHONE, SAT, ETC ETC ETC WHATEVER. IT MIGHT TURN INTO A USEFUL GUIDE YOU NEVER KNOW.

IF YOU CAN GATHER YOUR DATA AND POST ALL WILL BENEFIT, COULD BE GOOD THIS.WILL HAVE TO WAIT AND SEE.

DREAD TO THINK WHAT WILL HAPPEN AFTER THIS POSTING!!!!!!! hehehee

TO ALL

Cheers

IAN

2614. Re: test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr.Potateo Head"@Idaho.com
Message-ID: <6d0llr$j7v@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152296

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 08:39:53 GMT, Mr. Potateo Head@Idaho.com (Mr Potatoe Head) wrote:

>test
age

2615. FS:Icom 251A 2-Meter All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6d0q49$eqj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152297
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have For Sale A Icom 251A 2-Meter All Mode Radio With Vox & With IC-HM7 Amplified Microphone.
This Radio Operates Perfect, Just Recently Used It In My First ARRL VHF Contest.
The Radio Is Very Clean & Comes With The Box, Manuals, & Schematics.
Only Problem Is That The S-Meter Is Stuck In The Middle & Was Like That When I Bought The Radio Last Year. This Radio Has A Very Sensative Receiver & Is Very Impressive On The Air. I Am Selling Because I Purchased A New Kenwood This Last Weekend. I Would Rate This Radio 8.5-9
The Price Is 375.00 PrePaid Plus Shipping.

2616. Ts440SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Me <mjr220@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6d0qsp$3mj@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 152298

I have TS 440SAT with matching power supply and speaker. Has sideband and cw filters installed. Radio is in excellent cond. Asking $800.00.

2617. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnoul@gaap.saclay.cea.fr
Message-ID: <6d0p14$9s$1@news.cea.fr>
Source record: 152299
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

After reading a so disgressing thread...
>
> >Anyway, what's this to do with amateur radio? :))
>
> Nothing. But it is a nice break from the code/no code wars.
>
Right, I'd say I'm glad to belong to the technology aware Ham community,
the arguments are generally based on rational physical reasons and this
is the kind of discussion I like. As opposed to the kind of discussion
some people have when arguing about the last soccer match and giving
exclusively subjective arguments (they seem to know it, and they seem
to like it).

Though I noticed in this thread some "mine's bigger" arguments, tssk, tssk...

73 de f5hnk/Patrick

2618. Re: I'm still looking for the TH-G71A Mod.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb <bblackburn@puc.edu>
Message-ID: <34F3F471.524092CD@puc.edu>
Source record: 152300

Here is a link to my site , http://www.angelfire.com/ca/ke6gwf/
I have the wide band receive mod only.
If anybody has the wide band transmit mod, please send it to me so I can put it
on my site (Among other things ;)

MikeKuenne wrote:

> I'm still looking for the TH-G71A Mod. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> mikekuenne@aol.com

2619. Re: TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb <bblackburn@puc.edu>
Message-ID: <34F3F87C.5C311948@puc.edu>
Source record: 152301

Here is a link to my site , http://www.angelfire.com/ca/ke6gwf/
I have the wide band receive mod only.
If anybody has the wide band transmit mod, please send it to me so I can put it on my site (Among other things ;)
Ben Blackburn (KE6GWF)

sventura@thegrid.net wrote:

> I have recently purchased the Kenwood TH-G71A. The radio performs very well;
> crisp audio, easy programming and use. Normally, I can find the mods for most
> radios, but this one has me stumped. I have searched everywhere for the mod
> for this little bugger, but to no avail. I'm beginning to wonder if the radio
> can be modified at all. Does anyone have any information reagarding the
> modification of this radio? I'd be most grateful.
>
> Thanks,
> steve
> ke6gah
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2620. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnh@gmrc.gecm.com
Message-ID: <6d12bf$hn1$1@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>
Source record: 152302
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Laurence Taylor (laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk) wrote:

> Never been quite sure why a fuel that provides heat and light perfectly
> well in its own right is destroyed and vapourised, thus increasing the
> pollution of the atmosphere, simply to produce heat and light somewhere
> else.

Economy of scale, in various ways. You can get more efficiency
in a power station running at a constant and predictable average power
than in a domestic heater cycling on and off. Wherever you burn the gas it
will produce the same amount of pollution, but if the process is inefficient
you need to burn more. But it's *not* simply to produce *heat and light*
somewhere else: when was the last time you saw a gas-powered vacuum cleaner?

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Richard Herring | richard.herring@gecm.com | Speaking for myself
GEC-Marconi Research Centre |

2621. Re: TH-G71A MOD, I HAVE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb <bblackburn@puc.edu>
Message-ID: <34F410E5.D7010346@puc.edu>
Source record: 152303

Here is a link to my site , http://www.angelfire.com/ca/ke6gwf/
I have the wide band receive mod only.
If anybody has the wide band transmit mod, please send it to me so I can put it
on my site (Among other things ;)

Tracker557 wrote:

> if you have it im .BMP format please E-Mail it to me. Greatly appreciated if
> you would.
>
> Tracker.
>
> p.s. - what is the TX range?

2622. Clipperton-L bandswitch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4rg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225130200.IAA18023@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152304

Does anyone know where I can get a bandswitch Clipperton-L made by Dentron. Or do you know where I can get the last wafer which is 1 5/8" between the mounting posts and 1 5/8 tall. It has 6 terminals on the top side of the lugs and one on the right hand side below the posts (looking from the fron). It has a shorting type selector that is half moon shaped and shorts 6 terminals. The ceramic wafer is 5/32 " thick.
Thanks for reading
73 de Bob, K4RG

2623. TH-G71A Mods Now Online.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb <bblackburn@puc.edu>
Message-ID: <34F41CF0.DFF115D8@puc.edu>
Source record: 152305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

You can now find the mods for the Kenwood TH-G71A HT, On my site,
http://www.angelfire.com/ca/ke6gwf/
Note; Currently I only have the wide band Receive mods. If any of you have,
or know were I can find, the full Transmit mods, please let me know.
I will post them, as well pictures that I took with the radio apart, as soon as I get them.
Thank you, Ben (KE6GWF)

P.S. I did the receive mods on mine last night, and everything seems to be
working all right.
After mod Rx capability.
136.000MHz- 173.995MHz, 400.000MHz- 469.995Mhz
320.000MHz- 399.99375Mhz, 800.000MHz- 823.9875Mhz
849.000MHz -868.9875Mhz 894.000MHz- 949.9875MHz

2624. Re: Ten-Tec Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6d188q$4i1@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 152306

In article <6d02u0$7gg@news.acns.nwu.edu>, millerm@merle.acns.nwu.edu says...
>
>I am considering purchasing a Ten-Tec Scout. It seems to fit my budget
>and entry needs as a new ham with strong interest in CW. Anyone out
>there have any opinions or experience with it? Are there any
>similar rigs I should consider? Thanks!

I had a Scout, which I used mostly mobile, and I liked it very much.
The power output is only 50 Watts maximum, but I ran mine QRP most of
the time, so that was no matter. It's a good performing rig, and if
you don't "need" all of the modern bells 'n whistles, it's possibly
the rig for you. I see a lot of them for sale used, with several
band modules, NB, mic, etc. I'd look into them, rather than buying
a new one and shelling out all the extra money.

The Scout is a good CW rig with its built-in keyer and continuously
variable Jones-type i-f filtering. Ten-Tec's QSK is legendary with
CW operators. Ten-Tec's customer service is probably the best in
the business, always something to consider when buying a rig.

As for other rigs, there are no other rigs that directly compare with
the Scout. The Scout is so simple, and all the others are complex.

73,
Dean -- K5DH -- Texas

2625. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: PC7024 <bbierly@kcp.com>
Message-ID: <01bd41f8$184aebe0$d5be6bcc@PC7024.ko.kcp.com>
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TAKE THIS TO A CHAT ROOM INSTEAD OF CLUTTERING UP ALL THE NEWS GROUPS......

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<34f3a1e5.109969079@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
> On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 22:44:47 GMT, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim
> Dunnett) wrote:
> >On Mon, 23 Feb 98 21:02:58 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
> >
> >>Naw, the Americans can look after themselves, but it was a cheap shot
> >>nonetheless.
> >
> >It's the mess they make when they try to look after
> >us that worries me.
>
> Ah, well. Germany is reunited now. I hear they have
> some pretty good tanks. Tell me, what's the life
> expectancy of an archduke in Sarajevo these days?
>
> If it were up to me, all our boys would be home right now.
> Too many have died in Europe this century cleaning up
> your messes. Next time we should stay home and let
> you settle it among yourselves.
>
> And that goes for the Middle East too. We should sell
> them all the arms they have cash to buy and let them
> go at it until they all kill each other. After the glass
> cools down a bit, Bechtel can go back in and reopen
> the wells.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>

2626. 30 Meter Plan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <T6WI.2$$2.939772@news.mt.net>
Source record: 152308

Howdy from Helena, Montana

Does anyone know the plan for 30 meters by gentleman agreement. I particular what portion should RTTY be worked on the 30 meter band. I have been working WA2RSX on 10.140 and hear packet above and pactor/amtor below this freq. Is there an agreement for digital modes on 30 meters. Bill KA7YAO

2627. WTB: Standard C508A/510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jopp@erols.com
Message-ID: <jopp-2502980948020001@207-172-196-250.s59.as2.hck.erols.com>
Source record: 152309

Looking for a mint condition Standard c508a or c510...must have all expanmded rx-tx mods (including full 800) and it wud be nice to have accessories...reasonable price. thanks in advance.

2628. FS: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AucunNom@nospam.earthling.net
Message-ID: <34f431d0.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 152310
Cross-posted to: harvard.marketplace,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale via online auction: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB
Cobra portable CB model HH35 w/magnetic mount cobra antenna &
cigarette lighter adapter

Minimum Bid: $15.00
Auction Ends: 2/28 6:54 am PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=110950

* To learn more about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

2629. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F4353E.FBF76AB3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152311
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Burt wrote:

> Glenn Schultz wrote in message ...
> >I see Burt got someone's goat, again!
> >He has been playing this game on-line for several years.
> >Please people, treat this "person" like the child that he is, don't give
> him
> >a reaction. That's what he is looking for. Bad attention to him is better
> >than no attention at all. He is an insecure person who must create
> >controversy to make himself feel important.
> >In a word, ignore him. His threats and insults are nothing but hot air.
>
> Ignore me?
> Like you did?
> For the truth about the ARRL's attack go to:
>
>
> Burt

Amateur radio will survive Burt and his ramblings without any problems because he comes across as a crackpot and will be treated as such by the press. The thing that bothers me is that Burt claims to be a teacher. I have to wonder how he is effecting his students with his views. I also wonder if the school administrators and parents know the type of personality that is in a position to influence young and impressionable minds?

73
Mark
WA0DCA

2630. IC-765 Opinions please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <34F43D17.FA4@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 152312

I need some opinions on the IC-765, and any other info, such as when it came out, where it fell in the Icom Line at the time, what Radios are comparable to it, etc. etc.

Thanx -- Pete

2631. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <3HGd9BAlw980EweK@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152313
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f5c0b2.4225809@news.dial.pipex.com>, Walt Davidson
<no.junk.mail@thank.you> writes
>On Tue, 24 Feb 98 20:40:42 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>
>>Diesel the fuel of the future? Not likely....Hydrogen is far more likely
>>as a fuel of the future than any fossil fuel, especially when the only
>>byproduct is water.
>
>Hmmmm ... let's see. now. Where do we get the hydrogen from? From
>electrolysing water. Where do we get the electricity to electrolyse
>the water? By burning hydrogen. What's the by-product of burning
>hydrogen? Water.
>
>Duh!!!! My brain hurts ......
>
>;-)
>
>73 de G3NYY
>

The hydrogen fuel cell is quite amazing, but as Walt puts it nicely,

Duh! A bit confusing!

The concept fuel cell is working fine in Australia and there are a
number of websites carrying info on hydrogen fuel cells but I wonder how
much the petroleum companies would like that be put to bed!

The problem with all fossil fuels in the release of CO2 that was fixated
from the atmosphere millions of years ago in the plants and animals that
ended up as crude. We are currently releasing it much faster than it was
fixed in the first place and thats the problem.

Dunno if the hydrogen cell will ever take off but its a start!

Simon
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2632. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ynQcVIA$3980Ew8n@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152314
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f3a65c4efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
>In <34f3320c.4828720@news.prestel.co.uk>, on 02/24/98
> at 10:44 PM, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) said:
>
>The reason diesel isn't very popular is because:
>
>1. It stinks more than gasoline when the engine is running,

True

>2. Diesel engines produce less power than equivalent sized gasoline
>engines (in
> cars, anyway),

True - but most diesel cars have bigger engines/turbos than petrol

>3. Diesel engines are harder to start in cold weather,

Wrong, thats why they have heaters! My landrover at work starts day in
day out without a problem and thats in some of the worst weather in the
country!

>4. Diesel fuel here costs about the same as gasoline

Cheaper here

>5. Diesel engines are generally noisier than gas ones.

Not true. Modern diesels are just as noisey as a 5 year old average
family saloon. And having seen some of the wrecks wandering around here,
better! Can't say my landrover is quieter though! But I would like to
see your family saloon climb a 3000ft mountain road in winter!

>
>I suspect point 4 is the deciding one, though.

I have changed over to diesel in the UK because of the cost. I believe
recent figures show an upward trend in EU towards diesel.
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Fkqh1OAXB+80EwLc@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152315
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <6cs031$j2q$3@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>, Richard Herring
<rnh@gmrc.gecm.com> writes
>Mike Willis ("M.J.Willis"@rl.ac.uk) wrote:
>> Gary Coffman wrote:
>
>> > We've had cat converters and lead-free gas for 25 years. The only place
>> > you can find leaded gas in the US today is at an airport. Seems you don't
>> > know what you're talking about.
>
>> Gas as far as I remember never had lead in it.
>
>There were probably traces when we made it from coal.
>

Natural gas is lead free! Its mostly a a mixture of methane and ethane,
it burns cleanly with minimal sulphur emssions (0.7 mg per Mjoule
compared to 910 mg for coal)

The coal gasification process that was used for town gas was terrible!
It was full of horrors and thats one of the reasons for its demise! It
wasn't really cleaner than coal but seemed that way at the time!

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2634. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <QkwkVQA$T+80EwJV@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152316
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f39c8f.108602508@news.atl.bellsouth.net>, Gary Coffman
<ke4zv@bellsouth.net> writes
>On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 19:21:36 +0000, Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
>wrote:
>>Natural gas burns much cleaner than any other fossil fuel (CO2 and SO2)
>
>Greenhouse gases. Oh the horror!!!
>
>>Predictions are that current 'known' reserves will last until at least
>>2025
>
>And we've operated under a projected 25-30 year reserve every year
>since 1900. In 2025 they'll probably be telling us we have enough reserves
>to go until 2050, at a higher price of course. Meanwhile we have right here
>in the US alone enough proven coal reserves to meet the world's energy
>demands at current levels for 1,000 years. Of course we aren't using much
>of that right now. Most of our generation has switched to natural gas, gotta
>eat up that 25 year reserve you know so the gas companies can increase
>their prices.

Reserves sizes are never fixed because:

1. Better technology to discover/exploit reserves
2. Increased price = increased profits = more investment for 1.
3. Technology increases allow exploitation of lower grade ores etc
4. Third world countries now cashing in physical resources

BTW current 'mineable' world reserves are estimated at 500 years, not
unless you want to start digging up areas of national parks etc and the
US has approx 26% of world totals giving you something around 100 years.
Certainly not the 1000 years you estimate. You are correct in the
reducing useage of coal. But only until that becomes too expensive to
mine, or the environmentalists get you!
>
>If anyone seriously cared about the environment, we'd stop greenhouse
>gas production cold and switch to a fully nuclear powered energy system.
>We have tens of thousands of years worth of proven reserves for that.
>Instead of gigatons of CO2 and megatons of fly ash to dispose of every
>year, we'd have a few hundred pounds of hot stuff to pile out in a desert
>somewhere and put a fence around.

Yep thats right good old nuclear. What is it about americans and their
fixation with atomic anything. Its not just a few hundred pounds of hot
stuff either, its thousands upon thousands of kilos of lowgrade waste

like clothing/tools etc that need to be disposed of. And then what about the stations when they reach the end of their life, you going to bury that as well! sic. We already have enough waste to worry about. Oh and atomic energy is safe? 3 mile island and Chernobyl prove that its not and when things go wrong - as they do - then you end up contaminating billions of sqaure kilometres. Some farmers in the highlands and lakes are still not allow to sell lamb because of the high levels of Strontium 90 in the meat, caused by Chernobyl fallout.

>
>But that won't happen because 1 in 7 jobs revolves around fossil fuel
>production, distribution, and consumption. There's too much money
>and too much vested interest in keeping that system going to its last
>gasp.

Agreed.

But the US don't want to do anything about it. The 1992 earth summit proved that. The Bush administration of that time attempted to torpedoe the whole damm thing by vetoing adoption of targets and timetables for CO2 reductions even though studies showed that it was easily met. They even embarressed Willaim Reily - the US delegate - by leaking his memo to Bush saying that they could easily meet the target and could he agree to the CO2 and Biodiversity treaties.

Your latest government is pretty much of the same.

Instead of looking at nuclear/fossil fuels - we need to be looking at renewables, wind/wave/tidal/solar/biomass. They all have their own problems (environmental too) but they can cut global warming by reducing CO2/NO2/SO2 emissions. No power source can at the moment be perfect but we can improve matters, it just needs co-operation and governmental agreements, something which does not seem to happen from your side of the pond

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2635. Question: Autek QF-1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <34F43BA7.5185@vbe.com>
Source record: 152317

I just bought a QF-1A and tried it out last night. Not DSP but I was real surprised at how well it worked with my old rig. I notice that when I plugged in my Heil headset only one side worked. It appears that the Autek uses a mono plug into the rig and has a mono jack out to the phones or speaker. I see that Heil uses a stereo plug so I assume that this is why I only am getting sound out of one side (works fine when connected direct to rig or outboard speaker). Is this correct ?

Thanks Mike

2636. Wanted: Kenwood SP-430 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiokpj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225160901.LAA11752@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152318

I would like to buy a Kenwood SP-430 speaker to use with my TS-440S. Am looking for one in excellent to mint condition. Non-smoker ONLY, please ! If you
have one for sale please contact Al at RadioKPJ@aol.com. Thanks !

2637. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jas_me@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34f43b6b.3099307@193.76.127.2>
Source record: 152319
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

"Alessandro Canalini" <al.cana@iol.it> wrote:

Eccoti qua le modifiche ......
Visualizzate con carattere NON proporzionale e buona lettura !!!

Per chi volesse poi, c'e` anche la procedura di riallineamento dello stadio di front-end .... ma c'e` da sudare un po' .

Author: Daniel WCC, 9V1ZV
Date: 4 February 1994
Subject: Band extension mod for FRG-9600/965

Foreword

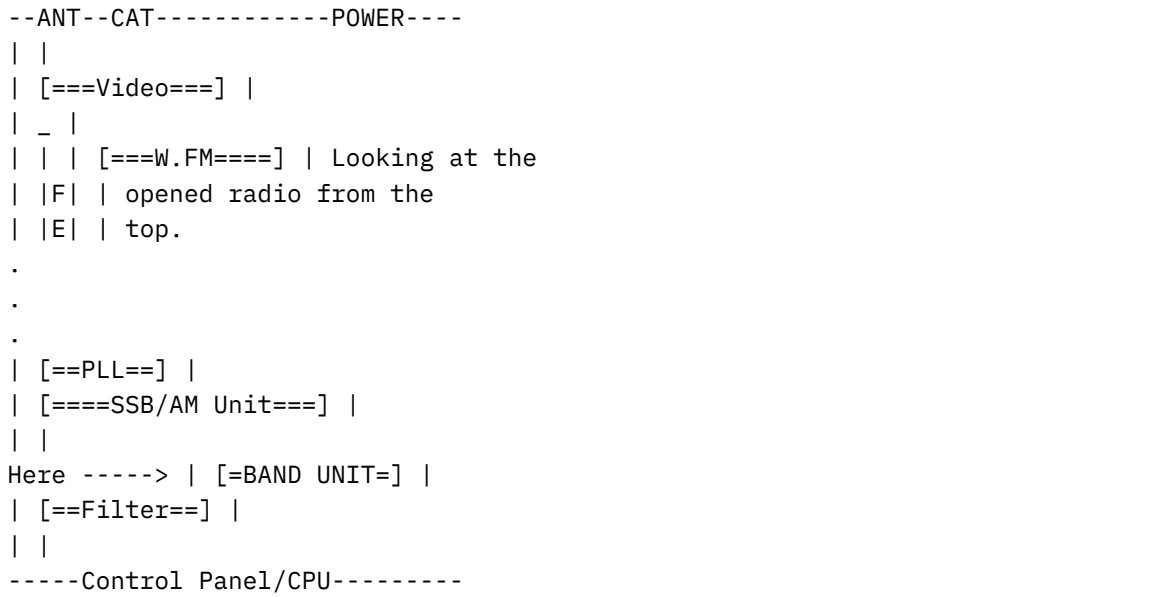
Since I bought my second hand FRG-9600, I have been fervently looking for mods for the radio. I have seen mods for so many other scanners, I could not believe there was not even one for the FRG-9600. This was quite disappointing as I liked the idea of making mods to radio. Recently I received my service manual for the radio and the result of which is this simple mod. All you FRG-9600 people out there, use your creativity. I am not sure if opening up the radio and performing the mod will void your warranty so you may want to check it out first. I can only say that this mod works perfectly for me but will not accept responsibility if you destroy your radio by your own mistakes.

Description

The original range of the FRG-9600/965 was from 60 mHz to 905 mHz. Looking at the circuit, however, revealed that YAESU had originally designed the radio to cover HF as well. Not only that, it also had coverage up to 950 mHz. I suspect that there had originally been intended a module for HF frequencies which is supposed to fit into the empty slot (J8001/J9001) next to the VHF/UHF front-end unit. For some reason, this option never materialized, maybe for commercial reasons! Anyway, it seems that some provision had been made on the Band Unit module to go ahead and make use of these bands anyway without the dedicated HF front-end. Thus, we can now enable reception from 20 mHz to 950 mHz with no gaps in between. Unfortunately, the sensitivity is not fantastic at the fringe frequencies but nevertheless signals can still be received. If you have a computer on, the RF emmission from the PC is likely to drown out most of the 30 mHz band anyways so you may want to go manual on these bands. The 905-950 band is more acceptable and works fine pulling in cellular on those channels. You will probably hear some of the RFI generated by the radio's on-borad CPU here and there also.

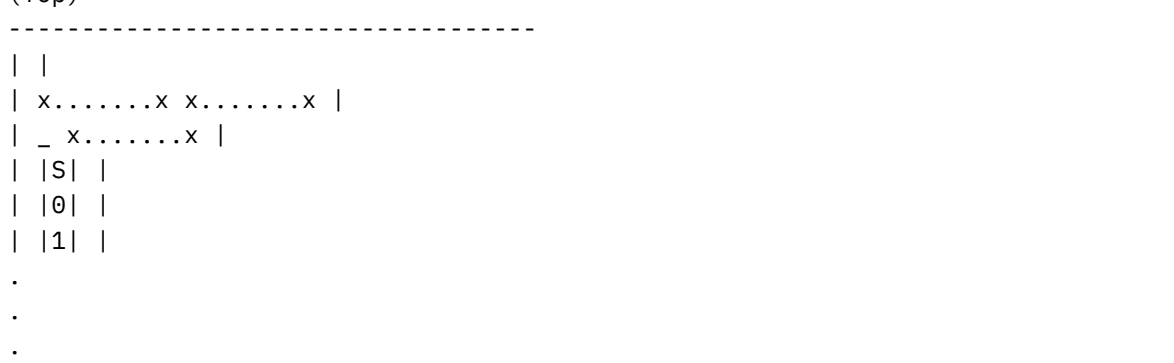
Modification

The mod itself involves soldering in 3 jumper wires onto the Band-Unit.
The Band-Unit is the closest module to you on the left. Carefully remove the cover of the radio by unscrewing the 4 screws holding down the top cover. In order to remove the cover, you need to push it back about 15 mm before lifting it so be sure not to apply undue force. Be sure to remove the power supply before beginning.



This gives you the idea of where the Band Unit module is located. The actual module names are printed on the main PCB so take a closer peek and you will see which one is which easily.

Now that you have identified the module, look carefully at it. You should
see that there are some holes near the top which are drilled but unoccupied.



The above diagram shows the component side of the Band Unit which is what you should see looking at it from the front of your radio. Note that the slot marked S01 is unoccupied. If your's has a switch on it, make sure it's open because it disables the 450-950 mHz bands if closed. If your radio does not have these bands, check this switch and also check to see if it has been hard-wired in the closed position.

The "x" indicated where the unoccupied holes are and the "........" indicates the jumpers you must make. If the jumper is already there, then you need not do anything to the radio. The jumper on the top left is to enable 905-950 mHz. The one on the top right is to enable the top right enables the 30-60 mHz range and finally the bottom right jumper enables the 20-30 mHz range. Note, I am not too sure if the mid HF transition is at 30 mHz, could be something else too. You can try for yourself, it is not critical since I put in all three jumpers for my radio. The holes are covered by solder already so you cannot easily insert your jumper wires. Ideally, use a solder-sucker or a solder-wick to remove excess solder from the holes to uncover it first. Do not apply too much heat as the surface mounted transistor nearby may melt or be destroyed. Once you have cleared the hole, slowly insert the pre-bent jumper wires into the holes starting with the one at the bottom right. Remember to clip off excess wire and do not let the wire drop into the radio and possibly short something. Use thin solder and do not apply too much. Make sure that your jumper wires are clean so that the solder will adhere to it easily.

The circuit of the Band Unit suggests that it is actually possible to enable a range even lower that 20 mHz. This is quite pointless however since the front-end is really not suitable for such low frequencies and it is unlike that you can hear anything useful even if enable. If you are interested however, contact me by e-mail. I'll give you more details.

Conclusion

Replace the cover after making sure that no bits of wire or solder are left inside the radio. Now you are ready for fun (provided you did it right). Try tuning from 19.999 (no sound) upwards and see if you get anything interesting. Usually you'll just get RFI. But when you reach about 40 mHz, you may be picking up cordless phones and walky-talkies. Once you are satisfied that works, try tuning from 905 mHz up and see if you get any cellular. Have fun while I study the circuits for more possible mods. I have received news that some FRG-9600s will not permit you to tune manually or by frequency entry, out-of-band frequencies. These frequencies can be accessed using the CAT controller program SCANNER.COM (or SCAN88.COM for XTs) with the very easy to construct interface. Meanwhile I will look into enabling tuning using the dial and keypad. This should be the next mod if its possible.

If you own one of these radios, you may want to check out my controller program and interface (easy construction) for the CAT control of the radio. The program brings FRG-9600 back into competition with the newest scanners.

I've received feedback that although the above mod allowed the radio to tune the entire range, the dial seems restricted. This restriction can be overcome by using the interface for tuning. Alternatively, you might try to reset the machine by turning off the battery for a couple of minutes to see if upon restarting, the MPU recognizes the new bands. This can be done by switching off the internal battery using the switch at the top right hand side of the front panel, under the top cover. There is a tiny slide switch there.

Have fun.

73 de 9V1ZV Daniel

Altre info su CQ Elettronica di qualche annetto fa ...
Salut

Jas

2638. Pictures requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Berry <cberry@aloha.al.intel.com>
Message-ID: <34F43A4A.15C7@aloha.al.intel.com>
Source record: 152320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am putting together a brief Power Point slide presentation this Friday of Amateur Radio. I would appreciate any picture files (pcx, jpg, gif, etc.) that would contribute to the presentation. This will be a very simple overview of Amateur Radio to fellow coworkers.

Thx & 73's
Chuck Berry
N7CHS

2639. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: avcbob@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225164501.LAA10260@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152321

Thanks for the suggestions for the FRG-9600.

I have a problem with my 9600 in that it is "microphonic" at times. When this happens, a sharp slap on the side stops it.

Anybody have an idea what component might be causing this or has anybody had this problem??

Thanks for the info!

Bob

2640. Need Advice on FAIR MARKET value of New Telefunken 12AU7 tubes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6d1ih2$8bf$6@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 152322

Hi,

Can anyone advise me as to the fair market value/pricing for new old stock Telefunken Premium Diamond White Label "md" 12AU7 tubes? These test superbly with my calibrated TV-7D/U and Hickok and are the best balanced tubes I've seen in recent memory.

I just put up four for sale and sold them for $12 each to I guess a very happy fellow. Good luck to him--he paid the asking price, no problem there.

However, I have some more of these 12AU7's made in Western Germany and would like to get fair market value. You see I'm an old full time student and buy and sell items to finance my hobbies while I'm in school so I can keep wife off my back for toy expenditures until I get a real job again :-)

Any advice on fair market prices of these premium tubes would be appreciated, because I got a very good email response, so I know I drastically underpriced them. Again, no problem with the four I sold, but I'd like to do better with the rest.

Thank you for whatever advice on pricing you care to offer.

Lance a.k.a. Bostonian

2641. WTB: MFJ442X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Wooldridge <meds@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bd420e$dfb37f60$edc932ce@dean>
Source record: 152323

I'm looking for a MFJ442x to attach to a paddle.

Thanks
Dean <meds@onramp.net>

2642. Re: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wswr <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4213$e45db440$86f0accf@wswr.erols.com>
Source record: 152324
Cross-posted to: harvard.marketplace,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

10 cents

Steve

AucunNom@nospam.earthling.net wrote in article
<34f431d0.0@news.tsoft.net>...
> For sale via online auction: Cobra Portable 40 ch. CB
> Cobra portable CB model HH35 w/magnetic mount cobra antenna &
> cigarette lighter adapter
>
> Minimum Bid: $15.00
> Auction Ends: 2/28 6:54 am PST
>
> To bid, please go to CityAuction:
> http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=110950
>
> * To learn more about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
> http://www.cityauction.com
>
>

2643. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: daclark@lni.net
Message-ID: <6d1nhu$j2k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6cvvahvhm1@as1000.javanet.com>,
"Burt" <burt@innocent.com> wrote:
>
>
> Glenn Schultz wrote in message ...
> >I see Burt got someone's goat, again!
> >He has been playing this game on-line for several years.
> >Please people, treat this "person" like the child that he is, don't give
> him
> >a reaction. That's what he is looking for. Bad attention to him is better
> >than no attention at all. He is an insecure person who must create
> >controversy to make himself feel important.
> >In a word, ignore him. His threats and insults are nothing but hot air.
>
> Ignore me?

Why post this sillyness on an "EQUIPMENT" ng?
Take it somewhere else, "PLEASE"
> Like you did?
> For the truth about the ARRL's attack go to:
>
> http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169/arrlve.htm
>
> Burt
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2644. New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6qmj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6d1q9ildl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Amazing News!

A friend of mine called the fine folks at ADI-Premier Communications today to ask some questions about their products. The tech on the phone told him about some of what they have coming out. He was excited to learn, and I was too, that they have a new radio about to hit the streets -- a low cost HF rig!

I was told that the radio would have all 9 HF bands, general coverage receive, and be very easy to use. The folks at ADI also said that the radio would be very simple, and would not have many of the more advanced features of other radios. The price? UNDER $500!

I can't wait to see the new radio! With the sunspots coming back, and ADI's new low cost HR radio coming out, maybe some guys like me will finally be able to afford to get on HF!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2645. Re: give it up already...!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rminnich@sarnoff.com
Message-ID: <6d1lsk$bv01@postoffice.sarnoff.com>
Source record: 152327

gene (wm9h@execpc.com) wrote:
: internet via packet...Why don't you get a life and stay out of ours. Leave
: the internet to the phone lines, and leave Ham Radio to the people who have

Yeah and take those silly transistor thingys with you.

ron
--
Ron Minnich |Java: an operating-system-independent,
rminnich@sarnoff.com |architecture-independent programming language
(609)-734-3120 |for Windows/95 and Windows/NT on the Pentium
ftp://ftp.sarnoff.com/pub/mnfs/www/docs/cluster.html

2646. Re: FT980 - Good rig ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam-tforbes@tcp.co.uk
Message-ID: <6d1muv$2ki$2@zeus.tcp.net.uk>
Source record: 152328

avatar <avatar@frii.com> wrote:

>N3BJ wrote:
>>
>> I'm unfamiliar with the radio....guess I was sleeping during the 80's. Would
>> appreciate some details on the radio, weaknesses, quirks, value ??
>>
I've had my FT980 for about 10 Years now. I can honestly say I would not want to buy another rig for the HF bands (Tentec excluded of course!).

I have never had anything but good reports about the audio quality. And the CW side is something else with the narrow filters included.

I cannot recommend this rig highly enough. I love it. However, there is one problem, and that is getting any of the options that are not fitted. But, that is here in Southampton, in the UK.

Good luck if you buy it.

Good day to you.
Tim Forbes G2BFC
http://homepages.tcp.co.uk/~tforbes/

(Please remove "nospam-" for email)

2647. Voluntary Intercepters of WWII and G2BFC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam-tforbes@tcp.co.uk
Message-ID: <6d1mv1$2ki$3@zeus.tcp.net.uk>
Source record: 152329

Hello?

I have just finished a part of my home page about the Voluntary Intercepters of WWII, and I would appreciate any comments anyone has got about it.

As far as I know, there isn't anything else like it on the Web. It is unique as it tells the story of British radio amateurs during the War Years that has never really been published by any organization that I know of.

I would especially love to hear from any V.I's who were involved in these activities during WWII. Or anyone who has any information about Frank Forbes, G2BFC.

Good day to you.
Tim Forbes G2BFC
http://homepages.tcp.co.uk/~tforbes/

(Please remove "nospam-" for email)

2648. Re: UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 Transmitter/ receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woody <woody@nospam.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <QPP8eNAxO880EwKZ@tangon.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152330
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ukradio.amateur

In article <34f2f0e7.108648518@news.btinternet.com>,
antony@sailboats.co.uk writes
>What problems (apart from not being licensed for use in UK) would a
>American transmitter/ receiver handhelds operating between UHF
>462.5625 - 467.7125 have. I see no reason why they woni¿½t work in the
>UK - but is there any i¿½registeredi¿½ traffic already using this
>frequency.
>
>The units in question are made by Motorola and have a range of upto 2
>miles - and are in quite common use by walkers, bikers and skiers .
>

You are right about the illegality.

462.5625 would be the mobile Tx paired with 457.0625
467.7125 would be the mobile Tx paired with 461.2125

The first pair would and still may be a used pair; the second pair may
be a mobile pair but were used for UHF links which are now no more.

You could cause untold damage if you use them, apart from the
possibility (slight) of being caught.

--
Andrew W.
Harrogate, UK
woody@tangon.demon.co.uk
g1uxp@gb7cym

To reply, replace nospam with tangon in the address.

2649. FS UHF DUPLEXER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F4616A.48BB@pacbell.net>
Source record: 152331

I have for sale a uhf duplexer,it is the pass reject type and is rated to
250 watts.It is presently tuned to the ham band.It is made by DB products
and is model DB4076.$300
AL

2650. Re: 30 Meter Plan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.NS.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <flZI.8960$pf.964901@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 152332

10.130-10.140 RTTY
10.140-10.150 Packet

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Bob.NS.Snyder@mci.com
Remove the NS. before replying.
William Erhardt wrote in message ...
>Howdy from Helena, Montana
>
>Does anyone know the plan for 30 meters by gentleman agreement. I
particular
>what portion should RTTY be worked on the 30 meter band. I have been
working
>WA2RSX on 10.140 and hear packet above and pactor/amtor below this freq. Is
>there an agreement for digital modes on 30 meters. Bill KA7YAO
>
>

2651. Re: Question: Autek QF-1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB9IOG <WB9IOG@REVEALED.NET>
Message-ID: <34F4778F.1D36@REVEALED.NET>
Source record: 152333

Michael Melland wrote:
>
> I just bought a QF-1A and tried it out last night. Not DSP but I was
> real surprised at how well it worked with my old rig. I notice that
> when I plugged in my Heil headset only one side worked. It appears that
> the Autek uses a mono plug into the rig and has a mono jack out to the
> phones or speaker. I see that Heil uses a stereo plug so I assume that
> this is why I only am getting sound out of one side (works fine when
> connected direct to rig or outboard speaker). Is this correct ?
>
> Thanks Mike
Mike
Yes-get a stereo to mono adapter at Radio Shack.
Mike

2652. 7.5 volt @ 40 amp. FILAMENT TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Max Powell <codtrap@keys.4ez.com>
Message-ID: <34F46880.C48B21F4@keys.4ez.com>
Source record: 152334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Suitable for pair of 4-1000A or 3-1000Z.
$40.00 + UPS.

Max

2653. WTB: Drake C-4 will pay $900.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: c4console@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225194800.OAA01566@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152335

WTB: Drake C-4 will pay $900.00
Want to buy a Drake C-4 Console, will pay $900.00 for a nice, complete one. If you have one that is not complete, I will consider it at a lesser price.
Please let me know what you have! Thank you, Vince.

2654. Re: FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225195900.OAA08403@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152336

I would like to appologize to all the folks on rec. amateur.equipment for this--but it must be done!
Hey curtis, First---there are a lot of people who own New Digital 870's---your oppinion of 870 Kenwoods are only because you can't afford to own one! Being unemployed does limmit your choices.
Second.Why don't you find yourself a woman . You need something to occupy your time---I don't think you'll be able to find one though.I doubt that you could find a woman to accept money to mess with your ugly ass!!!!!!! I have to admit---it took allot of guts to put your ugly face on the internet so you could troll for hosebags. I bet some of the whores you've been talking dirty to on the internet are really guys. I wonder what Sid would say to that? "And now something for the ladies"----what a jerk. Do you think that by putting pictures of flowers on your web site will attract women to you? Curtis--face the facts---you are one old ugly acerbic unemployed fool! .I doubt there is a woman out in cyberland that would want your rotten old carcass.
And by the way---I've been getting 40 over signal reports from California with that piece of junk you say it is!!!!!!
Looks like your not getting any more replies to your 3950 postings on rec. radio.shortwave. Most people have been filtering you and kk7ho's postings--I'll be doing the same--they and I don't want to deal with trite inane tedious dribblings of an unemployed navy know nothing who just went into the military so he would not have to work after 20 years.Not all military people are that way--but I know you are.What was it I heard you say on 3950---something like-"I think that I should have not retired so early. I think it was a mistake." Hope Clinton cuts off your retirement money. That way you'll have to go out & get a job flipping burgers----or spend more of your time doing things that really matter instead of harrassing people on these newsgroups. Anyway curtis--I've wasted enough time responding to your posting---you have a nice day. And get a life.

2655. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulveyr@frontiernet.net
Message-ID: <6d1v12$17si$1@node17.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 152337
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Stuart, G0SLX () wrote:
:
: Gary Coffman wrote in message <34f14eff.12365191@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
:
: >For a given compression ratio, you get best performance by
: >using the *lowest octane* fuel which does not cause pre-ignition
: >(knocking and pinging). That's because lower octane fuel has
: >more BTUs per pound than higher octane fuel. That's something
:
: Nice to see that the Americans are using BRITISH Thermal Units ;-)
:

Sure, but we also use ENGLISH units instead of SI for everything
measurable, over here, and we know how logical THAT is.... ;-)

- Rich

2656. Re: UHF 462.5625 - 467.7125 Transmitter/ receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: N0RRF <nospam.mikeschuett@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4233$73ce30e0$8b6d390f@hpcm6d8b.lvld.hp.com>
Source record: 152338
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ukradio.amateur

.remove.Antony@Sailboats.co.uk wrote in article
<34f32595.122134690@news.btinternet.com>...
> What problems (apart from not being licensed for use in UK) would a
> American transmitter/ receiver handhelds operating between UHF
> 462.5625 - 467.7125 have. I see no reason why they won't work in the
> UK - but is there any 'registered' traffic already using this
> frequency.
>
> The units in question are made by Motorola and have a range of upto 2
> miles - and are in quite common use by walkers, bikers and skiers .
>
> Please excuse my ignorance, this is all new to me.
>
> Thanks
>
> .remove.Antony@Sailboats.co.uk
>
>

The radio you are referring to is for the license free Family Radio Service
or FRS. The FRS is a USA only service.

Here's a list of the FRS frequencies.

1 - 462.5625 *
2 - 462.5875 *
3 - 462.6125 *
4 - 462.6375 *
5 - 462.6625 *
6 - 462.6875 *
7 - 462.7125 *
8 - 467.5625
9 - 467.5875
10 - 467.6125
11 - 467.6375
12 - 467.6625
13 - 467.6875
14 - 467.7125
* = Frequency shared with the General Mobile Radio Service (GMRS)

For more information check out the FCC web site.
http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/prs/famrad.html

Hope this helps,
Mike

2657. Re: Icom 756 Filter change?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Freeman <rfman@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bd42fb$d099b240$103556d1@harry2>
Source record: 152339

The problem is those filters are also used for FM. Put a 6khz filter in and
you would be too narrow for NBFM. Try this: Set up your AM narrow
position to use the 2.8 khz 455 filter and the 15khz 9mhz filter. Then
adjust
your 455khz (the small knob) passband tuner to the far left or right. I
find
this to work pretty well with voice on 75 meters. Not real high fidelity
on broadcast style music, but nice and narrow for voice without distortion.

Harry NK9R

Lou R. <lour@total.net> wrote in article <34f2cf99.0@news.total.net>...
> Is there any way to change the shipped filters that come with the Icome
756?
> Instead of 15Khz can a 6 Khz filter be put in for better AM Reception?
>
>
> Lou Roppoli
>
>
>

2658. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f48384.4529254@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152340
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 05:07:44 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary
Coffman) wrote:

>On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 22:44:47 GMT, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim
>Dunnett) wrote:
>>On Mon, 23 Feb 98 21:02:58 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>>
>>>Naw, the Americans can look after themselves, but it was a cheap shot
>>>nonetheless.
>>
>>It's the mess they make when they try to look after
>>us that worries me.

>If it were up to me, all our boys would be home right now.

I couldn't agree more!

--
- Jim, g4rga | No army can withstand the strength
olympus@jim dee.prestel.co.uk | of an idea whose time has come.
g4 rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Victor Hugo 1802 - 1885.
|
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2659. TEK 475 OSCILLOSCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cvmur$qs8@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152367

HI All
I have a for sale TEK 475 scope 200MHz
Good working codition and without Probes
$ 350.00 plus shipping
714-778-5151
Thanks
Joon

2660. FS: 3-500C'S PHILIPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cvoae$nlu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152368

Two 3-500C's , Philips, new not pulls, individually boxed, $145 ea or $280
pr
<Joe.7hc@juno.com>

2661. I'm still looking for the TH-G71A Mod.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikekuenne@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225010400.UAA01345@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152369

I'm still looking for the TH-G71A Mod. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

mikekuenne@aol.com

2662. ****SWAP ICOM R1 ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225011601.UAA03523@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152370

Looking for Yaesu FT-51 or similar HT with extended transmit/receive mod done. Radio should transmit 150-160 mhz. The R-1 is in perfect shape- , new internal batteries-3 spare batteries, ROBO charger drop in charger, original box and ops manual - spare internal battery. The R-1 is unblocked receive cell and everything else, pls email me with what you have

2663. give it up already...!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6cvt9h$8f4@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 152371

internet via packet...Why don't you get a life and stay out of ours. Leave the internet to the phone lines, and leave Ham Radio to the people who have pride with the privilege of operating "wireless" on the air. There are STILL people who want to keep the bands we have. With your idiotic ideas of internet access via packet, you have nothing to add to the hobby. Why don't you go to eleven meters and knock yourself out with your silly ass ideas.

2664. QST for Feb 98 / Drake Downconverters for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob and Gladys Partain <the.partains@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6cvu92$418@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152372

Good Day to You;

Yes ! We have the Drake 2880 Downconverters in stock.

We test them 100% before shipping.

Pricing is as follows:

$39 each or 3 for $100. Price includes Power Supply/ Inserter
and Shipping. Personal Checks are OK. COD is an additional $5 per order.
All orders are shipped via Priority Mail(that way there is no long wait).

All orders are shipped the same day (unless there is an earthquake,
Hamfair, Sunday or other such event that would keep us away from the
Post Office).

E-Mail Orders are accepted. Sorry, no plastic (read: credit cards).
P.O. Box Address is OK for "ship to:".

I look forward to hearing from you.

73 de Bob WB5OHH

SCTV-SkyCable
4804 Laurel Canyon Blvd.
#533
Valley Village, CA 91607

2665. WTB: MFJ antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ktheo7707@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225020500.VAA12872@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152373

Hi, does anyone have a mfj989c or a 962c/d for sale?.
Thanks 73
ktheo7707@aol.com

2666. Re: New to Ham radio, request advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6cvum2qae2@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 152374

In article <34F13763.6098B8B8@orednet.org>, rmumm@orednet.org wrote:
>Hello,
>
>I am considering buying either short wave or ham radio equipment. I was
>first interested in short wave, mainly to list to international news
>broadcasts, but am curious to know if the same frequencies can be
>listened to from Ham equipment, with the obvious additional advantage of
>being able to communicate with others.

Yes, ham HF equipment will let you listen to the shortwave braodcasters.

>I have sent for a book reviewing short wave radio sets, and probably
>will end up spending around $250 for a good radio receiver.

That's about the right price although you could spend a little less if need
be.

>I guess my question is, how much $ would it cost at minimum to get set
>up to do Ham radio?

Depends on what you want to do. Good used HF rigs go for approx. $400-$600
or so. A decent antenna like a G5RV will cost about $25 and give you between
160 meters and 10 meters. To TALK on HF you'll need at the minimum a
Technician plus license or higher. To use morse code on some HF bands any ham
license would do. The higher class license you have, the more bands and
frequencies you'll have to play on. I'll recommend going to radio shack and
getting the book called "Now your talking". Attached is info to help get you
started to learning more about ham radio.

ARRL makes getting started in ham radio easy. New and prospective hams may
call 1-800-32-NEW HAM (800-326-3942).]

HOW TO GET STARTED IN AMATEUR RADIO

Getting started in Amateur Radio has never been easier! You can
usually find a ham radio class in your area sponsored by friendly
volunteers who will help you learn the "ropes."

Two Entry-Level Licenses To Choose From

The Novice Class license lets you talk by radio using voice, Morse
code or computers. You'll take a relatively easy exam on radio
operating practices, FCC rules and basic electrical theory. You'll
also pass a 5 words-per-minute Morse code test. Novice Class
operating privileges include FM voice, digital packet,
single-sideband voice and Morse code. Novice operators can use
many of the popular shortwave frequencies (below 30 Megahertz) to

communicate worldwide using Morse code, and on one shortwave
frequency band they can even use voice.

The Technician Class license NO LONGER REQUIRES A MORSE CODE
EXAMINATION, and gives you all ham radio privileges above 30
Megahertz. You'll pass a relatively easy exam on radio operating
practices, FCC rules and basic electrical theory. Technician Class
operating privileges include FM voice, digital packet, satellite,
television, single-sideband voice and several other interesting
modes. You can make international radio contacts via satellites,
using relatively simple equipment.

Where Do I Start?

The American Radio Relay League (ARRL) and others publish ham radio
license study guides to help you learn the things you'll need to
pass your exam and have fun with Amateur Radio. ARRL can also
assist you in finding ham operators in your area who'd like to help
you get started.

The ARRL Educational Activities Department (EAD) distributes a
"Prospective Ham Package" that is sent at no cost to you. The
material describes Amateur Radio, popular ARRL study guides, and
includes a list of your local ham radio clubs, ham radio classes
and volunteer examiners in your area. Contact us for a
"Prospective Ham Package", today!:

TOLL-FREE -- 1-800-32-NEW HAM (our New Prospect "Hot Line")
mail -- ARRL EAD, 225 Main St, Newington CT 06111
phone -- (203) 666-1541
fax -- (203) 665-7531
e-mail -- pbudnik@arrl.org

(Make sure to include a specific request for the "Prospective Ham
Package" and include your postal address because there is too much
material to send via e-mail or fax.)

Added Notes from KB2SMS:

Radio Shack (as well as ham radio stores of coarse!) sells the EXCELLENT
ARRL book called "Now your talking" which will teach you everything you
need to know to get your Technician class license.
Call the toll free number above to get the "Prospective ham package" however.

Visit the ARRL web site at http://www.arrl.org for more info as well.

>Thanks.
>
>Richard Mumm
>rmumm@orednet.org

Tom

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
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APRS on 145.790 - Dutchess county,N.Y.
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

2667. FS/FT: Cushcraft R5 Vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <34F382C8.1888@mci.com>
Source record: 152375

FS/FT: Cushcraft R5 Vertical

I have a like new Cushcraft R5 vertical antenna for sale. Excellent limited space no radials antenna.

This antenna was used for just over a year, and been in storage for the last five years. Extremely clean, almost like brand new. Complete with all hardware and documentation, in the original box and packing materials.

Work 10, 12, 15, 17, and 20 meter with this highly efficient vertical radiator only 17 feet tall.

I want $200 + shipping.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

2668. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f38683.102957908@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152376
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 20:10:24 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day G3PHO) wrote:
>On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 10:36:41 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>>On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 22:44:48 GMT, p.day@virgin.net (Peter Day G3PHO) wrote:
>>>>Maybe you'll have lead-free gasoline and catalytic converters in your
>>> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>>>which in turn increase the fuel consumption so causing us to use more
>>>fuel than we did before and so deplete our natural resources faster!
>>>(A qualified car mechanic told me this ... so unless you're an expert
>>>on cars don't flame me :)))
>>
>>The only real benefit to leaded gas is reduced valve wear in certain
>>older engines.
>
><snip>
>
>My comment was aimed at the poorer fuel consumption experience after
>the introduction of catalytic converters (not at the use of unleaded
>fuel)....my original posting underlined the cat converter with the
>^^^^^ symbol but it did not come out that way on the newsgroup!

Yeah, but it was cat converters that forced adoption of lead free gas.
The lead poisoned the platinum catalyst. Turns out there are other
benefits to removing the lead, however, such as much longer spark
plug life. The valve wear problem was the only real downside, and
that's a solved problem.

>When questioning the dealer who supplied our latest car (a 1.2 litre
>General Motors thing) about the poor mpg (only 32 in the city and a
>bare 40 to 42 on the motorway) and comparing this performance to our
>previous car, a Fiat of the same capacity (44 in town and 56 mpg on
>the open road) we were informed that catalytic converters degraded
>mpgs by as much as 30 percent or so...

Then GM Europe is trying to cut corners. We've had low backpressure
cat converters over here for years. Our big V8s and V10s wouldn't be
happy with restricted breathing. The MPG for our vehicles has increased
since the introduction of cats. Of course a low backpressure cat is pretty
large, probably wouldn't fit under the shoeboxes sold in Europe, but a pair
of them go nicely under a 4x4 pickup (which our government just informed
us in a backhanded way is 25 times less likely to result in a fatality for its
occupants than an econobox in a collision). There are good reasons why
we like to drive heavy iron besides the fact that it makes a wonderful
counterpoise for our HF antennas.

>Anyway, what's this to do with amateur radio? :))

Nothing. But it is a nice break from the code/no code wars.

Gary
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2669. F.S. ICOM IC-275H..... 2 METER ALL-MODE ... 100W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n6hkf@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225032500.WAA02788@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152377

I have a Icom 275H in great cond. 2 meter all- mode out put 100 watts, notch filter,2 vfo, 100 mem., tone encode,ect. ... Come with hand mic., manual,pwr. cord, $795.00 I will ship in lower 48 state. ... E-mail me direct .

7 3 de N6HKF
Chuck
N6HKF@JUNO.COM

2670. Re: SGC 2020 Good Buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6d033j$pi4$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 152378

In article <34F2CF80.4476@flinet.com>, hsilvia@flinet.com wrote:
>I've been considering a protable HF rig for a while now and have noticed
>SGC's recent entry into the market, the model 2020. Has any one had any
>experience with this radio? Maybe it was shown at Dayton or Miami.

Don't know how "protable" it is, but it certainly looks portable! :^)

In any case, according to their web site, http://www.sgcworld.com the
unit is just now being shipped, if at all yet, so don't expect any reviews
quite yet. I've been waiting to see one first hand, myself.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

2671. Ten-Tec Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: millerm@merle.acns.nwu.edu
Message-ID: <6d02u0$7gg@news.acns.nwu.edu>
Source record: 152379

I am considering purchasing a Ten-Tec Scout. It seems to fit my budget
and entry needs as a new ham with strong interest in CW. Anyone out
there have any opinions or experience with it? Are there any
similar rigs I should consider? Thanks!
Michael L Miller
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL. USA
millerm@merle.acns.nwu.edu

2672. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f39526.106705641@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152380
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 18:39:06 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) wrote:
>On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 10:21:54 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>
>>And indeed DTV terrestrial broadcasting starts here in October of this year,
>>which will neatly leapfrog your primitive analog system. But tell us, Walt, what
>>sort of color TV did you have in 1954? We had NTSC, you had zip.
>
>The obvious response to that challenge is to ask what sort of TV
>service, full stop, did you have in the 1930's? We had BBC TV from
>Alexandra Palace, you had zip.

Oh I don't know about that. We had fully electronic television (525 line 60 Hz)
starting with round the clock broadcasts from the New York World's Fair in the
30s. And by 1948 we had a national network (NBC) running a full schedule
offering newscasts and entertainment programming. CBS joined in soon
after, and ABC came in with a full schedule 10 years later. How long did it
take before you had 3 full schedule (7AM to 1AM) competitive national networks?

>>Being first
>>sometimes means you don't get to take advantage of an incremental improvement
>>like PAL due to installed base.
>
>It didn't stop us from upgrading from 30 lines to 405 lines in the
>1940's, nor again to 625 lines in the 1950's, nor again to PAL
>colo[u]r in the 1960's. Being first didn't seem to prevent *us* from
>making incremental improvements over the years.

Yeah, but then you didn't have an installed base of 100 million sets
in the 1950s either. We did. When we went color, we had to stay
compatible with that base. Of course our TV has always been
private enterprise and has had to maintain a customer base. Your
government owned monopoly could care less.

>Here in Europe, we were leaders in the field of direct broadcast
>satellites with small (less than 1 metre diameter) receiving dishes.
>Meanwhile in North America, you were still playing around with clumsy
>10m diameter dishes like miniature radio telescopes in your backyards.

Actually that was 3 meter dishes. 10 meter dishes were only needed for
uplink stations. Now nearly every suburban rooftop seems to be sprouting
a 45 cm dish for DSS (500 channels). But there are still a lot of the older
3m dishes in rural America. DSS has a monthly charge. Most of the C
band programming is still free (or dirt cheap) because it is advertiser
supported. I have a 3m dish and enjoy watching a lot of the raw pre-feeds

on the back haul channels, and have been since distribution went to satellite in 1984. Have you been getting satellite TV that long?

Gary

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2673. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f39c8f.108602508@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152381
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 19:21:36 +0000, Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
wrote:
>Natural gas burns much cleaner than any other fossil fuel (CO2 and SO2)

Greenhouse gases. Oh the horror!!!

>Predictions are that current 'known' reserves will last until at least
>2025

And we've operated under a projected 25-30 year reserve every year
since 1900. In 2025 they'll probably be telling us we have enough reserves
to go until 2050, at a higher price of course. Meanwhile we have right here
in the US alone enough proven coal reserves to meet the world's energy
demands at current levels for 1,000 years. Of course we aren't using much
of that right now. Most of our generation has switched to natural gas, gotta
eat up that 25 year reserve you know so the gas companies can increase
their prices.

If anyone seriously cared about the environment, we'd stop greenhouse
gas production cold and switch to a fully nuclear powered energy system.
We have tens of thousands of years worth of proven reserves for that.
Instead of gigatons of CO2 and megatons of fly ash to dispose of every
year, we'd have a few hundred pounds of hot stuff to pile out in a desert
somewhere and put a fence around.

But that won't happen because 1 in 7 jobs revolves around fossil fuel
production, distribution, and consumption. There's too much money
and too much vested interest in keeping that system going to its last
gasp.

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2674. GE Exec specs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Keizer <ve4drk@mbnet.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <34F3A094.A33ED228@mbnet.mb.ca>
Source record: 152382

Greetings ...
my ham brother passed on to me a radio a few months prior that he wasn't making any use of that he picked up from a friend a while back. He doesn't know much about it, and no manual, so I'm looking for some helpful insights.

It's a GE EXEC, nameplate info is as follows:

EXEC MOBILE RT-42767
EU = RG64TAS33
ET=72-A
ER=46-A
SERIAL=5031628
DOT=101391002

If the GE Mastr II info page is pertinent to this radio, the info indicates it's a 41-80 watt radio, 20khz channel spacing, tone remote, 1 xmit freq, 1 recv freq, standard options, 42.50MHZ.
It's currently crystalled on 46.96 simplex.
The info doesn't exactly coincide with the code on this radio and I'm not sure if it's the same radio...

Two tubes in the final section are: 7984 and 8106.

Any helpful insights??

Thanks & 73, de Dan ve4drk

2675. Re: HF Equipment Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <34f39dd2.2131975@news.one.net>
Source record: 152383

I think that the TS-x50 series was a replacement to the TS-x40 series
product line. Therefore the TS-450 replaced the TS-440, and the
TS-950 replaced the TS-940. In addition, Kenwood introduced a class
of rig that was in between the TS-450 and the TS-950, which was the
TS-850 at the same time.

Since the TS-850 is one class higher than the TS-450, which is one
generation newer than the TS-440, so the price different is a little
bit more substantial.

On 24 Feb 1998 03:57:06 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:

>Would someone be kind enough to define the key differences between the
>TS-850 and the TS-440S which justify the $400+ difference in the used
>price? I am unfamiliar with the 850. Also, how does the 940 fit into the
>mix?
>Thanks! & 73, DavidC AA1FA
>
>> I agree with W6VZV. The TS-850 at a kilobuck will, IMHO, outperform
>> any newer rig that sells for less than $1800.
>> >2. I have seen used TS850 rigs for a grand. Now, I own one
>> >of these radios, and if you can get a used one that is clean
>> >(they are around) you will love it. It is a first-class
>> >radio, really essentially as good as the 4 grand rigs for
>> >most hams.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

2676. WTB-Service Manual-TS-850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225045600.XAA13669@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152384

I need a service manual for a Kenwood TS-850. Does anyone have one that they will sell?
73, George, K1RBS

2677. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f3a1e5.109969079@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152385
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 22:44:47 GMT, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk (Jim Dunnett) wrote:
>On Mon, 23 Feb 98 21:02:58 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>
>>Naw, the Americans can look after themselves, but it was a cheap shot
>>nonetheless.
>
>It's the mess they make when they try to look after
>us that worries me.

Ah, well. Germany is reunited now. I hear they have
some pretty good tanks. Tell me, what's the life
expectancy of an archduke in Sarajevo these days?

If it were up to me, all our boys would be home right now.
Too many have died in Europe this century cleaning up
your messes. Next time we should stay home and let
you settle it among yourselves.

And that goes for the Middle East too. We should sell
them all the arms they have cash to buy and let them
go at it until they all kill each other. After the glass
cools down a bit, Bechtel can go back in and reopen
the wells.

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2678. Re: Dalton GA Hamfest 2/28/98

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: airboy@juno.com
Message-ID: <34f4ac67.49910141@news.c-com.net>
Source record: 152386

What are the date and times of the Hamfest? Where in town is it
located? I will be in trenton GA this weekend and would liket to
visit the hamfest.

73s...
Ken

2679. Re: FS-SWR/PWR meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: airboy@juno.com
Message-ID: <34f5ad78.50183422@news.c-com.net>
Source record: 152387

Is your meter the NS 660A or the NS 660PA?

73s...
Ken

2680. Re: Has anyone connected a TNC to an Icom 706 Mk II?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <34F38BC8.26C3@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 152388

Web Williams wrote:
>
> I see in the book that they show all connections being made
> through the microphone connector. I wonder if you could connect
> your TNC to the mike connector on the rear, and the mike to the
> connector on the front, and not have to switch anything? (keep
> both hooked up all the time?)
>
> I once tried connecting my TNC to my Icom 735 through the ACC
> connector on the back, and could not get enough audio to drive
> the TNC. So, I'm skeptical that the ACC connector on the 706
> or the mike connector (either one) will have enough oomph to
> drive the TNC, and that I may have to draw audio from the
> speaker jack in any case. Is that the way this is going to
> have to work?
>
> Input appreciated- snake's already bitten me once- don't want
> it to happen again- these RJ-45's are too much trouble to put
> on to be installed incorrectly! I want to do it right the first
> time, unlike the trial and error I had with my 735.
>

I've used both connectors and it works. I use the back connector
to connect to a remote base controller (so I can operate the
706 from my HT) and the front connector for the mic. The
easist way to do is is to buy a short CAT 5 patch cable and
cut it in half. The you have the connector already wire for
you... you just have to take a ohmmeter and make sure you
know which colors are connected to which pins. You don't
get much of a shield that way, but as nearly as I can tell,
there's no way the shield could be grounded at the radio
anyway with this type of connector.

73, John W2FS

2681. Re: JRC NRD-1EL does anyboday know what this is?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6JCW@juno.com
Message-ID: <6d0ajv$psu@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 152389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34F3361A.41C67EA6@xilinx.com>, Jonathan Ho <jho@xilinx.com> wrote:
>Dear Netter,
>
>As title, As far as I know this is a tube type communication
>receiver made by Japan Radio Corp and covers ~1MHz to 30MHz with
>AM SSB and CW modes. I would like to get more information about
>this radio.
>
>Tnx.
>
>Jonathan

Jonathan, You might try the JRC web site at:

http://www.jrc.co.jp/

Cheers... Bob W6JCW

2682. WTB: COLLINS 312B-4 & 516F-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6eg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980225062300.BAA01661@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152390

LOOKING FOR COLLINS 312B-4 STATION CONTROL AND
COLLINS 516F-2 POWER SUPPLY WITH CABINET IN GOOD CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE
PRICE...
Ed
k6eg@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/k6eg/tijera.html

2683. Re: BEER (was FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn6fcbih.jd.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>
Source record: 152092
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 21:28:39 GMT,
Jim Dunnett <olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk> wrote:

>This 'Jock' is exiled in a country where they don't have
>light and heavy. I drink continental lager* as I can't
>stomach the English chemical lager or their warm bitter,
>which has a lot in common with dishwater (or ink).
>
>>(This is on-topic in rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, isn't it??)
>
>!!!!
>
>* Continental lagers brewed there, not those churned out
> by Courage masquerading as Stella or Kronenburg!

Ah, you get that also. I recall ordering a bottle of Loewenbrau in
Atlanta 20 years ago and thinking I had received something from a bad
batch until I looked at the label and saw it was brewed here in the
states.

Caveat emptor.

--
Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@01.w6swe.ampr.org
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen/

2684. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn6fcbut.jd.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>
Source record: 152093
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 17:44:24 +0000,
Ivor D. Jones <ivor.g6urp@nospam.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>>
>>>> > You guys are arguing over color TV and gasoline? Where are your
>>priorities?
>>>> > GB certainly has better beer, and that's where American progress ought to
>>be
>>>> >aimed.
>>>>
>>
>>>I agree that GB has better WARM beer, but what respectable
>>>Yankee would drink warm beer to begin with !!!!
>
>It's obvious the writer of the last line above has never tried Real Ale!
>Most of the Americans I know who've been to the UK like it almost as
>much as I do!

Unfortunately most of the places which serve it here feel they have to
chill it.

--
Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@01.w6swe.ampr.org
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen/

2685. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34F63757.A127CFE5@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 152094
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> >> How right you are! So many consumers (which is, to me, a derogatory
> >>term, meaning advertising believers, in previous times known as suckers)
> >>cannot seem to understand that higher octane gasoline does not give you
> >>more power, or more mileage, from an engine designed for lower octane.
> >>It is a physical impossibility. I first discovered this while reading a
> >>1918 textbook on internal combustion engine design. It is interesting
> >>how very little fundamental knowledge is really NEW!

True, octane doesn't give a measure of raw power of 1 gallon of gas, but it does determine how much use a gasoline internal combustion engine can get out of it. If you try getting the same horsepower from two fuels of different octane, but gasoline all the same, you are going to fry or blow holes in your pistons, not to mention crack heads and blow cylinder gaskets, and even wrinkle rods and bend crankshafts. Detonation cannot be tolerated, so to up the power of a gasoline engine, you MUST run higher octane. Sure you have detonation sensors, but all they do is back the timing (aka power) off until a safe level of detonation is achieved. Detonation sensors therefore allow more power for a given amount of gas under certain conditions, but not that much. They are also required hardware in a turbo motor (gasoline types).

Later,

David

2686. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34F6388E.1264BFF3@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 152095
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:

> On 1998-02-26 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
> snip
> dl>ever be manufactured. At least of I die from ash, green house gases,
> dl>or nuclear radiation, I'll have my mental faculties until I am too
> dl>debilitated for it to matter, with lead, that isn't an option. Just
> dl>my view, David
>
> Er, one small point. In Scotland (and no doubt many other parts of the
> UK) there are villages where there were lead mines until the very recent
> past.
>
> The locals don't seem peculiar in any way; and the many tourist visitors
> to the insides of the mines would appear to be there voluntarily.
>

But turn production up to the level needed for enough batteries to keep the world in cars, and the small percentage margins from those mines will grow with the increased mining. Then you have processing, battery assembly, dead batteries that somehow missed the recycling center, etc.....

I'd much rather have a plutonium breeder reactor literally in my backyard (these are capable of supercritical bomb masses on meltdown, for the uninformed), than a lead anything plant 20 miles away.

David

2687. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34F643EE.A2FD5B2C@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 152096
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Simon Lewis wrote:

> In article <34f4f12f3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
> rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
> >You obviously haven't heard a Cummings Diesel in a Dodge pickup. It's
> >really LOUD. What's so hard, though about driving up a three thousand foot
> >mountain? That's not very big, as mountains go.
>
> Maybe not in BC but it is here! What I was saying is that try that in
> your average family car!
>

If there is a good road, why not? Most luxury cars are built well here in the USA. If there quality isn't even always up to par, typically the power still is, and since Japan scared the crud out of the American manufacturers, America has even got its quality back up ....

Later,

David

2688. Re: ## HELP ## Need info on re-charging a battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34F65EB3.251B8034@triax.com>
Source record: 152097

How do you know they're in perfect condition if you have never charged
them. You need to know if they're lead acid, jell cell or nicad.

WildThang wrote:

> Can some one help me?
>
> I have found 2 rechargable batteries that are in perfect condition but
> I have no idea how to charge them. They are 12v 7amp (lead acid I
> think). What kind of power, amprage, do I use to try and recharge
> these?
>
> Thanks for your help.
> Lance
>
> Lance@wwisp.com.com with out the 2nd .com (spammers)
> Do The WildThang Baby!~
> ~~KiLl SpAm~~

2689. Re: Suggestions for Dual Band FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34F66529.B708D46@triax.com>
Source record: 152098

You can buy a Yaesu FT-8500 brand new for $379.95 at most any of the Ham radio stores. You can get one from HRO at that price and they will pay the shipping. I just purchased one two weeks ago and I just love it. It displays both vhf and uhf. It will do cross band repeater. You want the one with the MH-39 mic. Go to the web page and check it out. http://www.yaesu.com/ft8500.html

Bob W7CTW

Blackie Lawless wrote:

> I am looking for a Dual band 2/440 radio with cross band repat (full
> duplex?) capabilities. It will be used for cross band repeating on my
> favorite simplex frequency so I can use my HT while out in the yard
> and get more range (The HT is also a Dual Bander). I am looking to
> spend around $400. I see in the new market dual banders go for around
> $650. I will be looking in the used market and would like some advice
> on what to possibly get and what a resonalble price would be.
>
> We have several traders nets here in the area, and that will be the
> first place I try.
>
> Thanks in advance.

2690. Re: HELP: Yaesu FL 2100B Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34F6616E.7687E6D5@triax.com>
Source record: 152099

I have a SB-200. All I ever did was set the meter to REL PWR and tuned for maximum power out with the tune and load control. Don't key it for more than 10 to 15 seconds at a time. I also have a muffin fan on top of the amp. I built the SB-200 myself about 15 years ago and it still has the original 572s in it.
Bob W7CTW

Clark Savage Turner wrote:

> In <19980224014401.UAA29881@ladder03.news.aol.com> mailfrmpa@aol.com (MailfrmPA) writes:
>
> >I'd be surprised if this amp called for having the plate dipped! Select the
> >switch position for PWR OUT, and tune for max. Then, check the GRID range. If
> >its over 500ma, reduce the drive from the exciter. In key-down CW, 500 ma. is
> >max..For telephany, keep the plate below 250ma.
>
> Maybe OK, but the pair of 572B's in other amps do indeed call for
> a dipping of the plate (as in SB-200 and others like the Yaesu).
> You need to dip the plate at low LOADing before you bring it up and
> tune for maximum output.
>
> Anyway, good luck, it is a good amp.
>
> Clark
> WA3JPG

2691. Re: Want Microphone Plugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34F65D2A.DE5E6D2@triax.com>
Source record: 152100

I think the FT-227R is a 4 pin connector. You can get the connectors at Radio Shack. I don't know what the other connector is.
Bob W7CTW

James Shanks wrote:

> Thanks for reading this. I am in need of two each mic. plugs for the Yaesu
> Memorizer FT-227R & FT-720R. Both plugs fit the microphone cable, not the
> receptacle that is in the radio. I need two plugs for each radio. Both
> radios are to be used on packet and phone with an mfj mic/tnc switch box.
>
> Thanks in advance for any and all help.
>
> --
> xn1vbn@bit-net.com
> N1VBN IS MY HAM RADIO CALLSIGN
> Remove the X to reply. Done to spoil
> automated e-mail spammers.

2692. Need programing info for Standard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Sien <phonic@futureone.com>
Message-ID: <34f5a765.0@news.futureone.com>
Source record: 152101

I am looking for frequency programming information for a Standard UHF mobile radio Model # C766L It uses diode programming and I have lost the chart!

Please help!!
Dave

2693. WTB: EZ-Clone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sta.REMOVETHIS@a-info.dk
Message-ID: <34f5b76e.2487717@news.uni2.dk>
Source record: 152142

Want to buy EZ Clone, required cable and manuals for the Kenwwod
TM-V7.

Steffen Arnecke (sta@a-info.dk)

2694. Re: TS950S Digital VS TS950SD Difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <34F5B6EF.D3E@netdoor.com>
Source record: 152143

John,

If your rig has in bold print, right on the top, right, frontal area
says "TS 950S DIGITAL, YOUU HAVE A TS-950SD. AND I don't know the
difference between it and a "TS-950" without nuttin' extra.

Butch KF5DEMANOUS wrote:
>
> Anyone know the difference between the TS950 s Digital and the TS950SD? I have
> the TS950S Digital which I purchased about a month ago and was told it was the
> 950SD. It does have the digital unit under the rig. Anyone also know the
> difference in price between the two. And the difference in electronics. I am
> very happy with the unit but just not sure how much I overpaid.
>
> Thanks
> John

2695. AT-250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <6d4elpqi1@proxye3.maine.rr.com>
Source record: 152144

Was wondering if someone can give me some information on the at-250 auto tuner. I have a KW TS140-S and was interested in the auto tuner for this rig. If someone could give me some information on how it works in conjunction with the rig I would appreciate it.

Thanks in advance and 73's N1ZPC

2696. Re: AT-250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom O'Brion <tobrion@maine.rr.com>
Message-ID: <6d4epm$1ha$1@proxye3.maine.rr.com>
Source record: 152145

Needed to resend as I forgot to place my return address. Sorry.....

@maine.rr.com <@maine.rr.com> wrote in message ...
>Was wondering if someone can give me some information on the at-250 auto
>tuner. I have a KW TS140-S and was interested in the auto tuner for this
>rig. If someone could give me some information on how it works in
>conjunction with the rig I would appreciate it.
>
>Thanks in advance and 73's N1ZPC
>
>

2697. Kenwood service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobm@accesscom.com
Message-ID: <34f6c4cc.3432349@snews.accesscom.com>
Source record: 152146

I have a Kenwood radio that needs to go in for service. Please send me an email if you know the address or how to get a hold of them. I tried www.kenwood.com and found out about car stereo's.
Thanks
Bob

2698. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mzenier@netcom.com
Message-ID: <mzenierEp019p.Cvu@netcom.com>
Source record: 152147
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f39526.106705641@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 18:39:06 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) wrote:
>
>Oh I don't know about that. We had fully electronic television (525 line 60 Hz)
>starting with round the clock broadcasts from the New York World's Fair in the
>30s.

1936, and the BBC had to use Philo Farnsworth's camera, cause theirs
didn't work. Farnsworth's whole system pretty much made Baird throw
in the towel.

The early US systems were 400some lines. The horizontal sweep derived
high voltage must have come after they went to 525, because at 12 kHz,
the flyback squeal would have driven everybody nuts.

Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com mzenier@netcom.com

2699. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34F5BF84.32D2C469@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 152148
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Laurence Taylor wrote:

> Fine, if they can ensure that the atomic plant will be 100 per cent safe
> 100 per cent of the time, with no leaks, explosions, meltdowns, blowups,
> etc. The UK processing plant at Windscale is notorious for springing
> leaks. And what are you actually going to do ith all the hot waste that
> is currently buried in a field or slung in the sea?

You may be suprised, but there are plants on the board right now, that if implemented, can come pretty near 100% safe/100% leak free. And in America, they most likely will end up implemented. Now, getting rid of gas powered cars is going to be another thing entirely. No batteries can yet match the storage capacity per pound of a gallon of 93 octane gas. If they did, I would drive an electric car, but until I have enough power to waste power in my car, I'm not driving a boring electric one, maybe thats just an American thing, but hey, I am what I am. I also will NOT support lead acid battery powered car efforts. I'd rather breathe ash, deal with green house effects, or absorb nuclear radiation than deal with the lead that ends up leaking out from lead acid battery production once it ramps up to the levels necessary to build batteries for every car that will ever be manufactured. At least of I die from ash, green house gases, or nuclear radiation, I'll have my mental faculties until I am too debilitated for it to matter, with lead, that isn't an option.

Just my view,

David

2700. WTB: Kenwood SP--31 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5ca9$d116ebe0$62f21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 152149

Hi all, Looking for a clean , no scratches KNWD SP--31 Speaker.

Thank you for reading this want. 73, Marty WA2MC.

2701. Re: Kenwood service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <6d4ikg$dbi@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 152150

In <34f6c4cc.3432349@snews.accesscom.com> bobm@accesscom.com (Robert Murrow) writes:

>I have a Kenwood radio that needs to go in for service. Please send me
>an email if you know the address or how to get a hold of them. I tried
>www.kenwood.com and found out about car stereo's.

Hi Bob:

I have the info at home, it is there. I just dealt with the new
Kenwood service center and they are responsive, I only waited 4
days for service, better than most. And the radio was fixed, too :-).

Clark
WA3JPG

2702. Re: Yaesu FT-847 When is it comming out?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F5CBF3.7C3F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152151

Tom Nicastri wrote:
>
> Anyone know when the FT-847 rig can be purchased? It has HF, 2M 440 and
> 6m. Its on the back cover of QST Feb issue.
>
> I dont know why they advertise this stuff when you cant get your hands on
> it.

I saw the HRO ad that says NEW and to call for a price. I do and get an
angry salesman who is sick of guys calling (I can't blame him).
Perhaps Yaesu/Icom should say:"coming soon. We will Email you when it is
available if you leave your Email address. Please don't call the 1-800
tel # as that costs us money.
73's Steve NS1R

2703. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <fsLnnGAVZW90EwBo@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152152
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f4f12f3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
>You obviously haven't heard a Cummings Diesel in a Dodge pickup. It's
>really LOUD. What's so hard, though about driving up a three thousand foot
>mountain? That's not very big, as mountains go.

Maybe not in BC but it is here! What I was saying is that try that in
your average family car!

>
>>>
>>>I suspect point 4 is the deciding one, though.
>
>>I have changed over to diesel in the UK because of the cost. I believe
>>recent figures show an upward trend in EU towards diesel.
>
>Many years ago, diesel fuel here was substantially cheaper than gasoline.
>At one time, back in the 70's, using diesel was considerably cheaper than
>gasoline. Not any more, though, so why bother with the extra cost of
>buying and servicing diesels?
>
>73, Bob, VE7HS

Why not? If the fuel is cheaper and the engines available.

Simon
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| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
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2704. Suggestions for Dual Band FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: blackie@gate.net
Message-ID: <34f5d378.80014717@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 152153

I am looking for a Dual band 2/440 radio with cross band repat (full duplex?) capabilities. It will be used for cross band repeating on my favorite simplex frequency so I can use my HT while out in the yard and get more range (The HT is also a Dual Bander). I am looking to spend around $400. I see in the new market dual banders go for around $650. I will be looking in the used market and would like some advice on what to possibly get and what a resonalble price would be.

We have several traders nets here in the area, and that will be the first place I try.

Thanks in advance.

2705. Re: Yaesu FT-847 When is it comming out?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <34F5D723.74DA@ccnet.com>
Source record: 152154

> I saw the HRO ad that says NEW and to call for a price. I do and get an
> angry salesman who is sick of guys calling (I can't blame him).

That must be Ken in Sunnyvale, CA.......hi hi hi

Don, W6IQ

2706. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Q5BDzLAXpX90EwRm@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152155
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

No Ed,
>> How right you are! So many consumers (which is, to me, a derogatory
>>term, meaning advertising believers, in previous times known as suckers)
>>cannot seem to understand that higher octane gasoline does not give you
>>more power, or more mileage, from an engine designed for lower octane.
>>It is a physical impossibility. I first discovered this while reading a
>>1918 textbook on internal combustion engine design. It is interesting
>>how very little fundamental knowledge is really NEW!
>>
>
> Yeah, we got the lead out alright! sigh .... now if we would only get all
>the sulfer out!
What we really out of gasoline are ALL the additives, that way we can go
back to the early vapour carb's patented ideas, reduce emissions to the
high 90's level and get 100-200MPG.
Fat chance.

Phil G4ZOW

2707. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wayne@hoxnet.com
Message-ID: <34f5cc97.281210489@ntserv02>
Source record: 152156
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 09:31:43 +0000, Simon Lewis
<pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>Yep thats right good old nuclear. What is it about americans and their
>fixation with atomic anything. Its not just a few hundred pounds of hot
>stuff either, its thousands upon thousands of kilos of lowgrade waste
>like clothing/tools etc that need to be disposed of. And then what about
>the stations when they reach the end of their life, you going to bury
>that as well! sic. We already have enough waste to worry about. Oh and
>atomic energy is safe? 3 mile island and Chernobyl prove that its not
>and when things go wrong - as they do - then you end up contaminating
>billions of sqaure kilometres. Some farmers in the highlands and lakes
>are still not allow to sell lamb because of the high levels of Strontium
>90 in the meat, caused by Chernobyl fallout.

Three Mile Island (TMI) was a testament to the safety measures
built-in to the US reactors (Soviet reactors are a different story).
The operators at TMI (unknowingly) pretty much did everything they
possibly could have WRONG! Three times the emergency reactor fill
systems were initiated by automatic control and all three times they
manually shut them off! When a steam bubble was forming in the
reactor core, they vented coolant (instead of adding more)!

Still with all this blundering, very little (estimated--might be none)
contamination was released to the outside. When the core suffered
severe fuel element failure, the containment dome sealed itself as it
should (thank God they didn't override that). The Zirconium and
Hafnium core materials (as opposed to graphite in Soviet reactors)
held up to the extreme temperatures sustained within the core and
prevented further fission.

The main problem with Nuclear Power (in the US) is that the technology
is still classified (By the Atomic Energy Act of 1957) and because of
this, the general public has no idea how safe it really is. Only
Three Americans have every been killed related to Nuclear Power. The
conventional plants can't make a claim like that.

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Wayne D. Hoxsie Jr. KG9ME
wayne@hoxnet.com
http://www.hoxnet.com

2708. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <cZJA7FA1mX90EwyL@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152157
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

>Diesel the fuel of the future? Not likely....Hydrogen is far more likely
>as a fuel of the future than any fossil fuel, especially when the only
>byproduct is water.
I've heard about these hydrogen fuel cells, but I somehow don't like the
idea of a mobile hindenburg while keying up my current amplifier!
I also run an oil burner, infinately superior to petrol.
However if you really want to know where we're going in the future check
out my main man's site: www.friend.ly.net/GEET

Phil G4ZOW

2709. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CW <cw1@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bd42fa$4cbf3ae0$2b0337a6@hp-customer>
Source record: 152158
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>
> This isn't North America. We don't _have_ to do everything
> you Yanks do.
>

No, you don't. If your system sucks and you like it that way, fine.
>
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2710. Re: Kenwood service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2602981242570001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 152159

In article <6d4ikg$dbi@safety.ics.uci.edu>, turner@safety.ics.uci.edu (Clark Savage Turner) wrote:

>In <34f6c4cc.3432349@snews.accesscom.com> bobm@accesscom.com (Robert Murrow) writes:
>
>>I have a Kenwood radio that needs to go in for service. Please send me
>>an email if you know the address or how to get a hold of them. I tried
>>www.kenwood.com and found out about car stereo's.
>
>Hi Bob:
>
>I have the info at home, it is there. I just dealt with the new
>Kenwood service center and they are responsive, I only waited 4
>days for service, better than most. And the radio was fixed, too :-).

Check http://www.kenwood.net/contact.html

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

2711. FS ICOM MODULES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F5E099.1B92@pacbell.net>
Source record: 152160

I have for sale a 440 and a 220 module for a ic900 or 901 or can be used
with some repeater controllers.$250 each.
Lee

2712. FS: Yaesu FRG-100 Shortwave Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Halligan <halligan@capecod.net>
Message-ID: <34F5E4E3.E37A18EE@capecod.net>
Source record: 152161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings,

I have for sale a Yaesu FRG-100 general coverage table-model shortwave receiver. Radio covers 50 KHz - 30 MHz in AM, USB, LSB, CW. Will also receive HF FM signals with optional FM board (not included).

Radio was purchased new by me approx 2 years ago. It is in excellent condition with no scratches or blemishes. It has seen minimal usage. Radio can be computer controlled with Yaesu CAT interface (not included in this sale).

Comes with original box, manual, 12 VDC power supply, and schematics.

Asking $475.00 plus COD shipping, cash or money order. If interested, please respond to my E-mail address only. Thanks for reading.

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Scott
halligan@capecod.net
http://www.capecod.net/~shalliga
"Cape Cod Public Safety Radio Guide"

2713. Re: BEER (was FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f5d5b8.8440603@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 152162
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 21:37:42 -0000, "Nick"
<Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta> wrote:

>Jim Dunnett wrote in message <34f331e5.4789546@news.prestel.co.uk>...
>>On Sun, 22 Feb 1998 10:54:38 -0000, "Nick"
>><Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta> wrote:
>>
>>>Maybe one day they'll have real beer.
>>
>>Maybe one day we will. Or real lager anyway..

>
>The Guinness here is fine, thanks.

Glad to hear it.

>The current trend stateside seem to be
>"microbrews" which to be honest tasted to me like
>those home-made beer kits.

Some people here make some excellent home-made beer.
Most of it better than the tasteless sap you buy in
the pubs.

>Thought you Jocks drank "heavy" (5 /- or whatever it was)

This 'Jock' is exiled in a country where they don't have
light and heavy. I drink continental lager* as I can't
stomach the English chemical lager or their warm bitter,
which has a lot in common with dishwater (or ink).

>(This is on-topic in rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, isn't it??)

!!!!

* Continental lagers brewed there, not those churned out
by Courage masquerading as Stella or Kronenburg!

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2714. Re: BEER (was FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta>
Message-ID: <6d4ntc$m71$1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 152163
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Walt Davidson wrote in message <34fc30eb.6558476@news.dial.pipex.com>...
>On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 21:37:42 -0000, "Nick" <Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta>
>wrote:
>
>>Thought you Jocks drank "heavy" (5 /- or whatever it was)
>>
>>(This is on-topic in rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, isn't it??)
>
>No less than any of the other contributions today.
>
>I downloaded 60 new messages in this newsgroup this morning.
>Of those, only 5 were even remotely relevant to amateur radio! More
>than half were concerned with the pros and cons of different types of
>internal combustion engines. Others addressed such topics as the
>Americans' role in WW-II, the veracity of scientists' claims of global
>warming, the ethics of generating electricity by nuclear power,
>apportionment of blame for the BSE epidemic in the UK, the depth of
>dust on the surface of the moon, the price of diesel fuel in various
>countries, the average winter temperature in British Columbia, the
>comparative temperatures of beer in the USA and Britain, etc, etc ....
>
>Remarkably, there was not a single reference to the shortcomings of
>the RSGB, no disparaging remarks about Class B licensees nor about the
>old-age pensioners on 80 metres, no fresh contributions to the "Morse
>Code" debate ... and only one flame against G3ZHI.
>
>How times have changed! ;-)
>

Well Walt, that must be your fault. It's generally a bigoted comment from
yourself about G-Nothings, G7s, repeater users, ex-CBers, the "guess-tick"
RAE et al that sparks things off.

If the farts on 80m are that old, why is it "80 metres" not 260ft?

Nick
(a G7, ex-CBer but NOT a repeater user)

2715. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <VEvltDAHSe90EwjZ@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152164
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f4771c.12353457@news.dial.pipex.com>, Walt Davidson
<no.junk.mail@thank.you> writes
>On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 09:01:51 +0000, Simon Lewis
><pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
>>>4. Diesel fuel here costs about the same as gasoline
>>
>>Cheaper here
>
>Only the "pink" variety. :-)
>
>Regular diesel is almost always the same price as unleaded petrol.
>
>73 de G3NYY
>

Might be where you have high prices anyway - diesel locally has always
been 3 - 4p /ltr cheaper! Hence the purchase of a landrover discovery!

Current price is 59.9p/ltr against 63.9p and 64.9p ltr in two local
emporiums.

73 Simon
+--+
| Simon Lewis GM4PLM Editor - EMN |
| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
+--+

2716. Scanners for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: JohnG <KB2VOJ@BIGFOOT.COM>
Message-ID: <6d4p2n$feo@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152165
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

BC 3000 XLT - all original accessories, box, manual. Excellent condition - $260

RS Pro 26 (20-506) all original accessories, manual, no box. Good condition - $150

Relm HS200 - All original accessories, box, manual. Good condition - $155

All prices include shipping. - Thanks.

John - KB2VOJ@BIGFOOT.COM

2717. Re: Yaesu competion to 706 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1n2fegh97.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 152166

"Ken Bickel" <ac4vv@megsinet.net> writes:

> Ken wrote in message <34EC90B9.660F@fccvde.mro1.dec.com>...
> >Has anyone heard any rumors of Yaesu coming out with something to
> >compete with the IC-706 MK 11 ???\
> >
> >Ken, N1KK
>
> I do believe Yaesu is coming out with a new rig that goes from 160 meters to
> 70cm. YUP - 6, 2 and 440 plus HF. Check the ham zines for ads.
> Ken, AC4VV

Both the HRO and the AES catalogs have short blurbs on the new Yaesu.
If I did not already own (and love) an ICOM 706 Mark II, and if I did
not want to take my sole HF radio mobile, I would be ordering the
Yaesu. Alas, the new Yaesu (drool!) is in a base station form factor.
It is not a cute little AM/FM car stereo sized unit like the ICOM 706
Mark II. OTOH, I believe the new Yaesu has both DSP and an automatic
antenna tuner built in (but I could be wrong on either of those, so
please check the manufacturer's literature).

--
Marc Illsley Clarke, KB0YDL, KB0YDL@N0MPI.#NECO.CO.USA.NOAM
marcclarke@unforgettable.com
4857 North Sheridan Avenue, Loveland, Colorado 80538-1767 USA
(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of
any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

2718. Re: Scanners for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean M. Gilligan" <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <34F64180.2AF2A315@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 152167
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

It sells for $179 new @ Ace Comm

JohnG wrote:
> Relm HS200 - All original accessories, box,
manual. Good condition - $155

2719. Re: vco voltage???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cellboy@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <cellboy-2602982030290001@206.135.217.200>
Source record: 152168
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

If the radio is within spec (freq wise) across the band, the vco voltage
is probably correct. Now one thing you can check., is the amplititude of
the vco decreasing as you go across the band. If this is true you will
have a lower signal into the mixer,,,,,lower power out. One last thing
when you you notice a decrease in power do you notice an increase of
current draw??? This could indicate an impedance mismatch. If its
lower,...look at the vco.

In article <01bd3b73$f17caec0$021871ce@default>, "N1rsq" <kimo9@idt.net> wrote:

> I need some clarafication on something i was told in line with a power
> output problem IVE been having.
> first ....i have a dualbander that on UHF puts out more power on the
> lower edge of the band than the top.
>
> now another ham told me after getting the repair manual from yaseu that
> i should check the vco voltage and compare it with the specs in the manual.
>
> well, the voltage is a little low, but the radio is on freq across the
> band.
>
> so, my question- is the other ham right in saying that the vco voltage is
> causing the low power output. and if this is true do i need to realign the
> radio according to the procedure in the repair manual
>
> DON N1RSQ

2720. Re: Kenwood service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony C. Cash" <tonycash@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6d4s9v$5ig@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152169

Try this
http://www.kenwood.net/amateur/commindex.cfm
73 de Tony, KD4K

Robert Murrow wrote:

> I have a Kenwood radio that needs to go in for service. Please send me
> an email if you know the address or how to get a hold of them. I tried
> www.kenwood.com and found out about car stereo's.
> Thanks
> Bob

2721. HELP WIRING PK-88 TO IC3SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226232901.SAA27591@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152170

Hello,
I bought a AEA PK-88 used from someone and I am getting everything but a manual. I need to know the wiring diagram for using it with a ICOM IC3SAT Can someone email me with the wiring info for the TNC to radio. I would really appreciate it greatly!

Thanks for your time.... Jeffrey - N9MXT1@AOL.COM
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2722. GE Master II schematics and manual...Where?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhine41015@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226235101.SAA01673@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152171

Hello all:

I'd like to get a hold of a manual/schematics or at least a xeroxed copy of the schematics for a GE Master II Mobile Radio. Any one got another copy, or make me a copy or steer me in a direction towards a retailer?

-Jeremy
KF4RTY

2723. Kenwood 440SAT, Icom 271H 2meter Allmode 100WATT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226235400.SAA07697@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152172

Kenwood TS-440SAT 10-160 meter HF rig with built in tuner.
Icom 271H 100WATT 2meter allmode base station.

I would like to trade one of these in on an Icom 706MKII .

The Icom 271H has the tone board installed, the voice module installed , and
I also have the computer interface for the 271H that goes with it ....
I am asking $ 750.00 for it and it is a 9.9+ in apparence and works great....
I have the mike, with the tones on it and the book but no box....
thanks for reading my posting...
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock, AR
kilo5joe@aol.com

2724. GE Master II schematics and manual...Where?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhine41015@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226235501.SAA07802@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152173

Hello all:

I'd like to get a hold of a manual/schematics or at least a xeroxed copy of the schematics for a GE Master II Mobile Radio. Any one got another copy, or make me a copy or steer me in a direction towards a retailer?

-Jeremy
KF4RTY

2725. Re: Dalton GA Hamfest 2/28/98

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Galgano" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <34F60782.65BA@america.net>
Source record: 152174

Attached are some vaugue directions I received from someone......

>Can you give me directions to the Fairgrounds from I-75?
>JG
All I know It's sorta behind McDonalds. Take the left just past Macs,
then
It's 300 yds up the street on right. Jim

bandit@nospam.avana.net wrote:
>
> John,
> Can you give me directions from I-75/Barrett Parkway in Kennesaw?
>
> Thanks,
> Chris
> bandit@"nospam"avana.net
>
> On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 17:56:41 -0500, "J. Galgano"
> <jgalgano@america.net> wrote:
>
> >Hi Group.....
> >Anyone going to the Dalton, GA Hamfest this weekend.......and have any
> >VHF/UHF equipment for sale? Especially looking for at dual band HT.
> >Drop me a E mail if you have something I may be interested in.
> >73,
> >John Galgano
> >(Proud owner of a CSCE for tech, but no call sign yet)

2726. Re: Dalton GA Hamfest 2/28/98

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Galgano" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <34F60854.54BC@america.net>
Source record: 152175

1998 DARC Hamfest as follows.....
Saturday, Feb. 28. Starts 8AM. Door Prizes and grand prize drawing at
2:30PM.....2M and HF mobile. I don't have specific directions, but see
my post in the newsgroup for directions I received over the net.
73,
John Galgano

Airboy wrote:
>
> What are the date and times of the Hamfest? Where in town is it
> located? I will be in trenton GA this weekend and would liket to
> visit the hamfest.
>
> 73s...
> Ken

2727. Re: Commercial repeater question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Miles" <rmiles@oz.net>
Message-ID: <34F607A2.71F67B82@oz.net>
Source record: 152176

Michael:
There is no coordination standard on the band you referred to. On the 450-512 band the input is 5MHz above the output frequency.
Good luck...Dick K7RNZ

Michel Morin wrote:

> There is a commercial repeater around here that operates around 166 mhz
> (output). I know that they use CTCSS to activate it but I can't seem to find
> the input frequency. Is there a standard offset used in the commercial world
> or could it be anything? I am simply curious about that because on 2 meters,
> the offset is fixed to 600 khz and I wonder about commercial stuff. Thanks
> for any input.
>
> 73 de VE2CJW.

2728. Re: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34f5d880.1842210@news.total.net>
Source record: 152177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 12:19:15 -0600, "LHS" <c3p0@starwars.com> wrote:

>Icom America web page: http:\\www.icomamerica.com

http://www.icomamerica.com

forward slashes.

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
&#65533;tudient @ Informatique et Math&#65533;matiques d'Universit&#65533; McGill
Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
C&#65533;: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

2729. Ham-Equip Digest V98 #232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@notes2.COMpuserve.COM
Message-ID: <862565B8.0006F897.00@notes2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 152178
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Delivery Failure Report

Your Ham-Equip Digest V98 #232
document:

was not bren.doreck@acin
delivered to
:

because: Error transferring to ACINTER.NSF; Database (.nsf) has grown
too large; use File New Replica to recreate your file with
larger capacity.

CSERVE-HUB4/SERVER/CSERVE, CSERVE-92/SERVER/CSERVE, ISSHX5003/Andersen
NET, AMRHX0001/Andersen NET, ISSHM5006, ISSHM5005, ISSHM5005, ISSHM5002,
AMRHX0000/Andersen NET, ISSHX5002/Andersen NET, CSERVE-94/SERVER/CSERVE

To: Ham-Equip@UCSD.EDU @ AASMTP
cc:
From: Ham-Equip@UCSD.EDU (Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup) @
AASMTP
Date: 02/26/98 01:02:33 PM
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V98 #232

Ham-Equip Digest Thu, 26 Feb 98 Volume 98 : Issue 232
Today's Topics:
HELP ## Need info on re-charging a battery
@@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@ (3 msgs)
Antique Radios
AT-250 (2 msgs)
Commercial repeater question. (2 msgs)
F/S Astatic 10D Head
GE MLS Software
Kenwood service (2 msgs)
Kenwood TS570D
New ADI HF Radio! (3 msgs)
Question: Best radio for AM/FM/WB reception?
searching pc pakratt for windows
Suggestions for Dual Band FM
TS950S Digital VS TS950SD Difference?
Want Microphone Plugs
WTB: Kenwood SP--31 Speaker
Yaesu FT-847 When is it comming out?

Send Replies or notes for publication to:
Send subscription requests to:
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.
Archives of past issues of the Ham-Equip Digest are available
(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".
We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.
Loop-Detect: Ham-Equip:98/232

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 14:41:41 GMT
From: Wildthang@her.house (WildThang)
Subject: ## HELP ## Need info on re-charging a battery
Can some one help me?
I have found 2 rechargable batteries that are in perfect condition but
I have no idea how to charge them. They are 12v 7amp (lead acid I
think). What kind of power, amprage, do I use to try and recharge
these?
Thanks for your help.
Lance
Lance@wwisp.com.com with out the 2nd .com (spammers)
Do The WildThang Baby!~
~~KiLl SpAm~~

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 08:57:52 -0500
From: kf2ti@planet.net (Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ))
Subject: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@
[This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.misc and a copy was sent
to the cited author.]
In article <34f44445.204772@news.total.net>, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
says...
> Hi.
>
> My problem with IC-706:
> - 2m TX not working properly (power output)
> - 2m RX is too low
> - All other amateur bands are working properly
>
> The antenna is working properly. I tried with two antennas. I
> could use it for HTX-242 so the antenna shouldn't be a problem. Now,
> it must be somewhere inside, but I can't figure it out. (the
> cables are connected properly...)
>
>
> Thanks for your help.
>

The earlier model 706 have an inherent defect in the 2 meter module. If
you go to the Icom webpage and go to the tech help section, there is a
fix that involves replacing several components. One of the additional
benefits is that your RX will improve 100%.

--
Steve KF2TI
KF2TI@planet.net
http://www.planet.net/adell
Bring out your Dead
Bring out your dead
I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

Date: 26 Feb 1998 14:41:53 GMT
From: "1 Games"
Subject: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@
May I hv the Icom WebPage ?

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> http://www.planet.net/adell
>
> Bring out your Dead
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>

Date: 26 Feb 1998 16:25:05 GMT
From: "DavidC"
Subject: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@
Icom probably wants to keep their web page :-) But, if you'd like to
visit, it is:
http://www.icomamerica.com
> 1 Games
> May I hv the Icom WebPage ?

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 14:17:10 -0800
From: Dean Arthur
Subject: Antique Radios
This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

boundary="------------61CE8888E484D6726D1C5D68"

Ok, I have posted quite a few more Antique Radios on the web site. A lot
of them now have
pictures, so you may want to check it out.
If you are a collector or just want to rebuild some old equipment, you
may find some neat things
here.
73's
Charger
CB City Web Site

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73's

Charger

CB City Web Site

Content-Description: Card for Dean Arthur
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="vcard.vcf"
begin: vcard
fn: Dean Arthur
n: Arthur;Dean
org: CB City
adr: 5721A Hwy 31 West;;;Tyler;Tx;75709;USA
email;internet: deanntx@e-tex.com
title: Manager
tel;work: (903)526-7838, 1-800-582-0426
note: http://www.e-tex.com/cbcity
x-mozilla-cpt: ;0
x-mozilla-html: TRUE

version: 2.1
end: vcard

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 14:15:04 -0500
From: <@maine.rr.com>
Subject: AT-250
Was wondering if someone can give me some information on the at-250 auto
tuner. I have a KW TS140-S and was interested in the auto tuner for this
rig. If someone could give me some information on how it works in
conjunction with the rig I would appreciate it.
Thanks in advance and 73's N1ZPC

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 14:17:07 -0500
From: "Tom O'Brion"
Subject: AT-250
Needed to resend as I forgot to place my return address. Sorry.......
@maine.rr.com <@maine.rr.com> wrote in message ...
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>tuner. I have a KW TS140-S and was interested in the auto tuner for this
>rig. If someone could give me some information on how it works in
>conjunction with the rig I would appreciate it.
>
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>
>

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 13:07:30 GMT
From: "Michel Morin"
Subject: Commercial repeater question.
There is a commercial repeater around here that operates around 166 mhz
(output). I know that they use CTCSS to activate it but I can't seem to
find
the input frequency. Is there a standard offset used in the commercial
world
or could it be anything? I am simply curious about that because on 2
meters,
the offset is fixed to 600 khz and I wonder about commercial stuff. Thanks
for any input.
73 de VE2CJW.

Date: 26 Feb 1998 08:34:26 -0500
From: jchapman@freenet.columbus.oh.us (John Chapman)
Subject: Commercial repeater question.
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Thanks
: for any input.
: 73 de VE2CJW.
Both in the US and Canada VHF repeaters can be any input frequency. I'm
not sure about Canada, down here we have various frequency guides
available that can be found at Radio Shacks, stores and mail order that
show various frequencies assigned to specific organizations/companies, and
you might be able to tell from that. It would show a large number of
mobile units on the repeater input frequency...
Good luck!
--
--*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-
John Chapman WB8INY
Ohio Section ARES, District Emergency Coordinator, District 7
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/9551/ (check it out)

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 12:32:47 -0500
From: "Scott Oakland"
Subject: F/S Astatic 10D Head
This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
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charset="iso-8859-1"

I have one (1) Astatic 10D head (silver) made in Conneaut Ohio. Best =
offer $
Scott WA1P
------=_NextPart_000_0012_01BD42B2.A5157260

charset="iso-8859-1"

I have one (1) Astatic 10D head =
(silver) made in=20
Conneaut Ohio. Best offer $

Scott =
WA1P

------=_NextPart_000_0012_01BD42B2.A5157260--

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 10:09:35 -0500
From: Thomas E Baumann
Subject: GE MLS Software
I am looking for the software to program GE MLS mobile radios. I have
access to the necessary cables but do not have the necessary software.
If anyone could help me with this venture I would really appreciate it.
Thanks & 73's
Tom KE4DSK
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Please remove the "nospam" from the beginning
of my email address when replying to any mail.

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Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 19:40:07 GMT
From: bobm@accesscom.com (Robert Murrow)
Subject: Kenwood service
I have a Kenwood radio that needs to go in for service. Please send me
an email if you know the address or how to get a hold of them. I tried
www.kenwood.com and found out about car stereo's.
Thanks
Bob

Date: 26 Feb 1998 12:17:19 -0800
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu (Clark Savage Turner)
Subject: Kenwood service
In <34f6c4cc.3432349@snews.accesscom.com> bobm@accesscom.com (Robert
Murrow) writes:
>I have a Kenwood radio that needs to go in for service. Please send me
>an email if you know the address or how to get a hold of them. I tried
>www.kenwood.com and found out about car stereo's.
Hi Bob:
I have the info at home, it is there. I just dealt with the new
Kenwood service center and they are responsive, I only waited 4
days for service, better than most. And the radio was fixed, too :-).
Clark
WA3JPG

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 07:56:32 -0500
From: Wink
Subject: Kenwood TS570D
Hi,
Yes! This is a problem that Kenwood knows about. I called the dealer
that I bought the radio from (Denver Radio) and they told me to send it to
them and they would make the factory authorized modification and put a new
battery in the radio. Everything is fine now. Give your dealer a call.
Gary N2UM
K9GCO wrote:
> My TS570D is less than one month old and it looks like the lithium
battery
> is dead. If I shut it off for over one hour the memory is lost. Anyone
> else with simular experience? Also wonder how hard it is to change.
> Mike
>
> --
> K9GCO

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 07:47:57 -0500
From: sammy
Subject: New ADI HF Radio!
N9mxt1 wrote:
>
> In article <34f52633.3813976@news.dial.pipex.com>, no.junk.mail@thank.you

(Walt
> Davidson) writes:
>
> >>let no coders into HF bands and the price of HF equipments will drop
> >>dramatically.
> >
> >I haven't noticed any dramatic drop in the price of VHF/UHF
> >equipments. Why should HF equipments be any different?
> >
> >I suspect you are beginning to run short of arguments to justify HF
> >no-code access.
> >
> >
> Can't we go a week without someone making an argument about letting
NO-CODERS
> get on HF. For all the HAMs who learned code like myself CONGRATULATIONS.
For
> all the rest of people who haven't learned the CODE yet.. just a few
minutes
> out of your complaining about the code each day and learn it. You just
might
> see how learning a new language could be fun and exciting!
>
> This message wasn't to bash anyone... just a thought from one ham to
another.
>
> Jeffrey
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I called ADI to confirm the story and the Tech said they are working
on some sort of 6 meter radio, Dual band radio etc. He had no knowledge
of a HF radio but said the idea has been kicked around. Perhaps he isn't
in the know about it. But the original poster said it is just about to
be released. I hope I am wrong though and a $500 bare bones HF radio is
about to be released for us.
Sam

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 16:48:06 GMT
From: orion@abcnycap.rr.com
Subject: New ADI HF Radio!
On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 04:14:21 GMT, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie
Boy) wrote:
>let no coders into HF bands and the price of HF equipments will drop
>dramatically.
>
>>> I can't wait to see the new radio! With the sunspots coming back, and
ADI's
>>> new low cost HR radio coming out, maybe some guys like me will finally
be

>>> able to afford to get on HF!
>
>first you need code...
Trolling again, Fruitie Boy?
--
Larry Gamache N2YMJ
To reply, remove the
abc from my address.

Date: 26 Feb 1998 18:09:08 GMT
From: donrm@sr.hp.com (Don Montgomery)
Subject: New ADI HF Radio!
ke6qmj@hotmail.com wrote:
> too, that they have a new radio about to hit the streets -- a low cost HF
rig!
I just hope they don't announce it before they can deliver - like the
PC programming software for their ADI AT-600 -- over six months late
already.
Don K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 18:00:11 GMT
From: baker@sgi.net (Tim Baker)
Subject: Question: Best radio for AM/FM/WB reception?
Hi All,
This question may be off topic, but its the closest forum I could find
to ask it in. I live in Western PA and would like to buy a radio that
provides the best reception for AM/FM/WB. I want this radio for in my
office where it must co-exist with computer equipment. I have a few
other desireable feature, but none are requirements. I would like it
to have a digital tuner with presets, external antenna inputs, and a
digital clock. Sound quality is a concern, but not a major one.
Primary need is for sports broadcasts, AM talk radio/news, and weather
band.
I would also like to hear opinions on where the best places to buy
this radio. Retail stores, mailorder, other?
Thanks in advance,
Tim Baker
baker@sgi.net

Date: 26 Feb 1998 17:21:08 GMT
From: "Svein Olav Aasen"
Subject: searching pc pakratt for windows
Try http://www.timewave.com

Joerg Neumann skrev i artikkelen
<6cq0a3jnu1@news00.btx.dtag.de>...
> hello all
> i am searching the programm pc pakratt for windows.
>
> who can help me !

>

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 20:44:51 GMT
From: blackie@gate.net (Blackie Lawless)
Subject: Suggestions for Dual Band FM
I am looking for a Dual band 2/440 radio with cross band repat (full
duplex?) capabilities. It will be used for cross band repeating on my
favorite simplex frequency so I can use my HT while out in the yard
and get more range (The HT is also a Dual Bander). I am looking to
spend around $400. I see in the new market dual banders go for around
$650. I will be looking in the used market and would like some advice
on what to possibly get and what a resonalble price would be.
We have several traders nets here in the area, and that will be the
first place I try.
Thanks in advance.

Date: 26 Feb 1998 15:47:12 GMT
From: manous@aol.com (MANOUS)
Subject: TS950S Digital VS TS950SD Difference?
Anyone know the difference between the TS950 s Digital and the TS950SD? I
have
the TS950S Digital which I purchased about a month ago and was told it was
the
950SD. It does have the digital unit under the rig. Anyone also know the
difference in price between the two. And the difference in electronics. I
am
very happy with the unit but just not sure how much I overpaid.
Thanks
John

Date: 26 Feb 1998 12:53:26 GMT
From: "James Shanks"
Subject: Want Microphone Plugs
Thanks for reading this. I am in need of two each mic. plugs for the Yaesu
Memorizer FT-227R & FT-720R. Both plugs fit the microphone cable, not the
receptacle that is in the radio. I need two plugs for each radio. Both
radios are to be used on packet and phone with an mfj mic/tnc switch box.
Thanks in advance for any and all help.

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xn1vbn@bit-net.com
N1VBN IS MY HAM RADIO CALLSIGN
Remove the X to reply. Done to spoil
automated e-mail spammers.

Date: 26 Feb 1998 19:52:50 GMT
From: "Marty B"
Subject: WTB: Kenwood SP--31 Speaker
Hi all, Looking for a clean , no scratches KNWD SP--31 Speaker.
Thank you for reading this want. 73, Marty WA2MC.

Date: Thu, 26 Feb 1998 15:09:23 -0500
From: hershman
Subject: Yaesu FT-847 When is it comming out?
Tom Nicastri wrote:
>
> Anyone know when the FT-847 rig can be purchased? It has HF, 2M 440 and
> 6m. Its on the back cover of QST Feb issue.
>
> I dont know why they advertise this stuff when you cant get your hands on
> it.
I saw the HRO ad that says NEW and to call for a price. I do and get an
angry salesman who is sick of guys calling (I can't blame him).
Perhaps Yaesu/Icom should say:"coming soon. We will Email you when it is
available if you leave your Email address. Please don't call the 1-800
tel # as that costs us money.
73's Steve NS1R

End of Ham-Equip Digest V98 #232
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2730. Need SP-430S Modification Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <34F61C06.505F@frii.com>
Source record: 152179

I need the info to modify the rig to transmit on all frequencies from 1.8 to 30 MHz. I understand it is a matter of pulling two wires from a plug on one of the PC boards. I need some detailed instructions.

Thanks in advance,
Dave - W0MAY

2731. Trade Collins eq. for FT1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Payne" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6d58pakjl1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 152180

My friend has the following
A Mint Collins S Line with Extas.
Two (2) KMW-380 systems Great cond.
He is willing to trade some of the above for a FT 1000D In mint
Cond.with manuals etc. He is a long Distance trucker and will respond
when he gets home. Please E-mail him direct. dnl@gte.net. Or you can
e-mail me at mpayne@gte.net and I will give him your info. Please
include a e-mail address and phone number for him. He only has the best.
This man will NOT have junk in his possession.He can afford the best and
thats what he has. Also very honest NO RIP OFFS to worry about. Thanks

2732. Re: Need SP-430S Modification Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <34F62725.323F@netdoor.com>
Source record: 152181

The SP-430 won't transmit shit unless you hook up a transmitter to it
then it will transmit very shitily!!

KF5DE

2733. Yaesu FT 8100 R Mod Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mac <mcgyv@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F6389A.6B64@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152182

Here is the page for the Yaesu FT-8100R Wide TX mod.
Also a new mod I Discoverd is also posted on the page.
http://ww2.sd.cybernex.net/~mcgyv

I DO NOT have the ft-8000 radio so I don't have the mods for it.
Do not e-mail me about other mods for radios I don't own.
Any new mods sent to me will be posted on the page.

Mac

2734. CAROLINA TUBEWORKS AT CHARLOTTE HAMFEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: destill <destill@northstate.net>
Message-ID: <34F5E9A6.2C44@northstate.net>
Source record: 152183

Boy you can get all kinds of opinions on this NG. I'll just stick to the facts. About thirty of you have done business with CT in the last two months and no complaints yet. For those of you who request a quote and then don't buy, how about a reply as to why. I usually guess it's price, even though I believe I am always under AE et al. I am flexible, you need to negotiate.

And the the place to practice one's haggling skills is face to face at a hamfest. Charlotte NC, March 6,7, Sat and Sun at the Merchandise Mart, you can bargain with me, (the nice one) or Doug, (the Evil Warrant) in person. See you there, bring your list.

dale

2735. Re: Interested in ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F6677C.6EC5@pacbell.net>
Source record: 152184

Doug Hansen wrote:
>
> I have recently become interested in Ham and am just staring a course.
> I've often heard mention of side band, but I'm not sure what side band is.
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> --

[This answer is being posted to rec.radio.amateur.equipment and emailed
to Doug.]

Dear Doug,

I assume that you ment Ham Radio. :-)

Side Band or better known as Single Side Band (SSB) is one of several
forms a sending out a signal. I can't draw in ASCII very well, but if
you don't mind my "bad" drawings, I think you'll find it easier to
understand.

Lets say I draw an image of an AM voice radio signal. To the left
are the lower frequencies and to the right are the higher frequencies.
The vertical direction is the signal strenth.

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The vertical line is the carrier frequency. Think of it like
the center or average of all the frequencys in our signal.

The information contained in the lower frequencies (to the left
of the line) is exactly the same as the information in the
upper frequencirs (to the right of the line.

This is a DOUBLE SIDE BAND signal because both the upper and
lower frequency information is present in the signal.

What if we took some filters and cut out part of the mirror
image of the signal? It doesn't matter which side is removed,
but for the sake of this example, assume that the right side
or Upper Frequencies are removed. This is what we would have:

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Also assume we filter out or remove the carrier (center) frequency.
This is what it would look like:

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So there's a drawing of a Lower Side Band signal; so what!
Well, ther are some neat things here:

(1) The signal doesn't take up as much radio frequency space.
Thus we can fit about twice as many stations in a given
frequency band. That's important.

(2) We're not waisting radio energy in a mirror image of the
signal. Nor are we waisting radio energy in sending
a carrier signal. (The carrier can be inserted at the
receiver. Now that we're not burning up power in an unneeded
Upper Side Band and a Carrier, we can put all the lost power
into the Lower Side Band. This is like increasing the power
lever by a factor of 4 times.

This is just a quick and simple explanation. I hope other Hams
will post some WEB links that explain this with more detail and
better drawings. <smile>

Best Wishes,

Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

2736. Re: Need SP-430S Modification Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2602982240510001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 152185

In article <34F62725.323F@netdoor.com>, Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
wrote:

>The SP-430 won't transmit shit unless you hook up a transmitter to it
>then it will transmit very shitily!!

Awww, come on, Butch. You're mean. :) You should probably explain that
a Kenwood SP-430 is a speaker. What the original poster was probably
asking about was a TS-430 HF transceiver.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

2737. Re: New ADI HF Radio! ADI Equipment good ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F66970.3C35@pacbell.net>
Source record: 152186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

sammy wrote:
>
> ke6qmj@hotmail.com wrote:
> >
> > Amazing News!
> >
> > A friend of mine called the fine folks at ADI-Premier Communications today to
> > ask some questions about their products. The tech on the phone told him
> > about some of what they have coming out. He was excited to learn, and I was
> > too, that they have a new radio about to hit the streets -- a low cost HF rig!
> >
> > I was told that the radio would have all 9 HF bands, general coverage
> > receive, and be very easy to use. The folks at ADI also said that the radio
> > would be very simple, and would not have many of the more advanced features
> > of other radios. The price? UNDER $500!
> >
> > I can't wait to see the new radio! With the sunspots coming back, and ADI's
> > new low cost HR radio coming out, maybe some guys like me will finally be
> > able to afford to get on HF!

I've never used any ADI equipment, are their radios any good?

I guess the real question is, Can an HF Radio for under $500 be any good?
(I know we'll have to wait and see; assuming that the rurmor is true.)

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

2738. FS: Kenwood HF Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Magruder <n5qde@vicksburg.com>
Message-ID: <34F63F56.52739A82@vicksburg.com>
Source record: 152187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS-450S (No Auto-Tuner) $650
All-Mode HF 160-10 Meters

Kenwood TS-50S $650
All-Mode HF Mobile 100 Watts

All items in excellent condition both cosmetically and electrically - No

problems with either of them. Each includes mike, power cable, and
manual,
TS-450 also includes service manual. Shipping included to
lower 48.

TNX Ed ..... N5QDE Located in Vicksburg, MS 39180

2739. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6d4qr7cet3@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 152188
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-02-26 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
snip
dl>ever be manufactured. At least of I die from ash, green house gases,
dl>or nuclear radiation, I'll have my mental faculties until I am too
dl>debilitated for it to matter, with lead, that isn't an option. Just
dl>my view, David

Er, one small point. In Scotland (and no doubt many other parts of the
UK) there are villages where there were lead mines until the very recent
past.

The locals don't seem peculiar in any way; and the many tourist visitors
to the insides of the mines would appear to be there voluntarily.

bill, gm8apx
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Piscis nequam est nisi recens

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

2740. Re: FULL INTERNET ... and EVERYTHING ELSE KNOWN TO MAN AS WELL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph@hemi.com
Message-ID: <6d4soj$cv@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 152189
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Why in the name of all things Usenet are we *still* using this topic for a thread about 100 messages long that hasn't talked about Internet messaging for the last 97 or so, and has varied from TCP/IP vs. AX.25 on packet to 56k TNC's to American beer vs European beer to petrol, gasoline, hydrogen, biscuits and cookies, outlawing diesel fuel, and nuclear power plants exploding?
Time for a new topic thread I think...

Aww, go ahead and flame me, why the hell not! This is entertaining at any rate!

- Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

2741. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ivor D. Jones" <ivor.g6urp@nospam.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <sr6g+CA4na90EwGR@europa1.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152190
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 10:42:45 -0600, "C.A.S."
><aaaadeletethis@topher.net> wrote:
>
>>> > You guys are arguing over color TV and gasoline? Where are your
>priorities?
>>> > GB certainly has better beer, and that's where American progress ought to
>be
>>> >aimed.
>>>
>>>**********************************
>>I agree that GB has better WARM beer, but what respectable
>>Yankee would drink warm beer to begin with !!!!

It's obvious the writer of the last line above has never tried Real Ale!
Most of the Americans I know who've been to the UK like it almost as
much as I do!

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73 de Ivor G6URP
Email: ivor.g6urp@europa1.demon.co.uk
Packet: g6urp@gb7sol.#29.gbr.eu

2742. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <888453425snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152191
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f48611.5182632@news.prestel.co.uk> Jim "Jim Dunnett" writes:

> On Wed, 25 Feb 98 07:33:04 GMT, tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
> ("Anthony R. Gold") wrote:
>
> >You were told wrong, I drive a diesel car "over there".
>
> Why?

In the case of the one I own, it's very reliable and starts first time after being locked away for many months (as I hope to prove again in early April) because it is a relatively simple engine compared with most modern petrol cars. Also mine is particularly safe and comfortable, and is neither noisy nor underpowered. I guess that Gary gave up on diesels without trying one with a turbo engine.

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

2743. re: Icom 706 mk2 Mod info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Dernikos <alphasec@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bd425a$6cdaa440$19ce6ccb@alpha>
Source record: 152192

just trying to find out if anybody know's of any modifications like these
below.
MODIFICATION 1.....Enables extended transmit from 1.6 to
54 MHz inclusive.
MODIFICATION 2.....Enables extended receive from .05 to
165 MHz inclusive.

2744. FS/FT Icom IC-735 Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <34F4D3C0.588C@mci.com>
Source record: 152193

FS/FT Icom IC-735 Accessories

I have the following Icom IC-735 accessories for sale:

AT-150 Matching Automatic Antenna Tuner $ 300.00
PS-55 Matching HD AC Power Supply $ 125.00
735QSYer QSY Console $ 75.00

AES price for a new AT-150 is $ 499.95, and $399.95 for a demo/used one.

AES price for a demo PS-55 is $209.95, and $ 159.95 for a used one.

Above prices do not include shipping. Buy all as a package, and I'll
cover the insured 3 day select UPS shipping.

All are in mint condition. Not used more than 15 to 20 hours, always
covered when not in use, with original cables, manuals, and boxs.

Will consider trades, especially for Collins RE 516-F2 Power supply,
RE 312-B4 or -B5 Console, and SM-1, -2, or -3 microphone.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

2745. ELECRONIC EQUIP/BOOKS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: najamzkhan@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226023600.VAA12789@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152194

Microprocessor Trainer MC6800 and Z80
Z80 Emulator, SWR Meter, Protocol Analyzer
Multimeters, Electronics Books and Basic Electronics Courses study workbooks
Everthing is in Tip Top Shape.

Please Visit:
http:\\members.aol.com\Najamzkhan\forsale.html

2746. Wanted: Patch Chord for TempOne

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mobil1 <mobil1@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4237$3edf54a0$0f2142d1@mobil1.jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 152195

Need patch chord from Tempo One/AC power supply to Tempo One rig - 11 pin plug - or help in locating one.

KB2PAU
mobil1@jnlk.com

2747. FS: Midland handhelds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Oberg <jeffkathy@att.net>
Message-ID: <6d2n2e$mcd@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152196

FS: 2 Midland 16 Chanel Programable handhelds Model 70-2458
Both radios work well. Includes 2 Dual rate drop in quick chargers
Asking 250.00 OBO
Respond to E-Mail jeffkathy@att.net

2748. Re: ADMS 1D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6d2ov9$men@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 152197

If you already have the cable, you only need to purchase the upgrade
to ADMS-1D to program your VX-1R. It is very reasonably priced at
$14.95 from RT Systems. Their number is (800)723-6922. It is a
commercial program.

hope this helps, Don (KE4KYO)

sune@hotmail.com (Sune Sunesson) wrote:

>Thanks 4 reading this!
>I have a FT50 with ADMS 1 program and cable.
>Now i bought a VX1R. It is the same cable, but a different program called ADMS
>1D. When i contacted my local Yaesu dealer he said that i have to buy a new
>cable with the right program (just to get the right program) the cable is the
>same. Im asking now if any one has the ADMS 1D and let me buy, or if u could
>send a copy of it me at my E-Mail adress.

>Thanks once again......

>Christer.

>cardex@hem.passagen.se
>

2749. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f4e022.172191059@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152198
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 07:34:31 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) wrote:
>On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 03:05:01 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>
>>Then GM Europe is trying to cut corners. We've had low backpressure
>>cat converters over here for years. Our big V8s and V10s wouldn't be
>>happy with restricted breathing.
>
>What is your argument to justify the use of big V8s and V10s, instead
>of the "shoeboxes" sold in Europe? How does this contribute to the
>drive to cut fossil fuel consumption and reduce CO2 production
>worldwide?

I justify the big engines because we drive big vehicles, and they need
that power to give them decent performance. As to the bushwa about
fossil fuel consumption and CO2 production, I'm simply not as alarmed
by it as you seem to be. Take a *hard* look at the science behind some
of this. It is shockingly shoddy and agenda driven.

>>a pair
>>of them go nicely under a 4x4 pickup (which our government just informed
>>us in a backhanded way is 25 times less likely to result in a fatality for its
>>occupants than an econobox in a collision).
>
>And maybe 50 times more likely to kill the guy you run into?

If he's driving some little crackerbox on wheels, probably. That's
his decision and his tough luck isn't it? Physics won't be denied.
It is not the fall that kills you, it is the sudden stop at the end. The
same goes in a collision. Big iron doesn't stop as fast in an impact,
even a rigid barrier impact, so the decceleration forces on the
passengers are much less than they are for a light vehicle. (A
very surprisingly *large* difference, do the math.)

The larger crush space and sturdier construction also limit
intrusion into the passenger compartment by external objects
intent on doing you bodily harm. If you choose to save a few
pennies in fuel consumption in preference to crash worthiness
and occupant safety, well I suppose that's your choice to make.
But there is a price to be paid for that choice, and that price is
yours to pay in blood.

>>There are good reasons why
>>we like to drive heavy iron besides the fact that it makes a wonderful
>>counterpoise for our HF antennas.

>
>For example, the penile extension syndrome?

There is certainly an element of macho in driving a 4x4
that never leaves pavement. But in fact mine does leave
the pavement frequently enough to justify it, or has to
operate on pavement slick enough to justify it. And it is
large enough to carry the loads I occasionally need to
haul, as well as big and sturdy enough to offer me a
degree of protection in traffic mishaps. Those are all
things which have to be balanced against operational
costs like fuel consumption.

I've owned the little crackerboxes. I've raced everything
from MX motorcycles to Top Fuel dragsters. I think I
understand the tradeoffs involved between agility and
survivability. And for my day to day driving, I've chosen
the big iron as best making the tradeoffs I'm willing to
accept at this point in my life. The hard fact is that you
can't avoid all collisions, no matter how good you are
or how agile your vehicle. Crashes happen. And when
they do, the vehicle you chose can determine whether
you walk away with a few bruises, or whether they have
to pry you out of the tin can and spread you in the
coffin with a pastry knife.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2750. Eimac Tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6d2qpn$ceo@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152199

Hi All
I have a for sale eimac tube.(Used)
8909 4CX5000J 8816
Make an offer
Tel :714-778-5151
Thanks

2751. FS Condenser (ITT JENNINGS)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6d2rgk$ceo@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152200

Hi All
I have a for sale.
ITT Condenser (Used) CVDB-1500 78 A42 13
" CVDB-2300 78 L55 26
Make an offer.
Tel :714-778-5151.
Thanks.

2752. Question: Best AM antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: fq091@cleveland.freenet.edu
Message-ID: <6d2r17lit1@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 152201

Hello all,

I have just purchased a Radio Shack DX-398 radio. I would
like to use it to capture AM baseball games this upcoming
season and need to increase it's AM reception. Any ideas?

The CRANE Co. SELECT-A-TENNA seems to be the best I can find
so far, but as far as spending $58...I'm not so sure
I want to do that right after buying the DX-398!

Any help deeply appreciated.

2753. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34f4eb01.3475544@news.total.net>
Source record: 152202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 16:35:11 -0500, sammy <sammy89@hotmail.com> wrote:

>> of other radios. The price? UNDER $500!

let no coders into HF bands and the price of HF equipments will drop
dramatically.

>> I can't wait to see the new radio! With the sunspots coming back, and ADI's
>> new low cost HR radio coming out, maybe some guys like me will finally be
>> able to afford to get on HF!

first you need code...

>Good Detective Work !!!!! Thanks for sharing the info with the Group.
>I think ADI gives food value for $$. THis radio sounds exactly what I
>am looking for too!!!
> 73's Steve NS1R

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

2754. Re: FS Yaesu FL 7000 hf Amp $600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F503BF.7491@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152203

Chris wrote:
>
> Yaesu FL 7000 amp needs work. Iwas told it needed one of the four
> output transistors. It has fome scratches on the case otherwise it will
> make a great amp for a low price. $600+shipping. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4
> Florida
sold thanks

2755. Re: FS ICOM IC-725 $490

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F503D0.155A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152204

Chris wrote:
>
> Mint condition 100watts, transmit and receive general coverage, AM and
> FM
> board installed. $490. Comes with manual, power cord and handmike
> 73 Chris
sold thanks

2756. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy KQ6UG <rcarles@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4282$b4338960$e679d9ce@randy-carles>
Source record: 152205

Having trouble getting here.

2757. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy KQ6UG <rcarles@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4283$0d3ea440$e679d9ce@randy-carles>
Source record: 152206

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test message
Destroy before reading
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2758. WTB: Pair of 3-500Z's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226075401.CAA02241@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152207

Need a pair asap. Prefer Eimac and only with full output. Please state price and condition.

Thanks and 73,
K-K

2759. FS: Icom 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6d3tju$il5$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This unit is perfect, about 6 mos, old, and hardly used. No imperfections of any sort. With mic manual and original box will ship it for $895. and gaurantee it to be as I say or your money back. No reason to buy a new one this one IS! Consider trades. Thanks Murray Neece

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2760. FS or Trade: Kenwood TS 530S loaded!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6d3toiili1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a very good unit, not perfectly clean on the top of case but not bad.
Has all extra filters, MC 50 mic, and manual $495.oo or trade up or down.
Need a backup amp! Thanks Murray

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2761. For Sale: Kenwood TS 940SAT !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6d3u0niva1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152210
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This unit is very good, and clean. One funky place, the front of tuning knob is rough, but its just plastic tape. Otherwise unit looks great and works perfectly to. CW filter, MC 60 Mic and SP 940 make this station a great starter , backup or main unit. It is 5 mil has all up dates and will ship the whole thing for $1075.oo. Could trade . Thanks Murray

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2762. FS: HF Mobile amp 500 watt RF Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6d3u9c$j03$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This unit is built from a Kit. Its not a cheap CB amp but will work as one if that is your thing. 10-160 meters 500 watts out, does ok on 6 too! $495 makes you feel a lot better than 800 for a metron. And it works well! Fan cooled and first class! $495 shipped to your door, with all documentation. Thanks MURRAY K5MDM

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2763. Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamsupplies@trust-me.com
Message-ID: <6d44d4mbt1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

Dear Prospective Customers,

We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.

All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of checks. We accept checks in US funds only.

For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please e-mail to hamsupplies@trust-me.com or phone ++ 603 9439284
fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of your queries.

Sincerely,

Megat Farez (Managing Director)
HamSupplies International
(Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)

http://www.geocities.com/SouthBeach/Lagoon/5827/hamsupplies.htm

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2764. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f519f8.186999318@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152213
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 09:31:43 +0000, Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
wrote:
>In article <34f39c8f.108602508@news.atl.bellsouth.net>, Gary Coffman
><ke4zv@bellsouth.net> writes
>>On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 19:21:36 +0000, Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
>>wrote:
>>>Natural gas burns much cleaner than any other fossil fuel (CO2 and SO2)
>>
>>Greenhouse gases. Oh the horror!!!
>>
>>>Predictions are that current 'known' reserves will last until at least
>>>2025
>>
>>And we've operated under a projected 25-30 year reserve every year
>>since 1900. In 2025 they'll probably be telling us we have enough reserves
>>to go until 2050, at a higher price of course. Meanwhile we have right here
>>in the US alone enough proven coal reserves to meet the world's energy
>>demands at current levels for 1,000 years. Of course we aren't using much
>>of that right now. Most of our generation has switched to natural gas, gotta
>>eat up that 25 year reserve you know so the gas companies can increase
>>their prices.
>
>Reserves sizes are never fixed because:
>
>1. Better technology to discover/exploit reserves
>2. Increased price = increased profits = more investment for 1.
>3. Technology increases allow exploitation of lower grade ores etc

And also allows access to rich sources in more difficult to access
locations. This has major implications for oil and gas. We've mostly
only done shallow drilling so far. And we haven't drilled at all in nearly
two thirds of the world.

>4. Third world countries now cashing in physical resources
>
>BTW current 'mineable' world reserves are estimated at 500 years, not
>unless you want to start digging up areas of national parks etc and the
>US has approx 26% of world totals giving you something around 100 years.
>Certainly not the 1000 years you estimate. You are correct in the
>reducing useage of coal. But only until that becomes too expensive to
>mine, or the environmentalists get you!

Those figures don't include our brown coals or our western shales.
When those are included, the US alone has a 1,000 year supply.

>>If anyone seriously cared about the environment, we'd stop greenhouse
>>gas production cold and switch to a fully nuclear powered energy system.
>>We have tens of thousands of years worth of proven reserves for that.
>>Instead of gigatons of CO2 and megatons of fly ash to dispose of every
>>year, we'd have a few hundred pounds of hot stuff to pile out in a desert
>>somewhere and put a fence around.
>
>Yep thats right good old nuclear. What is it about americans and their
>fixation with atomic anything. Its not just a few hundred pounds of hot
>stuff either, its thousands upon thousands of kilos of lowgrade waste
>like clothing/tools etc that need to be disposed of. And then what about
>the stations when they reach the end of their life, you going to bury
>that as well! sic. We already have enough waste to worry about. Oh and
>atomic energy is safe? 3 mile island and Chernobyl prove that its not
>and when things go wrong - as they do - then you end up contaminating
>billions of sqaure kilometres. Some farmers in the highlands and lakes
>are still not allow to sell lamb because of the high levels of Strontium
>90 in the meat, caused by Chernobyl fallout.

TMI proved that our plant designs are safe, even in the face of the
operators doing exactly all the wrong things for 48 hours. The Detroit
Edison Fermi plant meltdown was even better proof. That was a total
core melt, not just some core cladding damage. Not one person
was injured. What Chernobyl proved is that you don't build a reactor
with a positive void coefficient and then call a tin roof a containment
structure.

Low grade waste can be dealt with by concentrating it into high grade
waste. The entire amount of spent fuel used by the world's nuclear
programs to date could be held on a football field stacked to a depth
of 4 feet (though that wouldn't be a great idea to actually do). If you
throw in all the waste from other sources from day one (except weapons
programs), including dismantled decommissioned reactor plants, it
would still make a pile smaller than the ash pile generated by *one*
1000 MWE coal fired plant in a year. The volume of waste is simply
not huge. Virtually all of it could simply be piled in a desert and have
a fence placed around it without any serious consequence. The
greatest bulk of the high level waste is short lived radioisotopes.
In 100 years, its activity is down to the level of the ore originally
dug out of the ground. It is not necessary to isolate it from the
environment for all time.

>>But that won't happen because 1 in 7 jobs revolves around fossil fuel
>>production, distribution, and consumption. There's too much money
>>and too much vested interest in keeping that system going to its last
>>gasp.
>
>Agreed.
>
>But the US don't want to do anything about it. The 1992 earth summit
>proved that. The Bush administration of that time attempted to torpedoe
>the whole damm thing by vetoing adoption of targets and timetables for

>CO2 reductions even though studies showed that it was easily met. They
>even embarressed Willaim Reily - the US delegate - by leaking his memo
>to Bush saying that they could easily meet the target and could he agree
>to the CO2 and Biodiversity treaties.
>
>Your latest government is pretty much of the same.

Right. The US isn't going to agree to anything which makes us
non-competitive for no good reason. We have a high energy society,
and that is our advantage. We aren't going to give it up without
overwhelming proof that not doing so would be devastating. So far,
the proof isn't even self-consistent or mildly compelling. Much of
it is downright dubious speculation.

>Instead of looking at nuclear/fossil fuels - we need to be looking at
>renewables, wind/wave/tidal/solar/biomass. They all have their own
>problems (environmental too) but they can cut global warming by reducing
>CO2/NO2/SO2 emissions. No power source can at the moment be perfect but
>we can improve matters, it just needs co-operation and governmental
>agreements, something which does not seem to happen from your side of
>the pond

Renewables do have serious problems. The most serious being that
most of them are very diffuse. In the US, we have tapped virtually all
the hydro we're ever going to be able to tap. And much of that will be
lost in coming years as the reservoirs silt up. Hydro is best used as
peaking power anyway, and not as base load generation. It is rapidly
and arbitrarily scheduleable on demand.

Tidal power is very site specific as to where it can be economically
exploited, and we have few such sites. It is also intermittant. So it is
not suited to meeting our on demand peaking needs. If we allow it
to take up some of the base load, we have to throttle back our other
base load sources to accomodate it at the times it is available, and
that generally means that they will be operating very inefficiently.
Base load generation should generally be run flat out at its most
efficient output all the time.

Wave power is too diffuse to be economic, and too vulnerable to
weather. It is also too far from most of our continential demand.
We have some promising wind sites, but not that many. The bulk
of our wind energy resource is diffuse and irregular. It isn't suited
to meet base load, nor is it scheduleable to meet peaking demand.

A large grid can allevate the problems of wind being a diffuse and
irregular source by averaging the resource over a large area. But
such a grid is very unstable and very difficult to manage and
control. As long as wind provides only a tiny fraction of the grid's
production, it can be managed. But if it starts to become a significant
supply source, the grid becomes very unstable and subject to
wild surges. That's particularly true when major storm fronts
pass through our prime wind farm areas, as they do regularly.

Solar suffers from LOLI (nuke speak for Loss of Light Incidents).
When we need power the most, at night, solar fails us. It is also
a diffuse resource, requiring vast stretches of land to provide
serious amounts of power. But it is perhaps the best of the
available renewable energy sources. All the other renewables
ultimately are secondary solar energy. (Actually, renewable is
a misnomer, the nuclear fusion supplying the energy isn't
renewable, but it is for practical purposes virtually inexhaustable.)

Right now, gathering solar for grid power simply isn't economic,
but that may change with improving technology. Storage will be a
necessity, however, due to LOLI. Pumped storage is perhaps the
best we have available for this, but it is very environmentally
unfriendly.

Biomass is ultimately no different than fossil. It releases CO2,
and a host of other pollutants, which are not immediately
recycled or neutralized. And in some cases biomass doesn't
even represent a net energy gain. For example our gasohol
program, which fermented and distilled corn to make fuel
alcohols to be blended with gasoline, wound up being a
net fossil fuel consumer due to the use of petrochemical
fertilizers and fuels needed to grow, harvest, and process
the corn to alcohol.

I note that you haven't touched on one of the more promising
alternative energy sources. That's dry geothermal. The resource
is huge, and we have the drilling technology to tap it. It is non-renewable
in the sense that the nuclear fission which powers it is not breeding
more fuel, but again, like solar fusion, the fission resource is extremely
large and for practical purposes inexhaustable. Dry geothermal is a
promising source of base load generation.

But we will still need large central generation plants that are fully
scheduleable and able to meet base load demands. The best
technology we have for that is the nuclear fission generating
plant. It is the cleanest and lowest cost source of electrical
power we know how to produce. (Actual costs, not politically
imposed hysteria costs.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2765. Re: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f53a25.195237263@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152214
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 25 Feb 1998 16:25:33 GMT, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie Boy) wrote:
>Hi.
>
>My problem with IC-706:
> - 2m TX not working properly (power output)
> - 2m RX is too low
>- All other amateur bands are working properly
>
>The antenna is working properly. I tried with two antennas. I
>could use it for HTX-242 so the antenna shouldn't be a problem. Now,
>it must be somewhere inside, but I can't figure it out. (the
>cables are connected properly...)

Sounds like you popped the TR PIN diode Masa. Bet you transmitted
on HF with the antenna too close to the 2m antenna. That usually
does it.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2766. Info need-ICOM 251A 2m allmode.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6d2n18$i4d$1@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 152215

I am looking for info on the pinouts for the 12 volt
connector. Could someone tell me what pin is for what?

Also I believe there should be a jumper plugged in
this socket when using on AC. Could someone tell me
how to make this jumper?

Please post here instead of email.

2767. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnh@gmrc.gecm.com
Message-ID: <6d3f37$bh7$2@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>
Source record: 152216
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Richard Mulvey (mulveyr@frontiernet.net) wrote:

> Sure, but we also use ENGLISH units instead of SI for everything
> measurable, over here, and we know how logical THAT is.... ;-)

English? English?
Ah, the ones we used to call IMPERIAL!

--
Richard Herring | richard.herring@gecm.com | Speaking for myself
GEC-Marconi Research Centre |

2768. WTB: High Band MVP REAL BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7RCM@POBOX.COM
Message-ID: <6d3j8b$j0j$1@oasis.coam.net>
Source record: 152217

Looking for this particular radio or one that can do the same as this. We are trying to put up a
222 repeater and this radio, from what I here, can be moded to go up there.

If you have an extra one, and want to sell it, or know where to obtain one, please e-mail. Our club is trying to add this band to it's ranks. Thanks.

(S.M.A.R.C.) Sunrise Mountain Amateur Radio Club

73 de N7RCM...in Las Vegas

2769. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Willis <"M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <34F52B71.9A85CDD9@rl.ac.uk>
Source record: 152218
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Jim Dunnett wrote:

> On Mon, 23 Feb 98 18:00:38 GMT, "Dave {Reply address in.sig}"
> <noone@llondel.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
> >And some of us don't care about what TV was like in 1954 because we
> >weren't around then :-)
> >
>
> Aw come on, who are you trying to kid?

I certainly was not around in 1954! That would make me 44, a
terrifying thought.

2770. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226122601.HAA05064@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152219

In article <34f52633.3813976@news.dial.pipex.com>, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) writes:

>>let no coders into HF bands and the price of HF equipments will drop
>>dramatically.
>
>I haven't noticed any dramatic drop in the price of VHF/UHF
>equipments. Why should HF equipments be any different?
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>I suspect you are beginning to run short of arguments to justify HF
>no-code access.
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Can't we go a week without someone making an argument about letting NO-CODERS get on HF. For all the HAMs who learned code like myself CONGRATULATIONS. For all the rest of people who haven't learned the CODE yet.. just a few minutes out of your complaining about the code each day and learn it. You just might see how learning a new language could be fun and exciting!

This message wasn't to bash anyone... just a thought from one ham to another.

Jeffrey

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2771. Re: Kenwood TS570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wink <wink@rpa.net>
Message-ID: <34F56680.4516ED6D@rpa.net>
Source record: 152220

Hi,
Yes! This is a problem that Kenwood knows about. I called the dealer
that I bought the radio from (Denver Radio) and they told me to send it to
them and they would make the factory authorized modification and put a new
battery in the radio. Everything is fine now. Give your dealer a call.

Gary N2UM

K9GCO wrote:

> My TS570D is less than one month old and it looks like the lithium battery
> is dead. If I shut it off for over one hour the memory is lost. Anyone
> else with simular experience? Also wonder how hard it is to change.
> Mike
>
> --
> K9GCO

2772. Want Microphone Plugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Shanks <n1vbn@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd42b5$5f2f6fa0$LocalHost@n1vbn>
Source record: 152221

Thanks for reading this. I am in need of two each mic. plugs for the Yaesu Memorizer FT-227R & FT-720R. Both plugs fit the microphone cable, not the receptacle that is in the radio. I need two plugs for each radio. Both radios are to be used on packet and phone with an mfj mic/tnc switch box.

Thanks in advance for any and all help.

--
xn1vbn@bit-net.com
N1VBN IS MY HAM RADIO CALLSIGN
Remove the X to reply. Done to spoil
automated e-mail spammers.

2773. Commercial repeater question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <mOdJ.1$wu2.107949@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 152222

There is a commercial repeater around here that operates around 166 mhz (output). I know that they use CTCSS to activate it but I can't seem to find the input frequency. Is there a standard offset used in the commercial world or could it be anything? I am simply curious about that because on 2 meters, the offset is fixed to 600 khz and I wonder about commercial stuff. Thanks for any input.

73 de VE2CJW.

2774. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sammy <sammy89@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <34F5647D.39D2@hotmail.com>
Source record: 152223

N9mxt1 wrote:
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> In article <34f52633.3813976@news.dial.pipex.com>, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
> Davidson) writes:
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> see how learning a new language could be fun and exciting!
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> Jeffrey
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I called ADI to confirm the story and the Tech said they are working
on some sort of 6 meter radio, Dual band radio etc. He had no knowledge
of a HF radio but said the idea has been kicked around. Perhaps he isn't
in the know about it. But the original poster said it is just about to
be released. I hope I am wrong though and a $500 bare bones HF radio is
about to be released for us.
Sam

2775. Re: Commercial repeater question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchapman@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <6d3r12$i1k@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 152224

Michel Morin (morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca) wrote:
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: (output). I know that they use CTCSS to activate it but I can't seem to find
: the input frequency. Is there a standard offset used in the commercial world
: or could it be anything? I am simply curious about that because on 2 meters,
: the offset is fixed to 600 khz and I wonder about commercial stuff. Thanks
: for any input.

: 73 de VE2CJW.

Both in the US and Canada VHF repeaters can be any input frequency. I'm
not sure about Canada, down here we have various frequency guides
available that can be found at Radio Shacks, stores and mail order that
show various frequencies assigned to specific organizations/companies, and
you might be able to tell from that. It would show a large number of
mobile units on the repeater input frequency...
Good luck!
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--*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-
John Chapman WB8INY
Ohio Section ARES, District Emergency Coordinator, District 7
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/9551/ (check it out)

2776. Re: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f5f266ada7dd8a4989975@news.planet.net>
Source record: 152225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

[This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.misc and a copy was sent
to the cited author.]

In article <34f44445.204772@news.total.net>, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
says...
> Hi.
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> My problem with IC-706:
> - 2m TX not working properly (power output)
> - 2m RX is too low
> - All other amateur bands are working properly
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> The antenna is working properly. I tried with two antennas. I
> could use it for HTX-242 so the antenna shouldn't be a problem. Now,
> it must be somewhere inside, but I can't figure it out. (the
> cables are connected properly...)
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>
> Thanks for your help.
>

The earlier model 706 have an inherent defect in the 2 meter module. If
you go to the Icom webpage and go to the tech help section, there is a
fix that involves replacing several components. One of the additional
benefits is that your RX will improve 100%.

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Steve KF2TI
KF2TI@planet.net
http://www.planet.net/adell

Bring out your Dead <clang>
Bring out your dead <clang>
I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better

2777. Re: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1 Games <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd42c4$98958180$970148ca@default>
Source record: 152226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

May I hv the Icom WebPage ?

Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) <kf2ti@planet.net> wrote in article
<MPG.f5f266ada7dd8a4989975@news.planet.net>...
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> http://www.planet.net/adell
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> I'm not dead yet. I'm feeling MUCH better
>

2778. ## HELP ## Need info on re-charging a battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wildthang@her.house
Message-ID: <34f67e3e.2349814@news.wwisp.com>
Source record: 152227

Can some one help me?

I have found 2 rechargable batteries that are in perfect condition but
I have no idea how to charge them. They are 12v 7amp (lead acid I
think). What kind of power, amprage, do I use to try and recharge
these?

Thanks for your help.
Lance

Lance@wwisp.com.com with out the 2nd .com (spammers)
Do The WildThang Baby!~
~~KiLl SpAm~~

2779. GE MLS Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas E Baumann <tntbaumann@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <34F585AE.2585@fuse.net>
Source record: 152228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for the software to program GE MLS mobile radios. I have
access to the necessary cables but do not have the necessary software.
If anyone could help me with this venture I would really appreciate it.

Thanks & 73's
Tom KE4DSK

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****
Please remove the "nospam" from the beginning
of my email address when replying to any mail.
****

2780. Yaesu FT-847 When is it comming out?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6d41at$60c@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 152229

Anyone know when the FT-847 rig can be purchased? It has HF, 2M 440 and 6m. Its on the back cover of QST Feb issue.

I dont know why they advertise this stuff when you cant get your hands on it.

2781. TS950S Digital VS TS950SD Difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226154701.KAA00208@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152230

Anyone know the difference between the TS950 s Digital and the TS950SD? I have the TS950S Digital which I purchased about a month ago and was told it was the 950SD. It does have the digital unit under the rig. Anyone also know the difference in price between the two. And the difference in electronics. I am very happy with the unit but just not sure how much I overpaid.

Thanks
John

2782. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: root@[127.0.0.1]
Message-ID: <6d429u$qb4$1@urano.inet.it>
Source record: 152231
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <34f43b6b.3099307@193.76.127.2>
jas_me@hotmail.com <jas_me@hotmail.com> wrote:

> Per chi volesse poi, c'e` anche la procedura di riallineamento dello stadio
> front-end .... ma c'e` da sudare un po' .

Questo mi interesserebbe molto, hai il testo sottomano per caso?

> Altre info su CQ Elettronica di qualche annetto fa ...

Non oserei mai chiederti che numero di CQ, pero'.... :-)

Sto raccogliendo un po' di info sotto
http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/8516

Qualkunque cosa e' ben accetta

Ciao e grazie
--
Byebye

Bernardo Rossi

My real email address: b(dot)rossi(at)intesys(dot)it

2783. Re: HELP: Yaesu FL 2100B Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <6d41se$aa4@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 152232

In <19980224014401.UAA29881@ladder03.news.aol.com> mailfrmpa@aol.com (MailfrmPA) writes:

>I'd be surprised if this amp called for having the plate dipped! Select the
>switch position for PWR OUT, and tune for max. Then, check the GRID range. If
>its over 500ma, reduce the drive from the exciter. In key-down CW, 500 ma. is
>max..For telephany, keep the plate below 250ma.

Maybe OK, but the pair of 572B's in other amps do indeed call for
a dipping of the plate (as in SB-200 and others like the Yaesu).
You need to dip the plate at low LOADing before you bring it up and
tune for maximum output.

Anyway, good luck, it is a good amp.

Clark
WA3JPG

2784. Re: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd42d2$c752ce20$4c8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 152233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Icom probably wants to keep their web page :-) But, if you'd like to
visit, it is:

http://www.icomamerica.com

> 1 Games <neltang@hotmail.com>
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2785. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@abcnycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <34f69c83.17412168@news>
Source record: 152234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 04:14:21 GMT, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie
Boy) wrote:

>let no coders into HF bands and the price of HF equipments will drop
>dramatically.
>
>>> I can't wait to see the new radio! With the sunspots coming back, and ADI's
>>> new low cost HR radio coming out, maybe some guys like me will finally be
>>> able to afford to get on HF!
>
>first you need code...

Trolling again, Fruitie Boy?
--

Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
abc from my address.

2786. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jas_me@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34f59a05.11713085@193.76.127.2>
Source record: 152235
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

>
>Non oserei mai chiederti che numero di CQ, pero'.... :-)

Ce l'ho ben archiviato a casa dei miei ... la 1' volta che passo lo prendo !
>
>Sto raccogliendo un po' di info sotto
>http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/8516
>

Non male ... se vuoi ti posso mandare lo schemino dell'interfaccina che ho fatto per trasmettere i dati dal PC->FRG ... ma e' solo 1 BC237 con 1 resistenza ed 1 diodo zener ... quindi non penso sia il caso ... CMQ

Ci sono anche dei sorgenti in C

Salut!

Jas

2787. Re: searching pc pakratt for windows

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Svein Olav Aasen <soaasen@online.no>
Message-ID: <01bd42da$e5e5fa80$9ea44382@netsurfer.online.no>
Source record: 152236

Try http://www.timewave.com

Joerg Neumann <DBX238@t-online.de> skrev i artikkelen
<6cq0a3jnu1@news00.btx.dtag.de>...
> hello all
> i am searching the programm pc pakratt for windows.
>
> who can help me !
>

2788. F/S Astatic 10D Head

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Oakland <Scott_Oakland@brown.edu>
Message-ID: <6d4976$686@cocoa.brown.edu>
Source record: 152237

I have one (1) Astatic 10D head (silver) made in Conneaut Ohio. Best offer $

Scott WA1P

2789. Question: Best radio for AM/FM/WB reception?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: baker@sgi.net
Message-ID: <350ab0e3.844255835@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 152238

Hi All,

This question may be off topic, but its the closest forum I could find to ask it in. I live in Western PA and would like to buy a radio that provides the best reception for AM/FM/WB. I want this radio for in my office where it must co-exist with computer equipment. I have a few other desireable feature, but none are requirements. I would like it to have a digital tuner with presets, external antenna inputs, and a digital clock. Sound quality is a concern, but not a major one. Primary need is for sports broadcasts, AM talk radio/news, and weather band.

I would also like to hear opinions on where the best places to buy this radio. Retail stores, mailorder, other?

Thanks in advance,

Tim Baker
baker@sgi.net

2790. Re: @@@ IC-706 2m doesn't work @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: LHS <c3p0@starwars.com>
Message-ID: <#SaIOMuQ9GA.278@upnetnews04>
Source record: 152239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

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2791. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <6d4b44$bfu@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 152240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

ke6qmj@hotmail.com wrote:

> too, that they have a new radio about to hit the streets -- a low cost HF rig!

I just hope they don't announce it before they can deliver - like the
PC programming software for their ADI AT-600 -- over six months late
already.

Don K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

2792. WTB: Atlas 350XL working/non-working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226000700.TAA21039@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152288

Looking for the above intact, good physical condition.

Alan, N3BJ

2793. FS:Trade: Icom 251A 2-Meter All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6d2e4f$4es@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152289
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have For Sale A Icom 251A 2-Meter All Mode Radio With Vox & With IC-HM7 Amplified Microphone.
This Radio Operates Perfect, Just Recently Used It In My First ARRL VHF Contest.
The Radio Is Very Clean & Comes With The Box, Manuals, & Schematics.
Only Problem Is That The S-Meter Is Stuck In The Middle & Was Like That When I Bought The Radio Last Year. This Radio Has A Very Sensative Receiver & Is Very Impressive On The Air. I Am Selling Because I Purchased A New Kenwood This Last Weekend. I Would Rate This Radio 8.5-9
The Price Is 375.00 PrePaid Plus Shipping.

2794. Re: 30 Meter Plan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980226010800.UAA27106@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152290

The voluntary band plan for 30m puts rtty between 10.130-10.140, and packet between 10.140-10.150 MHz. So you were in the packet area. Cw is by agreement 10.100-10.130MHz.

K&#65533;MB

2795. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <utV7HFAuon90Ew3L@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152042
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34F657D7.B8145A61@inreach.com>, Michael <noddy@inreach.com>
writes
>All the Scots I ever met were extremely peculiar.
>

Racist! Although I am not a 'true' jock, I find nothing peculiar about
the locals here, errrr, well maybe, nothing immediately evident!

The local waters nice, beautiful yellow colour and not due to chromium
discharge either

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| Simon Lewis GM4PLM Editor - EMN |
| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <u9d7DLAPrn90EwWz@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152043
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34F643EE.A2FD5B2C@eos.ncsu.edu>, David L Pearce
<dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> writes
>Simon Lewis wrote:
>
>> In article <34f4f12f3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
>> rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
>> >You obviously haven't heard a Cummings Diesel in a Dodge pickup. It's
>> >really LOUD. What's so hard, though about driving up a three thousand foot
>> >mountain? That's not very big, as mountains go.
>>
>> Maybe not in BC but it is here! What I was saying is that try that in
>> your average family car!
>>
>
>If there is a good road, why not? Most luxury cars are built well here in the
>USA. If there quality isn't even always up to par, typically the power still
>is, and since Japan scared the crud out of the American manufacturers, America
>has even got its quality back up ....
>
>Later,
>
>David
>

I give up! I tell you what, come up here, try and get your family saloon
up the local mountain to one of my radio sites and then we will see! You
will still be stuck on a rock at the bottom when I get to the top. Don't
worry I'll come tow you off!

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2797. B&K TEST EQUIPMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiowalt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227180400.NAA01677@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152044

Hello, this is Harry Miller KB6CGG in sometimes sunny
California. I am posting this for a friend Joe Farmer N4RII. He
has the following B & K equipment for sale. It is excellent conditon
and comes with manuals:

2040 Signal Generator
1040 Service Master
520B Transistor Tester
162 Transistor/FET Tester
283 Digital multimeter
1801 Frequency Counter
1640 Power Supply
B&K 10MHZ SCOPE

all for $750 plus shipping. If interested contact Joe email
n4riijf@msn.com or call him 205-882-6413. Or, you can email
me hmiller@fix.net

Tnx es 73 Harry Miller KB6CGG

2798. Re: WTD: Info 10m siltronix 1011d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Grassa <grassa@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <34F72297.16AD6D0@magicnet.net>
Source record: 152045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Bill Nelson wrote:

> rcf@crosslink.net wrote:
> : I recently purchased a old 1011d. I am trying to restore the radio.
> : looking for information on how to wire the jones/cinch power cord for the
> : 1011d. Also a schematic and manual. Also some used good 8950 sweep tubes
>
> Good luck on finding 8950 sweep tubes. They seem to be rare, and expensive.
> The prices I have seen is $80-$90 each new. Used will probably not be much
> lower.
>
> --
> Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

I have several 8950 tubes that are used , but test 85%plus , 35 dollars each.

email me at grassa@magicnet.net

2799. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <e1f3hHAHYv90EwwA@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152046
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34f5cc97.281210489@ntserv02>, Wayne D. Hoxsie Jr.
<wayne@hoxnet.com> writes
>
>The main problem with Nuclear Power (in the US) is that the technology
>is still classified (By the Atomic Energy Act of 1957) and because of
>this, the general public has no idea how safe it really is. Only
>Three Americans have every been killed related to Nuclear Power. The
>conventional plants can't make a claim like that.

Statement A negates statement B

How do you know only 3 have been killed if its still classified?

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2800. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <YV42ZKAZdv90EwTY@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152047
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <6d4qr7cet3@cn1.hw.ac.uk>, b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk writes
>
>On 1998-02-26 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
>snip
> dl>ever be manufactured. At least of I die from ash, green house gases,
> dl>or nuclear radiation, I'll have my mental faculties until I am too
> dl>debilitated for it to matter, with lead, that isn't an option. Just
> dl>my view, David
>
>Er, one small point. In Scotland (and no doubt many other parts of the
>UK) there are villages where there were lead mines until the very recent
>past.
>
>The locals don't seem peculiar in any way; and the many tourist visitors
>to the insides of the mines would appear to be there voluntarily.

What? Have you ever been to Leadhills?

Many hundreds of miners and their families died from lead poisoning and the lead fumes from the smelters polluted the areas for miles around the plant. In fact some of the smelters still exist because the lead has leached its way into the wooden building in such quantities that it will not rot. The local watercourse is heavily contaminated by lead sulphide and in most places around the site; lifeless.

The expose now is probably minute, the ore is not mined now (although there are tonnes of ore left - supply/demand price too low for mining it) and so the Galena is not being spread about. The smelters are no longer running and so lead fumes are not being produced, so of course the locals look OK. But their ancestors were far from OK.Most died very premature and quite nasty deaths, brought on by lead poisoning.

Simon
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2801. Re: Need SP-430S Modification Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <34F7006F.195A@netdoor.com>
Source record: 152048

No way dick!

This was a test. He is undoubtedly a BARF or an ANTIBARF checking to
see if we had dumbded/dumbed/dhumedd (one of'em write) down far
enoughfor them to gegin their mindcontroll of us via 440, Yes Dick, the
NoCoderz are support these groups.
It's time for us to take action against these insideous plotterz of
qwerm, hate, lust (yes lust, more fuckyouz showing up,itsa sign Dick)
yes me must take action against theez mind controllerz, NO more QRP,
full RF AHEAD!
God, juszt read whut i tiped....I'm duumim doun,....OOOH KNOW, there
takin mi mine way fum meee, i b tawkin ebonically.....imghone man!

beware, Butch KF5DE

> In article <34F62725.323F@netdoor.com>, Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
> wrote:
>
> >The SP-430 won't transmit shit unless you hook up a transmitter to it
> >then it will transmit very shitily!!
>
> Awww, come on, Butch. You're mean. :) You should probably explain that
> a Kenwood SP-430 is a speaker. What the original poster was probably
> asking about was a TS-430 HF transceiver.
>
> 73, Dick
> --
> Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
> Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

2802. Re: New ADI HF Radio! ADI Equipment good ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <34f6d92f.235089691@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 152049
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 23:21:20 -0800, Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>sammy wrote:
>
[snip]
>
>
>I've never used any ADI equipment, are their radios any good?
>
>I guess the real question is, Can an HF Radio for under $500 be any good?
>(I know we'll have to wait and see; assuming that the rurmor is true.)
>

Beauty is in the eyes of the beholder. There are many factors people
would like to compare before making a conclusive answer. Some people
will look at:

Brand Name (Reputation? Loyalists?)
Service Department (turn around time, cost, etc.)
Construction of the radio (size, and etc)
Receiver Capabality (adhere to the spec. or not)
Transmitter Capabality (dido)
Additional features (knobs, filters, and other options)
Appearance
Overall cost (Expensive options? Very important to many people.)

All of the above?

If budget is a major concern, then a more cautious decision making
process might be needed. Otherwise, look for some higher class rigs;
unless it's going to be a back up or a mobile rig.
Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

2803. For Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227182800.NAA04250@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152050

I'm cleaning out my computer shop and have the following for trade. I'm looking for an HF rig 10-160 w/WARC bands, digital display.

Sony 8X CD-Rom model CDU311. Used, but not abused.
Toshiba DVD-Rom model SD-M1102. This is the new model, and is unused.
ATI 3D Rage Pro AGP 2X video card. This comes with the matching ATI video decoder, has inputs for camcorder, VCR, Cable TV, and has a 120+ channel TV tuner.
3ea. BOCA 16bit ISA IDE/Floppy controllers.

E-Mail me at shephed@aol.com

73's
Dan, N8VZU

2804. modifikation Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fuchs Stefan <sfuchs@donau.de>
Message-ID: <34F70D57.67A27F9F@donau.de>
Source record: 152051

I need Info about modifikation this two Handtransiver:

Alan CT-145
Albrecht RL-402

How can helf

Vielen Dank im voraus 73

2805. Re: Building a Dummy Load?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <34f71474.77270288@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 152052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Thanks to all who've responded so far - there were some good ideas.

It has been suggested by a local ham that I could make a cheap version of the "Cantenna" by using 200 - 10K ohm 1/2w resistors in parallel, mounted between two 4x6 inch plates of copper-clad pc board (with the copper to the outside). This assembly is then connected to an SO-239 mounted in a paint can lid and suspended in a paint can full of mineral oil.

He says the copper clad pc boards pretty much cancel out the reactance that would be present and make for a very good 50+j0 ohm match.

He said to use 1/2 watt, 5% resistors - I didn't ask, but I assume he meant carbon film, as thats about all I can find in 1/2w, 5%. Does that sound right?

If this will work, I'll be ordering the resistors and sharpening my drill bit...

Any comments? Am I wasting my time here? Is mineral oil non-conductive?

Thanks & 73,

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

2806. Yaesu 736 2meter, 440 Allmode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227202501.PAA24103@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152053

I have a Yaesu 736 2meter 440 modules installed, also Tone Board installed.
Asking $ 1,400.00 and I pay the shipping to you.
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock, AR
kilo5joe@aol.com

2807. KENWOOD TS570

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Hale <kd5h@aristotle.net>
Message-ID: <01bd43a4$eb739500$9e958298@pc1201>
Source record: 152054

I was thinking about buying this rig as a second rig for camping. Someone told me the automatic tuner wasn't that good. If the antenna had a swr of 3 or more it wouldn't tune.
Can anyone confirm this???
I use a 75 meter dipole, then the tuner for 40,20,10.. It works great with my TS450 but would like to know someone that has the 570 opinon on the radio.

2808. FS - Datong Mofel FL1 Audio Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: patricio@deltanet.com
Message-ID: <6d78gp$812$1@news01.deltanet.com>
Source record: 152055

One Datong Model FL1 Frequency Agile Audio Filter for sale. It has automatic or manual modes with peak/notch or bypass modes. Has seperate variable bandwidth, frequency and volumne controls. It is in very good condition. Will not refuse a reasonable offer.

2809. For Sale: 6M FM Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbolle@ma.ultranet.com
Message-ID: <6d78kcmbu1@decius.ultra.net>
Source record: 152056

Alinco DR-M06 6M FM Mobile radio. One owner, very good condition.
Mirage amp 10W in, 150W out. The combination makes for excellent repeater
coverage and great simplex distance. Asking $550 for both. Thanks and 73 de
Ned N1IRS

2810. Re: Building a Dummy Load?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34F72763.44A7@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 152057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Marty Tippin wrote:
>
> Thanks to all who've responded so far - there were some good ideas.
>
> It has been suggested by a local ham that I could make a cheap version
> of the "Cantenna" by using 200 - 10K ohm 1/2w resistors in parallel,
> mounted between two 4x6 inch plates of copper-clad pc board (with the
> copper to the outside). This assembly is then connected to an SO-239
> mounted in a paint can lid and suspended in a paint can full of
> mineral oil.
>
> He says the copper clad pc boards pretty much cancel out the reactance
> that would be present and make for a very good 50+j0 ohm match.
>
> He said to use 1/2 watt, 5% resistors - I didn't ask, but I assume he
> meant carbon film, as thats about all I can find in 1/2w, 5%. Does
> that sound right?
>
> If this will work, I'll be ordering the resistors and sharpening my
> drill bit...
>
> Any comments? Am I wasting my time here? Is mineral oil
> non-conductive?
>
> Thanks & 73,
>
> -Marty KI0LO
> martyt@pobox.com

Marty OM,

Sounds good to me; I predict it will work fine, at least for HF,
for 100 watts. You can use either carbon film or metal film
resistors. Mineral oil is indeed non-conductive. You can even
use drinkable mineral oil, which is quite pure.

73 and GL,
Don, W6JL

2811. Mods for VX-1r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Limmareds Ham Center HB <manne@mbox303.swipnet.se>
Message-ID: <888613864.685149@mn8>
Source record: 152058

Hi
anyone ho has the mods for ARTS on 434.600-434.800 with -1,600Mhz
Mail me. manne@mbox303.swipnet.se

2812. FS: IC-1020 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert E. Moorman" <k5vmx@lcc.net>
Message-ID: <34F72D23.EF3F9EA9@lcc.net>
Source record: 152059

ICOM IC-1020, 32 channel, 45 watt, dual priority scan. Alpha readout.
Many options. New in the box with warranty card. Two year factory parts
& labor warranty. Will program. $425.00 + shipping.

2813. WTB Alinco DX 70T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <davande@niia.net>
Message-ID: <01bd43ca$7cba97a0$8dbff8cc@danvande>
Source record: 152060

I am looking for a good condition Alinco DX70T to run mobile.
E-mail davander@niia.net or call 219-324-5431 and state condition and
price.

Dan K9RQ

2814. TS450SAT FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gcr2@po.CWRU.Edu
Message-ID: <6d7ekp$d2l$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 152061

Kenwood TS450SAT, with antenna tuner, SSB filter, cords,manuals, mikes boxes. VGC. $750 73 KE8YX

2815. FS:Pro-46 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: geaugalake@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227223800.RAA14583@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152062

Realistic Pro-46 Handheld Scanning Receiver
100 Channel Memory -
I would love to get $1.5 million for it but I don't think I can get much more than $130 ... This on I dont have the Box, I have the Instructions somewhere around here, so Im negotiable (I hope spelling dont count either) In fact If I

really look hard, I might still have the box...

Karl - KB8ZIK
Cleveland, Ohio area.

I have a Pro-2006 but thats $2 million (firm)

2816. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctwla@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6d7g11$rft@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

I suggest You tell us the price before any thing else.
I personely do not buy an item whose price was kept a secret, until
someone showed an interest, sharp minds know why.

By the way that radio is worth $185
C Thomas

In <34F44B4B.2781E494@pleisto.geo.cornell.edu> Matthew Kleinmann
<matthew@pleisto.geo.cornell.edu> writes:
>
>The Cornell Amateur Radio Club, W2CXM is selling a Motorola
R-390A/URR.
>The radio is in good working condition. It is serial number 882 (from
>the front tag).
>
>
>You can see the radio at http://www.ebay.com
>
>it is item unmber 6957323
>
>Or you can search for R-390A
>
>Bid high, and bid often, you are helping a good cause!
>
>--Matthew

2817. Re: For Sale: Mirage 2 Meter Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dxr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227232700.SAA17646@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152064

The amp has been sold.

2818. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brettwino-spam@ix.nospam.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f71242.2073573@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 00:42:21 GMT, interc@globalnet.co.uk (Duncan
Hawkins) wrote:

>On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 10:14:30 -0600, hamsupplies@trust-me.com wrote:
>
>> Dear Prospective Customers,
>>
>> We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
>> equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
>> Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
>> discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
>> competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
>> due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.
>
>Mmmm you sure?
>
>
>>
>> All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
>> from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
>> freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
>> dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
>> checks. We accept checks in US funds only.
>
>When spending over $1200 To save $160 dollars, less the cost of
>freight, import duties, and risking sending money abroad to an
>unknown business with no track record.......
>
>
>Some deal Huh!!!!!
>
>
If you've ever had any experience with international legal dealings,
I'd say keep your money in the U.S. and find a discount outlet; at
least you could find a lawyer in that state to sue if you didn't
receive anything for your money. Kuala Lumpur is a long drive...

2819. Tailtwister for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: na2n@ifam.com
Message-ID: <34f71499.185736938@news.ulster.net>
Source record: 152066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

T2X - Tailtwister heavy-duty rotor, with control box. No binds in rotation, etc.

$400 OBO

Please reply vial email, not to the newsgroup. Thanks.

Greg Becker NA2N na2n@ifam.com
IFAM - Ideas For American Manufacturers
Rondout #343 F&AM - Hendrick Hudson #875 F&AM

2820. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f713df.86542786@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152067
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 09:38:48 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt Davidson) wrote:
>On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 20:38:22 GMT, wayne@hoxnet.com (Wayne D. Hoxsie
>Jr.) wrote:
>
>>The main problem with Nuclear Power (in the US) is that the technology
>>is still classified (By the Atomic Energy Act of 1957) and because of
>>this, the general public has no idea how safe it really is. Only
>>Three Americans have every been killed related to Nuclear Power. The
>>conventional plants can't make a claim like that.
>
>It only takes one to blow, and those stats will be turned on their
>head ... for ever!

We've had at least three which "blew". Two suffered core melts
and one coughed its pressure vessel header. No off site releases
of any significance occurred in any of them. Our containment
designs are good.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2821. Scanners for sale.....Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JohnG <KB2VOJ@BIGFOOT.COM>
Message-ID: <6d7kge$9df@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152068
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

BC 3000 XLT - all original accessories, box, manual. Excellent condition - $260------SOLD

RS Pro 26 (20-506) all original accessories, manual, no box. Good condition - $150

Relm HS200 - All original accessories, box, manual. Good condition - $155

All prices include shipping. - Thanks.

John - KB2VOJ@BIGFOOT.COM

2822. Re: Need SP-430S Modification Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <34F75C5A.23A7@frii.com>
Source record: 152069

I don't often make tyo's. I meant the TS-430S. My error certainly didn't deserve the foul response nor does it have a place on the I-net. It wasn't a positive contribution by any means. And I don't need your low-life spam in my mailbox either.

Dave

Butch Magee wrote:
>
> The SP-430 won't transmit shit unless you hook up a transmitter to it
> then it will transmit very shitily!!
>
> KF5DE

2823. NEED The MOD for the ICOM 706MKII """"Please""""""

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cfisher@klis.com
Message-ID: <34f751e1.7360919@news.klis.com>
Source record: 152070

cfisher@klis.com
any information about this mod would be appreciated...

2824. Re: Homing Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tonyz@rose.hp.com
Message-ID: <6d70j7cea1@rosenews.rose.hp.com>
Source record: 152071
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.exotic-modes,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.nocode,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

Daryl Bevis (dbevis@phoenix.net) wrote:
: I am a technician no-code and I am looking for a homing device one which is
: very small and light weight, and has a range of at least 1000ft. This is for
: my cat who likes to stay gone for too long at a time. Any info on homing
: devices will help. URLs or schematics.... anything..

Contact Curtis Electro Devices in Rocklin, California.

Mr Curtis (the famous Curtis keyer chip guy) is trying to
market a cat finder. cat wears a tag that beeps when the
owner needs to find the cat. owner follows the beeping
sound etc. four channels for different pets etc..

OK, bye.

Your pal, Tony

2825. NRD-1EL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carole Comeau <carolecomeau@home.com>
Message-ID: <34F7606A.82C8068E@home.com>
Source record: 152072

Saw your message requesting info. I have one of these - what about it do you want to know? It's a Japanese copy of a Collins 51-S1. mechanical filters, motor driven tuning or manual.

2826. {{F.S. ICOM 738}}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Gillani <tbolt@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F7652F.27ED3C3E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152073

ICOM -IC-738, HF Tranceiver, SSB, CW, AM, FM, Frequency Coverage
500khz to 29.995 mhz, Full Transmit and Receive, 150 Watts, Mike,
Manual, and Original Factory Shipping Cartons. Excellant Condition 9++.
Price $995.00 or will include Icom SM-8 Desk Mike as Package Price of
$1075.00 Firm. Tnx. Rich e-mail tbolt@ix.netcom.com

2827. Master II Power Transformer noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: william.r.jones.1@gsfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <6d6mjl$24j@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 152074

Does anyone know of a way to quiet the buzzing noise the ferroresonant
transformer used in the Master II power supply makes? I have tried
securring the bolts through the laminations and even shock mounted
the transformer on isolation pads. These steps helped, but there
is still a lot of noise. I am told GE had/has a service bulletin
that addressed the problem. Has anyone seen it?

2828. Re: Scanners for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean M. Gilligan" <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <34F78CC6.9D539E08@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 152075
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I aplogize for not being in favor of ripping of
fellow hams and/or scanner enthusiasts... maybe
some day I'll be as cool as you.

JohnG wrote:
>
> Thanks Sean.....but first, show me your badge.
>
> John
>
> Sean M. Gilligan wrote in message <34F64180.2AF2A315@lehigh.edu>...
> >It sells for $179 new @ Ace Comm
> >
> >
> >
> >JohnG wrote:
> >> Relm HS200 - All original accessories, box,
> >manual. Good condition - $155

2829. Re: Suggestions for Dual Band FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard O. Kinkead" <richard-kinkead@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6d7rbg$njt@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152076

Blackie Lawless wrote in message <34f5d378.80014717@news.supernews.com>...
>I am looking for a Dual band 2/440 radio with cross band repat (full
>duplex?) capabilities.

Do some serious research. Kenwood and Icom have dual banders which will allow remote control from your HT using DTMF. The yeasu FT-8100 allows one way and two way cross band but no remote control (The Kenwood and Icom can do one way cross band by playing with tone squelch which means buying a CTCSS module. This is the same module which facilitates remote control). The remote control feature is useful for switching output channels (I am not sure if Input channels can be changed since this raises the probability of mischief, error, and loss of control over the radio).

I have the FT-8000. The only thing lacking is remote DTMF control in cross band repeat mode. I also have the Alinco DR-605T without the module. Because it has two way repeat (no one way), the duty cycle is high and the radio heats up quickly. This is a problem with two way rpt.

Best thing is to search for the company web pages and read up on which radios do what. Also search for retailers and check online prices. I would tell you to buy a magazine and check prices but they are hardly ever printed in advertisements.

Hope I was of help.

Richard, KF4PFE

2830. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F76E36.4BE0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote:
>
> ke6qmj@hotmail.com wrote:
> >
> > Amazing News!
> >
> > A friend of mine called the fine folks at ADI-Premier Communications today
> to
> > ask some questions about their products. The tech on the phone told him
> > about some of what they have coming out. He was excited to learn, and I was
> > too, that they have a new radio about to hit the streets -- a low cost HF
> rig!
>
> The fact is that we ARE seriously CONSIDERING an HF radio. We feel strongly
> that there is a market for a very low cost, scaled-down radio with general
> coverage receive. It would make a great starter radio, as well as provide an
> alternative for folks that are fed up with the extremely complicated and
> expensive "contester's" radios being produced by other manufacturers.
>
> We believe that there is a huge oppurtunity for this type of radio, given the
> upswing of the new sunspot cycle, the record high influx of new hams in the
> last 8 years, and the fact that no other manufacturer offers such a simple
> "starter" rig.
>
> At this point we are soliciting comments from the ham radio community. We
> would like to know if hams in general would be interested in this type of
> radio, and, if so, what features they would like to see included and which
> features they could do without.
>
> Of course, the more features that are included in the radio, the more
> expensive it would be. Our target price on a radio like this would be
> something like $500 or LESS retail, so we'd have to pick and choose the
> features we include very carefully in order to keep the cost of the unit down.
>
> Any comments or suggestions regarding this project can be e-mailed to
> <premier@adi-radio.com>
>
> ##
> # Ken Collier -- Amateur Radio Station KO6UX #
> # ADI/PREMIER Communications Internet Representative #
> # Phone: (909) 869-5711 E-Mail: <ko6ux@adi-radio.com> #
> # Fax: (909) 869-5710 Web: <http://www.adi-radio.com> #
> ##

> # ARRL Technical Specialist Member, NoCode International #
> # <http://www.arrl.org> <http://www.nocode.org> #
> # #
> # Coming Soon: <http://www.ko6ux.com> ! #
> ##
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Well, I just purchased a ADI AR-146 two mtr mobile and am very impressed
I think it is a Kenwood TH-241a that was CLONED but has all the options
that Kenwood charged for as STANDARD. I opened up the radio and am
impressed with the quality of construction. I got NO INTERMOD like I got
with the ICOM 2000H that boasts it is Intermod resistent. BTW, I paid
$199 at HRO. SUCH A DEAL.

I would like to purchase a $500 mobile type radio like the Kenwood TS-50
or the Alinco DX-70T. I realize some features (that are seldom used)
will have to be eliminated but I would be game for a radio like that.
Any other comments????

73's Steve NS1R

2831. Re: Need SP-430S Modification Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <34F776F2.7A83@netdoor.com>
Source record: 152078

avatar wrote:
>
> I don't often make tyo's. I meant the TS-430S. My error certainly didn't
> deserve the foul response nor does it have a place on the I-net. It
> wasn't a positive contribution by any means. And I don't need your
> low-life spam in my mailbox either.
>
> Dave
>
> Butch Magee wrote:
> >
> > The SP-430 won't transmit shit unless you hook up a transmitter to it
> > then it will transmit very shitily!!
> >
> > KF5DE

Now, now, now! Did I not speak the truth to what you wrote? Was my heart in the wrong place to accuratly describe in VERY DIRECT terms what would happen should you do what you asked? tsk, tsk! See if I ever help you out with technical assistance again!

Love, Butch KF5DE

2832. Icom IC T22a mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba <kf9yh@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6d7ukgfss1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 152079

If someone has the mods for the Icom T22a, I would appreciate
either a copy or e-mail. I would be happy to reimburse for postage
or copying costs. E-mail is fine, too.

Thank you
Bob
KF9YH

2833. FS: 736r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woolem <jwoolem@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34F78824.4532EE66@flash.net>
Source record: 152080
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have a yaesu 736 r allmode 2mtr 440 with tone board mike box and book
I ship 1500
reply here N5TKG

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2834. FS:19" Electronic Equipment Enclosures, priced to move!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Hix <lhix@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6d84bsqg1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 152081

Surplus Standard 19 inch equipment enclosures. These
enclosures have never been used !!!!!! Mounting space:
19" width x 70" height x 24" depth. Good for many types
of rack/shelf mounting applications such as; test equipment,
cellular and paging equipment, data com/server equipment,
and other applications. These are very well built Enclosures
(cabinets) with several features, $329 compare our prices. Go to
http://www.flash.net/~lhix for more information.

2835. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas W. Castle" <afn17891@afn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.95.980227225745.156365D-100000@freenet2.afn.org>
Source record: 152082

A little food for thought:

At the Orlando Hamfest, I got to see one of these fancy new rigs...

Its small, not 706 size but small, not a rag-chew rig - I was told...
Even with thermal fans, still can over heat an "shut-down" for a while.
The little bit of Rx I heard sounded pretty good...

But the bad news is: Late March - 98 last production of 736 R's...
This was from Yaesu person at show... Company will still support for awhile.
Its a shame...

Also saw new Icom 746, bigger than Yaesu, display is really different,
not as nice as in Promo pictures.... Don't think this one is going to
be big seller???

Just a little input from the people who build an sell these rigs....

Tom / KD4QHH

73'

On Sun, 22 Feb 1998, hershman wrote:

> hershman wrote:
> >
> > Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX wrote:
> > >
> > > Pete McGreevy wrote:
> > > (snip snip)
> > > >
> > > > ANd oh Yeah, is the 846 replacing the 736, or the 840, or the 900, both,
> > > > all, any ideas???
> > > >
> > > > There's more than ya bargained for -- Pete -- KA2YDY
> > >
> > > Well it looks as if the 736 will be around for awhile. Yaesu is still
> > > advertising it along with the 847. It supports 222MHZ and 1.2GHZ
> > > whereas the 847 does not.

2836. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <34f79213$1$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 152083
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <fsLnnGAVZW90EwBo@pacsat.demon.co.uk>, on 02/26/98
at 12:55 PM, Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk> said:

>In article <34f4f12f3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
>rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
>>You obviously haven't heard a Cummings Diesel in a Dodge pickup. It's
>>really LOUD. What's so hard, though about driving up a three thousand foot
>>mountain? That's not very big, as mountains go.

>Maybe not in BC but it is here! What I was saying is that try that in
>your average family car!

I have. Dozens of times. In everything from a 1956 Chev sedan, AMC Hornet
wagon, Toyota Wagon and Suzuki 4WD. As I said, what's hard about it?

>>Many years ago, diesel fuel here was substantially cheaper than gasoline.
>>At one time, back in the 70's, using diesel was considerably cheaper than
>>gasoline. Not any more, though, so why bother with the extra cost of
>>buying and servicing diesels?
>>
>>73, Bob, VE7HS

>Why not? If the fuel is cheaper and the engines available.

Because the fuel ISN'T cheaper, and the engines are more expensive to buy
and service. Opting for diesel simply isn't cost effective. Here, anyway.

73, Bob.

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

2837. Equipment FS (handheld)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Kerlin <kerlin@ligtel.com>
Message-ID: <34f7792f.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 152084

Hello, and thanks for reading this post. I have for sale the following
equipment, all in "like new" condition, and all with original boxes and
manuals.

1. Yaesu FT11-R-HP
both nicads (FNB-31 and 38) with chargers
FBA-14 alkaline battery case
PA10A DC adapter/charger (cigarette lighter)
(2) leather cases (to fit both battery sizes)
Expanded receive per keypad mod
Expanded x-mit (136-180mhz) per hardware mod
ADMS-1 PC programming software, with cable
Price: $225.00 firm, including U.S. shipping

2. Uniden Sportcat SC150 12 Band scanner, 100 chanels + WX
Leather case
Receives full 800 mhz
Price: $125.00 including U.S. shipping

3. Sony Pyxis 760 Moving Map GPS
Jeppesen aircraft database
Sony continental overview database
32k memory card
2 Florida C-map marine cards
Sony custom mounting kit
Extra carry case.
Price: $195.00 including U.S. shipping

Replies can be by phone: (219) 856-2921
or Email: kerlin@ligtel.com

Ron Kerlin
KB9LSH

2838. Re: yaesu 50r on/of switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6d8ctn$lpl@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 152085

dejim@mail.execpc.com writes:
>i've received two replacement red on/off switches to replace the
>oversized one that turns on too easily. but i received no
>instructions for installation. wonder if anyone who has made the
>switch can tell me what's involved...is there a loss of memory?

No loss of memory contents - but back it up onto your computer first
anyway if you have the software.

To get at the power switch:

Remove the battery.

Carefully remove the black NiCd label from the back of the radio
chassis. This label is part of the radio's water-resistant shell,
believe it or not, so don't damage the adhesive on it.

Under the label are two screws. Back the screws out several turns,
but not all the way. Then gently press on the screws. This will
push the keypad out the front of the radio. Carefully hold the keypad
and its gasket, then remove the screws the rest of the way and remove
the keypad.

Remove the antenna and knobs from the top of the radio. At this point,
there are no more screws holding the radio chassis inside its plastic
case, but there are a couple of little metal tabs on the chassis that
engage cutouts in the plastic case. These tabs are at about the level
of the (now removed) black NiCd label. Spread the sides of the plastic
case slightly to help these tabs pop out, while using another finger
inserted through the keypad hole to push the lower part of the metal
chassis readwards. The lower part of the chassis should push back
out of the plastic outer case fairly easily.

Once the chassis has been pushed out at the bottom, you can slide it
downwards so the knob shafts and SMA connector clears the plastic case.
Also make sure that the PTT/mon/light rubber buttons don't get caught
on the exiting chassis.

At this point, the radio is apart. The power button is probably still
sitting in the front of the plastic housing. Just replace it with the
shorter one.

Now you need to put things back together. To make it easier, the
rubber "light pipe" that carries light from the red/green LED up to
the top of the case can be removed. Then put everything back together
in reverse order of taking it apart, making sure that none of the sealing
gaskets gets pinched somewhere it isn't supposed to be, and all of the

gasket sealing surfaces are clean.

Once everything else is back together, the rubber light pipe can be pushed into place from outside the case. This is easier than trying to align it with the right hole in the chassis while re-installing it.

When it's all back together (remember the NiCd sticker!) it should work exactly as before - with the exception that the power button is now about 1 mm shorter.

Dave

2839. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Glashan <alan.glashan@dundee.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4399$4057e000$af014999@user>
Source record: 152086
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ivor,
Without doubt, the American who replied is confusing Beer with Lager!
Lager needs to be drunk cold, but as for Beer, esp. Real Ale as you stated,
it's optimum temp is nowhere near that of Lager.
A nice pint of Dogbolter would go down fine right now!

Alan

Ivor D. Jones <ivor.g6urp@nospam.demon.co.uk> wrote in article
<sr6g+CA4na90EwGR@europa1.demon.co.uk>...
>
> >On Tue, 24 Feb 1998 10:42:45 -0600, "C.A.S."
> ><aaaadeletethis@topher.net> wrote:
> >
> >>> > You guys are arguing over color TV and gasoline? Where are your
> >priorities?
> >>> > GB certainly has better beer, and that's where American progress
ought to
> >be
> >>> >aimed.
> >>>
> >>>**********
> >>I agree that GB has better WARM beer, but what respectable
> >>Yankee would drink warm beer to begin with !!!!
>
> It's obvious the writer of the last line above has never tried Real Ale!
> Most of the Americans I know who've been to the UK like it almost as
> much as I do!
>
> --
>
> 73 de Ivor G6URP
> Email: ivor.g6urp@europa1.demon.co.uk
> Packet: g6urp@gb7sol.#29.gbr.eu
>
>

2840. FS: Two #45 RCA Used Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6d6kl2$a05$3@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 152087

Two RCA #45 used tubes for sale with my actual TV-7D/U's readings/ratings for each tube.

Tube dealers due to large volumes of tubes generally cannot spend the time to give you the actual "performance" of the tube on a calibrated TV-7D/U tester in excellent shape (Please understand your readings can vary obviously). They simply say the tube passes usually and you could get a mediocre pass at best to decent very strong tube with the luck of the draw that's really like a new tube. I have had this experience.

Have rated and priced the following two tubes accordingly:

Tube 1: RCA 45

TV-7D/U's Minimum Acceptable Value = 47

" Actual Reading for tube 1 = 78

Asking price $50.00 or B/O plus shipping. This tests approximately like a new tube in my opinion!!!

Tube 2: RCA 45

TV-7D/U's Minimum Acceptable Value = 47

" Actual Reading for tube 1 = 65

Asking price $40.00 or B/O plus shipping. This is a strong used tube in my opinion.

International buyer welcome.

Thank you.

2841. FS: Trade: 2 Meter All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6d5fok$f0d@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152102
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have For Sale A Icom 251A 2-Meter All Mode Radio With Vox & With IC-HM7 Amplified Microphone.
This Radio Operates Perfect, Just Recently Used It In My First ARRL VHF Contest.
The Radio Is Very Clean & Comes With The Box, Manuals, & Schematics.
Only Problem Is That The S-Meter Is Stuck In The Middle & Was Like That When I Bought The Radio Last Year. This Radio Has A Very Sensative Receiver & Is Very Impressive On The Air. I Am Selling Because I Purchased A New Kenwood This Last Weekend. I Would Rate This Radio 8.5-9
The Price Is 375.00 PrePaid Plus Shipping.

2842. FS: Yaesu FT900AT/Collins Flt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rs2bk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227001900.TAA12144@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152103

This unit is brand new with separation kit and collins filter.
$1025.oo shipped to your door.
E-mail me at rs2bk@aol.com
or landline 309/799/7447
Jim, w9ud

2843. Re: Question: Autek QF-1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMDX <AMDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6d51i4$oko@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152104

Hi Mike,
After you've ran out of fun with your QF-1A look at this page,
http://www.fix.net/~jparker/norcal/software/software.htm
Looks like a lot of good stuff.
Mike

2844. WTB TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd432c$7bce94c0$bcdc2dc7@default>
Source record: 152105

Need 2ea 6CS6 and 1ea 6BQ7

Dwight Raddatz, WA9EUN
email, draddatz@gwe.net

2845. TEN TEC F:S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Fascitelli" <n1jat@110.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4315$7d0b2ae0$4cc171d1@johnfasc>
Source record: 152106

I HAVE A TEN TEC MODEL 238 2KW ANTENNA TUNER FOR $175.00
ON A SCALE OF 10 IT IS A 9 COMES WITH BOX AND MANUEL
JACK /N1JAT n1jat@110.net

2846. WTB TM742AD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1zat@dsport.com
Message-ID: <6d5ed5$f1t@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 152107

Looking for a TM742, preferably with the 220 Mhz module
installed.

2847. FS: Heath HW-9 +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227041701.XAA25046@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152108

Posting the following for a friend, so please direct all inquiries to *him*.

HW-9 w/ WARC Bands
HD-1418 Active Audio Filter
HM-9 QRP Wattmeter
HFT-9A Antenna Tuner
PSA-9 Power Supply

His price for the above package is $450.00 plus shipping. If interested, please contact Bob McArthur at < K1QT@juno.com >

Thanks/73--Phil (K1HS)

2848. FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227044900.XAA24836@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152109

For Sale---Kenwood TS870 ----Excellent condition---------no dents, dings or scratches----used by non smoker-----Selling because I'm not home all that much to use it anymore!---bought new for $2,250.00-----will sell for $1650.00--shipping included.---Contact me at N8WGM@cyberdrive.net or N8WGM@aol.com

2849. ICOM IC-H6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrf9949@garnet.acns.fsu.edu
Message-ID: <6d5iqmrsi1@news.fsu.edu>
Source record: 152110

I recently purchased an ICOM IC-H6 VHF radio. Does anyone know about
any mods? How do I change the frequencies/crystals?

2850. Need 2mtr Module for FT-726R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmneal@netcom.com
Message-ID: <34f75099.21110585@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 152111

Need 2mtr Module for FT-726R working or not.

Terry Neal aa6tn

tmneal@netcom.com

2851. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: interc@globalnet.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f606c5.42951679@read.news.global.net.uk>
Source record: 152112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 10:14:30 -0600, hamsupplies@trust-me.com wrote:

> Dear Prospective Customers,
>
> We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
> equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
> Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
> discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
> competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
> due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.

Mmmm you sure?

>
> All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
> from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
> freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
> dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
> checks. We accept checks in US funds only.

When spending over $1200 To save $160 dollars, less the cost of
freight, import duties, and risking sending money abroad to an
unknown business with no track record.......

Some deal Huh!!!!!

2852. FS: Ten Tec Scout w/ access.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34F63F4E.D15F8487@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Ten Tec Scout for sale that is only 5 months old. It has
several
options; including the Noise Blanker essential if you live in home near
a
busy street, Band modules for 20,30, and 40M bands, Mobile bracket, Hand

mic and all the orginal boxes and manuals. I used this rig as a backup
for
my station and currently it is gathering dust so I will sell it very
reasonably to you if interested. By the way I operate primarily CW and
yes
this is a very good CW rig a lot of fun as a backup or primary rig. Just

make me an offer. I paid $694 for the entire package so if your
interested
just send me your offer if its reasonable then it will be a done deal.
If
you feel more comfortable talking about it on the phone call me,
502-493-9088.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
KU4IT Amateur Op
ku4it@bellsouth.net
KU4IT@WD9AGK.SIN.IN.USA.NA
http://personal.sdf.bellsouth.net/sdf/k/u/ku4it/pers1.html

Amateur Radio Transmitting Society
of Louisville, KY

2853. Re: WTD: Info 10m siltronix 1011d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: billn@peak.org
Message-ID: <6d5ikt$53h$8@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 152114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

rcf@crosslink.net wrote:
: I recently purchased a old 1011d. I am trying to restore the radio.
: looking for information on how to wire the jones/cinch power cord for the
: 1011d. Also a schematic and manual. Also some used good 8950 sweep tubes

Good luck on finding 8950 sweep tubes. They seem to be rare, and expensive.
The prices I have seen is $80-$90 each new. Used will probably not be much
lower.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

2854. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f610c3.20200009@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152115
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 14:18:29 +0000, Philip de Cadenet
<philip@two-way.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>However if you really want to know where we're going in the future check
>out my main man's site: www.friend.ly.net/GEET

Oh my, that is amusing.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2855. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <noddy@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <34F634FE.F9FD9788@inreach.com>
Source record: 152116
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Have to so that late G0's idiots can understand

Stuart, G0SLX wrote:

> Gary Coffman wrote in message <34f14eff.12365191@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>
> >For a given compression ratio, you get best performance by
> >using the *lowest octane* fuel which does not cause pre-ignition
> >(knocking and pinging). That's because lower octane fuel has
> >more BTUs per pound than higher octane fuel. That's something
>
> Nice to see that the Americans are using BRITISH Thermal Units ;-)

2856. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <noddy@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <34F657D7.B8145A61@inreach.com>
Source record: 152117
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

All the Scots I ever met were extremely peculiar.

b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:

> On 1998-02-26 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
> snip
> dl>ever be manufactured. At least of I die from ash, green house gases,
> dl>or nuclear radiation, I'll have my mental faculties until I am too
> dl>debilitated for it to matter, with lead, that isn't an option. Just
> dl>my view, David
>
> Er, one small point. In Scotland (and no doubt many other parts of the
> UK) there are villages where there were lead mines until the very recent
> past.
>
> The locals don't seem peculiar in any way; and the many tourist visitors
> to the insides of the mines would appear to be there voluntarily.
>
> bill, gm8apx
> Edinburgh, Scotland, near England
>
> Piscis nequam est nisi recens
>
> Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

2857. Re: FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F67594.498BA8D0@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152118

N8WGM wrote:

> For Sale---Kenwood TS870 ----Excellent condition---------no dents, dings or
> scratches----used by non smoker-----Selling because I'm not home all that much
> to use it anymore!---bought new for $2,250.00-----will sell for
> $1650.00--shipping included.---Contact me at N8WGM@cyberdrive.net or
> N8WGM@aol.com

You forgot to tell them that it is a 40 db radio .. Did you tighten up that loose

screw behind the mic yet ? You seem to be anxious to sell it, do you have a
mortgage payment coming due ? If you get into a bind I could loan you the money
and take the radio as collateral. See what a good guy I am, I'm not as bad as
you say I am on 3950. By the way, have you visited my web site and read
the 3950 Liberty Net Opinion Lately?

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

2858. RE: FS: Dualband Mobile and Dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erv <kb8tnq@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <34F66C22.845E9E95@voyager.net>
Source record: 152119

Hi Gang:

Well the mobile radio is on its way to New York state, so
that one is off the list. I still have the Ft-50R, which is
being sold for a friend without internet access. This unit
is only a year old (maybe a bit less), comes with a list of
extras and is in excellent shape. It was well-cared for.
Price is $400 shipped and insured, via UPS.

***There are no written, implied or stated warranties
included with this radio and it is being offered "AS IS".

7-3,
Erv KB8TNQ

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Please visit our Web Site at:
http://www.qsl.net/kb8tnq

"Dare to Dream, It Sets Your
Spirit Free!"

2859. Re: Asian Oral Sex - japbj0024.jpg [1/1]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34F67B96.EC40E79B@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 152120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

skpsqwff@Japannet.com wrote:Your troll might be better
suited for rec.politics.clinton

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> http://204.238.155.37/biz/INTREPID/enter.html

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

2860. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6ux@adi-radio.com
Message-ID: <6d7k53ugo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152121
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

ke6qmj@hotmail.com wrote:
>
> Amazing News!
>
> A friend of mine called the fine folks at ADI-Premier Communications today
to
> ask some questions about their products. The tech on the phone told him
> about some of what they have coming out. He was excited to learn, and I was
> too, that they have a new radio about to hit the streets -- a low cost HF
rig!

The fact is that we ARE seriously CONSIDERING an HF radio. We feel strongly that there is a market for a very low cost, scaled-down radio with general coverage receive. It would make a great starter radio, as well as provide an alternative for folks that are fed up with the extremely complicated and expensive "contester's" radios being produced by other manufacturers.

We believe that there is a huge oppurtunity for this type of radio, given the upswing of the new sunspot cycle, the record high influx of new hams in the last 8 years, and the fact that no other manufacturer offers such a simple "starter" rig.

At this point we are soliciting comments from the ham radio community. We would like to know if hams in general would be interested in this type of radio, and, if so, what features they would like to see included and which features they could do without.

Of course, the more features that are included in the radio, the more expensive it would be. Our target price on a radio like this would be something like $500 or LESS retail, so we'd have to pick and choose the features we include very carefully in order to keep the cost of the unit down.

Any comments or suggestions regarding this project can be e-mailed to <premier@adi-radio.com>

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Ken Collier -- Amateur Radio Station KO6UX
ADI/PREMIER Communications Internet Representative
Phone: (909) 869-5711 E-Mail: <ko6ux@adi-radio.com>
Fax: (909) 869-5710 Web: <http://www.adi-radio.com>
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ARRL Technical Specialist Member, NoCode International
<http://www.arrl.org> <http://www.nocode.org>
# #
Coming Soon: <http://www.ko6ux.com> !

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------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2861. Re: Scanners for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JohnG <KB2VOJ@BIGFOOT.COM>
Message-ID: <6d6igd$ng@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152122
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Thanks Sean.....but first, show me your badge.

John

Sean M. Gilligan wrote in message <34F64180.2AF2A315@lehigh.edu>...
>It sells for $179 new @ Ace Comm
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>
>JohnG wrote:
>> Relm HS200 - All original accessories, box,
>manual. Good condition - $155

2862. HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Carrubba KA2D <ka2d@li.net>
Message-ID: <6d6q9enfv1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 152123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB & SUFFOLK COUNTY RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - MARCH 8, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On March 8, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club & Suffolk County Radio Club will again sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location Will be at the:

Knights of Columbus
400 South Broadway, Lindenhurst, NY.

This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic components, computers and accessories, software, books, technical manuals, ARRL information, Amateur Radio License Exams and information. Door Prizes. General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available at the door.)

ARRL VE - 12:00 NOON
For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID), and the examination fee, to the exam session. 1998 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.35, exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

For vendor and additional information pleas contact, Tom Favilla N2MIG at (516)957-5985, during EVENING HOURS (7PM-10PM), or info@gsbarc.org
NO TABLES WILL BE RESERVED WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT due to the space available. Tables are 2.5ft x 6ft.

Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights of Columbus Council.

Information is available during the club 2-meter info net:
GSBARC-Monday at 7:00 PM on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5)PL.
SCRC - Wednesday at 8:00 PM on the W2DQ repeater, 145.210 -600 4Z(136.5)PL .

You may also write to:
HAMFEST
P.O. Box 1356

West Babylon, NY 11704

Visit GSBARC online at http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm
or e-mail to info@gsbarc.org

NEXT HAMFEST- September 27, 1998

73,
GSBARC & SCRC

2863. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raynard Merritt <n8vzl@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <34f69733.0@news.mountain.net>
Source record: 152124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I see the infamous Burton Fisher is a celebrity in this news group as well:)
He loves being around hams doesn't he.

kf2ti@mailhost2.planet.net wrote in message
<6csic8$i32$1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>...
>In article <6crkedepm1@as1000.javanet.com>,
> "Burt" <burt@innocent.com> wrote:
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>>
>> Steve (KF2TI - Landing, NJ) wrote in message ...
>> >I took the time to read Fisher's vitriolic little webpage and have
>> >confirmed what I always thought, the man is definitely not playing with
a
>> >full deck.
>>
>> And you are/
>
>
>As I have no problem with my VE status and I have yet to ever resort to
>blackmail and threats, the answer would have to be YES, I AM
>
>>
>> >>The ARRL response cites factors as to non renewal and the very 1st
reason
>> >is exactly why this started. By Fisher's own admission, he has not
>> >administered a VE session in the specified timeframe. According to Part
>> >97.525
>>
>> Where did I EVER say that?
>
>On many occasions back in June 1997, when you first dragged this dead horse
>out, you were repeatedly asked when was the last VE session you
administered.
> You never answered. In fact, your response was, that you didn't know
there
>was a time factor and before the time factor was revealed you volunteered
that
>several other VE's had not administered a testing and they had not lost
their
>VE status. Interesting that you would on one hand make such comments and
yet
>never once answer a direct question posed to you.
>>

>> >No VEC may accredit a person as a VE if the person does not meet minimum
>> >VE statutory qualifications or minimum qualifications as prescribed by
>> >this part
>>
>> And how do I NOT meet that?
>
>By your own admission on not having administered a VE session in the
alloted
>time frame.
>>
>> >Burt's response is then to argue that he was "fired" for no apparent
>> >reason, yet he conveniently forgets that in another paragraph her
>> >mentions that there were others that supposedly have failed to meet the
>> >minimum qualification. In fact, this is the paragraph where he does
>> >admit his failure by lying..I quote
>>
>> W1TTY gave less tests than I and was just renewed.
>
>Soemthing that can only be taken at face value and unfortuneatly you are
less
>than reliable for accurate information
>>
>> >If you'll remember the 1st go around, Fisher admitted to not having
given
>> >a test in over a year, so he is blatantly (1) lying about and (2)
>> >attempting his little boy tantrums but crying that "other guys were
doing
>> >it tooooo!!!"
>>
>> Does the ARRL dismiss everone who does not give a test in a year?
>
>As a matter of fact yes. I know of several.
>
>> Do they dismiss ANYONE BUT me?
>
>see above
>
>> I did not make the admission you fabricated.
>
>Check Dejanews Burt, it's all there.
>
>>
>> >>Words speak very loudly here and the words from Fisher show a total
lack
>> >of any sanity. Normally I don't promote websites but this you have to
>> >see. A man reduced to fabrications and outright lies to massage an
>> >obvious bruised ego.
>>
>> Read it:
>> http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169/arrlve.htm

>>
>> >
>> >I can see why the people of Packard Bell are paying him no mind as well.
>>
>> You like Packard Bell?
>
>Can't say if I do, never owned anything of theirs but redaing their
resposne
>to your threats, I can safety say it was handled in a correct manner
>
>>
>> >Get the full story on Burt Fisher..check out Dejanews to see just what
>> >type of man is teaching children in Cape Cod schools
>>
>> Tell us here, the full story.
>> DeJa news is not always accurate.
>
>I do have 2 e-mail messages from 2 of your students. They speak far less
>highly of you than you may think.
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>> Burt
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>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2864. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <6d676b$9ml$1@as1000.javanet.com>
Source record: 152125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Raynard Merritt wrote in message <34f69733.0@news.mountain.net>...
>I see the infamous Burton Fisher is a celebrity in this news group as
well:)
>He loves being around hams doesn't he.

As a boring individual among the lay population I come here, among hams,
where here even a bore like me in the rest of society can feel like a king
among the greatest social losers on the planet.

And Steve lies .

Burt

2865. Want MFJ-986 antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raynard Merritt <n8vzl@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <34f69d10.0@news.mountain.net>
Source record: 152126

I am seeking either an MFJ-989 or 986 Preferably the 986.

I will trade my Yaesu FT-411-E with two 5 watt batteries, mobile power supply.
Yaesu NC-29 desk top charger, Yaesu boom headset mic. Both batteries new, one homebrew the other factory. No manual, has been moded for rec only 40 memories, plus pll tone board (not installed still in box). Excellent condition.

I will also toss in a Tempo S5 HT, has no battery but has address to get one for
23.00 looks good works somewhat, needs work.

Ray

n8vzl@qsl.net

2866. FS HF rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Sudy <flightdoc@aristotle.net>
Message-ID: <6d6dk0$a1d@socrates.aristotle.net>
Source record: 152127

Greetings....

I have two HF rigs for sale:

1. Icom 730 with 20 amp power supply. In excellent condition. Additional filters installed. Comes with both desk and mobile mics. $375 complete or best offer.

2. Kenwood TS 940 SAT, excellent condition, desk mic. $900 or best offer.

Please reply via email to flightdoc@aristotle.net

Cheers,

Don

2867. FOR TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: aeromed2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227134801.IAA09150@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152128

I have a IBM PC Jr with Proprinter and lots of software for trade for any amateur radio equipment of equal value. Please e-mail kb2sin@aol.com if interested.

2868. Re: Kenwood service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <6d6gn4$jm3$1@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 152129

Kenwood's Amateur Web site is http://www.kenwood.net/amateur/msieindex.cfm

Walter

2869. Adms 1D for 51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <AwAJ.47$eZ1.634201@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 152130

What software version do other people have for the Yaesu FT-51R? I just bought the 51R but still have the cable and software from my FT-11R but the software for the 51R that is on the disk is version 1.22. If anybody has bought the software recently let me know what the newest software version is.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

2870. For Sale: HTX-404 440MHz ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dxr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227151200.KAA17631@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152131

I'm posting this for a friend. Please call Sherri at 501-524-4797 if interested. Please do not email me.

HTX-404 in excellent condition. Includes hardcase, 2 nicad packs and 1 drycell pack, wall charger. Asking $125 or best offer.

2871. Re: FS:Kenwood TS870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8wgm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980227150601.KAA16960@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152132

Curtis Lafon---N5HDQ is stalking me-------see all myt posts and see him follow me around-----Curtis---I LIKE women-----so leave me alone!!!!!!!! Curtis---I don't care about your web site---I'm sick of seeing you shamelessly promote your damns web site---It SUCKS---
N8WGM------

2872. Help re ICOM IC-551

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul O'Sullivan <Paul.Osullivan@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4390$a6bd0900$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 152133

Hi
I am trying to locate a FM board for the above radio. Unfortunately they appear extremely rare. If anyone has any ideas could they please contact me direct.
Your help is appreciated
Paul G1IKL
Paul O'Sullivan
Guildford, Surrey. ENGLAND
paul.osullivan@btinternet.com
Tel: +44 1483 574114

2873. FS: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34F6E054.98021250@erols.com>
Source record: 152134

7 Month old ICOM Ic-756. Has about 15 hr's on it. In new condition
no scratches or marks, Non smoker.
Have original box and book. No optional filters.

Price 1,600 plus shipping

Steve

2874. Re: TS950S Digital VS TS950SD Difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Troy Wolford <wolford@ti.com>
Message-ID: <34F70224.BAB@ti.com>
Source record: 152135

MANOUS wrote:
>
> Anyone know the difference between the TS950 s Digital and the TS950SD? I have
> the TS950S Digital which I purchased about a month ago and was told it was the
> 950SD. It does have the digital unit under the rig. Anyone also know the
> difference in price between the two. And the difference in electronics. I am
> very happy with the unit but just not sure how much I overpaid.
>
> Thanks
> John

The 950S was just the rig, no accessories. The 950SD came with the
DSP-10
unit installed, SO-2 High stability TCXO and I think 3 IF filters and
maybe
the VS-2. It is sort of like the difference between the FT100 and the
FT1000D.
Same exact transceiver but the D model has all of the NICE options
installed.
The DSP-10 was about a $400-500 option if purchased separately. IF
filters
run $125-175 new each. The 950SD should be worth $400-600 more than a
950S.

If you have the TS-950S/SD operating manual, it lists the accessories
that
are installed at the factory in the TS-950SD.

good luck
Troy
KC5KDM
Flower Mound, TX

2875. Re: Adms 1D for 51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas May <mayt@gw.twc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4371$89404d20$0fc68e97@tmay.wiltec.twc.com>
Source record: 152136

I have V1.24 daed 10/30/97.

Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com> wrote in article
<AwAJ.47$eZ1.634201@news.inreach.com>...
> What software version do other people have for the Yaesu FT-51R? I just
> bought the 51R but still have the cable and software from my FT-11R but
the
> software for the 51R that is on the disk is version 1.22. If anybody has
> bought the software recently let me know what the newest software version
> is.
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>
> Greg Ottria KE6PTP
> Castro Valley California
> Gottria@Inreach.com
> http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
>
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>
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2876. FS: LogPlus Logging Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <34f6d464.60870947@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 152137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a copy of the LogPlus v3.56 logging program that I no longer use. Will sell it for $38 -- that's $5 less than you'll pay if you order direct from the vendor.

LogPlus is a great logging program - I've just moved to a Windows-based logging program instead.

See the features and download a demo of LogPlus at www.logplus.com

Delivery via internet e-mail only - no hard-copy documentation is included; there is a manual in Word format that can be printed out..

If interested, please reply via e-mail.

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

2877. FS: 1998 Radio Amateur Callbook CD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <34f7d736.61592315@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 152138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

One copy of 1998 Radio Amateur Callbook on CD-ROM

$40 delivered to you in the US via postal mail.
(Compare at $49.95 plus shipping from most other places.)

Reply via e-mail if interested.

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

2878. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raynard Merritt <n8vzl@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <34f69859.0@news.mountain.net>
Source record: 152139
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hmmm tell me about the topic. I seriously doubt that we want FULL Internet access via packet radio in the first place, considering we have had our own type of Internet long before the Internet has become a household word.

rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote in message
<34f25299$1$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>...
>In <34ec29ae.173807146@news.internetmci.com>, on 02/19/98
> at 12:48 PM, john.wilcox@mci.com (John Wilcox) said:
>
>>>In any case, I am curious to know why he thinks he should be given
>>>everything for nothing. (Doesn't want to pay for phone calls, ISP,
>>>etc.) Does he think the Internet is provided free of charge by some
>>>charity?
>>>
>>>73 de G3NYY
>
>Hey, lighten up, guys. In England, they have to pay for EVERY phone call,
>even local ones and what we take for granted is quite expensive. All he
>wants to do is get to the same place as those of us in North America.
>
>
>--
>rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
>--
>

2879. Looking for Radio Tech in MPLS, MN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr.PotateoHead@Idaho.com
Message-ID: <6d6sg2$kgp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152140

I'm looking for a radio repair tech who is familiar with the Kenwood
TMV-7A. I'm having a problem with mine and would like to talk with
you.
Email me at swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Thanks

2880. FULL INTERNET ... and EVERYTHING ELSE KNOWN TO MAN AS WELL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <pdp6LOAdtn90EwVm@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 152141
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <6d4soj$cv@news.hemi.com>, Ralph Forsythe <ralph@hemi.com>
writes
>Why in the name of all things Usenet are we *still* using this topic for a
>thread about 100 messages long that hasn't talked about Internet messaging for
>the last 97 or so, and has varied from TCP/IP vs. AX.25 on packet to 56k TNC's
>to American beer vs European beer to petrol, gasoline, hydrogen, biscuits and
>cookies, outlawing diesel fuel, and nuclear power plants exploding?
>Time for a new topic thread I think...
>
>Aww, go ahead and flame me, why the hell not! This is entertaining at any
>rate!
>
>- Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO
>

Beats arguging about who said whhat. And at least it shows some of us
are capable of debating without threatening nasties on each other. I
would say its nice to see that sane thinking people do have some
interesting views and its REALLY helping me with my studies this year!
Keep going guys (and gals if there is any)

BTW do we have any YL's on this NG?

+--+
| Simon Lewis GM4PLM Editor - EMN |
| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
+--+

2881. ICOM 756 $1550

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <34F872AD.ABC0E3D@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 151942
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have a very clean Icom IC-756 for sale. $1550 Frank 630-653-9090
home

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2882. Mods For MLA-2500 amp?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34F87894.356C@stc.net>
Source record: 151943

I just picked up a Dentron MLA-2500 amp and was wondering if anyone makes a kit to change the 8875's to 3cx800's. Also where can I find Mods for this amp. Might want to convert it to 6 meters depending if I can find an easy conversion to the 3cx800a7's or not.

Thnx
Bob
WB5APD
North Ga

2883. FS: ICOM 738

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: saby <saby@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <yP$J.5611$on1.963126@news.internetMCI.com>
Source record: 151944

I have for sale an ICOM 738 a little over a year old and used very little.
Asking $1000 obo.

saby1997@hotmail.com

2884. FS: OHR-400 QRP Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod Logsdon <bike4life@bikerider.com>
Message-ID: <34F87EA8.EEC6C7EB@bikerider.com>
Source record: 151945

I've decided to sell my OHR-400. I completed it a couple of months ago and it is a great radio but I just don't do much portable operating. I have an Alinco DX-70T which I can use for QRP and I can take the money from the OHR-400 and buy some other goodies.

For those of you not familiar with the OHR-400 here are the specs:

- 4 band CW transceiver, 0perates 20, 30, 40 & 80 meters.
- Single conversion superhet receiver with an RF preamp, diode ring mixer, selectable AGC with manual RF gain control, 4 pole crystal ladder filter, selectable 4 pole audio filter and RIT.
- VFO covers 150 KHz on each band.
- Transmitter provides 4.5 watts out on 20 meters and will do a whopping 8 watts on 80.
- Power is fully adjustable from 0-full power by rear panel control.
- Very smooth QSK and sidetone with level adjust.

I have all the assembly instructions, parts lists, alignment procedures and schematics.

This radio is a 10 both electrically and cosmetically.

I am asking $300 which includes shipping CONUS.

I also have for sale an MFJ-1270B TNC. This is a TAPR TNC 2 clone which works both HF and VHF Packet.

I have the original manuals, radio cable, wall wart and packaging. The radio cable is configured for Kenwood.

Asking $65 shipped CONUS.

2885. help! trying to find relays

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34F88533.DE8@stc.net>
Source record: 151946

I am trying to find a couple of relays.

First is a Schurack DPDP 12VDC RA4D012 (RA402012) Plastic plug in type

Next is a time delay Amperite 6NO75T 9 pin plug in.

I have a new in the box 12NO06T but need a 6 volt one instead.
These go
in a Detron MLA-2500 amp.

Any idea's where I can get these.

Thanks
Bob
WB5APD

2886. DFD3 will blow your mind

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: neil <neil@aade.com>
Message-ID: <34F886D0.8C1@aade.com>
Source record: 151947

Announcing DIGITAL FREQUENCY DISPLAY 3.

DFD3 has 10Hz resolution and digital filtering to eliminate flicker due
to roundoff error.

DFD3 has it's own band selector and mode selector which is set to match
the band and mode the radio is operating on.

TO UPGRADE BOATANCHORS:
DFD3 is for multi-band radios usually consisting of a crystal controlled
converter followed by a tunable (variable) IF. This includes all
Collins,
many DRAKE, many SWAN, and scores of others.
Each band is programmed for an offset which, when added to the measured
VFO frequency, produces and displays the RF frequency.
Each band can be calibrated to within 10Hz.

Here's the really neat part:
DFD3 WILL AUTO-PROGRAM ITSELF
for more than 80 different models of radios from more than 20
manufacturers. Complete list is posted on
http://www.aade.com/dfd3.htm#radios

FOR GENERAL PURPOSE AND QRP:
DFD3 allows for 1-32 bands. There is no law that says these bands have
to be on the same radio. You can store three 5 band radios,
a 10 band radio, a 3 band radio and 4 single band radios
all at the same time (or any other combination).
All you have to do is remember which bands go with which radio.

Data is stored in EEPROM so it is retained with power off.

Price is just $49.95 + $1.50 S/H in KIT form.

For backlit display module add $10.00

CHECK IT OUT AT: http://www.aade.com/dfd3.htm

Also check out:

DFD for QRP and single conversion superhets.
http://www.aade.com/dfd.htm

DFD2 for the Collins S line, Yeasu FT-101 and Kenwood TS-520S
http://www.aade.com/dfd2.htm

DFD4 for 0 to 3GHz, (make a bench top freq counter for < $80)
http://www.aade.com/dfd4.htm

Coming soon:
DFD4A for VHF, 0-400MHz, 10Hz resolution HF, 100 Hz VHF

L/C Meter IIB 1nHy to 150mHy, .01pF to 1.5uFd.
http://www.aade.com/lcmeter.htm

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Neil
http://www.aade.com
mailto:neil@aade.com
Almost All Digital Electronics
1412 Elm St. SE
Auburn, WA 98092
253-351-9316

2887. Re: IC-735 rx problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <ehuUWNJR9GA.260@upnetnews04>
Source record: 151948

Sounds like LPL is in trouble, maybe it only needs alignment. I don't know
the exact procedure, maybe somebody else could help.

Adnan, Icom America

Frank Krozel wrote in message
<34F8178B.C2327C30@electronicinstrument.com>...
>I have a faithful Icom 735 that has a problem.
>While tuning (from either direction) the receiver unlocks (tx also
>unlocks but not for
>long) when tuning from the following:
>0.198 - 0.193
>1.198 - 1.193
>2.198 - 2.193,etc.
>This happens an all bands, and I use it for 2 meter transverer work.
>Going below 144.200, (28.200) is now impossible.
>Anyone out there have any ideas???
>frank
>

2888. WTB: Heath SB220 part

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6da1rb$ob9@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151949

I wish to purchase the 10/15 meter input inductor. The Heath part number is: 40-964

Thanks for reading

2889. Yaesu FT-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980228230301.SAA28971@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151950

Yaesu FT-1000 for sale. excellent condition, $ 2,400.00 and I pay shipping
UPS insured to you.
K5JOE
73

2890. WANTED 23CM FM-TRANSCEIVER !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees Brommersma <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <888709815.909477@guust>
Source record: 151951

Hello there,

I (Cees) am looking for a 23cm FM transceiver,
if You have, of know something, please let me know !!

Thanks a lot <> Cees and 73'sssssss

2891. Re: Info Needed on Kenwood TR-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Poole <pooles@arkansas.net>
Message-ID: <6da4lpsuh1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 151952

Try www.kenwood.net . I have a TR-2500 and found some nice info on their website.

Tracy KD5DBE

[illegible] wrote in message <6ctuer$959$1@brain.npiec.on.ca>...
>I have a Kenwood TR-9000 2-meter all mode transceiver, but have misplaced
>all the manuals.
>
>I am looking for the power output on the low and high setting. My meter
>is not well calibrated and reads about 7 watts on low (this could be 5 or
>10, or even worse.)
>
>I am considering this rig for running a 6 meter transverter, so the low
>power setting is of utmost importance to me.
>
>Thanx for your help.
>
>73/72
> Jeff - VA3JFF
> http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/2572/QRP.html
>
>==========
> L. JEFFREY HETHERINGTON
>Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada
> Email : VA3JFF@rac.ca

2892. info / Drake r8 vs. Drake r7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: amfone@concentric.net
Message-ID: <6da9o6jbs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151953

I am interested in getting the Drake R7 receiver if I can find one.
I have a Drake R8 now and really thing it is a great receiver.

Would like to know how the Drake R7 is different from the R8 and if the
R7 is better than the R8 ... and if so why?
thanks
B.A.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2893. Standard C510A MODS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Blake <k9jri@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6da9ei$be4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151954

I have not been able to locate a modifications database that includes the Standard C510A HT. Is anyone aware of a site or have mods they can forward to me via e-mail?

Mike - K9JRI

2894. FS 1.2 GIG REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F8B6A7.2EBE@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151955

I have for sale an Icom RP1210 synthesized 1.2 gig repeater.It has been converted to 12 mhz split and is fully operational.It also includes a new (still in the box)Sinclair 4 cavity pass/reject duplexer.$1200 or trade for equal value in radio or test equipment.
Lee

2895. Realistic HTX-100 mods neeeded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. Calvete (KA2OMQ)" <calvete@rpa.net>
Message-ID: <34F8B623.3FCC@rpa.net>
Source record: 151956

I am looking for the mod. to extend Rx and Tx to 30 MHz. Please help

Thanks
-Tom
KA2OMQ

2896. Wanted pr of 8875 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34F8B724.1274@stc.net>
Source record: 151957

Looking for a good pair of 8875's with full output and no problems.
Forgot to mention they need to be cheap, I mean cost effective :)

Bob
WB5APD

2897. FS: Kenwood TS-690S/at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: stanley <so@Xbigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <34F8AB67.4E1D@Xbigfoot.com>
Source record: 151958

I have a TS-690S/at in excellent condition that I would like to
sell for $975.00 plus shipping. Sorry but I am only willing to ship
inside the USA.

It has the MARS mod, all else is stock. No optional filters. I
have all the boxes and manuals.
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73, Stanley, KC4DPC
To Email me, Remove the X
Website: http://localsonly.wilmington.net/stanley/
Unsolicited commercial e-mail is deleted by SMartMail.

2898. FS Yaesu FV101Z VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <34F8B725.5FDF@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 151959

FV101Z VFO. $120.00 plus shipping. Comes with copy of manual etc. Nice condx.

2899. Scheduled Nets??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Traylor <timtraylor@mvtel.net>
Message-ID: <34F8B274.4B828B4A@mvtel.net>
Source record: 151960

Can anyone point me to a web site that lists the regular "marketplace" nets like
the Drake & Antique Tube Net on 3865.0 on Saturday evening.
Are there any others?

Tim
--
Tim Traylor -- Mountain View, AR
WBCCI#3095 KD5CXO

2900. Icom 706 computer programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gcouger@ion1.ionet.net
Message-ID: <6dagg4$a43$1@ion1.ionet.net>
Source record: 151961

Can some one give me the info on how to interface a
computer to a 706? I need level converters and
code examples if possible.

Thanks
Gordon
Gordon Couger W5RED
624 Cheyenne. Stillwater, OK 74075-1411
405/624-2855 gcouger@ionet.net www.cecils.com/gcouger

2901. Re: Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James T. Amos Jr." <ac5ed@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <34F8CCF8.34C2@swbell.net>
Source record: 151962

Rudy Marcelletti wrote:
>
> Steve and Roger: The VC-23 is the correct headset to operate the FT-50R in
> vox mode according to Yaesu. I had one. It did not work. I sent it back
> to AES and they sent me another. While it was in transit, I read somewhere
> that the two pots under the NiCd sticker could be tweaked up a bit to
> increase the tx audio. I did this. Vox worked. For awhile. I re-tweaked
> the pots. Vox worked, for a while longer. Vox no longer works. About a
> week ago I talked to tech at Yeasu who told me the 2 pots I was messing
> with did not have anything to do with vox (he did not know why vox started
> to work when I messed with them). The tech said there is another internal
> adjustment for vox trip. With my vox gain wide open, I need to scream to
> get a trip. I will call them tomorrow and if I find out anything further,
> I'll post it. Mine was worked nicely last hunting season with just a
> whisper, and that is the way it is supposed to work according to Yaesu.
> Also, the FT-50 does have some of the vox stuff built in, unlike the Yaesu
> VXR1 and and the FRS rigs, which take a different head set (which contains
> the vox circuitry). The vc23 will work in ptt mode only on those rigs,
> however. By the way, I tape recorded my audio from my FT-50R and the audio
> using the headset is very nice and is almost equal to or in some cases
> better than the rigs own mic. I have the Yaesu speaker mic and transmitted
> audio from it is very poor in comparison--very tinny and loud. I had
> called Yaesu about the shorter pwr switch mod to hopefully prevent the
> radio from inadvertently turning on in a pocket or briefcase. I was sent
> two replacements. I also was sent two replacement function knobs. Maybe a
> misunderstanding. Maybe they have had some fall off. No charge for
> either.
>
> If you guys find something out about the vox, please let me know. I'll do
> the same. Thanks.
> Rudy, K8SWD
I'm having same problem and doesn't make one bit difference by plugging
it in before turning it on!
Jim, AC5ED

2902. Weller Soldering Tips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry J. Kefauver" <jetlag10@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6daih7$mn5$3@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 151963

Bought a Weller soldering station model WTT 1000 with a WTT 1001 probe.
Does anyone know where I can get new tips?
Thanks
KC4JM

2903. FS: NCL-2000 Desktop KW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: no@spam.allowed
Message-ID: <MPG.f628d226a0b6d789896f1@news.wwa.com>
Source record: 151964
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

2kw 80-10m desktop amp runs on 110/220vac with a pair of 8122. Spare tubes, spare band switch and original manual. $700 plus shipping or will trade for quality 6m ssb/cw transceiver.

Worked fine last time used (1993). It's been on the shelf ever since. If you're in the Chicago area, we can test at your location, otherwise, sold as-is.

--
Robert
kg9us@automate.net
rhl@automate.net

2904. !Alinco DJ-S11 HT receive modifications??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Galgano" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <34F8CEFC.748D@america.net>
Source record: 151965

Hi group!
Anyone out there know of any modifications that can done to extend the receive capabilities of of an Alinco DJ-S11. Aircraft, VHF police/fire and NOAA weather radio is what I'd like to add.
Is this just a fantasy?
I really enjoy the pocket sized 2M radio and if anyone out there is considering the DJ-S11, I highly recommend it! I got mine for $88 bucks, new in the box, at a local Hamfest.
73,
John Galgano
KF4WCL
PS....E MAIL IS PREFERED FOR COMMENTS/CORRESPONDENCE..........Thx.....

2905. FS or Trade: HR2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan <jonk@jskent.com>
Message-ID: <34F8D841.96C76212@jskent.com>
Source record: 151966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi all,
I'm helping to establish a ham radio club at my son's 4th grade class. They have a Uniden President HR2510 w/ hand mike, but the club needs a 2m mobile for packet and/or vhf. Will trade HR2510 for 2m all mode mobile or sell for $200 obo +shipping so they can buy one. Sorry, no manuals or box, but works very well and is 9 of 10 cosmetically. If interested, contact me at 310-457-1545 or email me.

73s
Jonathan ko6xs

2906. WTB: Ten-Tec RX325 rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy/DeeDee/Robin <dc@citynet.net>
Message-ID: <34F8E54C.935CCE1B@citynet.net>
Source record: 151967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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Looking to buy ten-tec rcvr for a friend..... email phone number, what u
have and price.
thanks,
Randy
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2907. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <oOJ9+JA5RA+0Ew9R@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151968
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Walt,
>>I also run an oil burner, infinately superior to petrol.
>>
>>Phil G4ZOW
>
>Oooooh ... that makes a change from your Zetagi, Phil!
How dare you tarnish me with that Italian brush.

the mobile's a homebrew with Toshiba pills, the base is US made with a
3CX3000A7 in the output, behave.
However, reducing emissions and improving ICE efficiency is a pet
interest of mine.

Phil

2908. Re: IC-735 rx problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <34F8DCF5.FCBC5B33@triax.com>
Source record: 151969

Frank. Your VCO voltage needs to be adjusted. You need to get a service manual and find out the voltage check points and the location of the adjustment. I did have an Icom IC-745. It would unlock and I sent it to Icom. They sent it back to me and all they did was adjust the VCO voltage.

Bob W7CTW

Frank Krozel wrote:

> I have a faithful Icom 735 that has a problem.
> While tuning (from either direction) the receiver unlocks (tx also
> unlocks but not for
> long) when tuning from the following:
> 0.198 - 0.193
> 1.198 - 1.193
> 2.198 - 2.193,etc.
> This happens an all bands, and I use it for 2 meter transverer work.
> Going below 144.200, (28.200) is now impossible.
> Anyone out there have any ideas???
> frank
>
> ---
>
> Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
> Electronic Instrument Associates-Central, Inc.
>
> Frank Krozel
> Electronic Instrument Associates-Central, Inc. <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
> Manufacturer's Representatives Work: ....see our website at:
> Serving the Midwest, now from four locations Fax: www.electronicinstrument.com
> with superior electronic test equipment Netscape Conference Address
> Chicago - Milwaukee - Minneapolis - Indianapolis Netscape Conference DLS Server
> Additional Information:
> Last Name Krozel
> First Name Frank
> Version 2.1

2909. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34f81988.1837137@news.total.net>
Source record: 151970
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 20:53:58 -0500, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:
>I would like to purchase a $500 mobile type radio like the Kenwood TS-50
>or the Alinco DX-70T. I realize some features (that are seldom used)
>will have to be eliminated but I would be game for a radio like that.
>Any other comments????
>
> 73's Steve NS1R

- yeah, the ADI HF radio should be compact like IC-706 (Mk II).

- the radio must be digital... not analog.

- HF + 6m (+ 2m) will be better than HF only

- 50W max or so

- one button, one function.

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
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C&#65533;: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

2910. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <34f81af1.2197996@news.total.net>
Source record: 151971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 28 Feb 1998 03:05:10 GMT, teenham@aol.com (Teen Ham) wrote:

>Hello,
>
> Here's the problem: A few days ago I put my Realistic HTX-202 in the car and
>plugged it in the cig lighter, tried to key the mic, and noticed that the "TX
>Bar" didn't move, and I noticed that I wasn't putting out any power! I turned
>the radio off, then turned it back on about 2 hours later, and everything was
>fine. Next Day: I plug the HTX-202 into my 3 amp RadioShack base power
>supply, chat for about 30 mins, then go into standby. About 20 mins later I go
>to key the mic, and again, it won't transmit! So I put aside, and next day try
>it, and still no TX! RX is fine, but it won't transmit!!! If you have any
>ideas, PLEASE email me. I'm only 14, and I put down my last $120 for the HT
>last summer, and really need to get back on the air! :-) Please give me any
>advise! Thanks alot!
>
>73s
>N3ZVM
>Visit my Website at: http://members.aol.com/EugeneD

If you use an speaker-mic, this kind of problem may happen (it
happened to me a couple of times).

If you can't TX with regular button, your radio may need to be
repaired.

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URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

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Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

2911. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick G0BPS <Dick@kanga.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <IQIUaOALvD+0EwNw@kanga.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

In article <6d44d4mbt1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>, hamsupplies@trust-me.com writes
> Dear Prospective Customers,
>

So; who's going to be the first to take advantage of this super mega-deal. Is it real I ask?

> We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
> equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
> Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
> discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
> competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
> due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.
>
> All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
> from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
> freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
> dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
> checks. We accept checks in US funds only.
>
> For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please
> e-mail to hamsupplies@trust-me.com or phone ++ 603 9439284
> fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of
> your queries.
>
> Sincerely,
>
> Megat Farez (Managing Director)
> HamSupplies International
> (Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)
>
> http://www.geocities.com/SouthBeach/Lagoon/5827/hamsupplies.htm
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

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Dick Pascoe G0BPS
Kanga Products
Seaview House, Crete Road East
Folkestone CT18 7EG U.K.
Tel 44 (0) 1303 891106
http://www.kanga.demon.co.uk

2912. tek 422 scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Arend <mc5021x@michiana.org>
Message-ID: <glXMTDDR9GA.191@news.michiana.org>
Source record: 151973

I recently purchased a Tek 422 oscilloscope to work on my tube projects....
I've looked on the web but cant find where I could get a manual (yeah I know
I should have got it with the unit but it was a good deal!)

Can anyone out there help me find a manual?

Matt

2913. 2 Meter All Mode (Sold)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6d8114$4bj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151992
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have Sold The Icom 251A 2 Meter All Mode.
Thanks For All Inquiries & Offers.
73's W5IDX

2914. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7nono.com
Message-ID: <34f787a0.12715673@news.dancris.com>
Source record: 151993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Burt" <burt@innocent.com> wrote:

>
>Raynard Merritt wrote in message <34f69733.0@news.mountain.net>...
>>I see the infamous Burton Fisher is a celebrity in this news group as
>well:)
>>He loves being around hams doesn't he.
>
>
>
>As a boring individual among the lay population I come here, among hams,
>where here even a bore like me in the rest of society can feel like a king
>among the greatest social losers on the planet.
>

Gee birt, you claim to be an educator but you do not know that the
proper spelling of a person also considered a churl or buffoon is
BOOR, not a bore.

Annother product of the NEA!

>And Steve lies .
>
>Burt
>

2915. *HTX-202 TX dead, PLEASE Help!*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980228030601.WAA00102@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151994

Hello,

Here's the problem: A few days ago I put my Realistic HTX-202 in the car and plugged it in the cig lighter, tried to key the mic, and noticed that the "TX Bar" didn't move, and I noticed that I wasn't putting out any power! I turned the radio off, then turned it back on about 2 hours later, and everything was fine. Next Day: I plug the HTX-202 into my 3 amp RadioShack base power supply, chat for about 30 mins, then go into standby. About 20 mins later I go to key the mic, and again, it won't transmit! So I put aside, and next day try it, and still no TX! RX is fine, but it won't transmit!!! If you have any ideas, PLEASE email me. I'm only 14, and I put down my last $120 for the HT last summer, and really need to get back on the air! :-) Please give me any advise! Thanks alot!

73s
N3ZVM
Visit mt Website at: http://members.aol.com/EugeneD

2916. Re: TempoOne info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul@actiontel.com
Message-ID: <34f785f3.326831303@news.abilene.com>
Source record: 151995

10 meters thru 80 meters
SSB, AM, CW
150 Watts out
Seperate PS/Speaker
Built by Yaesu for Hnry Radio, same thing as Yaesu FT-200
Typically go for about $275.00 in Excellent working order

Hope this helps.

Paul
N5DUP

| AM is alive and well on Amateur Radio |

On 23 Feb 1998 05:40:36 GMT, "mobil1" <mobil1@jaguarsystems.com>
wrote:

>Any info on this rig would be more than I have or can find.
>
>KB2PAU

2917. Hamfest, Northern NJ March 7 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Ellis N2WZB <xmellis_SPAM_SUCKS_@xnac.xnet>
Message-ID: <G%LJ.59$wR2.826968@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 151996
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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Announcing the 1998 North Jersey Hamfest: March 7, 1998
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Hosted by the Splitrock Amateur Radio Association.

Parsippany Police Athletic League Bldg,
Route 46 & Baldwin Road, Parsippany NJ

Sellers 6:30 AM Buyers 8 AM

Easy access from I-80, I-280, I-287 and Routes 46 and 10!

Lots of Room Technical Forums!
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Talk-in: 146.985 (-) PL:131.8

Interested in renting an indoor table at the hamfest? Contact:
Mark Turner (KB2VKO) Hamfest Chairman
Voice: (973) 347-3195 or 1-888-511-SARA (voicemail/faxback)
FAX: (973) 691-2063
Email: mlturner@bellatlantic.net
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2918. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <6d82ejdfe1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 151997

>
>I called ADI to confirm the story and the Tech said they are working
>on some sort of 6 meter radio, Dual band radio etc. He had no knowledge
>of a HF radio but said the idea has been kicked around. Perhaps he isn't
>in the know about it. But the original poster said it is just about to
>be released. I hope I am wrong though and a $500 bare bones HF radio is
>about to be released for us.
> Sam

I'd like to see them try it. However, SGC just came out with a similiar
unit for $625. That seems to be the best effort yet, for such a radio. (see
http://www.sgcworld.com for more on this one.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
==
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==

2919. the icom-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jprocyk@direct.ca
Message-ID: <34f7922f.8794818@mail.direct.ca>
Source record: 151998

I have the oppertunity to buy an icom 735. I would like to know if anybody who knows anything about them to let my know if it's an nice model. Does it have an electronic keyer?

2920. Re: Want Microphone Plugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Shanks <n1vbn@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4401$ac6fb520$6e7833cf@n1vbn>
Source record: 151999

The Yaesu FT-720R uses a 6 pin microphone plug about half the standard 8
pin plug size. It is the oddball of mic. plugs that I have seen so far.
Thanks for the word on the FT-227R Bob, it is appreciated.
73 Jim N1VBN

--
xn1vbn@bit-net.com
N1VBN IS MY HAM RADIO CALLSIGN
Remove the X to reply. Done to spoil
automated e-mail spammers.

Bob <ciebert@triax.com> wrote in article <34F65D2A.DE5E6D2@triax.com>...
> I think the FT-227R is a 4 pin connector. You can get the connectors at
Radio
> Shack. I don't know what the other connector is.
> Bob W7CTW
>
> James Shanks wrote:
>
> > Thanks for reading this. I am in need of two each mic. plugs for the
Yaesu
> > Memorizer FT-227R & FT-720R. Both plugs fit the microphone cable, not
the
> > receptacle that is in the radio. I need two plugs for each radio. Both
> > radios are to be used on packet and phone with an mfj mic/tnc switch
box.
> >
> > Thanks in advance for any and all help.
> >
> > --
> > xn1vbn@bit-net.com
> > N1VBN IS MY HAM RADIO CALLSIGN
> > Remove the X to reply. Done to spoil
> > automated e-mail spammers.
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>

2921. WTB: Accessories for Yaesu FT-51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <wmNJ.65$eZ1.1067690@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 152000

Looking for the mobile adapters for the Yaesu FT-51R , the CD-2 Mobile charger, PA-10A Mobile power adapter, or the EDC-12 DC Mobile adapter. E-mail with price if you have one you want to get ride of.

Thanks

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

2922. yaesu 50r on/of switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dejim@mail.execpc.com
Message-ID: <34f7a341.8175730@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 152001

i've received two replacement red on/off switches to replace the oversized one that turns on too easily. but i received no instructions for installation. wonder if anyone who has made the switch can tell me what's involved...is there a loss of memory? is it just taking off the cover and putting a new part in? i know just enough about electronics to be dangerous. pse advise what's involved.

thanks...dejim in duluth, where el nino has given us our warmest winter in recorded history

2923. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4411$d0597ba0$598a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 152002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

$185.? Not since several years ago. $385. is more common lately! It may
be "worth" $185., but he'll get a lot closer to the price I mentioned.
Amazing how fads inflate prices! 73, DavidC AA1FA

> By the way that radio is worth $185. C Thomas

2924. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f7b1ef.127012300@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152003

On Sat, 28 Feb 98 04:07:05 GMT, frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.) wrote:
>>
>>I called ADI to confirm the story and the Tech said they are working
>>on some sort of 6 meter radio, Dual band radio etc. He had no knowledge
>>of a HF radio but said the idea has been kicked around. Perhaps he isn't
>>in the know about it. But the original poster said it is just about to
>>be released. I hope I am wrong though and a $500 bare bones HF radio is
>>about to be released for us.
>> Sam
>
> I'd like to see them try it. However, SGC just came out with a similiar
>unit for $625. That seems to be the best effort yet, for such a radio. (see
> http://www.sgcworld.com for more on this one.

This appears to be SGC's rework of the Index Labs QRP radio. QST
was unimpressed with the Index Labs unit when they tested it, and
I see the published IMD specs for the SGC rework are still poor.

I thought this radio was subpar and overpriced when Index Labs offered
it, and it still appears subpar and overpriced after SGC has reworked it.
I would hope that this is *not* the target ADI would shoot for in a no frills
HF radio.

I'd suggest that an appropriate conceptual model would be something
on the order of the old Galaxy V MkII, except updated to solid state of
course. A nice compact powerful basic *ham* radio.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2925. Used Police Radar Guns Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6d8cvvmnr3@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 152004
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but will consider all. I buy non working units also, including parts. Please reply by E Mail for a prompt reply.

2926. Re: the icom-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f7b749.128382394@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 152005

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 04:24:52 GMT, jprocyk@direct.ca (Ian Procyk) wrote:
>I have the oppertunity to buy an icom 735. I would like to know if
>anybody who knows anything about them to let my know if it's an nice
>model. Does it have an electronic keyer?

An internal keyer was an option. I'll tell you what I think about the
radio, I'm not selling mine. The IC735 had the longest production
run of any amateur radio ever. There had to be a reason for that.
And IMHO the reason was that the radio was right on target. It
did exactly what people wanted an amateur radio transceiver
to do. It still does.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2927. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34F7C9D8.4038@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 152006
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Walt Davidson wrote:
>
> On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 04:05:25 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
> wrote:
>
> >I justify the big engines because we drive big vehicles ......
>
> But WHY ???????
>

Because they also happen to be loads of fun, never mind the fact that alot of those big engines put out "safer" exhaust than the cracker box engines found in smaller European and even some American cars of non-American decent. Sure, a Geo Metro puts out less exhaust than a V10 Viper, but the exhaust out of the Viper is more than likely ALOT safer to breathe directly. This fact is commonly ignored by the "environmental" division of American politics. If they only knew what technology does, and how it works, and what it is capable of.

I guess that is too much to ask for,

David

2928. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34F7CA30.23B7@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 152007
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Simon Lewis wrote:
>
> In article <34F643EE.A2FD5B2C@eos.ncsu.edu>, David L Pearce
> <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> writes
> >Simon Lewis wrote:
> >
> >> In article <34f4f12f3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
> >> rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
> >> >You obviously haven't heard a Cummings Diesel in a Dodge pickup. It's
> >> >really LOUD. What's so hard, though about driving up a three thousand foot
> >> >mountain? That's not very big, as mountains go.
> >>
> >> Maybe not in BC but it is here! What I was saying is that try that in
> >> your average family car!
> >>
> >
> >If there is a good road, why not? Most luxury cars are built well here in the
> >USA. If there quality isn't even always up to par, typically the power still
> >is, and since Japan scared the crud out of the American manufacturers, America
> >has even got its quality back up ....
> >
> >Later,
> >
> >David
> >
>
> I give up! I tell you what, come up here, try and get your family saloon
> up the local mountain to one of my radio sites and then we will see! You
> will still be stuck on a rock at the bottom when I get to the top. Don't
> worry I'll come tow you off!
>
As I said, if the road is flat, it will go up. Getting stuck on a rock
implies a road not for a car. My point was, power isn't a problem with
American luxo liners.

Pearce

2929. Re: Why K1OIK IS NO LOBGER A VE-PART 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6d8nbljqr1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 152008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 1998-02-28 dnorris@.k7nono.com said:
dn>Gee birt, you claim to be an educator but you do not know that the
dn>proper spelling of a person also considered a churl or buffoon is
dn>BOOR, not a bore.

No, no. A buffoon is a musical instrument, a member of the woodwind
family. I play one. Can't help it, your honour. It's known as a faggot
in Germany.

bill, gm8apx
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Aiunt multum legendum esse, non multa

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

2930. WTB: TNC For DX PacketCluster Use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <kc0uh@pcisys.net>
Message-ID: <34F8026D.3626A807@pcisys.net>
Source record: 152009

Some of the local DX'er are trying to put together a DX PacketCluster
but are having a problem finding a TNC to be used. The DX PacketCluster
docs say the use a Kantronics KPC2 or KPC4 also the DRSI TNC (no longer
made). Anyone have any of these items? If so please send me an E-Mail
at kc0uh@pcisys.net with your price. If anyone knows where another TNC
was configured for use with the PacketCluster program sure would like
that information if possible and maybe a point of contact.
Only requirement we have is that the TNC must allow at least 10 users at
one time on VHF.
Thanks
Steve

2931. UHF/VHF gear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamhd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980228124701.HAA23911@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152010

For Sale:

RF Concepts Amp. rfc4-310, 30 in-100 out, 430MHz-450Mhz, w/preamp. $250.00

Kenwood TM255A, 144MHz all-mode transceiver, $700.00

Kenwood TS-60, 50MHz all-mode transceiver, $800.00

Prices do not include shipping or insurances.

Wanted:

Icom 475H

Icom 275H

Thank-you
Please e-mail direct regarding equipment.

2932. Uniden 2600 with chipswitch to trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumb@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34f7fc52.9986754@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 152011
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Uniden 2600 with chipswitch in mint condition to trade for a Yaesu FT-50 dual band HT. Email me at the following address if interested.
This is an all mode 12-10 meter mobile radio.

gumb@hotmail.com

2933. IC-735 rx problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <34F8178B.C2327C30@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 152012
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have a faithful Icom 735 that has a problem.
While tuning (from either direction) the receiver unlocks (tx also
unlocks but not for
long) when tuning from the following:
0.198 - 0.193
1.198 - 1.193
2.198 - 2.193,etc.
This happens an all bands, and I use it for 2 meter transverer work.
Going below 144.200, (28.200) is now impossible.
Anyone out there have any ideas???
frank

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2934. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F81EEE.1D78@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152013

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sat, 28 Feb 98 04:07:05 GMT, frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.) wrote:
> >>
> >>I called ADI to confirm the story and the Tech said they are working
> >>on some sort of 6 meter radio, Dual band radio etc. He had no knowledge
> >>of a HF radio but said the idea has been kicked around. Perhaps he isn't
> >>in the know about it. But the original poster said it is just about to
> >>be released. I hope I am wrong though and a $500 bare bones HF radio is
> >>about to be released for us.
> >> Sam
> >>
> > I'd like to see them try it. However, SGC just came out with a similiar
> >unit for $625. That seems to be the best effort yet, for such a radio. (see
> > http://www.sgcworld.com for more on this one.
>
> This appears to be SGC's rework of the Index Labs QRP radio. QST
> was unimpressed with the Index Labs unit when they tested it, and
> I see the published IMD specs for the SGC rework are still poor.
>
> I thought this radio was subpar and overpriced when Index Labs offered
> it, and it still appears subpar and overpriced after SGC has reworked it.
> I would hope that this is *not* the target ADI would shoot for in a no frills
> HF radio.
>
> I'd suggest that an appropriate conceptual model would be something
> on the order of the old Galaxy V MkII, except updated to solid state of
> course. A nice compact powerful basic *ham* radio.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

I just purchased a AR-146 and AT-600 and would consider buying a $500
HF radio from ADI for the CAR .
My feeling is that ADI simply buys the rights to produce out of
production radios in TAIWAN, CHINA.
So my guess is they would make a Alinco DX-70 without 6 meters or
a Kenwood TS-50 without some features or less power out. Somthing like
that. I think the ADI AR-146 is a Kenwood TM-241a Clone. Some of the
ADI handhelds are Standard Radio Clones (out of production models with
all the Bugs out plus free Options included that others had to pay for!)
For Cheap $$.

73's Steve NS1R

2935. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F81FC4.161@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152014

Ed G. wrote:
>
> >
> > >I called ADI to confirm the story and the Tech said they are working
> > >on some sort of 6 meter radio, Dual band radio etc. He had no knowledge
> > >of a HF radio but said the idea has been kicked around. Perhaps he isn't
> > >in the know about it. But the original poster said it is just about to
> > >be released. I hope I am wrong though and a $500 bare bones HF radio is
> > >about to be released for us.
> > > Sam
>
> I'd like to see them try it. However, SGC just came out with a similiar
> unit for $625. That seems to be the best effort yet, for such a radio. (see
> http://www.sgcworld.com for more on this one.
>
> Ed
>
> REPLY INFO:
> ==
> Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
> TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
> ==

I sent a Email to SGC asking if they plan on making a higher power model
such as 50 or 75 watts. I figure it wouldn't be a hard thing to do and
they would get to sell to all the guys who say:"20 watts isn't enough"
I know I could get a cheapy CB amplifier for $100 to $125 that outs
out 200 watts PEP. But that would put out illegal spurs all over the
band. HEy, I just saw a ICOM IC-707 for $699. For just $75 I could gain
75 watts outut.
73's NS1R Steve

2936. Re: FT-847 NEWS UPDATE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F8205D.2816@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152015

Thomas W. Castle wrote:
>
> A little food for thought:
>
> At the Orlando Hamfest, I got to see one of these fancy new rigs...
>
> Its small, not 706 size but small, not a rag-chew rig - I was told...
> Even with thermal fans, still can over heat an "shut-down" for a while.
> The little bit of Rx I heard sounded pretty good...
>
> But the bad news is: Late March - 98 last production of 736 R's...
> This was from Yaesu person at show... Company will still support for awhile.
> Its a shame...
>
> Also saw new Icom 746, bigger than Yaesu, display is really different,
> not as nice as in Promo pictures.... Don't think this one is going to
> be big seller???
>
> Just a little input from the people who build an sell these rigs....
>
> Tom / KD4QHH
>
> 73'
>
> On Sun, 22 Feb 1998, hershman wrote:
>
> > hershman wrote:
> > >
> > > Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Pete McGreevy wrote:
> > > > (snip snip)
> > > > >
> > > > > ANd oh Yeah, is the 846 replacing the 736, or the 840, or the 900, both,
> > > > > all, any ideas???
> > > > >
> > > > > There's more than ya bargained for -- Pete -- KA2YDY
> > > >
> > > > Well it looks as if the 736 will be around for awhile. Yaesu is still
> > > > advertising it along with the 847. It supports 222MHZ and 1.2GHZ
> > > > whereas the 847 does not.

I think the Icom 746 will sell well as the HF section appears to be a
better radio in that department plus a built in tuner.

However, the FT-847 will also sell well for the guys who need 440 MHZ
for satilite work plus just repeater use too!
I can't decide.
73's NS1R

2937. FS - Kenwood TS870 - Mint - $1575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <6d995mkss1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 152016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a mint, I do mean mint TS870S as new, mic never even opened.
very very low hours, perfect condition, box, manual, etc. $1575.00.

73, Mike...

2938. ICOM 706 COPYCAT ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F82115.7C9B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152017

I saw on the "Waters and Stanton" Web Page that there will be a NON ICOM
IC-706 TYPE radio produced from a OTHER than Icom manufacturer.
No other info was given. Hmmmmmm Could it be Kenwood or Yaesu ???
73's NS1R Steve Hershman

2939. FS:Memory Chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Smith <wa4puf@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34F823CF.18F42C6@earthlink.net>
Source record: 152018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have a quantity of 72 pin simms. These are parity chips, both 4 & 8 megs, 70 nano second. 4 meg chips are $12.00 ea., 8 meg chips are $20.00 ea. you ship. E-mail to address below.

wa4puf@earthlink.net

Ralph

2940. Re: Yaesu FT-847 When is it comming out?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F7BA61.CBCA7E84@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152019

All three major companies advertize early. Best "excuse" is that they
never quite know when FCC will approve the radio

Phil

Tom Nicastri wrote:
>
> Anyone know when the FT-847 rig can be purchased? It has HF, 2M 440 and
> 6m. Its on the back cover of QST Feb issue.
>
> I dont know why they advertise this stuff when you cant get your hands on
> it.

2941. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: richm@ucesucks.mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Message-ID: <slrn6fg91n.e4.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 152020
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 05:39:58 -0500, Raynard Merritt <n8vzl@qsl.net> wrote:
>Hmmm tell me about the topic. I seriously doubt that we want FULL Internet
>access via packet radio in the first place, considering we have had our own
>type of Internet long before the Internet has become a household word.
>

Not really. We had a message store-and-forwarding system, and that's
about it. The opportunities that a real network provides are
substantially greater - digital voice, video, web access, etc.

- Rich

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Rich Mulvey
My return address is my last name,
followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

2942. Re: Scanners for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gus M. Bernard" <gbernard@indiana.edu>
Message-ID: <34F85EBB.1A99@indiana.edu>
Source record: 152021
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Now, Now, let's keep this in perspective:

Sean, you don't get "ripped-off" just because you pay more than the going rate for something unless, of course, you're forced to do it against your will. When you fork over $100 for something it's because you felt it was worth at least that much TO YOU AT THAT TIME, regardless of the "going rate."

John, by advising that "it sells for $179 new" Sean was responding only to you (in case you weren't aware of the going rate), but also to the rest of us. We very much APPRECIATE his input, because for lack of information we might end-up paying more than the going rate, REGARDLESS of what it's WORTH to us. And he certainly doesn't need a BADGE to advise US of exactly what we came on this site to discuss.

Gus Bernard

2943. Need manual for Yaesu FRG 7700.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: prats <prats@bom4.vsnl.net.in>
Message-ID: <6dag4c$g4s@news.vsnl.net.in>
Source record: 152022

Need operating manual and circuit diagram for Yaesu FRG 7700.If U have 1 pl.
email prats@bom4.vsnl.net.in

2944. Need manual for Yaesu FRG 7700.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: prats <prats@bom4.vsnl.net.in>
Message-ID: <6dage5$g58@news.vsnl.net.in>
Source record: 152023

Need operating manual and circuit diagram for Yaesu FRG7700.Pl email prats@bom4.vsnl.net.in if U have 1.

2945. Re: IC-735 rx problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34F83D27.2207@onramp.net>
Source record: 152024

Frank Krozel wrote:
>
> I have a faithful Icom 735 that has a problem.
> While tuning (from either direction) the receiver unlocks (tx also
> unlocks but not for
> long) when tuning from the following:
> 0.198 - 0.193
> 1.198 - 1.193
> 2.198 - 2.193,etc.
> This happens an all bands, and I use it for 2 meter transverer work.
> Going below 144.200, (28.200) is now impossible.
> Anyone out there have any ideas???
> frank
>
> ----------
>
> Name: vcard.vcf
> Part 1.2 Type: text/x-vcard
> Encoding: 7bit
> Description: Card for Frank Krozel

The LPL needs alignment.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

2946. Hamfest Schedule for 1998 (Philadelphia area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <me_hamman@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <34f846ba.0@news.snip.net>
Source record: 152025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.am

Anyone in the Pa, NJ, DE or MD area looking for Hamfest info,
try http://users.snip.net/~hamman you will find a one page Acrobat
file that lists 19 events as well as links for most of the clubs on the
list.

Don't forget March 7th 1998 Absecon NJ. Shore Points ARC
Springfest Holy Spirit High School Rt9 1/2 mile south of Rt30
in Absecon.

Michael
KB2UMJ

2947. DB25 Design Criteria

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Tanner <mtanner@cinergy.com>
Message-ID: <6d9g10$s80$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 152026
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.swap

I am writing a paper for school and I need the design notes around the manufactuing of a DB25 male connector. Any help would be appreciated.

mtanner@cinergy.com

2948. A NEW/ Old SWAPNET is coming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6d9gju$p8i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.*

march 8th week after next on 7.235 + or - at 1pm central time. The Texas traders net will start again. Be there.

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2949. FS TS-930SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34F84E01.3CB8@hauns.com>
Source record: 152028

In great shape, just tuned. Excellant receiver and super xmit audio.
One of the best Kenwood built. $800.

2950. Yaesu FT 900at For Sale like new!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6d9gt1$pd9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mic manual all in perfect shape, very low time unit. $895. Dont need a new one this one is very very close!! Thanks Murray PS WILL TRADE UP may trade down.

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2951. FS: Yaesu FT-51R HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <devenal@SPAMnac.net>
Message-ID: <34F84720.1D781D41@SPAMnac.net>
Source record: 152030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mod, with extra battery, MH-29 mic and NC-50 rapid charger - all in great
shape.
Need to raise funds. Asking $425
KC2BXU

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-Chris
mailto:devenal@nac.net
http://www.users.nac.net/devenal/
To reply to this message delete SPAM from the E-mail address.

2952. Want to Buy 3-500Z amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6d9imo$r1h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 152031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Want to buy reasonable dual 3-500 or sgl 3-500 amp that you are willing to ship or bring to Midland Odessa area. thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2953. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: guido@mail.icongrp.com
Message-ID: <34f84f89.1165052@news.icongrp.com>
Source record: 152032

If ADI does produce an Amateur HF rig I hope they have the integrety
to make good on all of the accessories they advertise. I purchased an
AT-600HP in August 1997 becuase of price and the fact the computer
programming software was "coming soon". It is Feb 98 and I am still
waiting. AES in Milwaukee has no idea when to expect delevery.
John, KF9GW

2954. Help rec. IEC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingemar Carlsson <ingemar.carlsson@mailbox.swipnet.se>
Message-ID: <888690900.163883@nn1>
Source record: 152033

Dear all,
Does anyone have the service and user manual for the reciever CEI
RS-111-1B-12?
The manufacturer is Communication Electronic Inc. Rockville, Maryland US.
Please help me if you know anything about the reciever or the manufacturer.
Answer by mail.
Thanks in advance
Ingemar

2955. NEW CHEAP HF RADIO !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F84CBA.2EC3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152034

Go to http://www.pagedepot.com/radiowise/prod/pat/pat.htm

2956. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <noddy@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <34F857BA.D2DC7DF8@inreach.com>
Source record: 152035
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Most of the family cars here in California are 4 wheel drive utility vehicles or 4 x 4 pick up trucks and easily capable of climbing a small 3000 feet hill. Sixty percent of new car sales are now this type of vehicle. These vehicles get wonderful gas mileage, anywhere from 12 to 20 mpg. They are also much safer to drive, you can actually rear end someone in a compact (comparable to a full size UK car) vehicle, drive over the top of them and continue on your way with out too much trouble. You pay the same insurance rate as on a compact vehicle, so all in all good value for money. There is also plenty of room for an array of Ham Radio equipment and antennas. I added the last sentence just to be legal in the news group. To post to this group I think that one should be required to mention something about radio, no matter how trivial or remote this may be.

Simon Lewis wrote:

> In article <34F643EE.A2FD5B2C@eos.ncsu.edu>, David L Pearce
> <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> writes
> >Simon Lewis wrote:
> >
> >> In article <34f4f12f3efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>,
> >> rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca writes
> >> >You obviously haven't heard a Cummings Diesel in a Dodge pickup. It's
> >> >really LOUD. What's so hard, though about driving up a three thousand foot
> >> >mountain? That's not very big, as mountains go.
> >>
> >> Maybe not in BC but it is here! What I was saying is that try that in
> >> your average family car!
> >>
> >
> >If there is a good road, why not? Most luxury cars are built well here in the
> >USA. If there quality isn't even always up to par, typically the power still
> >is, and since Japan scared the crud out of the American manufacturers, America
> >has even got its quality back up ....
> >
> >Later,
> >
> >David
> >
>
> I give up! I tell you what, come up here, try and get your family saloon
> up the local mountain to one of my radio sites and then we will see! You
> will still be stuck on a rock at the bottom when I get to the top. Don't
> worry I'll come tow you off!
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> | Simon Lewis GM4PLM Editor - EMN |
> | European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
> | Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
> +-----------------------------------------------------------------+
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2957. **FOR SALE Spe/Analyzer AvcomPSA-35A and Test set 1470 Wavetek**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: andrewdart <andrewdart@wwdc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4477$097b1460$6784c8cf@WWDC.wwdc.com>
Source record: 152036

1.Avcom Portable Spectrum Analyzer PSA-35A
For sale ****** $750 USA Wg Condition /new $1990/

2.Wavetek Satellite Receiver Test Set model 1470
********* 850$ Very Good Shape /new3100$/

Specification:
Avcom Portable Spectrum Analyzer PSA-35A
RF input 10-1750 Mhz
RF input 3.7-4.2 Ghz
LNA/BDC PWR +18VDC on RF Inputs
Referance Level 0-(-40)dBm
5-slide band select 0-500,270-770,950-1450,1250-1750,3700-4200
6-Preset frequency band
span 0-50 MHz/DIV
scale dB/DIV 2db and 10 dB
Line and Bat operat

Frequency Coverage 10-1750 MHz 3.7-4.2 GHz
Basic enough to begin with - sophisticated enough to grow with .
Ku and C band compatible
Built-in DC Block and Power for LNA's and LNB's
Accurately measures wideband signals commonly used in the satellite
communications industry
Lightweight (17lbs.) and Portable - Ideal for Test Situations
Rugged, Attractive Styling
Made in the U.S.A.
New Priced
at /$1,965.00/in http://www.fotronic.com/avcom/psa-35aspecanal.htm.

Troubleshoot system problems by observing output signals from LNA's,
BDC's, Line Amplifiers and Splitters, and other RF signals components.
Measure block system signals balance.
Identify and resolve terrestrial interference problems quickly
and precisely by displaying offending signals on the PSA-35A.
Customers can be shown the nature of TI problems for clearer understanding.
Measure and document satellite communication system performance after
installation or service. Customer should be given a copy of results per
AVCOM'S SASAR (Spectrum Analyzer System Analysis Report) to insure
customer confidence and satisfaction.

Progressive Satellite Communication Dealers, Repair Centers,
and Manufacturers will find AVCOM'S PSA-35A Spectrum Analyzer
to be an indispensible instrument for rapid testing and alignment
of satellite equipment. Problems that might otherwise take hours,
even days to resolve, can be identified and corrected in minutes,

saving time and money, while reinforcing customer good will.
An AVCOM Spectrum Analyzer will pay for itself quickly.
My price **** $950 USA

Specification : Wavetek 1470 Satellite Receiver Test Set**

Wavetek Satellite Receiver Test Set model 1470
Subcarrier frequency 0-9.999 MHZ /A,B/
Audio Pre-emphasis off,25-75 us /A,B/
Audio Modulation (Hz) 400,1K,1,5K, ext,int (A,B)
Subcarrier Select off,A,B,Disc,Mtrx
Output Level (dBm/75ohms) 0-70 and 0-10calibr
Mode(Video or Sweep), Center Frequency (45-95)
Sweep Width
Markers (on-off) A,B,C,D,E
Video -(Source-Ext,Int)(Chroma on,off)(Dispersion on,off)

********* 950$ Very Good Shape /new3100$/

****
*10 Days money back guarantee, shipping charge non-refundable,
personal checks have to clear first, postal or money orders
O.K. all items must be returned in condition sent,
..ALL PRICE USA $.**********

ANDREW DART

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2958. Wanted: SM220 or SM230 Monitor Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Melvin Tyre <mtyre@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34F7B3BF.E878BF62@ibm.net>
Source record: 152037

I am looking for a SM220 or SM230 monitor scope with a pan adapter to dd
to my TS930 station. Please let me know if you have one you would like
to get rid of. Thanks Mel N4HNI

2959. FS: Drake R7A (again)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <bob@hi.com>
Message-ID: <01bd447d$a88f3440$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 152038
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

For sale one Drake R7A, serial 32xx, with NB, 0.5, 2.3 and 4kHz filters.
Radio has no scratches, dings, dents, problems or modifications. Have
owners manual. The radio was used very little, and it is as close
to new as you will find one of these. I have no interest in any trades.
This is being posted at 1400 EST on 28 February. The best offer over $825
received by 1400 on 2 March takes it. Due to two canceled offers from
out-of-staters, I WILL NOT SHIP!!!! Pick up only, with cash. Repeat: won't
ship, cash only.
I am located south of Detroit Mich. Reply to my e-mail address only or
313-382-2213, tnx.
Bob
KB8TL
pierfelice @ mci2000 . com
(Remove the spaces to reply)

2960. how do you like your TH-G71A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Gannon <rgannon@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F86353.41EA6D15@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 152039

I'm trying to decide on whether to buy the FT-50RD or the TH-G71A.
There are obviously many folks who love the Yaesu but I'm curious about
what people's experiences are with the Kenwood. The 50 bucks off the
Kenwood is pretty attractive right now!

Thanks for reading, look forward to hearing from you!

2961. For Sale: Kenwood TS440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <ed@personallythere.com>
Message-ID: <6d9pt2$8oo$1@client2.news.psi.net>
Source record: 152040

TS440 and Alinco power supply, both for $640. Also, MFJ-422B electronic paddle keyer and vertical antenna--make offer. Contact ed@personallythere.com .

2962. FS Ham Equipment,(accessories)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gfaber <gfaber@fast.net>
Message-ID: <34F87325.9193589D@fast.net>
Source record: 152041

Hi
I have a Phone patch, MFJ Ant tuner, Drake low pass filter, SWR/Power
meter, 1 set of keyer paddles
and a Heathkit 24 hr digital clock, all up for auction on Ebay at this
site
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=gfaber@fast.net

pictures of all items are included

2963. Re: Building a Dummy Load?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <6d7k3g$c2q$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 152088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Good idea. Have done similar myself.

But I suggest lower value resistors. The number of 'turns' on the spiral of metal film resistors are fewer and so the inductance is smaller, and so the 50 ohm resistance is maintained up to even higher frequencies.

Try 50 x 2500-ohm, 2-watt resistors in parallel. The nearest preferrred value is 2400-ohms so use 48 resistors in parrallel. No-one will be able to detect the difference.

Or 20 x 1000-ohm, 5-watt resistors in parallel. That's the one I like if you can obtain 5-watt, metal-film resistors.

You will not have to drill so many holes in the single-sided copper clad boards. Keep the resistor leads very short to help conduct the heat from the resistors to the copper cooling surfaces. But do not make the size of the board at the HF end of the resistors any larger than necessary to keep down the stray capacitance. The grounded end of the resistors and copper sheet can be as large as you like. Bolt it to the can if its rectangular.

Reg. G4FGQ
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
==
Marty Tippin wrote ...
>Thanks to all who've responded so far - there were some good ideas.
>
>It has been suggested by a local ham that I could make a cheap version
>of the "Cantenna" by using 200 - 10K ohm 1/2w resistors in parallel,
>mounted between two 4x6 inch plates of copper-clad pc board (with the
>copper to the outside). This assembly is then connected to an SO-239
>mounted in a paint can lid and suspended in a paint can full of
>mineral oil.
>
>He says the copper clad pc boards pretty much cancel out the reactance
>that would be present and make for a very good 50+j0 ohm match.
>

>He said to use 1/2 watt, 5% resistors - I didn't ask, but I
assume he
>meant carbon film, as thats about all I can find in 1/2w, 5%.
Does
>that sound right?
>
>If this will work, I'll be ordering the resistors and sharpening
my
>drill bit...
>
>Any comments? Am I wasting my time here? Is mineral oil
>non-conductive?
>
>Thanks & 73,
>
>-Marty KI0LO
> martyt@pobox.com

2964. Tek 475 Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6d7kr4$aon@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 152089

HI All
I have a for sale TEK 475 scope 200MHz
Good working codition and without Probes
$ 350.00 plus shipping
714-778-5151
Thanks
Joon

2965. HELP RESET AEA PK-88

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980228012901.UAA08220@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 152090

Hello,
Does anyone know how to reset a AEA PK-88?? Put jumper? Pull Fuse??

HELP.... HOW DO YOU RESET THE THING?

Hope to hear from someone... Jeffrey - N9MXT1

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2966. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-02-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: interc@globalnet.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f76778.769938@read.news.global.net.uk>
Source record: 152091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 19:25:19 GMT, brettwino-spam@ix.nospam.netcom.com
wrote:

>On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 00:42:21 GMT, interc@globalnet.co.uk (Duncan
>Hawkins) wrote:
>
>>On Thu, 26 Feb 1998 10:14:30 -0600, hamsupplies@trust-me.com wrote:
>>
>>> Dear Prospective Customers,
>>>
>>> We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
>>> equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
>>> Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
>>> discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
>>> competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
>>> due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.
>>
>>Mmmm you sure?
>>
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>>>
>>> All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
>>> from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
>>> freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
>>> dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
>>> checks. We accept checks in US funds only.
>>
>>When spending over $1200 To save $160 dollars, less the cost of
>>freight, import duties, and risking sending money abroad to an
>>unknown business with no track record.......
>>
>>
>>Some deal Huh!!!!!
>>
>>
>If you've ever had any experience with international legal dealings,
>I'd say keep your money in the U.S. and find a discount outlet; at
>least you could find a lawyer in that state to sue if you didn't
>receive anything for your money. Kuala Lumpur is a long drive...

Absolutely!!!

2967. FT-920 Tuner/manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9kob@eagle.ais.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f63a3b38f46738f989680@news.ais.net>
Source record: 151842

Does anyone have a FT-920 service manual for sale.....and if not a location on where I can pick one up...besides Yaesu.

FT-920 internal tuner sux! or i probably got a bum unit

Tim
N9KOB

2968. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F9E32A.587E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151843

Jim Cluett wrote:
>
> In article <6dbo0k$76q$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>,
> B.S. <R.Seaby@btinternet.com> wrote:
> >Has anyone used the Yaesu FT8100R-if so, how good is it? Also, has anyone
> >used the new Standard C5900D triband. If so, I would be interested to hear
> >your thoughts.
> >
> > Ben, M1BYP, Nottingham, UK
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> My experience with the Yaesu FT-8100 was not good.
> Several days after purchasing it, I had to send
> it back to Yaesu. It would not cross-band repeat.
> When I phoned, the customer service people told me
> it was a known problem and I would have to send it
> back. I wrote the president of Yaesu and complained about their
> poor quality control, about their willingness to sell radios with
> known problems (they should have been pulled off the shelf) and
> for expecting customers to pay return shipping in these
> situations.
>
> Within a few weeks of getting the radio back from service, I had
> to send it to Yaesu again. I had compiled a list of
> five problems. Three of them were known problems.
> I sent it back a second time. Within a week of getting
> it back the second time, one of the fixes they made
> failed and I was told to send it in a third time.
> I refused. I requested a new radio. They declined and
> I sold the radio at half-price. I wrote the president of
> Yaesu for a second time and explained that I did not purchase
> Yaesu equipment for the privilege of packaging up radios and
> sending them to California for repair. I think they did not
> want to give me a new radio because they knew that
> these radios contained known problems that would require
> repair.
>
> I own 8 Yaesu radios. For the most part they are excellent. The
> early serial numbers of the FT-8100 were unacceptable. Perhaps
> they have done better with the later ones.
>
> By the way, I have since purchased the Icom 2710. It is a fine
> piece of gear.

>
> Good luck, Jim, W1PID

You are doing a service to the Newsgroup by reporting this. I saw some other similar posts and that convinced me to stay away from the FT-8100. It is a shame that the Manufacturers push radios out the door with known defects. I guess I will have to wait at least 6 months before ever considering buying new models.
73's NS1R Steve Hershman

2969. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <34F9E409.F2644130@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 151844

Jim, I know exactly what you are talking about. The bad news is that it isn't just Yaesu who has this problem. None of the manufacturers are completely innocent, at least not the Japanese manufacturers.

The good side of the equation is that this behavior is forming a rift between the amateur community and the manufacturers. Some enterprising entrepreneur will see this as an opportunity and will supply the necessary wedge to finally penetrate the market.

The "Good Old Days" when Americans had lots of disposable income are gone. Just ask anyone who has been downsized. New jobs do not pay that much and real estate, enough real estate to put up an effective antenna, is becoming scarce. The entrepreneur that realizes the changing market demographics will be able to reap the reward. Unfortunately, the Japanese are now in the same position that they put we Americans in not to many years ago.

How about an HF rig for under $500? Possibly one that has a power output of say fifty watts on high power? Recent FCC rules changes make this more attractive than some may think.

Forget a zillion memories, I never use them. Forget complicated programming with dual and triple function buttons. Who needs it? Just give us a durable unit and place the emphasis on a clean Tx envelope and Rx audio, with enough audio power output that we older individuals can hear.

Ever since the US radio manufacturers closed down (not Ten-Tec), I have no sense of brand loyalty, and, in fact, am very displeased with the Japanese manufacturers. Icom, Yaesu and Kenwood treat us very poorly. I'm just waiting to jump ship to a better product for less money and with the service we deserve.

Just my $.02. And for those youngsters who are going to call me a dinosaur and tell me that I am against new technologies, I only have one thing to say - GO TO BED!

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jnlk.com

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2970. Re: Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F9E3E5.34FE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151845

Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX wrote:
>
> hermit wrote:
> >
> > Yaesu FT-847. Sounds like a great radio to have. It is one you can grow
> > into. It should be available sometime in March 98. My question is, will
> > it be a good rig right out of the box, or should one wait six months to
> > a year to purchase. Are new ham rigs like computer software. Don't buy
> > the first version, wait for the second version for the bugs to be worked
> > out. ANY COMMENTS?
>
> If you can stand the wait, I would hold on a purchase until the ARRL and
> several other organizations evaluate it and publish the results. It
> always seems that in a QST review of a rig, some problem is found which
> the manufacturer announces will be fixed in all new models. I am
> certainly going to wait for a review before I would consider purchasing
> it. Besides, after about 6 months, there might very well be a coupon
> special to drop the price by about $100.
>
> Robert, N2JTX
>
> --
> **
> * Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
> * (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
> * http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
> **
You would figure the Manufacturers would give a deep discount to the
first guys who buy the radio as they are the ones who get stuck sending
the radio back to be serviced.
These first time buyers get the Honer of paying $100 to $300 more and
getting all the headachs.
73's Steve Hershman

2971. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F9E451.5DC5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151846

hermit wrote:
>
> I would like to here from Kenwood 570 users. What is your opinion of
> theis rig?
I would like to hear if the Problem with the Battery backup not lasting
2 months has been resolved and the Auto tuner not working or Burning
up on SWR of 3 to 1 . If so, what is the serial # to look for.
73's steve Hershman NS1R

2972. service manuals web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pre-installed User <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4535$7a51b400$d3c99dcc@n0mnb.ppp>
Source record: 151847

looking for service manual web page. i had it but lost it when my comp
crashed
i think it started with s or some thing like that.

any info aprecated

n0mnb@minn.net

2973. FS: ICOM IC-275a 2M ALLMODE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: GBENKO@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <01bd4567$89081c00$ca389cd1@default>
Source record: 151848

I have an ICOM IC-275A 2 meter allmode transceiver. Has built in power
supply and also runs from DC. Unit is a 9 on a scale of 10. $600 shipped.
Please respond to GBENKO@Prodigy.net

73, George
K8BRW

2974. WTB: Ten Tec Hercules II & 253 Ant tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: c4wi@execpc.com
Message-ID: <6dcssk$1c4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151849

I am interested in purchasing a Hercules II amp and a model 253 automatic antenna tuner.

73s
DE: WB9JPH
John

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2975. WTB Summer of 1996 Communications Quarterly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34F9F522.7DB2@stc.net>
Source record: 151850

If you have a xtra copy of this you would like sell please let me know.
There is supposed to be a 4cx400 mod for the Detron MLA2500 in it I want
to try.

Thx
Bob
WB5APD

2976. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: XSavageFam@paonline.com
Message-ID: <34f9c262.2412557@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 151851
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 17:36:39 GMT, hermperez@worldnet.att.net (Herm Perez) wrote:

>For Sale:
>
>I have a complete Kenwood Ham radio station for sale.
>
>TS-850S Transceiver
>SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz)
>DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit
>MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone
>MC-43S handheld microphone
>SP-31 Matching external speaker
>PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply
>PG-2Z DC power cable
>HS-5 Deluxe headphones
>TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone
>
>All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,
>all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
>original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
>this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.
>
>$2400 or best offer plus shipping and insurance.
>
>Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
>more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..
>
>Orlando Martin
>Senor Fish Inc.
>Miami, Fl
>
>Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me
>to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
>HAM. Herm

At that price, can I assume that it includes two of everything?

2977. Re: converting cb into 10 meter rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.94.980301194853.24976A-100000@Ocean.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 151852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 1 Mar 1998, Bill wrote:

> generally speaking, what is involved in converting a cheap cb such as
> one of those 30$ rigs that Radioshack has into a 10 meter transciever?
> I would like to use one to create a cw beacon.
> thanks.
> William F. Hagen
> kc6ufe
> whagen@inreach.com
>
>
I just made some comments about converting cb sets to 10meters in rec.radio.amateur.misc this week, in answer to someone's question. It might still be unexpired at your site.

If you're talking about buying a new CB set today and converting it, it was my understanding that at some point the design (in general) was changed so that it was difficult to convert. The early PLL synthesized rigs were fairly easy to change frequency, and apparently there was a concern that some might change them to somewhere they shouldn't (ie CB'ers moving them to a completely illegal band). So their design was changed, and it was harder to move them to a new frequency. This is not first hand knowledge, but I do know that while there were plenty of articles about converting those early PLL CB sets to 10meters, they stopped after a certain point.

If you want to make a beacon, a CB set that uses a crystal to set the frequency can be used by simply changing the crystal and perhaps tuning things up a bit. Are such CB sets being sold nowadays? You used to be able to buy them, and they'd come with one channel installed, and a switch that allowed for a few more channels.

You might do well to look at fleamarkets and garage sales. I found a couple of CB sets in the neighbor's garbage one time.

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Michael VE2BVW

2978. ICOM Desk mike schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nahum Morse <mor55ac@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6dd1pb$5dge$3@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 151853

I am looking for a schematic of the ICOM SM-6 mic or any ICOM amplified desk mic for that matter

If it can be e-mailed that would be great. If you have hard copies, I would gladly compensate for cost & postage.

Thanks & 73's

Please respond to:

Nahum Morse - N1FRH
mor55ac@prodigy.net

2979. FS: Equipment Cabinets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Hix <lhix@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6dd2u5$6pp$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 151854

Surplus Standard 19 inch equipment enclosures. These
enclosures have never been used !!!!!! Mounting space:
19" width x 70" height x 24" depth. Good for many types
of rack/shelf mounting applications such as; test equipment,
cellular and paging equipment, data com/server equipment,
and other applications. These are very well built Enclosures
(cabinets) with several features, $329 compare our prices. Go to
http://www.flash.net/~lhix for more information.

2980. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FA0C98.6725@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151855

Cregger wrote:
>
> Jim, I know exactly what you are talking about. The bad news is that it isn't
> just Yaesu who has this problem. None of the manufacturers are completely
> innocent, at least not the Japanese manufacturers.
>
> The good side of the equation is that this behavior is forming a rift between
> the amateur community and the manufacturers. Some enterprising entrepreneur
> will see this as an opportunity and will supply the necessary wedge to finally
> penetrate the market.
>
> The "Good Old Days" when Americans had lots of disposable income are gone. Just
> ask anyone who has been downsized. New jobs do not pay that much and real
> estate, enough real estate to put up an effective antenna, is becoming scarce.
> The entrepreneur that realizes the changing market demographics will be able to
> reap the reward. Unfortunately, the Japanese are now in the same position that
> they put we Americans in not to many years ago.
>
> How about an HF rig for under $500? Possibly one that has a power output of say
> fifty watts on high power? Recent FCC rules changes make this more attractive
> than some may think.
>
> Forget a zillion memories, I never use them. Forget complicated programming
> with dual and triple function buttons. Who needs it? Just give us a durable
> unit and place the emphasis on a clean Tx envelope and Rx audio, with enough
> audio power output that we older individuals can hear.
>
> Ever since the US radio manufacturers closed down (not Ten-Tec), I have no
> sense of brand loyalty, and, in fact, am very displeased with the Japanese
> manufacturers. Icom, Yaesu and Kenwood treat us very poorly. I'm just waiting
> to jump ship to a better product for less money and with the service we
> deserve.
>
> Just my $.02. And for those youngsters who are going to call me a dinosaur and
> tell me that I am against new technologies, I only have one thing to say - GO
> TO BED!
>
> Ed Cregger, NM2K
> ecregger@jnlk.com
>
> Jim Cluett wrote:
>
> > In article <6dbo0k$76q$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>,
> > B.S. <R.Seaby@btinternet.com> wrote:

> > >Has anyone used the Yaesu FT8100R-if so, how good is it? Also, has anyone
> > >used the new Standard C5900D triband. If so, I would be interested to hear
> > >your thoughts.
> > >
> > > Ben, M1BYP, Nottingham, UK
> > >
> > >
> >
> > My experience with the Yaesu FT-8100 was not good.
> > Several days after purchasing it, I had to send
> > it back to Yaesu. It would not cross-band repeat.
> > When I phoned, the customer service people told me
> > it was a known problem and I would have to send it
> > back. I wrote the president of Yaesu and complained about their
> > poor quality control, about their willingness to sell radios with
> > known problems (they should have been pulled off the shelf) and
> > for expecting customers to pay return shipping in these
> > situations.
> >
> > Within a few weeks of getting the radio back from service, I had
> > to send it to Yaesu again. I had compiled a list of
> > five problems. Three of them were known problems.
> > I sent it back a second time. Within a week of getting
> > it back the second time, one of the fixes they made
> > failed and I was told to send it in a third time.
> > I refused. I requested a new radio. They declined and
> > I sold the radio at half-price. I wrote the president of
> > Yaesu for a second time and explained that I did not purchase
> > Yaesu equipment for the privilege of packaging up radios and
> > sending them to California for repair. I think they did not
> > want to give me a new radio because they knew that
> > these radios contained known problems that would require
> > repair.
> >
> > I own 8 Yaesu radios. For the most part they are excellent. The
> > early serial numbers of the FT-8100 were unacceptable. Perhaps
> > they have done better with the later ones.
> >
> > By the way, I have since purchased the Icom 2710. It is a fine
> > piece of gear.
> >
> > Good luck, Jim, W1PI

I didn't mean to single out Yaesu. Kenwood released the TS-570D for
$1500 and now they go for $1150 at a couple of Dealers (with coupon).
That radio can't seem to hold its memories and the batteries go dead
in a couple of months. Then Kenwood said to put the battery in the radio
with the Power Supply on. This didn't work either. i have seen countless
guys complaining. Perhaps the only thing to do is wait two years into
the production run for the bugs to worked out.

73's steve Ns1R

2981. Alinco Mini's - DJ-S11/DJ-S41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Davidson <joe_davidson@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eDRxhBYR9GA.239@upnetnews04>
Source record: 151856

Any mods, conversions or tech hints for these two great little HT's??

Appreciate your input!

2982. WTB RS Pro 43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Courtney <kdc1@msn.com>
Message-ID: <eleskDYR9GA.262@upnetnews04>
Source record: 151857

Looking for a Radio Shack Pro 43 Scanner

kdc1@email.msn.com

2983. Instrumentation, Test Equipment, & Ham Gear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gar Won Ko <garwonko@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eIqQmYYR9GA.234@upnetnews04>
Source record: 151858

Available upon request, an emailable listing of electronic test equipment, instrumentation, and some ham gear listed at the end of the listing. All of this equipment is immediately available for sale. Send your request to: garwonko@msn.com

Dr. Gar Ko
Wichita, Kansas

2984. Collins Linear Amplifier FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gar Won Ko <garwonko@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eBMd2YYR9GA.153@upnetnews04>
Source record: 151859

Collins Model 30L-1 Linear Amplifier FOR SALE. Winged emblem and original manual. Very good condition and wired for 220 VAC. Output power is 1200 Watts PEP. $650 plus shipping and handling charges.

garwonko@msn.com

Dr. Gar Ko
Wichita, Kansas

2985. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny Hanna <dhanna@skyenet.net>
Message-ID: <34FA2096.758D9730@skyenet.net>
Source record: 151860

Why post the story. It sound like your mind is made up.
Thank you for your comments.

ICOMSUX wrote:

> The products, support, warranty service, replacement parts pricing, quality
> and quality control at IBOM America has gone down the toilet.
>
> The management are yuppie scum. They forget about the customer that made iBOM
> what it is today. It is unfortunate that I have spent so much hard earned cash
> on iBOM products that do not work. Have been to the incompetent technical staff
> at iBOM America and returned repeated times with the same problems.
>
> Stories to follow. Just venting now, to get the word out. i know there are
> probably many satisfied iBOM customers out there but I have an extensive
> collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the
> average amateur.
>
> DON'T BUY iBOM!!!!!
>
> YAESU IS #1.....Good Luck in the contest...if ya wanna win play wit
> YAESU!!!

2986. fs alpha 78

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tandy Way <tandyway@ij.net>
Message-ID: <01bd457d$813f9be0$LocalHost@tandyway>
Source record: 151861

I have an excelent condition alpha 78 three tube no tune amp for sale.
makes rated output vary good physical condition with book low power mod
included. any further questions send me email. $1800.00 plus shipping in
two cartons.
phone after 18:00 week knights 813-962-4105

2987. fs kenwood tm255

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tandy Way <tandyway@ij.net>
Message-ID: <01bd457d$f5465e20$LocalHost@tandyway>
Source record: 151862

I have a ment condition multi mode 2 meter transceiver. 10 watts and 45
watts output with the pl decoder board and the synthesizer board installed.
book and hand mike. lets talk make some offers send me email.
call after 6 pm 1800 est week knights tampa florida 813-962-4105

2988. FS: Kenwood TS-430 and AT-250 Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkinsley@raex.com
Message-ID: <6dd9vrdda1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151863

Posting this for a friend: FOR SALE:
Kenwood TS-430 and AT-250 Automatic Antenna Tuner
MINT CONDITION
Used as back-up rig, very low hours,
Non-smoker and Never mobile.
MARS/CAP mod by Authorized Kenwood Dealer
General Coverage Receive
Narrow SSB filter installed
AT-250 tunes thru 160M
All boxes and Manuals included.

Both for $625 + shipping OBO

Posting this for a friend, Please reply to:
jkinsley@raex.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

2989. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34FA2BA3.50EB@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 151864
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Dave {Reply address in.sig} wrote:

> Psst! Wanna buy an unsinkable ship?
>
> I think you'll find the UK nuclear stations are pretty close to that,
> but it only takes one cock-up at the wrong moment to cause the damage.
> AFAIK they still only design to cope with events above a certain
> probability because it would cost too much to cater for anything more
> than that.
>

Your analogy doesn't hold alot of water (pardon the pun). You already have a much greater chance of falling down and breaking your neck while pouring yourself a cold one than dying from exposure to nuclear radiation from a well designed plant. Sure, there is always some way for all the wrong blocks to align themselves in anything, and thats my point, and why I used the term "almost 100%". Just as there are aliens controlling our minds, the plastic eraser on my desk could suffer spontaneous quantum deconstruction, wiping out 13 or 14 city blocks, or even more unlikely, American amateurs will have a high speed nationwide packet switched radio network :-) (couldn't resist). You shouldn't always place your bets on the "sure win" or you'll never progress. There is chance involved in anything.

Later,

David - KF4MOK
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

2990. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34F9BE81.CB48E491@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151865

Steve,

Juxtaposed with earlier msg re 847, my TS-570 experience has been interesting.

I have a fairly early one (bought in Oct 1996, about 18 months old now).

o No problem with the battery
o AT works like a champ, on all manner of antennas
o G5RV measures 5:1 in one case, tunes right up.

Maybe the early ones were the good ones, and my extra $100 was well spent!

Phil

2991. Re: converting cb into 10 meter rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FA2B89.4DDF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151866
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Michael Black wrote:
>
> On Sun, 1 Mar 1998, Bill wrote:
>
> > generally speaking, what is involved in converting a cheap cb such as
> > one of those 30$ rigs that Radioshack has into a 10 meter transciever?
> > I would like to use one to create a cw beacon.
> > thanks.
> > William F. Hagen
> > kc6ufe
> > whagen@inreach.com
> >
> >
> I just made some comments about converting cb sets to 10meters in
> rec.radio.amateur.misc this week, in answer to someone's question. It
> might still be unexpired at your site.
>
> If you're talking about buying a new CB set today and converting it, it
> was my understanding that at some point the design (in general) was
> changed so that it was difficult to convert. The early PLL synthesized
> rigs were fairly easy to change frequency, and apparently there was a
> concern that some might change them to somewhere they shouldn't (ie CB'ers
> moving them to a completely illegal band). So their design was changed,
> and it was harder to move them to a new frequency. This is not first hand
> knowledge, but I do know that while there were plenty of articles about
> converting those early PLL CB sets to 10meters, they stopped after a
> certain point.
>
> If you want to make a beacon, a CB set that uses a crystal to set the
> frequency can be used by simply changing the crystal and perhaps tuning
> things up a bit. Are such CB sets being sold nowadays? You used to be
> able to buy them, and they'd come with one channel installed, and a switch
> that allowed for a few more channels.
>
> You might do well to look at fleamarkets and garage sales. I found a
> couple of CB sets in the neighbor's garbage one time.
>
> Of course, once you start needing to track down a crystal and modify the
> set for use as a beacon (I presume they use cw), it isn't all that far
> from building a small 10Meter beacon from scratch.
>
> Michael VE2BVW
IT IS SIMPLE TO CONVERT the CB to 10 meters. There are various Web sites

that sell CB radios(export models) cheap or regular CB radios for
$135 that include SSB that you simply hold down a few buttons and
now the radio transmits from 25 to 29.9999 MHZ. One brand is "CHEROKEE".
Go do a search under ALTA VISTA and go to the Web sites and links.
Also, you can get CB amplifiers that put out 225 watts PEP for $99 at
several of these places and the AMP in the Pictures look WELL BUILT.
They even have 5 pole Chebe.... Filters for lowpass at 53 MHZ. Yes, they
are advertised as 10-80 mtrs but work on 6 mTRS TOO!!
I am myself considering doing this as a cheap option to put out a decnt
signal from my car soonas 10 meters opens again. Yes, these CBs and
AMPs ar FCC approved to be sold in the USA for the 10 MTR HAM BAND.
73's NS1R STEVE

2992. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34FA30B9.419C@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 151867
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> If you have the information available, take a look at
> the specs for PSA's HDI engine. This is going to replace
> the already excellent XUD fitted in Citroï¿½ns. An already
> excellent fuel consumption reduced by 20%. CO2 reduced
> by 20%, HCs by 50% and particulates by 40%. Ozone
> forming potential down 50% and produces no smoke.
> The only remaining problem is NOx which is dealt with
> by a cat-converter.
>
> Good diesel fuel may well be the same price as unleaded
> petrol (here) but the fuel consumption and environmental
> advantages of diesels will mean that as the government
> increases the tax on fuel by (20p/litre/year was it?),
> the public will be forced to look more closely at this
> fuel. Un-facts pushed by our ghastly media have managed
> to generate an anti-diesel culture here which isn't to
> be found anywhere else in the rest of Europe.
>
Hey, isn't the Citroen the car that takes several minutes to get to
60mph?

Reality check by:

David Pearce

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"Sorry, the American government isn't forsale to outsiders,
only insiders with the right cash flow. All violators of
this unwritten law will be prosecuted." - David Pearce

2993. "RCA" brand 450 gear??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <me_hamman@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <34fa3499.0@news.snip.net>
Source record: 151868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Does anyone know of a source for schematic info on the commercial lmr RCA brand?? I have two xtal controlled 35watt?? 450Mhz rigs I bought CHEAP and was thinkin of tweakin!

Thanks
Michael
KB2UMJ

2994. Re: recommend good linear amp????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duke of Madness <duke@rant.net>
Message-ID: <6ddci9$5qg@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151869

Try rec.radio.cb

> Anyone recommend a good base linear amp for HF that works on 6 to 160
> meters? Say 300 to 500 watts out - driving with a ts-570 - 100 watts max.

2995. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34FA34BC.78A8@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 151870
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

And I quote from the GEET page:

"... some of the mixtures were done with mixtures with as much as 80% water."

I wonder if anyone will ever realize that as much energy as is derived from burning hydrogen and oxygen, it takes even more to separate it. There never will be any magical way to do it with minute amounts of power, or you would be tripping up physics as we know it.

In dream land, of course, the following would also be possible:

My next Camaro will get 1000 miles/gallon of water and do 60 in less one second, and weigh over 6000 pounds to achieve that good ride all the luxo liner buyers are looking for in a car. (and the US Amatuers will have a high speed packet switched infrastructure nationwide :-)).

On the other hand, I do think hydrogen will be our future fuel technology (after we have pumped every last existing drop of petroleum product from our crust), but it will be separated at solar stations that convert light to electricity and use it to desalinize and then decompose sea water into H2 and O2. Those stations may even end up being powered, not from solar cells on the ground, but satellites beaming down microwave energy from collectors in space. It would be alot cheaper than ground based solar energy collection, given that we one day achieve cheap spaceflight.

Also, one thing the green planet enthusiasts don't consider, those electrical cars that they so gladly will buy up when they become available, will have synthetic lubricants in their gear boxes, motors, and air conditioning systems.

David
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2996. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn Frasier <gf1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <BF7208990FB1D80E.8794CB8540362C8C.8BFD760AC10204C7@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 151871

I have Had mine for a month and a week. It is great and seems to be well built , No problems as yet. The x band repeat works very well and it has great scanning speed. I programmed with the adms software. You cannot enter freq on the mike dtmf pad, Use it as a base mostly and for x band repeat from 70cm to 2m to increase my HT range.

If your thinking about get one? I recommend it as a good radio.

B.S. wrote in message <6dbo0k$76q$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>...
>Has anyone used the Yaesu FT8100R-if so, how good is it? Also, has anyone
>used the new Standard C5900D triband. If so, I would be interested to hear
>your thoughts.
>
> Ben, M1BYP, Nottingham, UK
>
>

2997. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0103982100310001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 151872

In article <19980302021300.VAA29973@ladder02.news.aol.com>, icomsux@aol.com (ICOMSUX) wrote:

>I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the
>average amateur.

Modest, too. It would be nice if you learned to spell, however.

Best 73 (Sir), Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

2998. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f9d680.12840458@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 16:31:07 +0000, Dick G0BPS
<Dick@kanga.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <6d44d4mbt1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>, hamsupplies@trust-me.com
>writes
>> Dear Prospective Customers,
>>
>
>So; who's going to be the first to take advantage of this super mega-
>deal. Is it real I ask?

We're volunteering you, Dick. I promise we'll all have
a whip-round for you if it goes sour.

--
- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

2999. Re: I sell big Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4526$f86cde00$578a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151874
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Is this the same fellow we were warned about once before?

Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> wrote in article
<6dau7e$80d@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>...
> Collins 208U10:
> Siemens:

3000. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Canalini <al.cana@iol.it>
Message-ID: <6dfijg$g8m@mikasa.iol.it>
Source record: 151875
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Interesserebbe anche me...se e' possibile mi prenoterei anche io per una
copia..
Alex

Jas ha scritto nel messaggio <34f59a05.11713085@193.76.127.2>...
>
>>
>>Non oserei mai chiederti che numero di CQ, pero'.... :-)
>
>Ce l'ho ben archiviato a casa dei miei ... la 1' volta che passo lo prendo
!
>>
>>Sto raccogliendo un po' di info sotto
>>http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/8516
>>
>
>Non male ... se vuoi ti posso mandare lo schemino dell'interfaccina che ho
fatto
>per trasmettere i dati dal PC->FRG ... ma e' solo 1 BC237 con 1 resistenza
ed 1
>diodo zener ... quindi non penso sia il caso ... CMQ
>
>Ci sono anche dei sorgenti in C
>
>Salut!
>
>Jas

3001. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <jkporter@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <34F9F1F0.3268931C@compuserve.com>
Source record: 151876
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

I did it and it works as advertised, except I used an individual and received a better discount without all the high volume buying. Make sure they sell you the American version. I bought a W32A cheap (the dream of every ham, cheap that is!)

Jim K2NAX

Dick G0BPS wrote:

> In article <6d44d4mbt1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>, hamsupplies@trust-me.com
> writes
> > Dear Prospective Customers,
> >
>
> So; who's going to be the first to take advantage of this super mega-
> deal. Is it real I ask?
>
> > We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
> > equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
> > Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
> > discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
> > competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
> > due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.
> >
> > All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
> > from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
> > freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
> > dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
> > checks. We accept checks in US funds only.
> >
> > For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please
> > e-mail to hamsupplies@trust-me.com or phone ++ 603 9439284
> > fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of
> > your queries.
> >
> > Sincerely,
> >
> > Megat Farez (Managing Director)
> > HamSupplies International
> > (Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)
> >
> > http://www.geocities.com/SouthBeach/Lagoon/5827/hamsupplies.htm
> >
> >-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----

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> --
> Dick Pascoe G0BPS
> Kanga Products
> Seaview House, Crete Road East
> Folkestone CT18 7EG U.K.
> Tel 44 (0) 1303 891106
> http://www.kanga.demon.co.uk

3002. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Seale <Graham@southlin.demon.com.uk>
Message-ID: <48202402FD%Graham@southlin.demon.com.uk>
Source record: 151877
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In message <34efb3cb1efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:
>
> So, in conclusion, if I were you, I'd find a knowledgable person at the
> RSGB who can tell you what is possible under UK rules. They would also be
> able to steer you to active packet people in the UK.

On (Sat 28 Feb 1998) I had a QSO with UK Radio amateurs who
were happily sending packets to USA, to telnet to a group who included
a USA amateur who was in the same group - but using a regular ISP
internet connection!

It seems the guys who set up this "net" issue their own internet ID
number sets (the famous sets of digits separated by fullstops), except
the first number is 44 (instead of a 3-digit one). The "44" signifies
a amateur packet connection, and such an ID should not pass through
a server here as if it were a regular internet packet.

I tried telnet into this packet server, but I must have done it wrong.
My ISP accepted the address, but failed to connect. I freely admit
there is just so much I don't understand about how this is done. I
think that launching a packet to a US station by amateur radio
is unlikely to be illegal here, just because some other users of that
station happen to send their stuff via an internet route..

While this subject is interesting enough to roll up unusual numbers
of postings, I have got to admit that it is probably in the wrong group.
I'm not fussy or pedantic. Say it here if you like - but you may
expect some flak eventually from the net "hobby bobbies".

73s to all

--
Graham
To reply, use my name followed by @southlin.demon.co.uk

3003. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geoffj@despam.deltanet.com
Message-ID: <6db5vomhc1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 151892
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 23 Feb 1998 19:52:16 -0600, Keith Little <little@galileo.galilei.com>
wrote:

>Walt Davidson wrote:
>
>> The obvious response to that challenge is to ask what sort of TV
>> service, full stop, did you have in the 1930's? We had BBC TV from
>> Alexandra Palace, you had zip.
>
>I'll remind you that Leo Farnsworth invented the electronic picture tube
>when you guys were still playing with spinning disks.

It was Philo T. Farnsworth in 1927. See:
http://www.donaldlaird.com/landmarks/counties/900-999/941.html

Geoff
ke6qh

3004. Re: Vox for FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: algo@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <6db913$60u$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 151893

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 20:50:32 -0600, "James T. Amos Jr."
<ac5ed@swbell.net> wrote:

>I'm having same problem and doesn't make one bit difference by plugging
>it in before turning it on!
> Jim, AC5ED
==========
Same here. VOX never worked, regardless of when you plugged it in.

Ray, K1XV

3005. Re: Homing Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: phantm <phantm@silverlink.net>
Message-ID: <34F92816.9C8FC86A@silverlink.net>
Source record: 151894
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.exotic-modes,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.nocode,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

Do a search for falconry and animal tracking equip. I know they are listed in the "Thomas Registry" at most local libraries.

Daryl Bevis wrote:

> I am a technician no-code and I am looking for a homing device one which is
> very small and light weight, and has a range of at least 1000ft. This is for
> my cat who likes to stay gone for too long at a time. Any info on homing
> devices will help. URLs or schematics.... anything..

3006. Fw: re. rfi problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahmd@interlog.com
Message-ID: <N.030198.080847.30@LOCALNAME>
Source record: 151895

> just a note to anyone haveing problems online with the internet or on their
> phone from r.f.i. I bought a filter made by rich whiten wb2otk and it worked
> wonders it knocked all the r.f.i. out and rejected 100% if interferance so
> congratulations to rich necessity is truly the mother of invention !!! it
> worked better than my other filters purchased for same ...if anyone is
> interested in info contact rich whiten at 864-855-5206 or richwhiten@aol.com
>
>
> graham dyer va3gjb a happy camper
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3007. COMPUTER for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: aeromed2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301131501.IAA04127@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151896

I have an IBM PcJr ,software and IBM Proprinter I would like to get rid of for any ham equipment? If interested e-mail KB2SIN @AOL.COM
Thnaks

3008. FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B.S." <R.Seaby@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <6dbo0k$76q$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 151897

Has anyone used the Yaesu FT8100R-if so, how good is it? Also, has anyone used the new Standard C5900D triband. If so, I would be interested to hear your thoughts.

Ben, M1BYP, Nottingham, UK

3009. FS:Motorola 806-866 Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dbob2$bcm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS:
Like new Motorola 806-866 base antenna. It is about 3' long-
no specs.
Will sell for best offer.
Ernie
N2OJQ

3010. New Amateur Radio Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rparsons@tappublishing.com
Message-ID: <6dbqqr$2jl$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151899

TAP Publishing is pleased to announce the launch of a new web site, Amateur Radio Trader online. It is completely free and offers access to classifieds, online chats, and much more. Check it out

http://www.amradiotrader.com

- Rob Parsons
Systems Engineer
TAP Publishing

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3011. CUBIC.HF.RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1lsw@ncia.net
Message-ID: <6dbqa5$22f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151900

CUBIC ASTRO 150-A HF/RADIO SOLID STATE AND DIGITAL READ OUT, 100 WATTS, COMES WITH HAND MIC AND POWER CORD,LOOKS AND WORKS VERY GOOD,$350.00 SHIPPED IN THE USA. Jack

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3012. Wanted: Icom 735 Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clement C." <clement@coconet.com>
Message-ID: <6dbp51qrb1@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 151901

I am building a small station around an Icom 735 and I am looking for
original accessories for tjis radio.
Mic (SM-6),
0Ext. speaker (SP-7),
Linear Amp (IC-2kl) with cable,
Tone encoder (UT-30),
AC Power supply (PS-55),
Antenna Tuner (AT-150), etc.

They all must be for the IC-735, and all in mint condition with manuals and
preferrable the original packaging.

Please respond by e-mail only as I do not get out here too often.

Thank You Kindly,
Clement C,
clement@pmrrealty.com

3013. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1bug@mint.net
Message-ID: <34f96530.17764887@news.mint.net>
Source record: 151902
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>> Here's the problem: A few days ago I put my Realistic HTX-202 in the car and
>>plugged it in the cig lighter, tried to key the mic, and noticed that the "TX
>>Bar" didn't move, and I noticed that I wasn't putting out any power! I turned
>>the radio off, then turned it back on about 2 hours later, and everything was
>>fine. Next Day: I plug the HTX-202 into my 3 amp RadioShack base power
>>supply, chat for about 30 mins, then go into standby. About 20 mins later I go
>>to key the mic, and again, it won't transmit! So I put aside, and next day try
>>it, and still no TX! RX is fine, but it won't transmit!!! If you have any
>>ideas, PLEASE email me. I'm only 14, and I put down my last $120 for the HT
>>last summer, and really need to get back on the air! :-) Please give me any
>>advise! Thanks alot!

Hi.

Have you been running it on high power on 12 or 13.8v? A common
failure in the HTX-202 is overheating of the final transistor when
doing this, and after a while it partially melts the solder
connections on that transistor, and it becomes intermittent (or stops
working completely).

Can you hear the signal on another HT or 2m rig that is nearby (within
a few feet)?? If so, I'd bet the overheating and partly melted solder
is your problem.

The cure is to VERY carefully resolder the connections on that final
transistor. If you aren't comfortable working on it, get someone to do
it for you.

73
Paul

3014. Yaesu VX-1R scanning problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: huntsman@royal.net
Message-ID: <6dbttl$56q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151903

I discovered this week that the VX-1R does not stop scanning on active channels if the CTCSS is enabled on that channel.

Not sure what would cause this and my dealer and Yaesu don't seem to have a clue about it.

You can see the signal strength indication jump as the radio passes by the active channel, but it does not stop scanning.

Anyone else encountered this with the radio?

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3015. Re: Weller Soldering Tips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <kilroy@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <34F97E26.F9AEC3D@fuse.net>
Source record: 151904

Barry J. Kefauver wrote:

> Bought a Weller soldering station model WTT 1000 with a WTT 1001 probe.
> Does anyone know where I can get new tips?
> Thanks
> KC4JM

http://www.coopertools.com/pages/weller.html
kilroy
KC8HPG

3016. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Larson <plarson@xmission.com>
Message-ID: <34F999FC.6813@xmission.com>
Source record: 151905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

Constantine Thomas wrote:
>
> I suggest You tell us the price before any thing else.
> I personely do not buy an item whose price was kept a secret, until
> someone showed an interest, sharp minds know why.
>
> By the way that radio is worth $185
> C Thomas
>
> In <34F44B4B.2781E494@pleisto.geo.cornell.edu> Matthew Kleinmann
> <matthew@pleisto.geo.cornell.edu> writes:
> >
> >The Cornell Amateur Radio Club, W2CXM is selling a Motorola
> R-390A/URR.
> >The radio is in good working condition. It is serial number 882 (from
> >the front tag).
> >
> >
> >You can see the radio at http://www.ebay.com
> >
> >it is item unmber 6957323
> >
> >Or you can search for R-390A
> >
> >Bid high, and bid often, you are helping a good cause!
> >
> >--Matthew

$185? Your hopes are a bit high. Lets see, you can go to Radio Shack and
buy their version of a Sangean receiver for around that price...on sale
of course. Happy shopping.

3017. FS: AMP SUPPLY Co. LK--450 NT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5ee6$14e25ec0$46f21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 151906

Amp Supply Co. LK-450NT Full QSK (1) 3-500Z with full output 500 watts .
10-80 meters No tune amp. With manual. In Very Good Condition, works perfect.
Selling $600. Includes shipping and insurance.

Call Steve: (914) 271--4067 Eve. till 9 PM. KB2NQN

E mail STEPPE940@AOL.COM

Please no e mail to me thank you.. Marty B. WA2MC.

3018. FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermperez@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dc664$2lp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151907
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

I have a complete Kenwood Ham radio station for sale.

TS-850S Transceiver
SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz)
DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit
MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone
MC-43S handheld microphone
SP-31 Matching external speaker
PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply
PG-2Z DC power cable
HS-5 Deluxe headphones
TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone

All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,
all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.

$2400 or best offer plus shipping and insurance.

Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..

Orlando Martin
Senor Fish Inc.
Miami, Fl

Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me
to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
HAM. Herm

3019. WANTED: TS130SE modifications and utils

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bjorn <rossland@hl.telia.no>
Message-ID: <34f9a2ca.0@d2o204.telia.com>
Source record: 151908

Hello all, and thanks for reading.

I am looking for some modifications for my Kenwood TS-130SE but theese sems hard to get. Is there a chanse that you own one of this type, and in that case have you some files describing mod's for this unit ????

I have also a 430S but here the problem is not present as I have fond mod's for this one all over the WEB. i.e frequensy extender mod's ETC.

Thank you in advance

Bjorn Rossland
LAM-Norway
JP20ON <-> EU-055

3020. VX-1/spring beltclips fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <34F9A360.8C77A69E@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 151909

To all that have been looking for the ultimate belt clip for the great little VX-1. As you know Yaesu over all did a great job on the little VX-1 micro ht. But to be expected there were a few simple design flaws that slipped through the cracks. One that really bugged me was that cheap little strip of plastic they called a belt clip. There's no doubt

this has detracted from the over all quality of the radio. I know guys that tie strings to their belt loops in fear that the little radio will unknowingly slip off. This new clip has a firm, quality spring and two 90` bends at the tip for added security. It won't come off unless you want it to.

I have for sale commercial quality spring action belt clips for the VX-1

micro ht's. They have a factory fit look and are very durable.

$14.95 plus $1.50 shipping.

please email me for ordering information

Bob..... KN6GA

(I'll post a picture of a VX-1 with the one of the new belt clips soon)

3021. FS: Artsci Radio/Tech books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dkelly <dwkelly@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4508$f0f3b400$50c3b8cd@eee>
Source record: 151910

Artsci 8B Radio/Tech modifications and alignments covering Alinco, Standard, Yaesu and others. $13.00 + shipping.

Artsci 7B $10.00 + shipping

e-mail if interested.

3022. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cluett@mv.mv.com
Message-ID: <6dc7lrfir1@pyrite.mv.net>
Source record: 151911

In article <6dbo0k$76q$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>,
B.S. <R.Seaby@btinternet.com> wrote:
>Has anyone used the Yaesu FT8100R-if so, how good is it? Also, has anyone
>used the new Standard C5900D triband. If so, I would be interested to hear
>your thoughts.
>
> Ben, M1BYP, Nottingham, UK
>
>

My experience with the Yaesu FT-8100 was not good.
Several days after purchasing it, I had to send
it back to Yaesu. It would not cross-band repeat.
When I phoned, the customer service people told me
it was a known problem and I would have to send it
back. I wrote the president of Yaesu and complained about their
poor quality control, about their willingness to sell radios with
known problems (they should have been pulled off the shelf) and
for expecting customers to pay return shipping in these
situations.

Within a few weeks of getting the radio back from service, I had
to send it to Yaesu again. I had compiled a list of
five problems. Three of them were known problems.
I sent it back a second time. Within a week of getting
it back the second time, one of the fixes they made
failed and I was told to send it in a third time.
I refused. I requested a new radio. They declined and
I sold the radio at half-price. I wrote the president of
Yaesu for a second time and explained that I did not purchase
Yaesu equipment for the privilege of packaging up radios and
sending them to California for repair. I think they did not
want to give me a new radio because they knew that
these radios contained known problems that would require
repair.

I own 8 Yaesu radios. For the most part they are excellent. The
early serial numbers of the FT-8100 were unacceptable. Perhaps
they have done better with the later ones.

By the way, I have since purchased the Icom 2710. It is a fine
piece of gear.

Good luck, Jim, W1PID

3023. FS: FT50/FT40/VX10 Spkr mics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dkelly <dwkelly@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd450a$57aa25c0$50c3b8cd@eee>
Source record: 151912

I have about 10 speaker mics that are compatible with the later Yaesu models and probably many other radios. Mic uses the pretty common two pin connector. On the Yaesu/Vertex models the interface adapter that converts the single pin plug (programming port) to two pin (rx audio/mic) input/output jack is STILL REQUIRED...and that must be purchased from a Yaesu dealer.

Mics are made by Maxon.

$10.00 each plus $2.00 to ship

e-mail if interested

3024. FL-2000 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rocky Davis <ac5io@seacove.net>
Message-ID: <34F9A7F3.FCA@seacove.net>
Source record: 151913

I have a FL-2000 Amp made by Yaesu-Musun, It has 4 ea 6kd6's for tubes. I get 600 watts out of it on CW. I want to change it from 117 V to 240 volts AC operation, The manual says u can do this, but it don't go into detail and tell u how to change the transformer wiring,etc. Does any one happen to have this information and would like to share it. It has 2 transformers, one for bias etc of the tubes, probley have to change both. In the shack, 240v is available for the amp. 117 v out there will not carry the Linear Amplifier. 73 Rocky

3025. Wanted Software AOR 3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beppo Huschel <ightm@aol.com>
Message-ID: <34F9A49E.8B0B6B5D@aol.com>
Source record: 151914

I am search Software for AOR 3000 Scanner

3026. Value of Vibroplex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301185700.NAA15676@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151915

Thanks for reading. What is the dollar value of a Vibroplex key, black crackle base,
black knobs, brass label with red "bug" emblem, in excellent condition?

Thanks in advance for your help.
73, George, K1RBS

3027. Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34F9AE27.1B6C@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151916

Yaesu FT-847. Sounds like a great radio to have. It is one you can grow into. It should be available sometime in March 98. My question is, will it be a good rig right out of the box, or should one wait six months to a year to purchase. Are new ham rigs like computer software. Don't buy the first version, wait for the second version for the bugs to be worked out. ANY COMMENTS?

3028. power supply & more FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@xxx.carroll.com
Message-ID: <Ep5Lqp.649@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 151917

FS sencore substitutor box model121 carbon res.wire wound,caps.,rectifers, electrolytics $50.00

Sencore TF45 Super cricket Transistor FET tester $50.00

Heath2718 try power supply 20 volts .5 amps 5v 1.5 amps $50.00

bill@carroll.com 973 773-3559

3029. LPD to choose ? (Standard/Kenwood)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carsten Muehlmann <bn362@smail.fh-koeln.de>
Message-ID: <34F9AC4A.FF22FEFC@smail.fh-koeln.de>
Source record: 151918

Hello !

I'm going to buy a license-free 70cm LPD handheld transceiver. I found two interesting devices on the market and just can't decide which one to choose:

- Kenwood UBZ-LF68 'FunKey'
- Stabo XP-500 or XP-400 (built by Standard Corp.)

Does anybody has some experiences concerning these transceivers ?

3030. Ken.TK-250 Need Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce A Shurtz <boingo1@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <34F9B188.30CDFF91@nwlink.com>
Source record: 151919

I recently picked up a Kenwood TK-250 Land Mobile handheld and I need some help on how to enter into the (field programming mode). Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thank You,
Bruce
(KA7YIG)

3031. WTB: Icom SP20 or 21, SM8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1SWR <fleet@mbl.edu>
Message-ID: <34F9AE77.36D7@mbl.edu>
Source record: 151920

Looking for either a SP20 or 21 Speaker and SM8 Mic, all must be in exc. cond., email me with condition and price.

3032. Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34F9B72F.1A27@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151921

I would like to here from Kenwood 570 users. What is your opinion of
theis rig?

3033. converting cb into 10 meter rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <whagen@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <34F9B675.1A27@inreach.com>
Source record: 151922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

generally speaking, what is involved in converting a cheap cb such as
one of those 30$ rigs that Radioshack has into a 10 meter transciever?
I would like to use one to create a cw beacon.
thanks.
William F. Hagen
kc6ufe
whagen@inreach.com

3034. WTB: AEA 10 meter handheld accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Olson <n0hts@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34F9B8A7.CB287A2A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 151923

Would like to find any of the accessories that came with the AEA 10
meter SSB/CW handheld transceiver,
ie. amp, moble mounting bracket and speaker mic.

Thanks.

3035. Re: Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <6dce0a$av@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151924

hermit wrote:
>
> Yaesu FT-847. Sounds like a great radio to have. It is one you can grow
> into. It should be available sometime in March 98. My question is, will
> it be a good rig right out of the box, or should one wait six months to
> a year to purchase. Are new ham rigs like computer software. Don't buy
> the first version, wait for the second version for the bugs to be worked
> out. ANY COMMENTS?

If you can stand the wait, I would hold on a purchase until the ARRL and several other organizations evaluate it and publish the results. It always seems that in a QST review of a rig, some problem is found which the manufacturer announces will be fixed in all new models. I am certainly going to wait for a review before I would consider purchasing it. Besides, after about 6 months, there might very well be a coupon special to drop the price by about $100.

Robert, N2JTX

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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
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3036. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6dcd1r$5bn@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 151925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760
email: weber@citizen.infi.net |

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of

completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and
feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for
each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model UHF VHF-high VHF-low

SM-301 X X X
SM-302 X X
SM-303 X X
SM-304 X X

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from
the crystals used in the conventional single channel
Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) /
10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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3037. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34f9ba2e.239750165@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151926
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 14:10:57 GMT, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie Boy) wrote:

>On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 20:53:58 -0500, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
>wrote:
>>I would like to purchase a $500 mobile type radio like the Kenwood TS-50
>>or the Alinco DX-70T. I realize some features (that are seldom used)
>>will have to be eliminated but I would be game for a radio like that.
>>Any other comments????
>>
>> 73's Steve NS1R
>
>
>- yeah, the ADI HF radio should be compact like IC-706 (Mk II).

I'd be willing to trade off minaturization against superior thermal
sinking.

>- the radio must be digital... not analog.

I'd like an all digital radio, but the technology isn't quite up to
building one yet. A good sound analog design would be fine.
The receiver front end should be bulletproof, and upconversion
should be employed to avoid excessive birdies. Perhaps DSP
could be used in the second IF to save the costs of a selection
of filters, ala Kachina. But I'd be satisfied with a basic 2.1 kHz
filter and a 500 Hz filter in an analog low second IF.

>- HF + 6m (+ 2m) will be better than HF only

I disagree with this. HF-only makes more sense in a low
cost radio. Adding VHF to the radio increases cost and
complexity.

>- 50W max or so

I disagree with this also. A HF radio should be a minimum
of 100 watts. That allows barefoot operation on all HF bands
in SSB, and will drive available amps on those occasions
when that is merited. Ideally the radio should be large enough
to provide adequate heatsinking without the need for a fan.

>- one button, one function.

That requires a large radio, or few functions. I don't have
a problem with intelligently designed menus, the IC-706
is a good example of this. OTOH, for a basic low cost

radio, there needn't be a huge number of operator functions
or operator controls. Every knob and switch costs money.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3038. recommend good linear amp????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: printer@cheerful.com
Message-ID: <34f9ca97.10797771@scan.missouri.org>
Source record: 151927

Anyone recommend a good base linear amp for HF that works on 6 to 160 meters? Say 300 to 500 watts out - driving with a ts-570 - 100 watts max.

3039. Schematic for 4-1000 amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <34F9CFFB.3D3612B0@erols.com>
Source record: 151928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hunting for schematic(s) for 4-1000 amplifier, single or paired.
(Yes I know what ONE puts out.) I am interested in tuned
input information, bandswitch and coil info, and PI network
values.

I figure there is no sense in re-inventing the wheel.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN
rbethman@erols.com

3040. F.S. IC-471A All Mode $425.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301213101.QAA10492@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151929

Icom IC-471A All Mode 430-450 Mhz. Mike , Manual
Excell Cond. Clean $425 + Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

3041. Excellent condition TH-78A with accessories $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd4sgu@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <6dcm0nqpb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a like-new Kenwood TH-78A with all original equipment (box, manual, antenna, wrist strap, charger, and battery in excellent condition), and the following accessories:

ME-1 200-memory expansion chip (total of 250 memories)
SMC-34 Remote-control programmable speaker/mic with volume control.
SC-35 Soft case for standard batteries
SC-36 Soft case for large batteries
KLF-3 Filtered cigarette lighter power cord.

The radio is opened up for full tx/rx capabilities and crossband repeat. It has seen only minor use, and works superbly. It is the most full-featured dualband ht available, and will give you good service. I have all of the original packaging and documentation for the accessories
as well.

Price is $350. Reply here or email me at one of these addresses, after removing NOSPAM-:

NOSPAM-wd4sgu@juno.com
NOSPAM-wd4sgu@prodigy.net

Thanks.

Mike - WD4SGU

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3042. F.S. Yaesu SP-102 $65.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301215800.QAA15017@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151931

Yaesu Spk. SP-102 Clean
$65+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

3043. FOR SALE: KENWOOD TS-820S/CW FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <34F9D44F.2C0A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale a very clean TS-820S Kenwood transceiver with optional CW filter installed.. $350... Located in Los Angeles area. No mic or speaker. Has operating manual copy.

Thanks for reading,

Steve - WA6GSD

3044. FS-Photocopy of Drake R-7 service + owners manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dcl5a$9jq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.boatanchors

Photocopy of the owners and service manuals for $35 shipped to lower
48 States. The service manual has 14 "11 X 17" schematics and circuit
pictorials.

3045. Need Kenwood SW-2100 Instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveschn@net-link.net
Message-ID: <34f9d807.23713601@nntp.net-link.net>
Source record: 151934

Picked up SW 2100 at a hamfest yesterday. No documentation with it.
Anyone care to photocopy and send to me? Will gladly reimburse for
copying/postage costs.
Thanks

Dave Schneider, AB8DS He who laughs, lasts.
daveschn@net-link.net

3046. FS: Kenwood TM-221A 2mtr 50watt Mobile Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Penguin@NOSPAMthepentagon.com
Message-ID: <34f96afa.0@news6.kcdata.com>
Source record: 151935
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have forsale a Kenwood TM-221A 2 meter 50/10 watt Ham Radio Mobile for sale.
DTMF Mic
extended receive
scan mode
ctcss encode
backlit display synthesized tuning
10 Channel Plus 2/2 memorie upper/lower scan limits.

$160.00 + shipping
email: penguin@NOSPAMthepentagon.com

--Talin

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3047. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f9c26f.7703377@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151936
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 27 Feb 98 20:21:28 -0800, rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca wrote:

>Because the fuel ISN'T cheaper, and the engines are more expensive to buy
>and service. Opting for diesel simply isn't cost effective. Here, anyway.

If you have the information available, take a look at
the specs for PSA's HDI engine. This is going to replace
the already excellent XUD fitted in Citro&#65533;ns. An already
excellent fuel consumption reduced by 20%. CO2 reduced
by 20%, HCs by 50% and particulates by 40%. Ozone
forming potential down 50% and produces no smoke.
The only remaining problem is NOx which is dealt with
by a cat-converter.

Good diesel fuel may well be the same price as unleaded
petrol (here) but the fuel consumption and environmental
advantages of diesels will mean that as the government
increases the tax on fuel by (20p/litre/year was it?),
the public will be forced to look more closely at this
fuel. Un-facts pushed by our ghastly media have managed
to generate an anti-diesel culture here which isn't to
be found anywhere else in the rest of Europe.

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3048. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f9c761.8968755@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151937
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 09:38:48 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>It only takes one to blow, and those stats will be turned on their
>head ... for ever!

Give over Walt. I'm sitting almost on top of Chernoble II.

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3049. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f9c923.9419248@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151938
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 03:37:52 GMT, Michael <noddy@inreach.com>
wrote:

>Have to so that late G0's idiots can understand
>
>Stuart, G0SLX wrote:
>
>> Gary Coffman wrote in message <34f14eff.12365191@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>>
>> >For a given compression ratio, you get best performance by
>> >using the *lowest octane* fuel which does not cause pre-ignition
>> >(knocking and pinging). That's because lower octane fuel has
>> >more BTUs per pound than higher octane fuel. That's something
>>
>> Nice to see that the Americans are using BRITISH Thermal Units ;-)

Despite metrication, continental countries often do too.

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3050. Re: BEER (was FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f9cfb9.11105673@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151939
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 26 Feb 1998 20:10:01 -0700, nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com
(Bob Nielsen) wrote:

>>* Continental lagers brewed there, not those churned out
>> by Courage masquerading as Stella or Kronenburg!
>
>Ah, you get that also. I recall ordering a bottle of Loewenbrau in
>Atlanta 20 years ago and thinking I had received something from a bad
>batch until I looked at the label and saw it was brewed here in the
>states.
>
>Caveat emptor.

Right! I always read the label. Latest best lager was
Tiger from Singapore. Imported. Best continental lagers
are Kronenburg 1664, Stella, Staropramen (or any genuine
Czech lager), Zipfer, Stiegl. Kronenbourg and Stella you
have to be very careful about as they are brewed in England
without hops and are as tastless as English bitter.

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3051. Re: FULL INTERNET ... and EVERYTHING ELSE KNOWN TO MAN AS WELL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34f9d3d8.12160182@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151940
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 26 Feb 1998 23:10:11 GMT, ralph@hemi.com (Ralph Forsythe)
wrote:

>Why in the name of all things Usenet are we *still* using this topic for a
>thread about 100 messages long that hasn't talked about Internet messaging for
>the last 97 or so, and has varied from TCP/IP vs. AX.25 on packet to 56k TNC's
>to American beer vs European beer to petrol, gasoline, hydrogen, biscuits and
>cookies, outlawing diesel fuel, and nuclear power plants exploding?
>Time for a new topic thread I think...
>
>Aww, go ahead and flame me, why the hell not! This is entertaining at any
>rate!

Consider yourself flamed.

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3052. For FT-736R&#65533; 2m, 440mHz, plus additional modules for 6m and 220mHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D G Barreira, PE" <barreiradg@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6dcova$1bck$1@newssvr09-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 151941

For sale all mode FT-736R 2m, 440mHz, plus additional modules for 6m and 220mHz band. As new with original box and manual. The price is $1850.00 + ship'g.
Dennis
(502)534-8604

3053. Drake TR-4C Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: billrobb@serv01.net-link.net
Message-ID: <6d9rjl$pt9$1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 151974

I just picked up a Drake TR-4C. I received no signal from it. When playing with it I turned the VFO knob past the 'STOP' area on the vfo dial and it is now frozen and won't move at all. Anyone have a fix for this???

Thanks in advance

Bill

3054. WTB: USN-118B Mil. Cardmatic Tube Tester for Cash Or Swap HP LJII Laser

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6da8mo$6qk$5@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 151975

WANTED: AN-USN-118B Military Cardmatic Tube Tester with the
usual cards & accessories that went with it.

Willing to pay reasonable price for your tester or swap for
Hewlett Packard Laserjet II, 8 Pages Per Minute laser printer.
This printer is one of the best, most reliable and economical
laser printers that Hewlett Packard ever made and is still highly
desirable today. It has a low number of copies on it for its age.
I do not wish to sell the printer outright, but rather swap for
the tube tester I want.

Will provide details of the above printer if you're interested in
same.

Thank you.

3055. What Frequencies on HF for Packett?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301003300.TAA08279@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151976

I just purchased an MFJ1278B and have been trying to get the unit to read something. What frequencies shall I be listining to on HF either day or eve for packet and or fax (weather).

Thanks
John

3056. WTT: TenTec SP325 Miltary Receiver for Omni V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301010601.UAA18881@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151977

Want to trade excellent SP325 toward Omni V, CW filters a plus, don't need power supply.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

3057. Amplifiers for sale...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <34f8acdc.2801032@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 151978

Amplifiers for sale.....

600W PEP, 400W continuous, wideband, class AB linear amplifier usable from 15-150 Mhz. Single drawer unit includes Kilovac COR switching, adjustable time delay, and accessory switching. Amp utilizes a wideband splitter/combiner combo, auto bias switching, thermal protection, and uses MOSFET transistors. Amp delivers extremely clean signal and is overdesigned to provide 100% duty cycle at 400W. Requires 28VDC @ 70A peaks for a power source. Asking $500 or best offer. I would also consider a trade for a solid state HF transceiver.

250W HF solid state base amplifier with power supply, receive preamp, and COR circuitry. $200.

100W Continuous duty wideband amplifier module usable from 400-1000Mhz. Capable of over 150W on 70cm. Requires 28VDC power source. Asking $300 or best offer.

If interested, please reply via E-mail at wizard@eskimo.com

KC7IYU

3058. WTB: Drake RV-75, will pay $600.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: c4console@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980301025400.VAA01540@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151979

Want to buy a Drake RV-75 synthesized remote VFO. Will pay $600.00 cash plus shipping. If you prefer, I would pay $500.00 plus a very nice RV-7 remote VFO. Thank you, Vince.

3059. Re: info / Drake r8 vs. Drake r7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd44bb$bcf6b5a0$3506a3cd@bwallace.cts.com>
Source record: 151980

B.A.

I have a Drake R8B and 3 R-7s....from my perspective:

R-7's crystal filtering is exceptional, R-8 uses LC filtering
R-7 incorporates IF Notch, R-8 incorporates AF notch

R7 is very sensitive, R-8 is slightly more sensitive
R-7 has great dynamic range, R-8 dynamic range slightly better
R-7 controls are superior, R-8 controls suck -- AF control to small, Tuning knob to small
R-7 digital display is simple and primitive, R-8 LCD is very functional
R-7 is of quality construction, R-8 is solid but not up to par with R-7
R-7 uses plug-in circuit cards and through-hole construction -- You have a better chance of repairing an R-7 yourself (with svc manual)

Bottom Line: Both are exceptional receivers. The R-8B has a slight edge on the R-7. The R-7 has better and larger controls.

Ben Wallace
WB8HUR -- San Diego

amfone@concentric.net wrote in article <6da9o6jbs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> I am interested in getting the Drake R7 receiver if I can find one.
> I have a Drake R8 now and really thing it is a great receiver.
>
> Would like to know how the Drake R7 is different from the R8 and if the
> R7 is better than the R8 ... and if so why?
> thanks
> B.A.
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

3060. Collins KW-1 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chucks@pivotX.net
Message-ID: <34fed158.9634841@news.agate.net>
Source record: 151981

I have a Collins KW-1 transmitter for sale. It is in excellent condition.
If you are interested, I will consider serious offers over the
phone. Reply via email only with your full name, callsign, address and
phone number. ABSOLUTELY NO DEALERS!!! (i.e. If you are a dealer
do not bother responding!)

Respond to email address below by removing the " Y " from the address:

chuck@agateY.net

3061. Re: Info Needed on Kenwood TR-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6dacgt$cn7$1@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 151982

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(jhetheri@freenet.npiec.on.ca) wrote:
: I have a Kenwood TR-9000 2-meter all mode transceiver, but have misplaced
: all the manuals.

: I am looking for the power output on the low and high setting. My meter
: is not well calibrated and reads about 7 watts on low (this could be 5 or
: 10, or even worse.)

Low power output is 1 watt, High is 10 watts.

: I am considering this rig for running a 6 meter transverter, so the low
: power setting is of utmost importance to me.

: Thanx for your help.

: 73/72
: Jeff - VA3JFF
: http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/2572/QRP.html

: ==============================
: L. JEFFREY HETHERINGTON
: Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada
: Email : VA3JFF@rac.ca

3062. mods / software for VX-1R ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cg <cg@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <888728839.275867@nn1>
Source record: 151983

I am looking mods and software for the Yaesu VX-1R

3063. Re: the icom-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Bernstein <dhb@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <34F8EBD2.D746A97A@mediaone.net>
Source record: 151984

I bought an IC735 new in 1990 as my first rig, and truly enjoyed it. Its no longer my primary rig, but served me well in that capacity for six years. The receiver is particularly sensitive, yet handles strong signals on nearby frequencies without overload.

QST ran one of their in-depth reviews of the 735 some years back -- I think you can still order back issues over the phone.

Being relatively compact, most of the front panel controls are quite small -- particularly the sliders for RF gain, RF power, mic gain, and VOX control; it took a few weeks, but eventually the required movements became automatic. An electronic keyer is a plug-in option; I didn't have one, and so can't say how well it works. QSK does work great, at least up to 30 wpm or so. The pass-band tuner and manual notch filter work well, and he noise-blanker is useful at least some of the time.

The 735 has RIT, but not XIT; given the easy-to-use dual VFO scheme, I never really missed it. AM output is limited to 10 or 20W. There's no RTTY mode, but AFSK works fine (with a KAM, at least). There's no numeric keypad for direct frequency entry, but there's plenty of software around that lets you do this from your PC; if you go this route, building your own interface is a lot cheaper than paying ICOM $100 for theirs -- take a look at the QST-published circuit in http://www.ambersoft.com/Amateur_Radio/Icom_Interface.jpg, which you can easily build after a quick stop at the nearest Radio Shack.

Over the years, I did encounter a few problems. Both LCD illumination lights eventually expired; I never bothered to replace them, and so can't say how difficult this procedure is. I did successfully add a 500 hz CW filter, which in the radio' confined quarters was nerve-racking but not really difficult. The internal inductor that protects the mike input from RF is too low a value -- I had to add a 10X larger external one inside the mike connector shell to eliminate RF feedback while I was still running barefoot into an open-wire fed dipole. The radio's "SEND" output has neither the current-sinking capability nor the voltage-handling capability to directly key an SB201 or SB22X amplifier; you must interpose a low-current 5V or 12V relay, or an appropriate buffer stage. I found that directly connecting the KAM's AFSK output to the 735's modulator input (through the rear-panel ACC plug) results in distorted SSB transmit audio; I quickly tired of connecting and disconnecting the KAM each time I switched between RTTY and SSB, and so added a reed relay inside the KAM to break this connection whenever the KAM isn't asserting PTT. No, I don't own stock in any relay companies.

Compared to my 706, the 735 is generally easier to use -- its functions are directly accessible on knobs and keys (albeit small ones) rather

than via menus, but the 706 is a better travel companion and provided me with an interesting introduction to 6 meters last summer.

Overall, I think the 735 is a very good transceiver, flexible enough to play many roles. Eventually, mine will migrate from shack backup to beneath the dashboard of my car, where I'll attempt to discover just how much DX one can work mobile during a sunspot peak.

73,

Dave, AA6YQ/1

Ian Procyk wrote:
>
> I have the oppertunity to buy an icom 735. I would like to know if
> anybody who knows anything about them to let my know if it's an nice
> model. Does it have an electronic keyer?

3064. I sell big Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6dau7e$80d@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 151985
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Collins 208U10:
It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
Power: 3Kw carrying fixed, 10 Kw pep, tone cw 10 Kw.
Consumptions: with tone cw 22.5 nominal Kws, factor of power 0.98 .
Input power 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
Inclusive of exciter Redifon EK203N or Harris 131
Aplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe 4CX10000D
Dimensions: Height 175 cm, Depth 70 cm, Width 108 cm, Weight 760 Kg
Autotunig.

Siemens:
It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
Power: Telegraphy power on A1,F1,F4 and F6 = 5 Kw
RF troppower on A3A, A3j and A3B = 10Kw
Carrier by A2 and A3 =2.5 Kw
Input power: 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
Inclusive of filter of the air, exciter Siemens.
Amplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe RS2010 Siemens
Dimensions: Heigt 160 cm, Width 150 cm, Deep 60 cm, Weight 1500 Kg
Autotunig.

3065. Lafayette HA-50A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Milton Martins <milton@naplesnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd44d5$ad369440$6e4be9c7@amd-k6>
Source record: 151986

Hi all!

I bought a Lafayette HA-50A FM Radio receiver (30MHZ to 50MHZ) recently in
a flea market.
Now I am starting to get more interested in this thing and would like to
buy a transmiter (or transceiver).
Do I need Liscence to use this band?
Wich transmiter or tranceiver would you recommend to use for this
frequency?
How far a trasnmitter in this band can go?
What type of antenna I need for this receiver?

As you probably noticed, I am new to this hobby ....

Cheers

Milton Martins

Please reply to milton@naplesnet.com

3066. KAM+ AND ALINCO 599T, RADIO WILL NOT TX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA1GDQ - Joe Reynolds <ka1gdq@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd44df$81a1c3e0$011271ce@default>
Source record: 151987

This may be a dup in some newsgroups, and i applogize.

I have an Alinco 599t, and a KAM+.

Receiving is no problem

Transmitting from cpu to tnc, no problem, the tx lights up on the tnc, but the radio doesn't key up.

I have tried to reset the tnc via pulling the battery. I need to know if anyone has the pinout for the alinco. The cord I have is a premade cord, and the dealer said it was for alinco.

Can anyone help.

Thanks, and again sorry for the duplicate in some news groups

Joe Reynolds
ka1gdq
ka1gdq@idt.net
ka1gdq@hotmail.com
ka1gdq2@aol.com

http://idt.net/~ka1gdq

3067. FS: Kenwood 450S/AT, Mint, W7BOB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpalm@winfinity.com
Message-ID: <6db1f1$b9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151988

Kenwood 450S/AT for Sale. 100 W. all HF bands, general coverage receiver. Built-in Antenna Tuner. Complete, with microphone, manuals, cables, etc. Memories and many advanced features. Like new mint condition, barely used. Original Owner. $850. Please respond to: rpalm@winfinity.com. Bob, W7BOB

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3068. Eagle Sidewinder 400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Baker <pacman@bcl.net>
Message-ID: <34F8B940.34599BC@bcl.net>
Source record: 151989

Hello,
Iam looking for any mods for the Eagle Sidewinder 400 10 mt radio
if you have any mods for this radio could you please e-mail them to me
I would appeciate them.

Thanks & 73s
Steve KB9HGI

KB9HGI HAM SHACK http://www.geocities.com/baja/4990

3069. Re: FT-8500 Mars/Cap Extended TX mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wl7ja@alaska.net
Message-ID: <6db51febn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151990

Stephen

You will need to remove botton cover and top cover from your
FT-8500. Carefully unplug speaker. Remove the 4 Brass screws
from the control unit. (This is where the front panel connects,
if you don't have remote kit). Carefully pull front control unit
from main unit, then remove the 3 Brass screws from the circuit
board, and pull board back, you'll then see the green wire hiding
there cut it and then tape it. Re-assemble then reset the CPU.....

Patrick de wl7ja

In article <luiEotA6s.7rF@netcom.com>,
lui@netcom.com (Stephen Lui) wrote:
>
> I recently picked up an FT-8500 and can't locate the green wire for extended
> TX. I'm guessing I have a newer version. Does anyone know how to enable
> extended TX?
>
> Stephen
> KY6K
>

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3070. Re: Icom 706 computer programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Bernstein <dhb@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <34F91723.25752698@mediaone.net>
Source record: 151991

A low-tech yet functional interface was published in QST a few years back; there's a schematic at http://www.ambersoft.com/Amateur_Radio/Icom_Interface.jpg.

The protocol is described on page 39 of your 706 manual; a more complete description is allegedly available from ICOM, though its said to omit commands for recent radios. Not a lot of code is involved, but since I'm certain that appending examples to this message would generate a flame or two, I've assembled some notes and code fragments in http://www.ambersoft.com/Amateur_Radio/Icom_Control.htm for you to peruse. I'll be happy to answer questions via email; if need a quick response, I'm more responsive to dhb@rational.com than to the return address contained in this message.

73,

Dave, AA6YQ/1

Gordon Couger wrote:
>
> Can some one give me the info on how to interface a
> computer to a 706? I need level converters and
> code examples if possible.
>
> Thanks
> Gordon
> Gordon Couger W5RED
> 624 Cheyenne. Stillwater, OK 74075-1411
> 405/624-2855 gcouger@ionet.net www.cecils.com/gcouger

3071. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <34fad603.240121526@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 151643
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 20:07:36 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

[deleted]

>
>I'd be willing to trade off minaturization against superior thermal
>sinking.
>

For a low cost HF rig, I can live with it's larger size. Won't ask
for very much out of it.

>>- the radio must be digital... not analog.
>
>I'd like an all digital radio, but the technology isn't quite up to
>building one yet. A good sound analog design would be fine.
>The receiver front end should be bulletproof, and upconversion
>should be employed to avoid excessive birdies. Perhaps DSP
>could be used in the second IF to save the costs of a selection
>of filters, ala Kachina. But I'd be satisfied with a basic 2.1 kHz
>filter and a 500 Hz filter in an analog low second IF.
>

I like to see a low cost no thrill HF rig with good selectivity and
sensitivity -- build in. No optional filters. Do it once, and do it
right. DSP or not doesn't matter. The narrower the skirt and utimate
rejection is a plus. More features add cost to it.

>>- HF + 6m (+ 2m) will be better than HF only
>
>I disagree with this. HF-only makes more sense in a low
>cost radio. Adding VHF to the radio increases cost and
>complexity.
>

Any bells and wistles that add costs to the rig will be defeating the
purpose. A low cost HF rig is an HF rig, nothing more that that. I
don't mind if it doesn't have a general receiver.

>>- 50W max or so
>
>I disagree with this also. A HF radio should be a minimum
>of 100 watts. That allows barefoot operation on all HF bands
>in SSB, and will drive available amps on those occasions
>when that is merited. Ideally the radio should be large enough

>to provide adequate heatsinking without the need for a fan.
>

As a low cost HF rig, it should share 2 functions.

(1) Back up rig -- Most linears require 65W to drive. 50W is just
not quite there yet.

(2) Mobile rig -- A little edge to cut through the noise. Half a S
unit over the 50W version is not much to ask for.

>>- one button, one function.

Amen!

>That requires a large radio, or few functions. I don't have
>a problem with intelligently designed menus, the IC-706
>is a good example of this. OTOH, for a basic low cost
>radio, there needn't be a huge number of operator functions
>or operator controls. Every knob and switch costs money.

I am not very sure if a basic, low cost HF rig should have a fancy LCD
display, a 16 bit CPU, or elaborate controls. I think that it should
be a solid performer with no thrills (even LED freq. readout), low
noise floor, high dynamic range, 100W clean Xmitter, PBT, notch, RIT,
all mode. A rig that can let the first time HAM's to make some decent
DX QSO's, as well as allowing the big guns to fire. Almost forget --
a complete service manual for future self maintainence would be the
icing on the cake.

>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

3072. FS: Alpha 374 A Plus (3 tubes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6df3ma$3fe$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This unit is in great shape, face is new, chassis is too! Third tube added just recently and works great. Over 2KW OUT! One new tube and two other good ones. Full output. Guaranteed or your money back; Just back from Omega Elec. for tune up and to adjust the automatic systems. Shippable easily in two boxes, I will do so for $1400. Including insurance etc. to Lower 48. You will be please. This amp is no-tune on 80-15 also does 10 and 160. Performs quite well on the Warc bands, its all you could want! Thanks, Murray Neece Odessa. TEXAS. PS, if youll meet me within 200 miles of Odessa, Ill take 75 bux off!

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3073. Re: Need confirmation of Icom 735 mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6df5ak$3ot$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 151743

clement@coconet.com wrote:

>I misplaced the file I had for the Icom 735 MARS mod.
>Can someone please send me or resend me the diode #'s for this modification.
>Please e-mail only as I do not get up hre too often.

>Thank you kindly,

>Clement C.

I think you will find this (and many other) mods on the QRZ web site
or CDROM.

www.qrz.com

Steve
WB7PSD

3074. Re: Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <34faefb1.246695429@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 151744

On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 09:02:07 -0500, hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
wrote:

>I would like to here from Yaesu FT-920 users. What is your opinion of
>theis rig?

You can check out this web site: http://www.wm7d.net

Good Luck!
Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

3075. Re: Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L. E. Dietrich" <lou-nn2g@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6df6cp$1p2@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151745

hermit wrote:
>
> I would like to here from Yaesu FT-920 users. What is your opinion of
> theis rig?

Check out WM7D's web site...I contains a bunch of replies from owners..

I have one and it's great..

Lou

3076. Re: FOR SALE: KENWOOD TS-820S/CW FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34FB198C.7A82@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 151746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>
> I have for sale a very clean TS-820S Kenwood transceiver with
> optional CW filter installed.. $350... Located in Los Angeles
> area. No mic or speaker. Has operating manual copy.
>
> Thanks for reading,
>
> Steve - WA6GSD

Steve,

That is a very good deal. I've used my TS820 for over 18 years,
and I would not part with it. Someone should snap that one up.
(I am tempted myself!) In case others do not know: The TS820 has a
built-in AC supply, pi-net tuning (no fussy solid state SWR shutdown),
and has FSK built-in, which the TS830, 430, and 440 do not have. Also
has a built-in (small) speaker. Mine still works perfectly after
thousands of hours of CW and FSK operation, with original 6146 final
tubes. It is a great AMTOR/PACTOR rig also, switches in under
15 mSec. In addition, it has an extra, non-dedicated spare bandswitch
position (AUX), in addition to WWV/JJY band position.
Years later, if you (ever) want to part with it, it will likely be same
or better price as when you bought it.
'Nuff said.

73,
Don, W6JL

3077. WTB: ..... KNWD TS-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc51b3$740965a0$81f21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 151747

Looking for a clean and good running Knwd TS-50.
Serial Number of the radio.
Price of radio $

Leave your Name & Ph.#

Thank you, Marty WA2MC.

3078. FS: WebTV Plus (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: scottdugas@nospam.hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34fb209d.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151748
Cross-posted to: misc.forsale.computers.other.misc,misc.forsale.computers.other.systems,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale via online auction: WebTV Plus
Phillips Magnavox WebTV Plus with original remote and wireless keyboard

Minimum Bid: $125.00
Auction Ends: 3/16 1:11 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111479* To learn more about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3079. Forsale/Swap - video test gear/ NTSC decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6df85v$2v9@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 151749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video

I have 2 pieces of high quality video gear which I
would like to either sell or swap for radio gear
(in particular, a NICE 2m/440 dualband mobile rig, HF gear
etc). I never put together the video production/radio project I was
going to, so I need to "cut my losses". I have the following:

1. BARCO multi-freq. cross hatch pattern generator. Has vert. freq settings
of 50, 60, or 100 Hz, and Horiz. freq of 15,18,21,25, or 31 kHz.
Output is either RGB TTL or RBGS analog. In great shape.

2. Electrohome NTSC Decoder. Has 2 NTSC video inputs (BNC connectors) and
RGBS outputs. ALso in great shape.

Let me know if your interested and what you're offering in way of sell/swap.

73s

Joe
KB2FSH

3080. FORSALE (or trade) Tinsley Labs classical cass telescope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6df8d4$307@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 151750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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FORSALE -- TINSLEY LABS CLASSICAL CASSEGRAIN TELESCOPE !!!
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I have for sale a Tinsley Labs 8-inch Classical Cassegrain
telescope, complete with the original German equitorial
mount and clock drive. Tinsley produced these fine scopes
in the mid 1960s and are known for their fine optical and
mechanical properties. They were (are) research quality
instruments which are quite rare and retain their value.

In mint shape, they go for around $3000. The one that
I have is in very good condition, but needs a few minor
items to bring it to "mint", as follows:

- mirrors are excellent, no scratches or chips, and
bright. Although very good and workable, a
recoating would make them mint.

- clock drive needs an external 12V battery pack and
rheostat to make it operational (this is as it was
intended). A nicad pack or motorcycle battery would
be appropriate.

- A low tripod or pedestal base (about 20" high) and
"rocker box" is needed for the equitorial mount to
sit on.

- the optical tube has some scratches in the paint and
a small dent, which absolutely does NOT interfere with
the optical path. Paint scheme is the original Tinsley
gray.

Thats about it. I just don't have the time to use this
scope and it's too valuable to just let it lay idle.

I'm asking $2150. for scope and mount (and absolutely will
NOT sell them separately).

The equipment is located in Monmouth County, NJ. For
further information, please contact me.

Thanks,

Joe Levantino
Lucent Technologies - Bell Laboratories
732-949-0664 (days)
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jlevantino@lucent.com

PS -- I will consider a trade for equally valued Amateur Radio Equipment, in particular a high quality, heavy duty, HF linear amplifier (Ten-tec, etc).

3081. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermperez@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dfa5o$cic@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151751
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Posted and emailed:

No, its only one of evertyhing...what do you think a fair price is?,
he is asking 80% of new, as checked in a local ham store. Since the
stuff is essentially new he felt that 80% was fair. I would appreciate
any comments.

Thanks, Herm

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 20:18:34 GMT, XSavageFam@paonline.com wrote:

>On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 17:36:39 GMT, hermperez@worldnet.att.net (Herm
>Perez) wrote:
>
>>For Sale:
>>
>>I have a complete Kenwood Ham radio station for sale.
>>
>>TS-850S Transceiver
>>SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz)
>>DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit
>>MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone
>>MC-43S handheld microphone
>>SP-31 Matching external speaker
>>PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply
>>PG-2Z DC power cable
>>HS-5 Deluxe headphones
>>TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone
>>
>>All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,
>>all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
>>original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
>>this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.
>>
>>$2400 or best offer plus shipping and insurance.
>>
>>Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
>>more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..
>>
>>Orlando Martin
>>Senor Fish Inc.
>>Miami, Fl
>>
>>Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me

>>to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
>>HAM. Herm
>
>At that price, can I assume that it includes two of everything?

3082. Re: Need TM241A mod to open RX from 121-170mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6df9nh$6ks@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 151752

In article <charles1Ep7Iv6.F1p@netcom.com>, charles1@netcom.com says...
>
>I bought a used TM241A that has the 121-170mzh receive mod.
>It makes the radio intermod unacceptable to me. I need this
>receive mod so I can undo it!

The Kenwood TM-241A came from the factory capable of receiving from 118.000 to 173.995 MHz (with 118.0 thru 135.995 being a-m mode for aircraft radio reception). There is no "mod" for this. There is a mod to enable transmitting from 136.000 thru 173.995 MHz, but that isn't what you're referring to. TM-241A is very susceptible to intermod if you operate in a congested area with a lot of RF in the high band range, especially those high-power pager transmitters. I sold both of mine for that very reason. My TM-261A is MUCH better, but it still gets torn up when I'm in "RF alley".

You have really two options, neither of which you're going to like. You could sell the TM-241A and buy an older 2m rig that only receives inside the 2m band, such as the excellent TR-7930 or 7950, which had bulletproof receivers that were the most intermod-free I've ever seen in 21 years of hamming. Your other option is to purchase one of the new 2m bandpass filters that attenuate everything outside the 144 thru 148 MHz range, which would virtually kill any chance of receiving any business, public service, aviation, or weather broadcasts (which it sounds like you don't want anyway). I don't know the manufacturer or cost of the filters but I'm sure someone can help (or you can check the QST ads).

Good luck.

73,
Dean, K5DH

3083. Wanted FT530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark N. Dumont" <mark@ciainc.com>
Message-ID: <34FB2CC4.4DF7F632@ciainc.com>
Source record: 151753

Looking for a FT 530 HT in good shape.

Please reply to mark@ciainc.com

N1XTU

3084. Question about DTMF paging of FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: LIUXI YANG <liuxi.yang@Eng.sun.com>
Message-ID: <34FB286E.8784CC21@Eng.sun.com>
Source record: 151754

I have being trying to use the DTMF paging with my FT-50R.
I have the following questions.

1. The trigered paging works for simplex. How to make it work
via a repeater? The repeaters in bay area mostly have autopatches.
They simply "eat" all DTMF tones. Even with the access code to
the repeater, it is still difficult to get the DTMF tones passed
on the air since I don't know why the key pad does not generate
DTMF tone with key punch. I can only preprogram them in to the
memory.

2. Is there a way to progam to gererate the DTMF tone with different
delay pattern?

Thanks a million!

KF6PKD

3085. FS: Corel Draw 8 (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: themilkman@nospam.earthling.net
Message-ID: <34fb2f9d.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151755
Cross-posted to:
misc.forsale.computers.pc-specific.misc,misc.forsale.computers.pc-specific.software,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For sale via online auction: Corel Draw 8
Program is new and is still in the wrapper!

Minimum Bid: $250.00
Auction Ends: 3/9 2:23 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111484* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com
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3086. Cellphone Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy*Kapp <andykapp@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6dfc6l$n6m$2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 151756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a motorola meteor handheld phone, its not aflip phoe , but I found it on the street and its locked. can anyone tell me how to unlock it and scan with it? any help appreciated e-mail me if you can thanks a lot in advance

3087. Re: Value of Vibroplex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302223401.RAA10809@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151757

Thanks to all who responded. I have found that I have a "Lightning Bug"
vintage of
1941 or possibly early 1942. The kindness of many people was impressive. What a
shame that the minority out there who whine can't experience something like
what I had, they would certainly have a nicer outlook on next week!!
73 from a grateful K1RBS

3088. YAESU IS DOING US too!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6dfced$886@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151758

What about YAESU? I bought an FT1000MP. The brochure clearly indicated that the radio had memories that could store TX and RX frequencies. I was only going to buy the radio to use it with the supplied transverter port on the back for 2 meters. When I got the radio I found out that it did not store split frequencies.... so I could not store the 2 meter repeaters (false adv. #1). Then I went to use the transverter port on the back. The brochure claimed that the radio had a -6 dBm output port. I measure the output.... (-31dBm) useless without an external amplifier. (false adv #2) plus I had to cut a trace on the board and solder a switch (Why should I do this on a new $2800 radio). Then I buy an FT-8100 to use it as a crossband repeat link. The brochure clearly indicates that the radio has this capability. Well, guess what? The radio does not crossband. It has an inherent problem and it only works in one direction. It is a known problem and they keep selling broken radios expecting people to waste time and money to send them back. Then they get a rigged radio with resistors and wires dead bug style. Like the projects on the back of the ARRL handbook!

These JAPANESE manufacturers are doing us and we keep supporting them. At some point we need to make them understand that we are the ones with the cash.

Piet.

3089. Re: YAESU IS DOING US too!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6dfcnc$b2i@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151759

Forgot to mention my VX1R experience:

Bought two of these puppies... Software had so many bugs that the thing was useless. It would reset and the squelch would open by itself. Had to sell the P.O.S to a friend for half price. He sent them back to Yaesu, Got them back with a new set of bugs. Where is their Quality control?

Marce wrote in message <ik4rtf@italia.net>...

3090. CAT interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Warner <mcwarner@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34FB3685.2A0B@flash.net>
Source record: 151760

Have Yaesu FT-757GX and am looking for info on building a computer
interface. Also, a lead on any software to run it.

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Best regards,

Mark Warner
mcwarner@flash.net

3091. Re: KENWOOD TS570

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-0203981828110001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 151761

In article <01bd43a4$eb739500$9e958298@pc1201>, "Don Hale"
<kd5h@aristotle.net> wrote:
> I was thinking about buying this rig as a second rig for camping. Someone
> told me the automatic tuner wasn't that good. If the antenna had a swr of
> 3 or more it wouldn't tune.
> Can anyone confirm this???
> I use a 75 meter dipole, then the tuner for 40,20,10.. It works great with
> my TS450 but would like to know someone that has the 570 opinon on the
> radio.

Don-

I'm also considering a TS-570, so I'm interested in the answer to your
question. However, I'd like to point out that the TS-450 tuner specs
indicate that it only works for an SWR below 3:1, when it actually does
better than that on many frequencies.

73, Fred, K4DII

3092. --- Drake R8 Communications Receiver --------

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dk <dk@205.247.120.1>
Message-ID: <34FB6C14.2E0@205.247.120.1>
Source record: 151762

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Drake R8 receiver, original box, manual etc.
Works perfectly, no time to use it. Excellent condition
Will ship CONUS well packed $625 US.
email dk@nerc.com for further info
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3093. FS - AUTO PATCH FULL DUPLEX NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Cristaldi <megaman@cybernet1.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4620$5d3b3120$65823ace@default>
Source record: 151763
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

The following item for sale new in the box: CSI (Connect Systems Incorporated) auto patch (FULL DUPLEX) model CS800 with manual, $200.00 plus shipping.

3094. FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgoncalv@mozart.si.ualg.pt
Message-ID: <6dfebgeod1@wagner.si.ualg.pt>
Source record: 151764

Hello,
I've bought a Yaesu FT-50R, from HAMSTATION (www.hamstation.com) in USA.
Now because I live in Portugal (Europe) I've to send the radio to the local
equivalent of FCC, to test if is suitable for use in Portugal. For which,
I need to know what is the default BAND(*) for Yaesu's radios that are
shipped to Portugal or Europe... My radio's BAND is A1 (USA).

(*) Process to know what is the BAND:
Hold down LAMP + PTT + KNOB and press POWER.
In my case I see BAND A1.

Please, if you know which is the Band for Portugal and/or Europe, or how to
change this radio for EUROpean settings email-me !

Thanks in advance,

Ricardo Goncalves
CT2*** (Expecting for the license of my radio)

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+---
| Ricardo Goncalves
| E-Mail: rgoncalv@ualg.pt
<<>> Finger rgoncalv@mozart.si.ualg.pt for PGP Key!!!
<<>> Web Page http://w3.ualg.pt/~rgoncalv/

3095. FT-8500: I need a summary sheet of control functions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William A. Childress" <km4dt@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6dfhog$nul@camel12.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151765

I found a deal on a Yaesu FT-8500 at a local pawn shop the other day. However, I don't have a manual for it. I've already posted a message to Yaesu about the cost of the owners manual. Could someone help me out by posting me a cheat sheet so I can check out the rig thoroughly before I'm stuck with a buggy rig?

Thanks,

Alan <KM4DT>

3096. yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woolem <jwoolem@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34FB5619.1F78603D@flash.net>
Source record: 151766
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Is there a Yeasu refelctor that you can subcribe to shuch as the kenwood one and if so what is the address

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3097. Re: spectrum repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34FB552D.42A5@onramp.net>
Source record: 151767

Jed Barton wrote:
>
> Hey there guys, are any of you repeater trustees out there running
> Spectrum repeaters? I am thinking of replacing my 220 repeater with one.
> I would appreciate opinions both good and bad. Please let me know. 73 de
> Jed.n1jbc.

The one I had 15 years ago was aptly named, on a spectrum analyzer it
covered the spectrum from 120-165mHz. Very careful alignment with a SA
cured it but if you tuned for max power(common practice) you got the
Spectrum.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3098. Re: Need TM241A mod to open RX from 121-170mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34FB5581.1ED9@onramp.net>
Source record: 151768

charles copeland wrote:
>
> I bought a used TM241A that has the 121-170mzh receive mod.
> It makes the radio intermod unacceptable to me. I need this
> receive mod so I can undo it!

There isn't a 121-170 rx mod for the 241. It receives from 118-174 mHz
as received.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3099. FS Icom IC-730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34FB64B3.1467@hauns.com>
Source record: 151769

IC-730 in really nice shape with mic and ssb filter. Have book and original box. $375.

3100. FS TS-520SE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34FB64F6.4B5B@hauns.com>
Source record: 151770

Really Mint! Have original box, book, and plugs, etc that came with the rig when new. One owner and beautiful. $375.

3101. FS: Scanner, LP Filter,2m Ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f64e7e7fb3f08549896b4@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 151771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Bearcat 300 Scanner, 50ch programmable, service search, 120V, 12V, Tape recorder output. Working condition but sensitivity low, needs tune up. With manual $100.

Gold Line LP Filter, 1000 Watts, 0-30MHz. Like new. $30

Cushcraft ARX-2B 134-164 MHz Ringo Ranger II $70

Canadian Prices. For US$ divide by 1.4

Will consider trades: ScanCat Gold for Windows, Icom OPC-478 cable for R10

VA3RH

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banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
remove the NOSPAM from e-mail address

3102. Re: WTB Summer of 1996 Communications Quarterly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34FB67DB.6B1A@stc.net>
Source record: 151772

Found a copy thanks
Bob

R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak wrote:
>
> If you have a xtra copy of this you would like sell please let me know.
> There is supposed to be a 4cx400 mod for the Detron MLA2500 in it I want
> to try.
>
> Thx
> Bob
> WB5APD

3103. WTB: Sangean ATS-803a or Radio Shack DX-440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ralph D. Sherman" <atty@ralphdsherman.com>
Message-ID: <34FB6554.5DAA@ralphdsherman.com>
Source record: 151773

Please e-mail me with info if you have one to sell. Thanks.

3104. Re: VX-1R Memory Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Kerlin <kerlin@ligtel.com>
Message-ID: <34fb7302.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 151774

MANOUS wrote in message <19980302201100.PAA18675@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
>How do I delete a memory from the VX1R? The manual says that you can
replace
>one memory with another but says nothing about deleting.
>
>Thanks
>John

John...I found that the only way to effectively delete a memory in the VX1 is to mask it. It will then be available to re-assign when storing a new memory. There is no way to empty a memory short of a cpu reset that I know of, but the masking is effectively a deletion. Incidentally, you can tell if a channel is masked very easily by, from the vfo mode, pressing the fw button for more than 1 sec. Then scroll thru the displayed memory channels. The ones that blink have something stored in them. The ones that do not blink are either open or masked.

Hope that this is of some help for you. By the way, my old yaesu ft-11 was set up the same way, i.e., no way to directly delete a memory channel.

73 de Ron/kb9lsh

3105. Radio Shack 2m/30W amplifier on sale for 59.- -- Good price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernst Niebur <niebur@russell.mb.jhu.edu>
Message-ID: <m2ra4l6l34.fsf@russell.mb.jhu.edu>
Source record: 151775

Hi everyone,

I passed my Technician test last week and today my call sign showed up for the first time at QRZ.com, so I guess I can consider myself a ham now :)

Here is my first question to this group: Radio Shack has a sale on a 2m/30W amp, for $59.- instead of $99.- Is this a good amp (I am not really sure what is important for an amp)? And, is this a good price; should I snap up one right away?

What I would want it for is to put it in my car and thus use my (brand new :) HT also as a mobile, or even as a base station. Would this make sense? I realize that this would limit me to 2m so I wouldn't be able to use half of my dual-band (2m/440MHz) HT (a Yaesu FT-50RD, FWIW). I saw there are dual-band amps out there, too, but the one I saw was $180.- If I _have_ to, I could save my money and buy one of those at some time but I wonder if it wouldn't make more sense to buy a 2m amp now and add a 70cm amp later, when the next sale comes along.

Thanks for all input!

--Ernst (ahem, "KB3CEE" :)

3106. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <34FB7088.64A8@icss.net>
Source record: 151776
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Herm, sounds good to me. It gives you some room to work with.
I ocassionally sell off some stuff. When I offer it for a fair price, I end up selling it for an unfair price (unfair to me). If I offer it too cheaply, folks shy away thinking its broke, even when I tell them its fully functional and pretty to boot.
Stick with your price and when a serious buyer comes along you can reach an agreement that you can both live with.
If you're giving stuff away (which is what some of these knuckleheads think), here's my e-mail: burkefam@icss.net
73, Brian/N0iMD

Herm Perez wrote:
>
> Posted and emailed:
>
> No, its only one of evertyhing...what do you think a fair price is?,
> he is asking 80% of new, as checked in a local ham store. Since the
> stuff is essentially new he felt that 80% was fair. I would appreciate
> any comments.
>
> Thanks, Herm
>
> On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 20:18:34 GMT, XSavageFam@paonline.com wrote:
>
> >On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 17:36:39 GMT, hermperez@worldnet.att.net (Herm
> >Perez) wrote:
> >
> >>For Sale:
> >>
> >>I have a complete Kenwood Ham radio station for sale.
> >>
> >>TS-850S Transceiver
> >>SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz)
> >>DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit
> >>MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone
> >>MC-43S handheld microphone
> >>SP-31 Matching external speaker
> >>PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply
> >>PG-2Z DC power cable
> >>HS-5 Deluxe headphones
> >>TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone
> >>
> >>All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,

> >>all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
> >>original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
> >>this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.
> >>
> >>$2400 or best offer plus shipping and insurance.
> >>
> >>Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
> >>more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..
> >>
> >>Orlando Martin
> >>Senor Fish Inc.
> >>Miami, Fl
> >>
> >>Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me
> >>to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
> >>HAM. Herm
> >
> >At that price, can I assume that it includes two of everything?

3107. Need Alinco ALR 206T info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Headrick <bobh@proaxis.com>
Message-ID: <34FB76B8.7853990E@proaxis.com>
Source record: 151777

My brother just bought an ALinco ALR 206T at a ham swap. It has 10 memories, but loses them a few seconds after the power is turned off. Is there an internal battery? Any pointers on its location would be appreciated. I would also like a schematic and would pay copying cost and postage.

Thanks in advance,
- 73 Bob W7OV

3108. ----- FS: ICOM T8A 6m/2m/440 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <pltd@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6dfu10$9u7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151778

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New in box
RX 50-999mhz
TX 140-150 440-450
even decodes WFM
Mike
EMAIL: pltd@yahoo.com
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3109. Re: KENWOOD TS570

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uadh4XlR9GA.162@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151779

The manual warns about extreme matching stretches with the auto tuner. Someone reported a cap failure on the t/r amp relay which I found with mine too. I also had a blown discharge cap which seems to say something is amiss here...this also let to burn thru in the t/r relay. I don't know what caused this yet, but I don't plan on using the auto tuner in the future. Its possible the rig took a "hit" before I got it. I don't know. Other wise its a neat rig. Best feature over my 450 is the auto notch. Some tx audio tailoring possible. Otherwise well built and according to the tech whose fixing mine, easy to work on.

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PAW
(WA9JMN@Compuserve.com)

3110. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Hwang <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <34FB81BD.5A89@netcom.ca>
Source record: 151780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

K0HB@usa.net wrote:
>
> > By the way that radio is worth $185. C Thomas
>
> Depends on condition and the purpose you are buying it for.
>
> As a communications receiver for modern amateur use, it is essentially
> useless. Without additional outboard converters it can not be used for
> anything other than CW and AM.
>
> If you are an afficianado (sp?)or collector of "ye olde heavy radios", and
> assuming it is in reasonably good working condition and complete (both
> meters, original knobs, top and bottom covers), then it would be worth that
> price.
>
> 73, de Hans, K0HB
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

With a stable BFO like 390 has, tuning on SSB or FM is not much of a
problem. Ever heard of slope tuning? We used to do it B4 product
detector ckts came out. I used to use 390, 392, SP-600, etc back in the
'60s. The good old days!
73,
Tony, VE6CGX
Both fine radios

3111. IC T8A mod wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ward <steveward@infoave.net>
Message-ID: <34FA974F.1788@infoave.net>
Source record: 151781

Does anyone have the expanded rx mod for the IC T8A tri-bander?
TNX for any help. 73 steve

3112. Re: I sell big Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gunsmoke <rwilliams@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6dg1ol$6h2$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 151782
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I bet it is.............
DavidC wrote in message <01bd4526$f86cde00$578a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>...
>Is this the same fellow we were warned about once before?
>
>Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> wrote in article
><6dau7e$80d@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>...
>> Collins 208U10:
>> Siemens:

3113. Re: ICOM T8 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <eVTyW4IR9GA.189@upnetnews03>
Source record: 151783

Press squelch and band, hold down and power up the radio.

Adnan, Icom America

tadunlap@kellnet.com wrote in message
<34fab9af.4793855@news.supernews.com>...
>Rumor has it that there is a RX mod for the new ICOM T8 (tri-bander).
>Supposedly, you press 2 buttons while powering up and this opens up
>the RX of the HT. Anyone know of this? Also, any mods out there to
>open up the TX capabilities? Please help. Thanks.
>
>Todd...

3114. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6dg228$6i9$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 151784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

DavidC wrote:

> Amazing how fads inflate prices!

I wouldn't call it a fad. Its more a general realization that the R390A
is a better receiver and better value than virtually any of the current
crop of plastic imported junk.

Grant/NQ5T
nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

3115. Yaesu FTC-1143

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Timothy L. Fye" <tfye@skyenet.net>
Message-ID: <6dg2vo$77f$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 151785

Can Anyone Put Me In Touch With Someone That Has The Programming
Instructions For One Of These Old Birds.

I Have 4 of them with batteries and 2 chargers.

Thanks,

Tim N9NRY
South Bend, IN

3116. Re: IC T8A mod wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#uqJTFmR9GA.254@upnetnews03>
Source record: 151786

Press squelch and band, hold down and power up the radio.

Adnan, Icom America

Steve Ward wrote in message <34FA974F.1788@infoave.net>...
>Does anyone have the expanded rx mod for the IC T8A tri-bander?
>TNX for any help. 73 steve

3117. FS: Kenwood TS520S HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Jennings" <markjenn@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <6dg55b$cg6$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 151787

I have a mint-condition Kenwood TS-520S HF transceiver for sale. This is an excellent transceiver for a new ham or someone who likes units with tube finals. 100W output. It doesn't tune the WARC bands. Excellent receiver section. Very lightly used and carefully stored for the last ten years. I just fired it up and it works perfectly. Not a scratch or ding. Impeccable build quality. It includes:

Kenwood MC-50 matching microphone
Kenwood SP-50 matching factory speaker
Operator's manual
Factory service manual
Original double-box shipping carton

I'll also throw in a very nice manual telegraph key...a New Viking that weighs over a pound and isolates all the current-carrying parts in the base. The best feel of any key I've ever used.

I'm asking $350+shipping but will entertain any reasonable offers. I'm in the Seattle area.

Please get with me via email if you are interested. Thanks,

- Mark (N9AFL, markjenn@halcyon.com)

3118. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FB2BA4.DDCAAF5D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151788

My impression is that the audio of the 706MkII is low on FM. A friend of mine has one and seems to have low audio; got better when he maxed out the gain. But it depends a lot on how loud you talk (he tends to be soft-spoken and how close to the mike you are.

I use mine only on SSB (don't work 6 M FM mobile, and have a Kenwood 742 in the car for 2/22/440 FM). I am very pleased with it on SSB, and get good audio and signal reports. Compression works great on SSB; don't know if it is supposed to work on FM (don't use it on FM).

Phil

3119. VX-1 spring/beltclips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <34FBA0C2.CC2BD704@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 151789

To all that have been looking for the ultimate belt clip for the great little VX-1. As you know Yaesu over all did a great job on the little VX-1 micro ht. But to be expected there were a few simple design flaws that slipped through the cracks. One that really bugged me was that cheap little strip of plastic they called a belt clip. There's no doubt

this has detracted from the over all quality of the radio. I know guys that tie strings to their belt loops in fear that the little radio will unknowingly slip off. This new clip has a firm, quality spring and two 90` bends at the tip for added security. It won't come off unless you want it to.

I have for sale commercial quality spring action belt clips for the VX-1

micro ht's. They have a factory fit look and are very durable.

$12.50 plus $1.50 shipping.

please email me for ordering information

(pictures upon request)

Bob..... KN6GA

3120. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FB32CA.D82D1CE7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151790

Somewhere I read that the low ALC deflection is normal. I know that mine are low without compression, but I get good audio reports -- with and without compression.

There ws a message last year to the effect that this phenomenon has to do with how they've distributed the gain in the output stages, or some such.

The only valid way to test would be to measure power out on voice peaks. If it is 100 watts, you are getting good audio level, whatever the ALC says. But you would need an instantaneous reading (e.g., calibrated scope with RF probe with rig feeding a 50 ohm dummy load) vs. an MFJ or other type of mechanical meter.

The test data in the Jan(?) 98 QST indicated the radio delivers according to specs.

Phil

Phil

3121. Re: ICOM IS JUNK, SO buy Ten-Tec :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FBA325.388@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151791

walter delesandri wrote:
> <<Some things were cut to save space>>
> I hope an American company will come out with a 50-100 watt HF radio
> with ONE VFO (yes, I mean VFO), five or six knobs, kick-ass QSK,
> SYNTHESIZED HFO (!!!) for 1.8-30 mhz coverage (oops, I forgot about
> type acceptance -- brought on by the goddamn CBers) crystal-mixed low
> second IF with Collins (!) mechanical filter. You know, this radio could
> be built and sold for well under $1000 -- IF THEY WOULD LEAVE
> OUT ALL THE OTHER JUNK!!
>
> But of course, today's ham would never buy it. (even those who have a clue
> what I'm describing) So be it. I'll die before my Collins and Drake and TENTEC
> stuff......not to worry.
>
> Thanks and 73 (I think) Walt WB5LJW
>

While the Ten-Tec Scout doesn't meet every requirement you listed, in many
areas it matches up very well. OK, so the Ten-Tec Scout may not be the
#1 HF radio out ther (or #2, #3, ...) BUT, there are Hams out there who
have purchased the rig, use it and love it.

So, I can't agree with your comment that if such a radio existed,
"... today's ham would never buy it." However, if the wording
was, " most of today's hams would never buy it."; I'd agree.

Low cost microprocessors make it easy and cheap to add all sorts of
complex features to a radio. However, I'll bet that most of the
Hams out there never use (or need) all of those complex features
that are put in a radio and few ever figure out those features anyway.

73,

Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

3122. Wanted : R-389 Reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSEPH FROUNJIAN <josfro@becnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4574$f33b13e0$3bcaaacc@josfro>
Source record: 151792

Hi !

Looking for an R-389 Reciever, if you have one you know what it is.

Thanks!
Joe
KA3OYJ
josfro@ becnet.com
delete the spaces above to e-mail

3123. Fw: f.s. hf amp 10-160m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahmd@interlog.com
Message-ID: <N.030198.233200.37@LOCALNAME>
Source record: 151793

> for sale hf amp lk-500zb amp supply amplifier new 3-500z eimac tubes less
> than
> 100 hrs. use p/dahl p.s. tuned input full qsk amp is in mint condition table
> top size 1500w output $900.00 u.s. split shipping conus
>
> graham dyer va3gjb 905-836-0052 or grahmd@interlog.com
>
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>

3124. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: billspang@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302050400.AAA05324@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151794

>ICOMSUX said:
>Stories to follow.

We don't care about your whinning stories.
You've stated your beliefs, save your stories and go away.

Bill

3125. FS: Ten-Tec keyer/paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kovar <kovar@ia.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4598$b51f12e0$b2d0a0cd@kovar.inav.net>
Source record: 151795

- TEN-TEC KR5a paddle/keyer for sale.
I have a KR5a that I no longer need for my Triton.
It looks in new condition and works the same!
I would like $60 for it.
Thanks,
Jack
319-378-9852

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Jack Kovar
k0var
Iowa

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Jack Kovar
k0var
Iowa

3126. FS/trade - Alinco ELH-7400 UHF Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ddhmo$bne@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Please make an offer for this item, I have no idea what its worth:

Its in mint cosmetic condition; however, operational condition is unknown. Sorry, no box, no manual. It requires a 13.8 VDC power source which is not included. It did power up when I put a power supply on it. I purchased this at an estatee sale with a box of other electronics stuff. I am not a ham, and therefore have no need for this.

The unit is all metal, approx 4" X 6" X 1"
A tag on the bottom of it says "rated input 10W"
The front of it has an "on-air" led, and three push buttons:

1. Mode - SSB/FM
2. RX - On/Off
3. TX - On/Off

I would be interested in trading this for a basic hand held scanner. Please let me know brand and model # on your scanner for trade. If necessary, I will add money to even up the trade.

3127. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <mitstoll@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <34FA48FA.A87F165E@flinet.com>
Source record: 151797

Amen on your comments about Icom. I too have suffered at the hands of this once great company. Once upon a time they made a great handheld, the old 32AT from the latter 1980s. You could use all of the accessories from the IC-0x series on it, including the charger for the batteries and the speaker mike. It was a truly fine radio and the best handheld I have ever had. But the latest purchase of one of their products has proven to be disasterous. The IC-738 has been awful. Bought it new in Feb. 1995, and since August 95 it has been broken more than it has worked. Sorry radio, truly poor in its performance, or in this case, lack thereof. Another friend here bought the IC 281 and it has been even more of a piece of junk than my 738. He sent it in at least four times under warranty, no good, still suffers from the same problems. And as for using it on 9600 baud packet, forget it. Doesn't work. As for my 738, it is once again broken. I have learned my lesson. My next hf rig will either be an old Kenwood TS430 or one of the newer Yaesu models, as I surely will not ever purchase another Icom product. Yaesu and Kenwood are killing them with better quality products, and yes, they do not care one little bit about us in the amateur market. So remember that all of you people out there when you go to purchase your next and/or your first new or used radio. Stay away from the I line!

ICOMSUX wrote:

> The products, support, warranty service, replacement parts pricing, quality
> and quality control at IBOM America has gone down the toilet.
>
> The management are yuppie scum. They forget about the customer that made iBOM
> what it is today. It is unfortunate that I have spent so much hard earned cash
> on iBOM products that do not work. Have been to the incompetent technical staff
> at iBOM America and returned repeated times with the same problems.
>
> Stories to follow. Just venting now, to get the word out. i know there are
> probably many satisfied iBOM customers out there but I have an extensive
> collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the
> average amateur.
>
> DON'T BUY iBOM!!!!

3128. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <mitstoll@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <34FA49CF.2B95AE89@flinet.com>
Source record: 151798

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3129. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: JDM <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd459e$133dabc0$8ee7f2cd@default>
Source record: 151799

Wow! I thought only Yaesu and Kenwood was junk, but now I know better?

ICOMSUX <icomsux@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980302021300.VAA29973@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
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> collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that
the
> average amateur.
>
> DON'T BUY iBOM!!!!!
>
> YAESU IS #1.....Good Luck in the contest...if ya wanna win play wit
> YAESU!!!
>

3130. radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka6vqv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302062801.BAA16115@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151800

Hi George, I'am interested in your IC275a. Is the mic come with it and the
books?
Let me know.Is everything working good.
E-Mail KA6VQV@AOL.COM
FAX 916 484-1124
BILL FLEIG KA6VQV CARMICHAEL, CA.

3131. For Sale: GE Mast II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big_Red_One@Juno.com
Message-ID: <34fa22a3.35124920@news.bright.net>
Source record: 151801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,oh.forsale,us.forsale.misc,us.forsale.d,misc.misc,us.misc

For Sale

GE Master II radios 144 to 160 Mhz.

Some have PL encode/decode 100.0/146.2

50 Watt transmit .5 uv or better receive. (ALL WILL BE CHECKED BEFORE

THEY LEAVE HERE THERE WILL BE NO DUDS).

Some may come tuned in the ham band as I have done this to a few to make

shure they work well there.

Currently on Goverment frequencies but tune to 2 meter ham verry easy.

Each package contains:

One radio.

One control cable.

One control head 8 channel.

One microphone.

One speaker.

One transmit/One recive ICOM without crystals.

One PL incode/decode board and hook switch as available.

If you buy 5 or more (limit 25 as that is all I have) you

will receive a compleat service manual.

The cost is 75 dollars plus shipping FIRM!

Crystals can be installed for one frequency tx/rx for 40 dollars.

You are responsible for any additional ICOMs and crystals as there

are not enough to do more. If you order the one channel installed

you must wait 4 to 6 weeks for me to order the crystals from my supplier

and them to ship them to me. The time can be shorter but the

supplier raises the price to me and I to you.

If you want to order your own crystals and install them your self

you can order them for 10 dollars each (20 dollars a pair 1 tx / 1 rx)

from:

Hy-Q International

1438 Cox Ave.

Erlanger KY. 41018

606-283-5000

COD or money orders only no credit.

DO NOT buy JAN or BOMAR crystals as they are shipped off frequency

and usualy fail within 6 months.

Any repeater mods you want are up to you to do.

All orders and shipping are to be handled through Rich KA8CMK at Big_Red_One@Juno.com

way he want's to do it.

Thank you for your time

Wayne L. Anderson

ka8hhw@ibm.net

3132. J-pole 44mhz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34FA7893.743C@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 151802

Id like to make an 44o mhx J-pole, "Twin lead"
but I don't know the dimemsions.

Could someone assist me? John KF2VW

3133. J-pole 440 mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34FA7967.EB1@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 151803

Id like to build the "Twin lead" 440 Jpole...

Can someone share the dimensions?? HELP!

Length? John KF2VW

3134. KDK440 mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sunfun <eeckhout@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <34FA79F8.5FC7@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 151804

HELLO! Ive got the compact 44o mhz mobil radio
for sale,,, KDK440 16 channel synthsized, tone encode\decode
approx 10 watts output.

100.00 Rochester NY John "KF2VW" (716) 352 8713

3135. Trade Kenwood TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Hugg <chashugg@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FA7049.4DCC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 151805

I have a like new Kenwood TS-570D that I would trade for a similar condition Icom IC-706MKII,or I would consider trading for a Mint TS-50 plus cash, or I will sell the 570 for $1050.

Charlie, K5MBX

3136. FS: Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302080501.DAA19017@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151806

For Sale---Kenwood TS870 Digital transceiver------buying new home---wife says radio has got to go----will sell for $1575.00---firm-----including shipping-------

3137. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc7dba@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6ddpmc$scg@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 151807

I own three FT 8100s and they are great radios. Not a problem with any of them. I purchased them each seperately so they represent three different age radios and I have two of them in severe service (lots of dust and vibration) without a single problem. I really like this radio and think you will be very happy with it.

Stephanie

3138. thoughts/opinions on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul
Message-ID: <34fa7015.43000817@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151808

Hi folks,
Just got my tech+ ticket, and I'm seriuosly considering a Yaesu FT50-RD for purchase. (5-WATT) Does anyone know if the FT50-RD is any different from the FT-50R, and if so, how? Can the FT50-RD be modified (xtended TX, via solder jumper) the same way as the FT50-R? Any opinions, good, bad, whatever? Is this a better HT than Alinco's new DJ-G5TH? Any opinions on Alinco's DJ-G5TH, would it be as tough as the FT-50RD?
Thanks for any help,
Paul KF4VYZ

3139. How to make a FT-840 tranceive for all shortwave-frq's ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Beckert <Thomas.Beckert@alcatel.de>
Message-ID: <34FA7F9E.62200868@alcatel.de>
Source record: 151809

hello ,
i want to change my Yaesu FT-840 in that way ,
that with this transceiver it should be possible to
transmitt on all frequencies, not only the Ham-Bands.

Is this possible ?

if "yes" , please tell me how to do it.

73,
Thomas, DL4SZ

3140. KENWOOD TW-4000A mods needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: me@here.com
Message-ID: <34fa860b.6464533@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 151810

i don't think there is any mods for freqs for this rig. but i am looking for other mods. power modulation, etc.

3141. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fa9319.295289919@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151811

On 2 Mar 1998 02:13:12 GMT, icomsux@aol.com (ICOMSUX) wrote:
>The products, support, warranty service, replacement parts pricing, quality
>and quality control at IBOM America has gone down the toilet.
>
>The management are yuppie scum. They forget about the customer that made iBOM
>what it is today. It is unfortunate that I have spent so much hard earned cash
>on iBOM products that do not work. Have been to the incompetent technical staff
>at iBOM America and returned repeated times with the same problems.
>
>Stories to follow. Just venting now, to get the word out. i know there are
>probably many satisfied iBOM customers out there but I have an extensive
>collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the
>average amateur.

If the latter were true, you'd be able to resolve any problems yourself.
That you've had to return the radios to the "incompetent" Icom techs
means that you are yourself even more incompetent.

The reality is that all equipment suffers from infant mortality problems,
and every manufacturer makes design errors from time to time. These
should be expected. A radio amateur should be able to resolve any of
them.

If you want to blast Icom (and other radio manufacturers), blast them
for failing to include service information with the product. This, to me,
has been the gravest fault of all. The IC706 shipped without even a
schematic diagram. That's intolerable in a product intended for the
amateur radio market.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3142. FS Kenwood 742A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302113601.GAA26490@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151812

I have a Kenwood 742A with 2 and 440 asking $500.00
Dick,KA1KLA
Dick468359@aol.com

3143. FS: Tube Radio Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302120101.HAA02892@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151813

I have the following Radio, and electronic equipment for sale. Reasonable offers or trades for electronic EQ. will be considered. All working last time tested unless noted. Shipping is extra.
Thanks

• Tempo-1- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. Looks good and works well. 100W output. $200

• Motorola VHF Remote Model: PA8270J SER.NO: 8697. It is a tube type remote control unit used to control a base station over a two wire dc circuit. There is also a tone Signal and intercom control on front below speaker. $75

• Heathkit HW 101, 80-10 meter transceiver. No Power supply. It is receiving, but don't know about transmit. Not able to test. Looks are 7/10. As is $100.

• Hallicrafters Model S-108 SW Receiver with a calb. Ham band spread. Looks good works well.$75

• MFJ Rtty/CW Computer Interface Model MFJ-1224, used for copying code from the radio to your computer. $50

• Pearce Simpson, Guardian 23- All tube CB Transceiver/with mobil power cord and mounting bracket. Looks and works Good. $100

• Traynor, Group Two B- Audio Amp Head. High/ Low mic. in puts. Master volume, volume, bass, treble and tone shaper controls. $125

• Channel Master- Tube Stereo Receiver (Model 6612) and matching amp (Model 6601) Looks good and plays on FM. AM not working. $125

• Sams CB Photofact- Several volumes, some continuos: numbers as follow: Continuos 1- 55 and 57- 65. Individual 70,72,80,88,93,98,104,120,122,128 178,190,226. Also have some two of same number. $3.50 each. Special discount price for all.

• AR Inc.- Stereo Amp, all solid state. $100

3144. IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ev1960@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6defrndgf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151814

Hi All,

Got my new IC-706MKII last week and I think I have found some quirks.

Mike Gain seems inadaquate. On 6M FM Compression does not work which may be inherent with the radio but I get low audio reports with the mike gain set to 10 on 6Meters. I think it sould be distoring on the setting of 10. 2M FM my audio seems to be OK but again on a setting of 10 I think it should be overdriven and distorted.

My AGC only toggles to F-AGC and not AGC. It seems the slow AGC setting can't be set on the radio as described in the manual.

Have you experienced the same things? Any suggestions on misteaks I am making on settings? Should I be sending this radio back to ICOM?

Thanks es
73 de Elmar

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3145. ICOM T8 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tadunlap@kellnet.com
Message-ID: <34fab9af.4793855@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 151815

Rumor has it that there is a RX mod for the new ICOM T8 (tri-bander). Supposedly, you press 2 buttons while powering up and this opens up the RX of the HT. Anyone know of this? Also, any mods out there to open up the TX capabilities? Please help. Thanks.

Todd...

3146. Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34FABBDF.1CF2@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151816

I would like to here from Yaesu FT-920 users. What is your opinion of
theis rig?

3147. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: CBS5LD@leeds.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6dee9c$cv0_002@leeds.ac.uk>
Source record: 151817
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34FA30B9.419C@eos.ncsu.edu>,
David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:

>Hey, isn't the Citroen the car that takes several minutes to
get to
>60mph?
>
>Reality check by:
>
>David Pearce
>

My dad's Citroen BX (Ford Escort class) 1.7 litre diesel was
quite respectable at 0-60mph in 10-11 seconds, admittedly it
had a turbo compressor, but most diesels have nowadays.

73 de Laurens

3148. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray King <rayking@wilmington.net>
Message-ID: <34FAC5CF.8C66DE0E@wilmington.net>
Source record: 151818

I would like to add that it might be a problem with one of its many fine radios but there is for sure a problem with the " factory repair" . My friend has just sent his 735 to the factory for calibration and any thing that needed fixing. It was received back needing alignment. It had to be re-calibrated for off freq in Road town ,Tortola. The radio was in far worse shape after being factory calibrated. He now knows the true meening of if it aint broke dont fix it.

Ray

I have had only good luck from new ICOM's.

3149. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: walter delesandri <walt@jove.acs.unt.edu>
Message-ID: <34FACA96.31DD0116@jove.acs.unt.edu>
Source record: 151819

Why only bash ICOM? All Japanese companies forget their customers after the sale. Try to get a Yaesu 101 or a Kenwood 820 fixed or buy parts from the factory. All Jap radios are considered "obsolete junk" after 5-10 years. Buy Tentec. Buy Drake. Yes, even buy MFJ. Then you'll have customer support. However, you won't have all that useless shit on your radio that all hams "need" - you won't have a built in power supply. You won't have one of those goddamn whirring auto tuners that can't tune a dipole cut for 80M fed with 450 ohm line. You won't have CW performance, but that doesn't matter today.
I hope an American company will come out with a 50-100 watt HF radio with ONE VFO (yes, I mean VFO), five or six knobs, kick-ass QSK, SYNTHESIZED HFO (!!!) for 1.8-30 mhz coverage (oops, I forgot about type acceptance -- brought on by the goddamn CBers) crystal-mixed low second IF with Collins (!) mechanical filter. You know, this radio could be built and sold for well under $1000 -- IF THEY WOULD LEAVE OUT ALL THE OTHER JUNK!!

But of course, today's ham would never buy it. (even those who have a clue what I'm describing) So be it. I'll die before my Collins and Drake and TENTEC stuff......not to worry.

Thanks and 73 (I think) Walt WB5LJW

ICOMSUX wrote:

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> and quality control at IBOM America has gone down the toilet.
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> The management are yuppie scum. They forget about the customer that made iBOM
> what it is today. It is unfortunate that I have spent so much hard earned cash
> on iBOM products that do not work. Have been to the incompetent technical staff
> at iBOM America and returned repeated times with the same problems.
>
> Stories to follow. Just venting now, to get the word out. i know there are
> probably many satisfied iBOM customers out there but I have an extensive
> collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the
> average amateur.
>
> DON'T BUY iBOM!!!!!
>
> YAESU IS #1.....Good Luck in the contest...if ya wanna win play wit
> YAESU!!!

3150. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: avcbob@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302152601.KAA19956@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151820

Well, while my feelings about Icom aren't as strong as the original poster, I must say that I don't like Icom equipment. What I have owned worked OK, but I just don't like the WAY it works; the way the options work.

I much prefer Kenwood and Yaesu.

Bob

3151. Yae-Ken Junk Also

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: JDM <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd45ef$406e1b60$a5e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 151821

I have had equipment from all of the major players and have had problems with all brands. They are all equally poor when it comes to service. Kenwood has had a rig of mine since Jan.24 and it's not repaired yet. But I have experienced this lack of quality and service from Yaesu and Icom as well. John N0EE

3152. Tek 485 oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6deom8$otd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151822

Hi All.
I have a for sale.
Tek 485 Osilloscpe 350MHz
Good working condition $600.00 Plus Shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks
Joon

3153. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FAE189.22A8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151823

AVCBOB wrote:
>
> Well, while my feelings about Icom aren't as strong as the original poster, I
> must say that I don't like Icom equipment. What I have owned worked OK, but I
> just don't like the WAY it works; the way the options work.
>
> I much prefer Kenwood and Yaesu.
>
> Bob
I agree with the group. I purchased a ICOM IC-2000H because of the
advertising Intermod resistent. It is the worst radio for intermod or
front end overload I have ever seen. I compared my IC-2000H to two other
guys side by side (apples and apples). Basically the entire 2 mtr ham
band gets wiped out in areas of Boston, MA.
The Kewood,ADI,Yaesu are MUCH better!!
I wish Icom would say: WIDE BAND RECIEVE but stop saying "INTERMOD
RESISTENT!
73's Steve Hershman NS1R

3154. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FAE793.8FD96E41@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151824

hershman wrote:

> hermit wrote:
> >
> > I would like to here from Kenwood 570 users. What is your opinion of
> > theis rig?
> I would like to hear if the Problem with the Battery backup not lasting
> 2 months has been resolved and the Auto tuner not working or Burning
> up on SWR of 3 to 1 . If so, what is the serial # to look for.
> 73's steve Hershman NS1R

Hi Steve,
I have one that is about three months old and I have not had any problems with it. I take it to a secondary QTH once a week and it transports fine.

So far no problems with the Battery backup.

The manual comes with an addendum that says that the antenna tuner should not be used with any antenna having a higher than 3:1 swr. I haven't had any problems with it at home. At the secondary QTH I use 300 ohm feed line so I use an external tuner which is a cheap and easy method.

I plan to take mine camping but will use an external tuner with it. Most autotuners in modern HF rigs have too limited of a matching range.

73
Mark
WA0DCA

3155. Re: Yaesu VX-1R scanning problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#QrsXhfR9GA.279@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151825

PART OF THE PROBLEM IS ADDRESSED BY R&S SOFTWARE IN THEIR
SOFTWARE PATCH.

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PAW
(WA9JMN@Compuserve.com)

3156. Re: FT920. UK Only

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Leach <leach@mcmail.com>
Message-ID: <34fae928.0@news.mcmail.com>
Source record: 151826

Paul Leach wrote in message <34f99ee7.0@news.mcmail.com>...
>For Sale
>FT920. 6 months old. Balance of warranty remaining
>has FM Board
>Reason for Sale, moving house
>&#65533; 950
>Paul GW4AMZ
>Tel 01745 833847
>
Ooops, forgot to give my email address
it is leach@mcmail.com
73's Paul

3157. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph@hemi.com
Message-ID: <6deqi3$pi5@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 151827

In article <34FACA96.31DD0116@jove.acs.unt.edu>, walt@jove.acs.unt.edu says...
>
>Why only bash ICOM? All Japanese companies forget their customers after the
>sale. Try to get a Yaesu 101 or a Kenwood 820 fixed or buy parts from the
>factory. All Jap radios are considered "obsolete junk" after 5-10 years.

This is true. I bought an HTX-202 (radio shack 2m HT if you don't know) not because of features which it lacks (although it does have the basic necessities which is nice) but because I can drop it, throw it, kick it, and knock it off a tower and pick it up and still use it. And if I can't, the schematics are easy to come by to fix the thing, or I can always find a radio shack to fix it for me, even if everything else they make sucks. Plus it only cost me $150 NEW (on sale albeit, but still...) - try and get a new Icom for the much $$, I dare ya! :) Not to be totally biased, I am buying a Ken 742A simply because it's the only mobile tri-bander I can find that covers 2m, 440 and 1.2GHz, not because I want to.

>Buy Tentec. Buy Drake. Yes, even buy MFJ. Then you'll have customer
>support. However, you won't have all that useless shit on your radio that
>all hams "need"

I'm curious how many hams out there actually use all that crap. Personally I think it just makes the radio a hell of a lot harder to use, and for 99.9% of whoever you'll be talking to you just need a transmitter+receiver, probably freq offset if you're using a repeater, and CTCSS+DTMF tones. Your voice will still sound the same... (Well, a morse keyer if you do that too but that's easy to add.)

>I hope an American company will come out with a 50-100 watt HF radio
...etc...
>be built and sold for well under $1000 -- IF THEY WOULD LEAVE
>OUT ALL THE OTHER JUNK!!

Well, while I do not hang out on the HF bands (still no-code license here) I do work for a communications company (paging) doing engineering work, and I see no reason why what you've described couldn't be accomplished. So why don't you build one?

>But of course, today's ham would never buy it.

Oh, you'd be surprised... I think a company that made high-quality radios at a reasonable cost that had what a ham NEEDED would make a killing. You wouldn't even need instant 24-hour customer service, provided someone could send in a broken radio and have it fixed the first time, quickly enough that they could get it back before hell froze over! I've considered building my own radios just so I could fix them when they broke and not have to deal with shitty

customer service, but I just don't have the time to build one that does what I want...

>Thanks and 73 (I think) Walt WB5LJW

Thank you! About time SOMEONE said this...

73's
Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

3158. Trade for Ham Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302175600.MAA07226@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151828

I'm cleaning out my computer shop and have the following for trade. I'm looking for a keyer, digital display or other items for the Yaesu Ft-101, or ???.

Sony 8X CD-Rom model CDU311. Used, but not abused.
Toshiba DVD-Rom model SD-M1102. This is the new model, and is unused.
ATI 3D Rage Pro AGP 2X video card. This comes with the matching ATI video decoder, has inputs for camcorder, VCR, Cable TV, and has a 120+ channel TV tuner.
3ea. BOCA 16bit ISA IDE/Floppy controllers.

E-Mail me at shephed@aol.com

73's
Dan, N8VZU

3159. Re: thoughts/opinions on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Gray <comm5@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FAF53C.D09EC158@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151829

Paul,

The difference between the "R" and the "RD" is that the optional FTT-12 keypad is standard equipment on the "RD". The "R" does NOT include PL (CTCSS) Decode or the optional (and pretty useless) Digital Voice recorder option. My personal experience with the FT-50 RD requires the CTCSS (PL) tone decode for monitoring specific commercial and amateur frequencies due to several transmitters on the same frequency. IMHO I would recommend getting the RD as most stores have them available at competitive prices with "coupons" available. Street price is about $319 US from AES for a full FT50RD 5 watt. If you bought a FT50R, then later decided that the CTCSS decode option would enhance your monitoring of commercial service radio transmissions, the upgrade of the FTT-12 keypad would cost you considerably more than just going for the RD version.

Regarding desoldering "Pad #1" for enhanced frequency coverage; both units are identical.

As for the physical ruggedness, I can tell you that the my Yaesu FT-50 has held up extremely well with over 1.5 years of outdoor daily use relating to my work as a radio tech. The unit has been dropped directly onto concrete, into deep snow, and exposed to pretty heavy rainfall without any electrical failure. I did manage to break off the battery clip on a W&W after-market battery one day. No harm was done to the radio, but a small 'nick" was observed on the battery pack after the entire unit bounced off a nearby rock.

The Alinco DJ-G5TH is a "innovative" unit with many features, but does not even compare to the Yaesu FT-50 series in physical ruggedness and durability.

One more VERY (IMHO) important item is that the Yaesu FT50 series is the receive audio is LOUD and robust. A feature long lost in Amateur Radio portables for some time!

IMHO, the FT-50RD is the best choice over many other current model Portables. The FT50-RD does NOT receive two frequencies simultaneously as some of its competitors. It does have a "dual-watch" feature to scan to a second frequency or band at a useable interval. I only use one at a time anyway.

Just my 2 cents. I don't work for any of the companies mentioned above and have no affiliation other than just FINALLY getting a good portable at a very reasonable price.

Scott KD6CQ

remove "KILLSPAM" from my e-mail address

Paul wrote:

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> (xtended TX, via solder jumper) the same way as the FT50-R? Any
> opinions, good, bad, whatever? Is this a better HT than Alinco's new
> DJ-G5TH? Any opinions on Alinco's DJ-G5TH, would it be as tough as the
> FT-50RD?
> Thanks for any help,
> Paul KF4VYZ

3160. WTB antenna matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rodney P. Borchardt" <rborchardt@sarnoff.com>
Message-ID: <34FAFBBB.FF3678F5@sarnoff.com>
Source record: 151830
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I'm looking for a 2KW to 3KW matchbox for both coax and open wire.

Thanks,
Rod Borchardt
KB2MRI

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3161. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Prior G4SJP <stephen.prior@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <6det8dhmr1@mendelevium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 151831
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

<snip>

>Hey, isn't the Citroen the car that takes several minutes to get to
>60mph?
>
>Reality check by:
>
>David Pearce
>

No, around 10 or 11 seconds AFAIR.

73 Stephen G4SJP

3162. FS: HP435B rf/microwave power meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: remler@ll.mit.edu
Message-ID: <remler-0203981019000001@macbayliss.atc.ll.mit.edu>
Source record: 151832

For Sale: Hewlett Packard model 435B rf/microwave power meter. Precision (1%) analog rf power meter measures power from -65 dBm to +44 dBm at frequencies between 100 kHz and 110 GHz, depending on the HP8480 series power sensor (not included). Has internal 50 MHz power reference (with N-type output connector on front panel) that produces 1.00 mW (0 dBm), plus or minus 0.7%, traceable to NIST standards. This is a beautiful instrument in excellent operational condition, recently checked with a calibrated power sensor. Listed in the 1996 HP catalog for $2200. Unit comes with power cord and a photocopied manual for the very similar 435A, ready to use with your HP8480 series power sensor and power sensor cable. Sorry, no power sensors or cables are available. This HP 435B is $138.00 shipped via insured USPS 2nd day Priority Mail anywhere in the continental U.S.A., upon receipt of your US postal money order or bank draft. Contact Rick at remler@LL.mit.edu

3163. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <34FAFBDD.2594941@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 151833
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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>
> No, around 10 or 11 seconds AFAIR.
>

Admittedly, I was indulging in sarcasm, however, they are painfully
lethargic.

David - KF4MOK

3164. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Taylor <etaylor@nr.infi.net>
Message-ID: <34FB0234.E0367B3C@nr.infi.net>
Source record: 151834

ev1960@hotmail.com wrote:

> Hi All,
>
> Got my new IC-706MKII last week and I think I have found some quirks.
>
> Mike Gain seems inadaquate. On 6M FM Compression does not work which may be
> inherent with the radio but I get low audio reports with the mike gain set to
> 10 on 6Meters. I think it sould be distoring on the setting of 10. 2M FM my
> audio seems to be OK but again on a setting of 10 I think it should be
> overdriven and distorted.
>
> My AGC only toggles to F-AGC and not AGC. It seems the slow AGC setting
> can't be set on the radio as described in the manual.
>

Slow AGC is default setting and is in this mode at all times unless F-AGC is
set.

> Have you experienced the same things? Any suggestions on misteaks I am making
> on settings? Should I be sending this radio back to ICOM?
>
> Thanks es
> 73 de Elmar
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3165. Standard C228 2M/220 HT F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302191901.OAA17062@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151835

I have a Standard C228 2Meter/220 handheld for sale. In excellent condition. This is the one radio you can actually take into a downtown area and get almost No Intermod. Even QST says this is the radio that others are judged by in regards to intermod. Non Smoker. Comes with dualband antenna, charger, manual, 2 carrying cases, 2 battery packs. I'll even throw in the Radio/Tech Modifications book Edition 10B. $450.00 ->Dan

3166. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: spammers@must.die.com
Message-ID: <wsandersEp7HHr.220@netcom.com>
Source record: 151836

>Why only bash ICOM? All Japanese companies forget their customers after the
>sale. Try to get a Yaesu 101 or a Kenwood 820 fixed or buy parts from the
>factory.

This certainly isn't true of the FT-101. Parts are readily available,
in stock (I inquired about a DC power cable last week), and Yaesu is
perfectly willing to work on your 101; of course, it may cost more than
the unit is worth, and with basic test equipment, the 101 is easy to
work on yourself.

A year ago Kenwood had mods and service info online (via a faxback
system, if I remember correctly) for my old TS-700 2m rig,
and the service manual is "orderable" (last time I checked.)

-w

3167. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary W8PU <w8pu@your-net.com>
Message-ID: <34FB0905.529FA1A3@your-net.com>
Source record: 151837

Check the rubber piece surrounding the mic element. This was a problem with the first 706. Mine also had lower gain on higher frequencies but not as bad as you describe. There where also mic gain mods. Check Icom's web site for service bulletins.

Gary

3168. Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@usa.net
Message-ID: <6df66d$5re$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

> By the way that radio is worth $185. C Thomas

Depends on condition and the purpose you are buying it for.

As a communications receiver for modern amateur use, it is essentially useless. Without additional outboard converters it can not be used for anything other than CW and AM.

If you are an afficianado (sp?)or collector of "ye olde heavy radios", and assuming it is in reasonably good working condition and complete (both meters, original knobs, top and bottom covers), then it would be worth that price.

73, de Hans, K0HB

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3169. Need TM241A mod to open RX from 121-170mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1Ep7Iv6.F1p@netcom.com>
Source record: 151839

I bought a used TM241A that has the 121-170mzh receive mod.
It makes the radio intermod unacceptable to me. I need this
receive mod so I can undo it!

3170. spectrum repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980302144231.16286A-100000@klingon>
Source record: 151840

Hey there guys, are any of you repeater trustees out there running Spectrum repeaters? I am thinking of replacing my 220 repeater with one. I would appreciate opinions both good and bad. Please let me know. 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

3171. VX-1R Memory Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302201100.PAA18675@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151841

How do I delete a memory from the VX1R? The manual says that you can replace one memory with another but says nothing about deleting.

Thanks
John

3172. Repeater Offset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@mail.NETnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199803011521.JAA32737@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 151878

>> There is a commercial repeater around here that operates around 166 mhz
>> (output). I know that they use CTCSS to activate it but I can't seem to find
>> the input frequency. Is there a standard offset used in the commercial world
>> or could it be anything? I am simply curious about that because on 2 meters,
>> the offset is fixed to 600 khz and I wonder about commercial stuff. Thanks
>> for any input.
>>
>> 73 de VE2CJW.

Most Hi Band Commercial Repeaters that I had anything to do with like the
Corp of Engineers was set at 1.5 Meg offset.

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Mike Hughes
211 Woodland Drive
Lowell, IN 46356
(219)696-3637
ICQ Number 6135077
Also on People Link

Have a Laser Printer we Remanufacture
Laser Printer and Copy machine Cartridges
Computer Repair will Make House Calls

3173. Re: IC-735 rx problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <34FAE9F5.A00F865F@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 151879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

To: the group that reads this reflector:
Yesterday, I posted a problem that I had, reference an Icom 735. It was a strange problem, that the receiver (and transmitter) had gaps in it. The receiver just went dead, but strangely at points every 100Khz.
I had a few responses, even from one tech at ICOM!!. (FYI, his address bounced back.)
Clif had the time to send me two e-mails, with what he thought was the problem, and the second, the fix.
I can tell all of you that he was right on, and my trusty 735 is now back on the air, as the exciter for my transverters.
Clif is a good guy to deal with. FYI, this is his business, not just a side line.
Frank Krozel
KG9H

> > Got the service manual. Do I just adjust for maximum the coils L54, L55,
> > L57, L58, L59, L60?
> > frank
> >
> > Clif wrote:
> >
> > > Frank Krozel wrote:
> > > >
> > > > I have a faithful Icom 735 that has a problem.
> > > > While tuning (from either direction) the receiver unlocks (tx also
> > > > unlocks but not for
> > > > long) when tuning from the following:
> > > > 0.198 - 0.193
> > > > 1.198 - 1.193
> > > > 2.198 - 2.193,etc.
> > > > This happens an all bands, and I use it for 2 meter transverer work.
> > > > Going below 144.200, (28.200) is now impossible.
> > > > Anyone out there have any ideas???
> > > > frank
>
> > > The LPL needs alignment.
> > > > Clif @ AVVid
> > > AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> > > http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid
>
> Yes, should be greater than 700mv
> --
> Clif @ AVVid

> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3174. Re: *HTX-202 TX dead, PLEASE Help!*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: richm@ucesucks.mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Message-ID: <slrn6fjud8.ic4.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 151880

On 28 Feb 1998 03:06:41 GMT, Teen Ham <teenham@aol.com> wrote:
>Hello,
>
> Here's the problem: A few days ago I put my Realistic HTX-202 in the car and
>plugged it in the cig lighter, tried to key the mic, and noticed that the "TX
>Bar" didn't move, and I noticed that I wasn't putting out any power! I turned
>the radio off, then turned it back on about 2 hours later, and everything was
>fine. Next Day: I plug the HTX-202 into my 3 amp RadioShack base power
>supply, chat for about 30 mins, then go into standby. About 20 mins later I go
>to key the mic, and again, it won't transmit! So I put aside, and next day try
>it, and still no TX! RX is fine, but it won't transmit!!! If you have any
>ideas, PLEASE email me. I'm only 14, and I put down my last $120 for the HT
>last summer, and really need to get back on the air! :-) Please give me any
>advise! Thanks alot!
>

Check out the antenna connector. They tend to fracture, internally,
and the resulting high SWR will cause the results that you mention in
your post.

If it is the antenna, repairing/replacing it it fairly easy. Just be a little more careful
about straining the BNC in the future. :-)

- Rich

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Rich Mulvey
My return address is my last name,
followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

3175. Want short-wave in your car? Under $125.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcgoodman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34f9fee1.2668910@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

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WorldWave, Inc. is getting close to making it happen,
get details at http://worldwave.home.mindspring.com.
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3176. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fa017b.258006541@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151882

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 17:41:14 -0500, Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com> wrote:
>How about an HF rig for under $500? Possibly one that has a power output of say
>fifty watts on high power? Recent FCC rules changes make this more attractive
>than some may think.
>
>Forget a zillion memories, I never use them. Forget complicated programming
>with dual and triple function buttons. Who needs it? Just give us a durable
>unit and place the emphasis on a clean Tx envelope and Rx audio, with enough
>audio power output that we older individuals can hear.

Realize that a zillion memories are essentially free. RAM is cheap, and adding memories only requires a few lines of firmware. What costs good money is a durable analog RF design with adequately sized components, robust signal handling, good filtering, and good heatsinking. We don't see a lot of that today. Pournelle's Law says silicon is cheap, iron is expensive. Most of today's radios are heavy on the silicon and light on the iron, because that's the cheapest way to build a radio that'll sell for a premium price.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3177. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: richm@ucesucks.mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Message-ID: <slrn6fjumm.ic4.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 151883

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 06:58:00 GMT, Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>This appears to be SGC's rework of the Index Labs QRP radio. QST
>was unimpressed with the Index Labs unit when they tested it, and
>I see the published IMD specs for the SGC rework are still poor.
>

Yes, it is the "rework" of the QRP+/++. Initially, the SGC rig
caused a lot of interest with the QRP crowd. However, the ever-increasing
current consumption and ever-lengthening ship dates are causing it to
rapidly lose any market that it may have, especially with rigs like
the Elecraft K2 slated for release, soon.

>I thought this radio was subpar and overpriced when Index Labs offered
>it, and it still appears subpar and overpriced after SGC has reworked it.

Yup. You've got to love it when the battery pack costs more than the
rig. Not too much more money, and you're in the range of a used 706 with
better performance and more useful features.

- Rich

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Rich Mulvey
My return address is my last name,
followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

3178. FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gwmud@blomand.net
Message-ID: <6dcvploam1@news2.infoave.net>
Source record: 151884

FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING VIKING II /VFO 122 VALIANT NEEDS LITTLE WORK HB 100 WATT_+ HQ-170A HQ-110 will do some trading i just need the room some of my ba have to go . what you got

3179. FS: 220MHz Transmitter MIL# T282D-GR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: trouts1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302010800.UAA23258@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151885

Do not call unless you know this transmitter.

David N1RBM
trouts1@aol.com
davidk@artax.webo.dg.com

3180. FS: Waveguide Components

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: brahn@erinet.com
Message-ID: <6dd1tq$4kr@eri.erinet.com>
Source record: 151886

SWITCHES

3 Port 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $75.00
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FXR X216A 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $15.00

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Section 1 8.2 to 12.4 GHZ Good Condition $ 5.00
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Pictures of the items along with specs are available on my web page at

http://www.qsl.net/wb9anq/
or
http://members.tripod.com/~wb9anq/

Manuals are not included. Shipping is NOT included in the price.

73

Bruce, WB9ANQ

3181. Re: Yaesu VX-1R scanning problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Tanner <mtanner@cinergy.com>
Message-ID: <01bd457a$7258f0c0$6e08a8c0@Tanner.CINERGY.COM>
Source record: 151887

I have noticed the same effect. But, sometimes it works fine. I thought
it has something to do with the mod??

mtanner@cinergy.com

huntsman@royal.net wrote in article <6dbttl$56q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> I discovered this week that the VX-1R does not stop scanning on active
> channels if the CTCSS is enabled on that channel.
>
> Not sure what would cause this and my dealer and Yaesu don't seem to have
a
> clue about it.
>
> You can see the signal strength indication jump as the radio passes by
the
> active channel, but it does not stop scanning.
>
> Anyone else encountered this with the radio?
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

3182. ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: icomsux@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980302021300.VAA29973@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151888

The products, support, warranty service, replacement parts pricing, quality and quality control at IBOM America has gone down the toilet.

The management are yuppie scum. They forget about the customer that made iBOM what it is today. It is unfortunate that I have spent so much hard earned cash on iBOM products that do not work. Have been to the incompetent technical staff at iBOM America and returned repeated times with the same problems.

Stories to follow. Just venting now, to get the word out. i know there are probably many satisfied iBOM customers out there but I have an extensive collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the average amateur.

DON'T BUY iBOM!!!!!

YAESU IS #1.....Good Luck in the contest...if ya wanna win play wit YAESU!!!

3183. ARP - Amateur Radio Profiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Diane M. Turini" <dturini@aa.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4585$8fdca190$010ab488@matilda>
Source record: 151889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm desperately looking for the person who published ARP - Amateur Radio Profiles a number of years back. I would appreciate any information on them, or copies of their publications.

Thanks

Bill Turini KA4GAV/7 turinib@wdni.com
dturini@aa.net

(360) 825-1167

3184. F/S ICOM 726 160 - 6 METERS $725.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n6hfj@probe.net
Message-ID: <34fa13e6.684934@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 151890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello.

Selling IC 726. Good condition.

Mobile rig, used as a base.

General coverage receive plus ten transmit bands,

160, 80, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10, 6 meters.

ssb, cw, am, fm, 26 memories,

small size: 9.5" (w) x 3.7" (h) x 9.4" (d)

100 watts out on ssb, cw, fm

exc. 6 meters, 10 watts fm and

am hf 40 watts, am 6m 4 watts

up/down mic, lots of features.

noise blanker, att. switch, preamp, agc,

2 accessory ports for tnc, tuner, etc.

requires 13.8 v.d.c.

$725.00; shipping negotiable, depends on destination.

Jim Polack
N6HFJ
Omaha, Ne.

Reply via e-mail to

lawyers@probe.net

3185. Want: Mars-Mod IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <34fb29dc.41747231@news2.humboldt1.com>
Source record: 151891

Hi,
I am looking for the Mars-Mod for the Icom IC-756.

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Thanks & 73,
Boyd N6DMF

3186. Re RS-232 interface for JRC receiver, Model NRD-525

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: P.Dalliessi@clear.net.nz
Message-ID: <34fc9821.8149557@news.clear.net.nz>
Source record: 151593

Good morning to all. I recently purchased a second hand
NRD-525 receiver, that came with the RS232 computer interface option
installed. My problem is that the cable to the computer was not
available, and I wish to make up my own. Does anyone have the special
12pin plug that fits the socket on the interface board, and does
anyone know the pin out connections for this socket? Unfortunately
this information is not in the workshop manual, plus the 525 is now 6
years old and the 12pin plug seems impossible to obtain, at least here
in New Zealand.

Is there anyone out there who may be able to help me, please?

My email Addres is:
P.Dalliessi@clear.net.nz

Thanks in advance for any information.

3187. TS-940: VBT mod, amp keying problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Brandon <rbrandon@nospam.austin.ibm.com>
Message-ID: <01bd46ff$b0027dc0$8d52e020@rbrandon>
Source record: 151594

My TS-940 has a couple of problems. The first is with the VBT. I have both 500 hz filters installed, and when I push the VBT back past 12 o'clock or so, the signal strength goes way down. I read about a mod that adds an additional adjustment circuit to take care of this. I'd like to hear comments on how effective this is before I dive into it.

The other problem is that there is an intermittent problem keying an amplifier. Has anyone else had this problem? Thanks. Remove the nospam in the address to reply.

Robert K5PI

3188. Re: Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FCA2F4.5D95291A@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151595

Carl Hodder wrote:

> I am courious about what older transceivers had the 11m band
> before it was given to the CBers? I believe the band was given
> in the late fifties but was told that some Yaesu FT-101's
> had the 11m band in the late 1960's early 70's. I know most
> HF transceivers now have general coverage RX and not interested
> in hearing about them.
>
> Could someone post a list of radios known to have either
> 11m RX or TX/RX?
>
> The radios I know of are:
>
> Yaesu FT101 (not sure what model but I think it was FT101B)
> Siltronix 1011
>
> Please add to the list.

If you want to operate 11 meters Radio Shack has several fine
radios
to choose from.

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

3189. Re: Ham Radio Newbie!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FCA5BE.2E3364D1@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151596

McKenna Rowe wrote:

> I am a complete newbie to SWL---could someone please recommend the basic
> setup I would need to get started? Do I need an anntena (sp), receiver?
> Is it possible for me to broadcast? Would I just need a transmitter and a
> mike? Any advice would be greatly appreciated. --

First thing you need is a clue.

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

3190. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6di9h0$2i6$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 151597

Gary Coffman wrote:
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> If you want to blast Icom (and other radio manufacturers), blast them
> for failing to include service information with the product. This, to me,
> has been the gravest fault of all. The IC706 shipped without even a
> schematic diagram. That's intolerable in a product intended for the
> amateur radio market.

While I totally disagree with this disagreeable fellow ICOMSUX or whatever he calls himself, you have to admit that a schematic for the 706 -- other than being an interesting artifact to admire while contemplating the wise use of ones spent ham radio dollars and the wonders of the innards of the really cool box in front of you on the table -- is pretty near a useless item.

Now a schematic for an R-390A is something you can actually put to use .... but that's another thread altogether :-)

Grant/NQ5T
nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

3191. WTB: TenTec 938 Switching Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig and Gloria Novak <craig_novak@abraxis.com>
Message-ID: <34FCA940.753A@abraxis.com>
Source record: 151598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Thank you for reading this.

I am interested in this TenTec power supply due to its low weight.

If you wish to sell, please include the age of the ps, how much it was used, its condition and your asking price.

Please respond to the newsgroup or to me at:

craig_novak@abraxis.com.

73

Craig Novak
KF4UPM/AA

3192. ICOM 2m HT w/900mhz Rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eTj0XnwR9GA.228@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151599
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner

This is an Icom IC2SRA; the 2meter HT with most of an R-1 built
in. Covers 25-950mhz AM, FM, WFM. Dual Antennas. $300

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PAW
(WA9JMN@Compuserve.com)

3193. FS: TS450S/AT,TM251A,packet equip,Heathkit SB200, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Kilgore <marckilgore@yahooNET.com>
Message-ID: <34FCAD20.C758D6FC@yahooNET.com>
Source record: 151600
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

To those of you that tried to reply to my previous message, please forgive me... I must have been up too late as I didn't even give you my right email address which is now noted at the bottom of this message.

As they say, talk's cheap - it takes money to buy whiskey. I'm fed up with getting jammed, the inconsiderate people on the air, etc. I'm giving up on the hobby. To those of you that I've talked with over the years, I had a good time and thank you for the many hours of pleasure that I had talking with you all. To those jerks out there that make life miserable on the bands for the rest of us, screw you. I just don't enjoy the jerks on the air anymore. My frustration is your gain. I'm going to sell everything but the kitchen sink. :-) My wife will be thrilled, I'm sure! Mint condition/low hours on the Kenwood gear.

No mods on any of this stuff - all original factory specs. I bought the stuff new and am not a hardware tech guy. I purchased most of it over the last 3-4 years, as I like to stay current with technology.

Kenwood TS450S/AT HF Tranceiver w/autotuner
Kenwood IF232C (RS232 converter for the 450)
Kenwood TM251A 2mtr (great for 9600 baud packet)
Kantronics KPC9612 9600 baud TNC
Astron RS-35M power supply
AEA PK-232MBX multimode controller w/pactor
Timewave DSP-9 Digital Signal Processor (Had one ROM upgrade to "+")
MFJ 1272BX Microphone/TNC Switch for PK232 + PTT footswitch
Heil HC-5 Headset/Mic (Good condition, but not mint. You'll want new earpads!)
Bencher 190-20 Low Pass Filter

Alas, there is ONE piece that wasn't bought new... an old but trusty Heathkit SB200 amp with good 572B's in it. The relay is sticking a bit, but otherwise, it's clean. Someone that seriously wants to use it alot will want to put in a new relay. I had it refurbed around 50 operating hours or so ago, but did not have new tubes put in as they still are functioning beautifully. The exterior has some minor scratches - no dents. Meter has a small crack approx 1/2" long in the plastic cover, but works just fine. My neighbors will vouch that this thing packs alot of juice by the opening and closing of nearby garage door openers when I crank it up. Hehehehe... Seriously, it works fine, you'll just want to work on that little relay switch.

PC Pakratt Software
Log Windows Software

Cables, misc connectors, boxes of misc trinkets I picked up at hamfests, etc. I'm sure there's some pieces I'm forgetting about, but frankly...I don't give a rip. Someone will make out like a bandit. If it's hooked up to my radio equipment or in my part boxes, you'll get it all. (other than my computer equipment, of course!) Heh, I just remembered, I've got a little RS HTX202 2mtr handheld I'll throw in there too. See what I mean...I don't give a rip. I just want to dump it all and be done with everything to do with amateur radio. Some lucky #^@%@ is going to be bragging to his buddies about this deal.

Shipping to continental US only - sorry - just too many hassles to get stuff overseas - this is going to take several large boxes.

I'll give it away for $1500 plus shipping, professional packing, and insurance. I've got the original boxes and stuff for most of the things and will have everything professionally packed in secondary containers. We're talking about quite a bit of stuff here folks, be prepared. It's may take $150 to ship all of this stuff because I don't want to deal with packing it correctly - I'd rather pay a professional to do it. That amp and power supply are kind of hefty. :-) Package deal only - I don't want to deal with shipping all of these items to different people. I want to get it over and done with.

P.S. If you're local, can you help me take my R-5 off the roof? You can have it! :-)

Marc Kilgore - N0XIC
Woodbury, MN

marckilgore@yahooNET.com - remove the NET to reply

(Now if I can only get rid of my callsign license plates)

3194. Icom SP-20 WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mentor@cin.net
Message-ID: <34fc0384.8459527@news.cin.net>
Source record: 151601

I would like to buy a mint Icom SP-20 speaker. Please contact me with condition and your best price. Thanks very much. Jim
mentor@cin.net

3195. DAIWA LA-4150 need help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrice Lavoie <plavoie@infoteck.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <6die6gdnu1@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 151602

l would like to know if someone have the service manuel ,sheet or informations for tuned this unit or something about that

thanks

Patrice VE2PWP

3196. FS: ICOM-2350 Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC5BNC <peaster@connors.cc.ok.us>
Message-ID: <6did8fcsv1@sunhub-tulsa.onenet.net>
Source record: 151603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have one IC-2350 dual band mobile in excellent condition complete with manuals and box. This unit has been used as a base mounted to a power supply, it has never seen mobile use. I'm asking $350 shipped and insured to the lower 48, shipped upon receipt of money order or cashiers check. Please reply via E-Mail to peaster@connors.cc.ok.us

Thanks & 73's
Mike Peaster
KC5BNC

3197. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34FCB010.5C7D@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 151604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

Gary Erickson wrote:
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> Gary Coffman wrote:
> > >> Gilbert Baron) wrote:
> > >>Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net> wrote:
> > >>DavidC wrote:
>
> > >>> Amazing how fads inflate prices!
> > >>
> > >>I wouldn't call it a fad. Its more a general realization that the R390A
> > >>is a better receiver and better value than virtually any of the current
> > >>crop of plastic imported junk.
> > >
> > >SURELY you jest. The R390 is NOT EVEN close in performance to the
> > >cheapest piece of what you call that imported junk available today,
> > >NOT EVEN CLOSE.
> >
> > You may be eggagerating just a bit. The R390 may be better than
> > a $49.95 DAK Chinese import, unless you need to take it portable
> > on batteries. But in general you're right, the R390 just isn't up to
> > the levels of performance available from modern receivers. It
> > was a great receiver for its day, but its day was 30 years ago.
> >
> > Gary
> > Gary Coffman KE4ZV
>
> Gents:
>
> Receiver test data from Robert Sherwood, Sherwood Engineering, Inc.
>
> RCVR SENS. NOISE FLOOR SELECTIVITY ULIMATE REJECT.
> ---
> Collins
> 75S3-B 0.1 uV -146 dBm B+ 85 dB
> 75S3 0.1 uV -145 dBm B 75 dB
> R390-A 0.2 uV -137 dBm A+ 85 dB
>
> Icom
> IC-761 0.4 uV -131 dBm B- 90 dB
> IC-781 0.5 uV -127 dBm B 90 dB
>
> Yeasu
> FT-757 0.7 uV -120 dBm C 70 dB

> FT-ONE 0.2 uV -135 dBm C 80 dB
> FT-980 0.12uV -136 dBm C 62 dB
>
> Kenwood
> TS-930S 0.15uV -135 dBm B- 80 dB
>
> Now, lessee:
>
> A. "The r390 isn't up to the level of performance of modern
> receivers."
>
> B "The R390 is NOT EVEN close in performance to the cheapest piece of
> what you call that imported junk available today, NOT EVEN CLOSE."
>
> Opinions are like belly buttons; everybody's got one....show me your
> data.
>
> Gary Erickson

As soon as you hook an antenna to the rig, none of those figures mean much of anything in the HF spectrum below 30 MHz. They're all essentially equal for all intents and purposes. What matters is that you're using a receiver whose sound you like, whose features you like, and which has a good set of IF filters in the bandwidths you want.

For SWL'ing, you could do a lot worse than an R-390, especially considering that some of the newer, cheaper rigs are so full of synthesizer noise that the sensitivity specs are applicable only if there are no other signals in the band.

Once you get into the VHF spectrum, it's easy to make the case in favor of solid-state receiver technology. But receiver sensitivity on the HF bands was a solved problem 30 years ago, largely thanks to the excellent engineering that went into "boatanchors" like the R390.

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

3198. Re: IC-W31 Wide-FM available ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <OHMz$dxR9GA.189@upnetnews03>
Source record: 151605

It can't.

grco@diogenes.hcuge.ch wrote in message
<01bd46ad$aca31f60$4056c381@porl_yo34.hcuge.ch>...
>Does any one knows any way to let the Icom IC-W31 recieve wide FM +/- 50
>KHz.
>
>Thanks in advance, best regards G.Cosendai, HB9-VJT

3199. Re: Wtb: Heathkit SB-220 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Booher <kbooher@gate.net>
Message-ID: <34FCC8F3.F395B1DB@gate.net>
Source record: 151606
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Suggest you might try www.sarrio.com/sarrio/rsfinal1.htm

3200. Yaesu CAT Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Warner <mcwarner@flash.net>
Message-ID: <34FCC920.7CAF@flash.net>
Source record: 151607

Will Yaesu interface from current ARRL Hndbk work with FT-757GX?

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Best regards,

Mark Warner
mcwarner@flash.net

3201. Kenwood TS-140 help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ward <steveward@infoave.net>
Message-ID: <34FBDAC7.1FAF@infoave.net>
Source record: 151608

I have a TS-140 and it has been a great radio. I ve used it for a year

and its worked great. Now when I connect the antenna and i insert

the center pin into the chassi mount it receives great BUT when

the sleeve touches the ground of the chassi mount, it looses all of

the receive. It does this on all three diffrent antennas with all
diffrent coax. Thanks for any help 73 de KF4MVS steve

3202. Re: Kenwood TM-241 Display problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joe Giacobello, K2XX" <k2xx@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <34FCFA0A.9AC0A633@concentric.net>
Source record: 151609

Kenwood fixed mine gratis after I complained to them at Dayton. It's worked without a problem ever since; about three years.

I believe the problem is a plug that connects from one of the circuit boards to the display. I believe I was advised to merely clean it with contact cleaner. Try it; it might be the easy, cheaper way out.

73, Joe

Tom Repstad wrote:

> This is a known problem with the TM-241A, there is apparently a poor solder
> connection to the ribbon cable that goes from the main board to the display.
> Occassionally the ribbon cable may need to be replaced. If you don't want to try
> to fix it yourself, I think Cliff at Aavid quoted me $50-60 for the repair.
>
> --Tom
> KB1CGA
>
> Dennis Pinner wrote:
>
> > Has anyone else encountered the squirrely display that is intermittent.
> > Mine powers up fine some times, other times it display all the characters on
> > the screen or bits & pieces of the display.
> > A good whack will clear it up once in a
> > while.....
> >
> > I have heard Kenwood has never been able to identify the problem and/or fix
> > it.
> >
> > So, has anyone else figured out how 2 fix it?????
> >
> > It's beginning to be a pain in the BUTT!
> >
> > Thanx,
> >
> > Dennis

3203. 900 meg radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980303224718.2788B-100000@klingon>
Source record: 151610

Hey there gang, do any of you know of any radios that will tune up to 900 megs? I am in a situation wear i am forced to link on 900 at one of my repeater sights. Brands and model numbers would be appreciated. Thanks ---Jed.

3204. 220 Hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980303224551.2788A-100000@klingon>
Source record: 151611

Hey there guys, does anyone know of any 220 hand helds being made any more? I am looking to get another one but can't really find any out there. Any info would be appreciated. Thanks and 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

3205. DENTRON MLT25OO TUNER SCHEMATICS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Souhrada <wb9iog@revealed.net>
Message-ID: <34FCD83A.2AAF@revealed.net>
Source record: 151612
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Havn't given up yet! I have a "manual" but no schematics sure
would like to find it SOMEWHERE! Gee didn't Dentron hire human beings??
This is the tuner with a digital display for the inductor position.
Mike
Le Claire, Ia

3206. Re: Icom 706MkII CTCSS problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FC877E.5F080965@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151613

YES.

Is a known problem. I have it; others have it.

Unfortunately, there is NO gain adjustment in the radio (so far as I know) for the PL.

Fortunately (for me) I don't use it on FM, since I have a Kenwood tri-band FM radio in the car.

Will there ever be a factory fix? I have my doubts, since (I know) this has been an issue since July 1997.

BUT ... best SSB mobile I've ever owned.

Phil ... W7OX

3207. FS Heath and misc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham VE1FC <ve1fc@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <6dij3qbjj1@agate.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 151614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have the following for sale..

Station #1 SB303,SB401,HM102,SB610,SB620,SB630
Comes with all cables and D104 mic... Manuals are copies.

Station#2 DX100 older grey model, SX101A

Station#3 DX60,HG10,HR10

Prefer to sell as complete systems

Offers considered

email direct please

ve1fc@nbnet.nb.ca

3208. FS TS-930SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <34FCDA3E.4B4F@hauns.com>
Source record: 151615

Shack clean out: Excellant TS-930SAT with mic and book, looks and works great, $700. Heath SB-104A with station console, excellant, $300.

3209. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick G0BPS <Dick@kanga.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <e91KBhA+f++0EwZ2@kanga.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

In article <01bd463a$11f10ea0$4f8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>, DavidC
<davidc@bit-net.com> writes
>To whom is Ham radio being "sold"? :-)

To you, if your gullable enough!

TTFN de ..
--
Dick Pascoe G0BPS
Kanga Products
Seaview House, Crete Road East
Folkestone CT18 7EG U.K.
Tel 44 (0) 1303 891106
http://www.kanga.demon.co.uk

3210. Re: VX-1R Memory Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OUBvNCqR9GA.373@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151617

You have to either reset and start all over or use the ADMS
software.

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PAW
(WA9JMN@Compuserve.com)

3211. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd463a$11f10ea0$4f8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151644
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

To whom is Ham radio being "sold"? :-)

3212. FS: Compaq 4/40CX Laptop (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rms@nospam.total.net
Message-ID: <34fb515d.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151645
Cross-posted to: ca.forsale,can.forsale,comp.sys.psion.marketplace,mtl.vendre-forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale via online auction: Compaq 4/40CX Laptop
Compaq 486-40 Laptop with warranty.

Minimum Bid: $600.00
Auction Ends: 3/16 4:41 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111519* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3213. 9600 baud w/ FT530?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bc276a$72055520$36438cd1@dano>
Source record: 151646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.packet

Hi All,

Wondering if there is a 9600 baud packet mod for the Yaesu FT530?
Please route all replies to email.
Thanks in advance,

Dan

3214. FS: 486 Computer for Sale (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rms@nospam.total.net
Message-ID: <34fb551c.1@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151647
Cross-posted to: ca.forsale,can.forsale,comp.sys.psion.marketplace,mtl.vendre-forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale via online auction: 486 Computer for Sale
IBM Compatible Computer for sale

Minimum Bid: $600.00
Auction Ends: 3/30 4:49 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111524* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3215. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303012100.UAA09794@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151648
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

icomsux@aol.com wrote:>The products, support, warranty service, replacement
parts pricing, quality
>and quality control at IBOM America has gone down the toilet.
>
>The management are yuppie scum. They forget about the customer that made iBOM
>what it is today. It is unfortunate that I have spent so much hard earned
>cash
>on iBOM products that do not work. Have been to the incompetent technical
>staff
>at iBOM America and returned repeated times with the same problems.
>
>Stories to follow. Just venting now, to get the word out. i know there are
>probably many satisfied iBOM customers out there but I have an extensive
>collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the
>average amateur.
>
>DON'T BUY iBOM!!!!!
>
>YAESU IS #1.....Good Luck in the contest...if ya wanna win play wit
>YAESU!!!
>
>I think YOUR fubked up!!
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3216. FS: AOR AR7030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34FB631A.29D7F28D@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale a completely mint AOR AR7030 with the optional MuRata 1.0kHz
Data filter. This communications receiver is the best in its price range
and well beyond. Only reason for selling is in need of money for some
unexpected bills :-(.

Price is $975 including shipping in US and Canada.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
KU4IT Amateur Op
ku4it@bellsouth.net
KU4IT@WD9AGK.SIN.IN.USA.NA
http://personal.sdf.bellsouth.net/sdf/k/u/ku4it/pers1.html

Amateur Radio Transmitting Society
of Louisville, KY

3217. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@iswt.no-spam.com
Message-ID: <34fb63ac.12471720@news.iswt.com>
Source record: 151650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998 14:12:16 GMT, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie Boy) wrote:

>On 28 Feb 1998 03:05:10 GMT, teenham@aol.com (Teen Ham) wrote:
>
>>Hello,
>>
>> Here's the problem: A few days ago I put my Realistic HTX-202 in the car and
>>plugged it in the cig lighter, tried to key the mic, and noticed that the "TX
>>Bar" didn't move, and I noticed that I wasn't putting out any power! I turned
>>the radio off, then turned it back on about 2 hours later, and everything was
>>fine. Next Day: I plug the HTX-202 into my 3 amp RadioShack base power
>>supply, chat for about 30 mins, then go into standby. About 20 mins later I go
>>to key the mic, and again, it won't transmit! So I put aside, and next day try
>>it, and still no TX! RX is fine, but it won't transmit!!! If you have any
>>ideas, PLEASE email me. I'm only 14, and I put down my last $120 for the HT
>>last summer, and really need to get back on the air! :-) Please give me any
>>advise! Thanks alot!
>>
>>73s
>>N3ZVM
>>Visit my Website at: http://members.aol.com/EugeneD
>
>
>If you use an speaker-mic, this kind of problem may happen (it
>happened to me a couple of times).
>
>If you can't TX with regular button, your radio may need to be
>repaired.
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>
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>_____
>Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
>Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
>�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
>Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
>C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
>URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
> http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
> http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)
>
>Visit this excellent site

>why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
>http://www.nocode.org
>License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/
>_____
>***Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.***
>***Please remove "ham" to reply.***
>
>ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!
I have a 202 myself with the same problem.....I disasembled and
inspected, and it worked well for a while, then the problem returned.
Good Luck!

3218. FS: SX-70 POLAROID CAMERA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd464e$439b8160$86dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 151651

Land Camera w/auto Sonar Range Finder (auto focus and light control)
Instructions included, $20.00 plus $2.00 shipping

Dwight Raddatz
525 Park Ln, PO Box 86
Ridgway, Co 81432-0086
970-626-5111 or email draddatz@gwe.net

3219. Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6dfjphbto7@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 151652

I am courious about what older transceivers had the 11m band
before it was given to the CBers? I believe the band was given
in the late fifties but was told that some Yaesu FT-101's
had the 11m band in the late 1960's early 70's. I know most
HF transceivers now have general coverage RX and not interested
in hearing about them.

Could someone post a list of radios known to have either
11m RX or TX/RX?

The radios I know of are:

Yaesu FT101 (not sure what model but I think it was FT101B)
Siltronix 1011

Please add to the list.

3220. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: me <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4656$7bc3c040$0f1871ce@me>
Source record: 151653

ive had my 8100 for little over a month. sad to say though, i sent it back
to yaesu for repair last friday.
but, i want to add that the problems were my fault. when i bought the
radio, the sales-man at hro told me to either leave it in the house or
permanantly mount it in the car. well, i was taking it in and out. what
started out as a simple blown diode in the protection circuit, turned into
a completely dead radio after me and a couple so called "experienced hams"
got done.
i would recomend the radio highly. the recieve is great. the other
features worked to my liking.
p.s. i also have an alinco dr610, and its a tough choise which would be my
favorite.
don

B.S. <R.Seaby@btinternet.com> wrote in article
<6dbo0k$76q$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>...
> Has anyone used the Yaesu FT8100R-if so, how good is it? Also, has anyone
> used the new Standard C5900D triband. If so, I would be interested to
hear
> your thoughts.
>
> Ben, M1BYP, Nottingham, UK
>
>
>

3221. Re: Question about DTMF paging of FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: myself <zvanseez@jax-inter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4654$e50eee00$d3c162cf@jimbenja>
Source record: 151654

I have used the auto-record (F) then (R) used another handheld to send my voice ID and a two digit DTMF tone to tell the repeater to announce the time. You could use this feature and have up to twenty seconds of dtmf to send. Just push the ptt and the tap the knob down. It will transmit voice id and whatever dtmf tones it previously recorded off the air from the other ht.

If you followed my disjointed description above I believe this will solve your problem. Record all sounds needed in the voice recorder.
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to reply by e-mail remove the first and last letter "z"

LIUXI YANG <liuxi.yang@Eng.sun.com> wrote in article
<34FB286E.8784CC21@Eng.sun.com>...
> I have being trying to use the DTMF paging with my FT-50R.
> I have the following questions.
>
> 1. The trigered paging works for simplex. How to make it work
> via a repeater? The repeaters in bay area mostly have autopatches.
> They simply "eat" all DTMF tones. Even with the access code to
> the repeater, it is still difficult to get the DTMF tones passed
> on the air since I don't know why the key pad does not generate
> DTMF tone with key punch. I can only preprogram them in to the
> memory.
>
> 2. Is there a way to progam to gererate the DTMF tone with different
> delay pattern?
>
> Thanks a million!
>
> KF6PKD
>

3222. FS: Ranger RCI 1000 Portable Radio (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fiorella@nospam.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34fb7e5b.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151655

For sale via online auction: Ranger RCI 1000 Portable Radio
3 month old with Manuals

Minimum Bid: $30.00
Auction Ends: 3/16 7:44 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111543* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3223. Re: Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303041801.XAA12320@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151656

>Could someone post a list of radios known to have either
>11m RX or TX/RX?
>
>The radios I know of are:
>
>Yaesu FT101 (not sure what model but I think it was FT101B)
>Siltronix 1011

The Siltronix was made by Swan, in an effort to stay afloat by pandering to CB at a time when they were going broke because the ham market was going to the Japanese(better equipment, lower prices).

As for transceivers, this was a time before the transceiver became the standard. Most everyone was using seperate receivers and transmitters: made it cheaper to improve your station by adding a better receiver. And CW and AM xmtrs were fairly easy to homebrew.

As for what rigs operated on 11m, look at QST during this era. You'll find Heathkit DX-100, Globe Kings, HT-32(and older), Collins 32V- series, etc.

KMB

3224. Re: thoughts/opinions on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chambers@midwest.net
Message-ID: <34fb88dc.27591881@news.midwest.net>
Source record: 151657

Scott Gray <comm5@pacbell.net> wrote:

>Regarding desoldering "Pad #1" for enhanced frequency coverage; both units
>are identical.
>
There is a very good web page devoted to the FT50 series. Here is the
url: http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

There is a wealth of info there. I have a FT50RD and am very happy
with it. There are only three minor disappointments: 1) As the
gentleman mentioned, you cannot receive 2 freqs at once, but I have
not found this to be a problem; 2) there is no "priority" channel
function; and 3) the antenna leaves some to be desired. There are a
number of aftermarket replacements to choose from, however. All in
all, I think it's the best dual-bander on the market. 73's

Greg - WB9UHR

3225. Wtb: Heathkit SB-220 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6dg2n2$hh0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151658
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Am Need Of The Manuals For A Heathkit SB-220 Amplifier.
I Need The Assembly & Operators Manuals If They Are Seperate.
73's W5IDX

3226. fs bc9000xlt scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ANDREWJ <andrewj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4662$812ea8e0$9d91d9cf@andy>
Source record: 151659

in good shape; 500 channel triple conversion radio. $200 + shipping.

respond to email to puchase.

andy
n6xkn

3227. Test gear *cheap* in Sonoma Co.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: acooney@netcom.com
Message-ID: <acooneyEp8A7I.Cqt@netcom.com>
Source record: 151660
Cross-posted to: ba.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The following test equipment is up for grabs at $200 for the
whole lot (you must take it *all*, though, and pick it up in
North Petaluma this week Im moving). I bought it when a
business closed down, and all is untested. As most came out of
service, I expect most work fine. A used test equipment company
in the East Bay quoted me around $500 for several of the microwave
pieces assuming they work --, but I dont have the time to
deliver to them. If you have the time, Metric may buy some
of the gear from you.

Questions? I can be reached during the day at (707) 795-1527.

Cheers,
Alan
WD6DES

Make Model Description
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Combined as one unit, the following spectrum analyzer is in
excellent physical condition, but has no horizontal sweep. I
have the service manuals for this unit, but have not had the
time to look into it. Decent general purpose spectrum analyzer.
HP 182T Oscilloscope mainframe
HP 8557A Spectrum analyzer plug-in, .01-350MHz

Combined as one unit:
HP 1900A Pulse generator mainframe
HP 1905A Rate generator plug-in, 25MHz
HP 1925A Word generator plug-in, 50MHz
HP 1917A Variable transition time output plug-in, 25MHz

Individual components and instruments.
HP 4800A Vector impedance meter (*very* nice piece)
Sorensen SRL10-100 Power supply, 0-10V, 0-100A, metered (heavy!)
HP 11720A Pulse modulator, 2-18GHz
HP 5255A Frequency converter plug-in, 3-12.4GHz
HP 8556A Spectrum analyzer plug-in, 0-300KHz
HP 17400A Hi-gain preamp plug-in
HP 536A Frequency meter, 0.94-4.2GHz
HP 8495B Attenuator, DC-18GHz, 0-70dB
HP 85025B Detector, 0.01-26.5GHz
HP 11664A Detector
HP 11664A Detector
Alfred 1001 Detector, crystal

3228. Re: Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f6560b5641810b989687@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 151661

In article <19980303041801.XAA12320@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
mailfrmpa@aol.com says...
> >Could someone post a list of radios known to have either
> >11m RX or TX/RX?
> >
> >The radios I know of are:
> >
> Every general coverage transceiver made over the last 15 years or so can TX on almost all of HF by clipping a wire or diode,I don't think there are ANY that won't!
Barry,N8PVX

3229. Re: Cellphone Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: unknown <unknown@unknown.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4667$02175020$0ed999d1@xqipxghw>
Source record: 151662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

try looking on the internet, my phone got locked and a guy from cantel
pushed a couple of buttons and he got the lock code!

Andy*Kapp <andykapp@gte.net> wrote in article
<6dfc6l$n6m$2@gte1.gte.net>...
> I have a motorola meteor handheld phone, its not aflip phoe , but I
> found it on the street and its locked. can anyone tell me how to unlock
> it and scan with it? any help appreciated e-mail me if you can thanks a
> lot in advance
>

3230. Re: WTB: AEA 10 meter handheld accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: user@company.com
Message-ID: <34fd983c.6362836@news.ricochet.net>
Source record: 151663

Hi John,

Having worked at AEA while these radios were offered for sale, I can honestly say that there were no accessories offered by AEA for the radios except some crystal options, and replacement antennas. No brackets, speakers, mics, or amplifiers.

Sorry!

73, Bob

-ex AEA customer service...

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 11:36:07 -0800, John Olson <n0hts@earthlink.net> wrote:

>Would like to find any of the accessories that came with the AEA 10
>meter SSB/CW handheld transceiver,
>ie. amp, moble mounting bracket and speaker mic.
>
>Thanks.
>
>

3231. i am looking for DRAKE LB-4 LOOP ANTENNA for SW4-B receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN-MARIE CHERRY <jmc@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd466a$271f91e0$4f0b0dc3@Jammy>
Source record: 151664

Hi gang,

i am looking for DRAKE LB-4 LOOP ANTENNA for SW4-B receiver

Pay cash US$ and shipping.

Regards,
Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

3232. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: michael domeier <prefect03@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <34FB9C1E.3E9D@ameritech.net>
Source record: 151665

I also just bought an Ic-706 MK II and I seem to have a low audio peoblem on HF SSB...can't get an ALC indication without the compressor on. I'd be curious if others are having the same touble, and is there an internal adjustment for mic gain ?

3233. FS or Trade: Thunderbolt & SX-42

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul@actiontel.com
Message-ID: <34fba2d4.596409179@news.abilene.com>
Source record: 151666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For sale or Trade:

Hallicrafters SX-42 ---------- excellent condition $300.00

Johnson Thunderbolt Amp -- excellent condition $550.00

Trade items of interest:

BA Transmitters
Audio Mixer
Scope
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3234. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Larson <plarson@xmission.com>
Message-ID: <34FBBD4D.547C@xmission.com>
Source record: 151667

Maybe its only a coincidence, but I have owned all of the major three brands of Japanese radios, and I have had more problems and repairs with the Icom equipment than the others.

In one case,the R7000; I think they rushed it out to market before discovering it had problems in some areas. Then they came out with a new version without the flaws; the R7100.

Paul

3235. MUST SELL Kenwd TS-430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303070601.CAA04488@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151668

Thanks for reading this post. I have a very clean, good working Kenwood
TS-430
100 W CW, SSB, AM, and FM rig, covers all HF bands incl WARC bands, General
Coverage receiver, and matching Kenwood power supply.Mike and manual,
of course. From estate, never mobile, I'm splitting up a package purchase, so
must sell. Price- $600 for rig and power supply. Located in W. Ma.
73, George, K1RBS

3236. WTB: Icom TV-R7000 video adapter for R7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <34FBBE84.67AC@nidlink.com>
Source record: 151669
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

If you have a TV-R7000 NTSC video adapter for the Icom R7000, please
email with condition and price.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

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While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

3237. Re: WTB: Heath SB220 part

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas W. Castle" <afn17891@afn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.95.980303022523.207878F-100000@freenet2.afn.org>
Source record: 151670

Hi Tom here:
Try contacting - www.harbach.com
For heathkit parts, they're down in Melbourne, Fla...
They seem to be the best bet - got a number of goodies
from them, not disappointed....

No connection to them, just happy customer...

Tom / KD4QHH

73'

On Sat, 28 Feb 1998, Argus wrote:

> I wish to purchase the 10/15 meter input inductor. The Heath part number
> is: 40-964
>
> Thanks for reading
>
>
>
>

3238. Re: searching pc pakratt for windows

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgawtry@timewave.com
Message-ID: <34fbc31e.0@steggy.minn.net>
Source record: 151671

In article <6cq0a3jnu1@news00.btx.dtag.de>, DBX238@t-online.de (Joerg Neumann) wrote:
>hello all
> i am searching the programm pc pakratt for windows.
>
>who can help me !

PC PakRatt for Windows 2.0 and other data products formerly producted by AEA (Advanced Electronics Applications, Inc.) are now manufactured and sold by Timewave Technology Inc. The products are distributed through Timewave's worldwide distributor/dealer network. See the Timewave website www.timewave.com for a list.

Other Timewave addresses:

sales@timewave.com

612-452-5939
FAX 612-452-4571

Timewave Technology Inc.
2401 Pilot Knob Road, Suite 134
St. Paul, MN 55120 USA

Thank you,
Randy Gawtry K0CBH
Timewave Technology Inc.

3239. TS-180s manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@pinoyham.org>
Message-ID: <34FBBE66.6224@pinoyham.org>
Source record: 151672

I need help in finding a TS-180s manual. I'll be glad to reimburse the
cost of copying and postage.

Thanks
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Noel Lozada N6JFO
mailto:n6jfo@pinoyham.org

3240. Icom 756 and Icom 746 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kasper <kaspe881@uidaho.edu>
Message-ID: <34FBC4C4.9BEBEBD1@uidaho.edu>
Source record: 151673

Hi,

I'm looking for the Mods for the Icom 756 and Icom 746 for a
fellow Ham.
Please email information to the address below..

Thanks in advance...

73's....

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Brad Kasper
KC7SHU E-Mail:
kaspe881@raven.csrv.uidaho.edu
Title: Mechanical Designer
WEB PAGE: http://www.uidaho.edu/~kaspe881/
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3241. Re: Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: airnig@gmtnet.co.uk
Message-ID: <34fbc879.2080852@news.gmtnet.co.uk>
Source record: 151674

Mine works fine. No problems.
Nigel
G8KZS

hermit <hermit@vermontel.com> wrote:

>I would like to here from Yaesu FT-920 users. What is your opinion of
>theis rig?

3242. HELP: NEED YEASU PARTS & TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekber@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303093101.EAA17509@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151675

HELP ME
I'm looking for parts for my YEASU FT-101B
I need an RL-RELAY part # AE3171- 42
And tubes 1ea 12BY7A
2ea 6JS6C
Is there anyone out there that can help?
THANX
ekber@aol.com

3243. WTB: 12 pin socket Female Jones Plugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303101101.FAA14031@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151676

The female Jones plug I am looking for has 4 rows of 3 pin sockets. two rows all slots run verticle and the other two have verticle slots in the middle and Horz. slots on each side. Please let me know how many you have and your asking price.
Thanks

3244. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jas_me@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34fbd690.6108923@193.76.127.2>
Source record: 151677
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

"Alessandro Canalini" <al.cana@iol.it> wrote:

>Interesserebbe anche me...se e' possibile mi prenoterei anche io per una
>copia..
>Alex
>
>Jas ha scritto nel messaggio <34f59a05.11713085@193.76.127.2>...

>>>Sto raccogliendo un po' di info sotto
>>>http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/8516

A breve saranno pubblicate in quel sito ...
il tempo non e' il mio forte (nemmeno per le scannerizzazioni ...)

Scusate i ritardi.

Salut

Jas

3245. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will <will@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6dg738$7n4@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 151678
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

Do you still have receiver for sale yet? If so please e-mail me more
info @ fjeske@execpc.com . I am at a friends house sending this.
Thanks,
Fred

3246. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FBF694.92B450B8@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

Tony Hwang wrote:

> K0HB@usa.net wrote:
> >
> > > By the way that radio is worth $185. C Thomas
> >
> > Depends on condition and the purpose you are buying it for.
> >
> > As a communications receiver for modern amateur use, it is essentially
> > useless. Without additional outboard converters it can not be used for
> > anything other than CW and AM.
> >
> > If you are an afficianado (sp?)or collector of "ye olde heavy radios", and
> > assuming it is in reasonably good working condition and complete (both
> > meters, original knobs, top and bottom covers), then it would be worth that
> > price.
> >
> > 73, de Hans, K0HB
> >
> > -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
> With a stable BFO like 390 has, tuning on SSB or FM is not much of a
> problem. Ever heard of slope tuning? We used to do it B4 product
> detector ckts came out. I used to use 390, 392, SP-600, etc back in the
> '60s. The good old days!
> 73,
> Tony, VE6CGX
> Both fine radios

I can't believe Hans does not know how to receive an SSB signal with an R-390 with out the outboard SSB adapter. Maybe he was trying to run the price down by saying that.

I once talked myself out of a free R-390. It had found it's way into the Ham community here somehow, maybe through the Mars system. Anyway the Ham who had it at the time told me I could have it. He did not want it because it would not receive SSB. When I showed him how to do it he changed his mind.

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.

Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

3247. Lightweight Straight Key for Travel?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig and Gloria Novak <craig_novak@abraxis.com>
Message-ID: <34FBF8CE.2557@abraxis.com>
Source record: 151680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Thank you for reading this.

I am looking for suppliers of lightweight CW straight keys. I travel alot and am going to bring an HF 40 M with me. I really like straight keys, but the standards (vibroplex etc) weigh a ton (actually about 4 lbs--more than the radio).

The key I need could be quickly assembled without use of a drill press, band saw -because I dont have a workshop outside of a drill and soldering equipment.

Any help appreciated.

73

Craig Novak
KF4UPM/AA

3248. WTB: VFO-120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303123600.HAA25067@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151681

WTB: VFO-120 external VFO. If you have one available please contact me via private e-mail.

Thanks/73-- Phil (K1HS) < rut@mcrut.mv.com >

3249. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <34FB92F2.516A@nwlink.com>
Source record: 151682

ICOMSUX wrote:
>
> The products, support, warranty service, replacement parts pricing, quality
> and quality control at IBOM America has gone down the toilet.
>
> The management are yuppie scum. They forget about the customer that made iBOM
> what it is today. It is unfortunate that I have spent so much hard earned cash
> on iBOM products that do not work. Have been to the incompetent technical staff
> at iBOM America and returned repeated times with the same problems.
>
> Stories to follow. Just venting now, to get the word out. i know there are
> probably many satisfied iBOM customers out there but I have an extensive
> collection. I also am a great deal fussier and more knowledgeable that the
> average amateur.
>
> DON'T BUY iBOM!!!!!
>
> YAESU IS #1.....Good Luck in the contest...if ya wanna win play wit
> YAESU!!!

Has anyone looked at the JRC radio's. I have had no problems with them
and after having used Yaesu and Kenwood radio's I find the JRC is much
better built! In my opinion all the newer ham HF radio's producted with
DSP by Icom, Yaesu and Kenwood have lousy quality control and cheep
hardware. I've opened my JRC JST-245 and found every part labeled made
in Japan, Every Part! Not Korea or Taiwan or China or Vietnam. I still
think Japan can build a good product as long as they don't contract out
to some second world country.

3250. Re: Need TM241A mod to open RX from 121-170mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FC0432.4CD2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151683

Clif Holland wrote:
>
> charles copeland wrote:
> >
> > I bought a used TM241A that has the 121-170mzh receive mod.
> > It makes the radio intermod unacceptable to me. I need this
> > receive mod so I can undo it!
>
> There isn't a 121-170 rx mod for the 241. It receives from 118-174 mHz
> as received.
> --
> Clif @ AVVid
> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

I thought the ADI-146 was a Kenwood Clone of the TH-241A.
I have zero intermode on the ADI and I had to sell the Icom IC-2000H
because it was terrible with intermode.
73's NS1R Steve Hershman

3251. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fc0b80.364411275@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 12:14:37 GMT, gbaron@sparc.isl.net (Gilbert Baron) wrote:
>>Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net> wrote:
>>
>>DavidC wrote:
>>> Amazing how fads inflate prices!
>>
>>I wouldn't call it a fad. Its more a general realization that the R390A
>>is a better receiver and better value than virtually any of the current
>>crop of plastic imported junk.
>
>SURELY you jest. The R390 is NOT EVEN close in performance to the
>cheapest piece of what you call that imported junk available today,
>NOT EVEN CLOSE.

You may be eggagerating just a bit. The R390 may be better than
a $49.95 DAK Chinese import, unless you need to take it portable
on batteries. But in general you're right, the R390 just isn't up to
the levels of performance available from modern receivers. It
was a great receiver for its day, but its day was 30 years ago.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3252. Re: YAESU IS DOING US too!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <34fd08f9.2426308@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 151685

On Mon, 2 Mar 1998 17:39:09 -0500, "Pieter" <ibelings@mindspring.com>
wrote:
>What about YAESU? I bought an FT1000MP. The brochure clearly indicated that
>the radio had memories that could store TX and RX frequencies. I was only
>going to buy the radio to use it with the supplied transverter port on the
>back for 2 meters.

C'mon now, you didn't *really* buy a $2800 radio just to use on 2m,
did you? Sounds to me like somebody has too much disposable income...

<snip>

> Then I buy an FT-8100 to use it as a crossband repeat link.
<snip>

(from your other posting:)
>Forgot to mention my VX1R experience:
>
>Bought two of these puppies...

<snip>

>These JAPANESE manufacturers are doing us and we keep supporting them. At
>some point we need to make them understand that we are the ones with the
>cash.

Apparently you don't mind being being "done" - why else would anyone
buy 4 radios from the same manufacturer after having so much trouble?

You have trouble with a $2800 rig so you go buy a $450 rig and have
trouble with it, and then you go buy TWO $350 rigs!! Yaesu is making
a killing off of you, plus they're seeing their products sell and they
think they're doing great in the market.

If you're really that dead set against Yaesu, stop buying their
stuff!! If enough people have experiences like you and stop buying
their products, they'll either get the clue or go out of business.

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

3253. mfj 9030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dgvpn$p98$1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151686

Has anyone had a problem with the mfj 9030 vfo drifting??
Thanks de ac5ez

3254. IC-W31 Wide-FM available ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: grco@diogenes.hcuge.ch
Message-ID: <01bd46ad$aca31f60$4056c381@porl_yo34.hcuge.ch>
Source record: 151687

Does any one knows any way to let the Icom IC-W31 recieve wide FM +/- 50 KHz.

Thanks in advance, best regards G.Cosendai, HB9-VJT

3255. Re: thoughts/opinions on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul
Message-ID: <34fc13b4.6059947@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151688

Thank you Scott and Greg for your input!

73, Paul
KF4VYZ

chambers@midwest.net (Gregory Chambers) wrote:

>Scott Gray <comm5@pacbell.net> wrote:
>
>>Regarding desoldering "Pad #1" for enhanced frequency coverage; both units
>>are identical.
>>
>There is a very good web page devoted to the FT50 series. Here is the
>url: http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
>
>There is a wealth of info there. I have a FT50RD and am very happy
>with it. There are only three minor disappointments: 1) As the
>gentleman mentioned, you cannot receive 2 freqs at once, but I have
>not found this to be a problem; 2) there is no "priority" channel
>function; and 3) the antenna leaves some to be desired. There are a
>number of aftermarket replacements to choose from, however. All in
>all, I think it's the best dual-bander on the market. 73's
>
> Greg - WB9UHR

3256. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fc0e50.365130972@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 06:24:52 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
>Tony Hwang wrote:
>
>> K0HB@usa.net wrote:
>> >
>> > > By the way that radio is worth $185. C Thomas
>> >
>> > Depends on condition and the purpose you are buying it for.
>> >
>> > As a communications receiver for modern amateur use, it is essentially
>> > useless. Without additional outboard converters it can not be used for
>> > anything other than CW and AM.
>> >
>> > If you are an afficianado (sp?)or collector of "ye olde heavy radios", and
>> > assuming it is in reasonably good working condition and complete (both
>> > meters, original knobs, top and bottom covers), then it would be worth that
>> > price.
>> >
>> > 73, de Hans, K0HB
>> >
>>
>> With a stable BFO like 390 has, tuning on SSB or FM is not much of a
>> problem. Ever heard of slope tuning? We used to do it B4 product
>> detector ckts came out. I used to use 390, 392, SP-600, etc back in the
>> '60s. The good old days!
>
>I can't believe Hans does not know how to receive an SSB signal with an R-390
> with out the outboard SSB adapter. Maybe he was trying to run the price down
> by saying that.

Well, you can certainly receive FM via slope tuning, or ride the RF gain
control to use the BFO for SSB, but the result will be inferior to what
you get from a receiver that has a discriminator and product detector.
Using the proper circuits works better. And there are modern receivers
with much better IP3 than the old R390, and much lower noise temperatures
too.

I agree with Hans that, to a collector of heavy iron, the R390 has considerable
value. But someone looking for a high quality receiver can do much better by
looking at a more modern radio. And I say that having owned and operated
a R390 in the "old" days. Put it beside a good modern receiver and the
difference is often astonishing. The R390 was about the best there was
in its day, but its day was a long long time ago. I think you guys need to
use one for a week side by side with a late model receiver in order to

refresh your memories. I stayed with tube equipment for a long time after solid state equipment came out because the early solid state equipment wasn't very good. But that's changed. Any recent solid state receiver can eat the old tube receivers' lunch. And they're smaller, lighter, and consume much less power.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3257. Re: CAT interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <34FC1667.C9D38F2E@wavefront.com>
Source record: 151690

Recent ARRL handbooks have info on interface.

73, CJ K0CJ

Mark Warner wrote:
>
> Have Yaesu FT-757GX and am looking for info on building a computer
> interface. Also, a lead on any software to run it.
>
> --
> Best regards,
>
> Mark Warner
> mcwarner@flash.net

3258. Re: recommend good linear amp????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pedro Pedroso <l38217@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980303143109.29783B-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 151691

On Sun, 1 Mar 1998, Duke of Madness wrote:

> Date: Sun, 1 Mar 1998 22:28:55 -0600
> From: Duke of Madness <duke@rant.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: Re: recommend good linear amp????
>
> Try rec.radio.cb
>
> > Anyone recommend a good base linear amp for HF that works on 6 to 160
> > meters? Say 300 to 500 watts out - driving with a ts-570 - 100 watts max.
>
>
>
>
The best linear is the Alpha 87A.. if you have money to buy it !

Pedro Pedroso	
l38217@alfa.ist.utl.pt	CT1ELP
Eng. Electrotecnica e Computadores	Founder member of GPDX
(Telecomunicacoes e electronica)	

| Address: P.O.Box 116 , 2806 Almada Codex , PORTUGAL |

3259. Re: Need TM241A mod to open RX from 121-170mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Passaneau <jxp16@email.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <34FC16B2.B2C5101D@email.psu.edu>
Source record: 151692

Mustang Maniac! wrote:
>
> In article <charles1Ep7Iv6.F1p@netcom.com>, charles1@netcom.com says...
> >
> >I bought a used TM241A that has the 121-170mzh receive mod.
> >It makes the radio intermod unacceptable to me. I need this
> >receive mod so I can undo it!
>
> The Kenwood TM-241A came from the factory capable of receiving
> from 118.000 to 173.995 MHz (with 118.0 thru 135.995 being a-m
> mode for aircraft radio reception). There is no "mod" for this.
> There is a mod to enable transmitting from 136.000 thru 173.995
> MHz, but that isn't what you're referring to. TM-241A is very
> susceptible to intermod if you operate in a congested area with
> a lot of RF in the high band range, especially those high-power
> pager transmitters. I sold both of mine for that very reason.
> My TM-261A is MUCH better, but it still gets torn up when I'm
> in "RF alley".
>
> Your other
> option is to purchase one of the new 2m bandpass filters that
> attenuate everything outside the 144 thru 148 MHz range, which
> would virtually kill any chance of receiving any business, public
> service, aviation, or weather broadcasts (which it sounds like
> you don't want anyway). I don't know the manufacturer or cost
> of the filters but I'm sure someone can help (or you can check
> the QST ads).
>
> Good luck.
>
> 73,

I can't remember the name of the company that makes the filters. I'm at work so I can't easily look. But they cost about $90 with shipping and all and they work! I live down the hill from a mountain site with pagers, mobile phones, and commercial radio of all types. My 241A in the car was not bothered but my Alnico I use as a packet station and base radio was.
I put one of these filters in line and put it above the suspended ceiling in the shack a year ago and all--all the inter mod, fundamental overload or what ever is gone. The company was a pleasure to deal with and it worked. The main reason I can't remember their name is it's been so good I haven't needed to even think about it. In fact our local club was helping our volunteer fire dept. with an interference problem. I

could hear the interference weakly in my basement with my wide coverage handheld so I hooked up to the base antenna and I heard nothing! It took me about 30 minuets to remember the filter above the ceiling. They advertise in QST and Amateur Electronics Supply carries them. They will cure the problem. By the way they have no adjustments and require no power. I would strongly recommend not even thinking about opening one.

John Passaneau WB8EIY State College Pa.

3260. WTB: VHF Converter for Drake R-8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@bright.net
Message-ID: <6dh4rg$m16$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 151693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'd like to purchase the VHF converter for my Drake R-8A. Please
contact me if you have one available.

Thanks & 73,

Tony N8SNC

3261. IC-706 Help Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <34fc1957.215388@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151694

Anyone know how to adjust the power output on 2m to no more than 5 w?
I am thinking of adding a small 5/45 amp to it and installing it in my
friend's car. The manual shows where the adjustment point is but it
does not say how to do it. I need to keep the full 100 w power for
when I am in the car and want to work HF.

W4SCO
Atlanta

3262. Bandswitch output data from TS-850 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rharel@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dh70j$74e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151695

Does the TS-850 have a bandswitch output that is used to control an external amplifier (as does ICOM xcvrs) - or any signal that will tell me which particular band the xcvr is tunes to ?

Any info on this matter would be appreciated.
Thanks es 73,
Rich
4X1DA

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3263. FS - CSI full duplex autopatch new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Cristaldi <megaman@cybernet1.com>
Message-ID: <01bd46b8$a62dfb40$7f823ace@default>
Source record: 151696

For sale: one CSI (Connect Systems Incorporated) full duplex autopatch new in the box with manual, $200.00 plus shipping.

73 DE Al KK7GV

3264. FS: Intel OverDrive DX2ODP50 (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: DennisBCarney@nospam.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <34fc2ad7.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151697
Cross-posted to: nj.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For sale via online auction: Intel OverDrive DX2ODP50
Turns your slow 20MHz into 40MHz or 25MHz into 50MHz

Minimum Bid: $25.75
Auction Ends: 3/8 8:05 am PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111594* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com
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3265. FS: DRAKE DIGITAL DISPLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd46c2$6832c780$96dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 151698

HUFCO Converter installed in BK PRECISION 60MHZ frequency counter
for readout to 1CPS...W/manuals..will work with Collins, Heath,
Hallicrafters,
etc by changing crystal $65.00 + shipping

VHF PRESCALER & PREAMP for above to 600MHZ, With a piece
of wire acting as an antenna installed in preamp/prescaler will detect
transmitted frequency $20.00

Dwight Raddatz, WA9EUN
525 Park Ln, PO Box 86
Ridgway, Co 81432-0086
970-626-5111 email draddatz@gwe.net

3266. Re: IC-706 Help Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince Proud <riggs@ptu.set.com>
Message-ID: <34FC3723.6560E3CF@uh.edu>
Source record: 151699

Press the Display button for about 1 sec and adjust the power between High (default, 20W in MkII or 10 W in older 706) and Low (2 W in MkII).

Audrius, KD5CUV

SCO wrote:

> Anyone know how to adjust the power output on 2m to no more than 5 w?
> I am thinking of adding a small 5/45 amp to it and installing it in my
> friend's car. The manual shows where the adjustment point is but it
> does not say how to do it. I need to keep the full 100 w power for
> when I am in the car and want to work HF.
>
> W4SCO
> Atlanta

3267. Re: IC-706 Help Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: LHS <LHSudduth@att.net>
Message-ID: <6dhfiv$kg9@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151700

Power settings in 2m side and HF side are independent. While in VFO at
2meter frequency or a 2 meter memory channel set your power, then whenever
you are at any 2 meter VFO or memory channel your output remains low.
Switch to a HF channel or VFO and the power level you set will be
independent of the 2 meter level.

Process: (on original 706, probably same for MkII)
(1) switch to 2 meters.
(2) Press and hold DISP button until setting menu comes up.
(3) Press up or down channel change buttons until settings show power
out setting.
(4) Turn the setting knob (big frequency change knob) until desired
power output shows.
(5) Press DISP button again to save setting and exit.

73 Lawrence K5LHS
Vince Proud wrote in message <34FC3723.6560E3CF@uh.edu>...
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>
> W4SCO
> Atlanta

3268. FS: Heath DX-100 and Hammurland HQ-170

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: imok1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303174901.MAA28227@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151701

Hello,

I have for sale a DX-100 and HQ-170. These items were purchased and I have not had time to get to them, so I hope someone can use them.

DX-100 - Good shape, original cabinet repainted, but no extra holes. It looks like there are two non original knobs and one no original togle switch, no extra holes in the panel. Electrically untested as had no time to bring it up on a variac...
$125 - prefer chicago area deal as 100# +
HQ-170
It plays.... A couple on non original knobs, no extra holes in cabinet or panel. no clock. The chassis has a little bite so would need some minor TLC.
$160 - plus shipping from 60067.

Thanks
Mark
KB9LIO

3269. URGENT Help Needed!! Alinco dr-600 How to close the band 144-146???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmelo@esoterica.pt
Message-ID: <34fb74b0.4531762@news.esoterica.pt>
Source record: 151702

hello,

i have a alinco dr600 and i don't need to extend the tx/rx mod
because it was already extended when i bought it. :)

But what i do need is to know how to put it back in to the european
mod 144-146.... etc.

please help me

thanks in advance

Mario

mmelo@esoterica.pt

3270. URGENT Help Needed!! Icom706How to close the band 144-146???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmelo@esoterica.pt
Message-ID: <34fe771a.5149684@news.esoterica.pt>
Source record: 151703

hello,

i have a Icom706 and i don't need to extend the tx/rx mod because it
was already extended when i bought it. :)

But what i do need is to know how to put it back in to the european
mod 144-146.... etc.(for the other bands)

please help me

thanks in advance

Mario

mmelo@esoterica.pt

3271. FS: ByOS COMPUTERS (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: byospc@nospam.iname.com
Message-ID: <34fc5056.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151704
Cross-posted to: misc.forsale.computers.pc-specific.misc,misc.forsale.computers.pc-specific.systems,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111619* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3272. Re: yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <34FC6D2E.5C16@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Source record: 151705

John Woolem wrote:
>
> Is there a Yeasu refelctor that you can subcribe to shuch as the kenwood
> one and if so what is the address
>
> ----------

John,
Take a look at http://www.contesting.com
It has a Yaesu reflector along with some other stuff
Gary - KN0V

3273. Ham Radio Newbie!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: lulu@interaccess.com
Message-ID: <6dhkcsqqj1@nntp3.interaccess.com>
Source record: 151706

I am a complete newbie to SWL---could someone please recommend the basic setup I would need to get started? Do I need an anntena (sp), receiver? Is it possible for me to broadcast? Would I just need a transmitter and a mike? Any advice would be greatly appreciated. --

3274. WTB: Yaesu acc for FT-757GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Carter <ka8uvi@softerror.com>
Message-ID: <34FC542A.494E@softerror.com>
Source record: 151707

Hello all.

I'm looking to buy the following station accessories for my
new, used FT-757GX:

FP-757HD: Heavy-duty 20-A power supply
FTV-700: Monoband V/UHF XVTR
FTV-6M: 6M adapter for above
FTV-2M: 2M adapter for above
FTV-70CM: 70CM adapter for above
FIF-232C: CAT interface, serial
MD-1B8: Yaesu standard desk mic
SP-102P: External speaker with patch

If you are selling any of the above items, please email me
with pricing and condition.

Thanks and 73...

Mike Carter
<ka8uvi@softerror.com>

3275. FS: Paperless FAX w/PC file ..... (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fast4net@nospam.aol.com
Message-ID: <34fc57d7.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151708
Cross-posted to: ga.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale via online auction: Paperless FAX w/PC file .....
New.Stand Alone Paperless FAX machine w/PC file compatability.
This fax use a 3.5"floppy to copy the messages received or to
sent out
messages copy onto the floppy fron Microsoft word/Exccel etc...
Minimum Bid: $90.00
Auction Ends: 3/17 11:15 am PST
Don't miss this opportunity...
To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111627* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3276. FS: ByOS COMPUTERS (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: byospc@nospam.iname.com
Message-ID: <34fc57d6.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151709
Cross-posted to: misc.forsale.computers.pc-specific.misc,misc.forsale.computers.pc-specific.systems,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale via online auction: ByOS COMPUTERS
LOW PRICE Computers!! - visit us Online

Minimum Bid: $1,600.00
Auction Ends: 3/24 11:13 am PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111626* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3277. FS Heath SB-1000 Linear Amo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Batterman <mediasw@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34FC4B65.5A705349@ibm.net>
Source record: 151710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Heath SB-1000 Linear Amp with 1 KW output. Covers 160-10. 3-500 Z has
low hours.
Nice condition.. With manual. Will ship. $469.00.
Chuck, KK7KK
mediasw@ibm.net
(408) 688-0785

3278. FS: ICOM 745

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Batterman <mediasw@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <34FC4C4A.C2040AFE@ibm.net>
Source record: 151711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

ICOM 745 transceiver with general coverage rcrv. In absolute mint
condition !
Has FM, 500 hz CW filter, mobile and SM-6 desk mics, internal PS-35
power supply.
Everything works perfectly. $595.00
Chuck, KK7KK
mediasw@ibm.net
(408) 688-0785

3279. WTB: Ailtech Noise meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: vincent coppola <vinyc@snet.net>
Message-ID: <34FC7E19.34C3@snet.net>
Source record: 151712

I am looking for an Ailtech 75 or similiar noise meter, priced for
Ham budget.

Thanks,
Vince N1VC

3280. Help with SM-230 and TS950SD RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: manous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303193500.OAA06761@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151713

Trying to get my sm-230 to show rtty signal. The manual shows the x-in and y-in on the scope comming off a "Terminal Unit" and the phone patch out on the TS-950 going into the "terminal unit". What is this terminal unit and why can't I get the scope to show the pattern? Can't I just go from the TS-950 to the scope direct?

Any help would be appreciated.
New to this

John

3281. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tculin@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6dhngp$9kt$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 151714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

Why would anyone do this to save $60 on an 706MkII. HRO has them at
$1,189 in stock and when you walk in the door it sure saves on the
shipping.
To return mail to me, remove the killspam from my email address. Those who send unsolicited spam mail will incure a $50 fee for deleting your message.

3282. FS: Peace the Bear (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chelby72@nospam.hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34fc6316.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151715
Cross-posted to: alt.collecting.teddy-bears,nj.forsale,rec.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For sale via online auction: Peace the Bear
Ty Beanie Baby Peace the Bear

Minimum Bid: $50.00
Auction Ends: 3/17 12:08 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111640* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com
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3283. FS: Nanook the Husky (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chelby72@nospam.hotmail.com
Message-ID: <34fc66d6.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151716
Cross-posted to: alt.collecting.teddy-bears,nj.forsale,rec.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For sale via online auction: Nanook the Husky
Adorable Nanook

Minimum Bid: $15.00
Auction Ends: 3/17 12:16 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111643* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com
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3284. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1iupvh74f.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 151717

ev1960@hotmail.com writes:

> Hi All,
>
> Got my new IC-706MKII last week and I think I have found some quirks.
>
> Mike Gain seems inadaquate. On 6M FM Compression does not work which may be
> inherent with the radio but I get low audio reports with the mike gain set to
> 10 on 6Meters. I think it sould be distoring on the setting of 10. 2M FM my
> audio seems to be OK but again on a setting of 10 I think it should be
> overdriven and distorted.
>
> My AGC only toggles to F-AGC and not AGC. It seems the slow AGC setting
> can't be set on the radio as described in the manual.
>
> Have you experienced the same things? Any suggestions on misteaks I am making
> on settings? Should I be sending this radio back to ICOM?
>
> Thanks es
> 73 de Elmar
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Maybe. The ICOM 706 Mk II's microphone is intended for mobile use,
with wind and road noise. To make the microphone work properly you
have to hold it approximately 1 cm from your lips. My on-air testing
with friends shows that if my moustache is just brushing the plastic
microphone housing, my 706 Mk II delivers great audio with the stock
microphone and the mic gain set at the factory default of 5.

--
Marc Illsley Clarke, KB0YDL, KB0YDL@N0MPI.#NECO.CO.USA.NOAM
marcclarke@unforgettable.com
(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of
any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

3285. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FC6688.B994A967@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 06:24:52 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
> >Tony Hwang wrote:
> >
> >> K0HB@usa.net wrote:
> >> >
> >> > > By the way that radio is worth $185. C Thomas
> >> >
> >> > Depends on condition and the purpose you are buying it for.
> >> >
> >> > As a communications receiver for modern amateur use, it is essentially
> >> > useless. Without additional outboard converters it can not be used for
> >> > anything other than CW and AM.
> >> >
> >> > If you are an afficianado (sp?)or collector of "ye olde heavy radios", and
> >> > assuming it is in reasonably good working condition and complete (both
> >> > meters, original knobs, top and bottom covers), then it would be worth that
> >> > price.
> >> >
> >> > 73, de Hans, K0HB
> >> >
> >>
> >> With a stable BFO like 390 has, tuning on SSB or FM is not much of a
> >> problem. Ever heard of slope tuning? We used to do it B4 product
> >> detector ckts came out. I used to use 390, 392, SP-600, etc back in the
> >> '60s. The good old days!
> >
> >I can't believe Hans does not know how to receive an SSB signal with an R-390
> > with out the outboard SSB adapter. Maybe he was trying to run the price down
> > by saying that.
>
> Well, you can certainly receive FM via slope tuning, or ride the RF gain
> control to use the BFO for SSB, but the result will be inferior to what
> you get from a receiver that has a discriminator and product detector.
> Using the proper circuits works better. And there are modern receivers
> with much better IP3 than the old R390, and much lower noise temperatures
> too.
>
> I agree with Hans that, to a collector of heavy iron, the R390 has considerable
> value. But someone looking for a high quality receiver can do much better by
> looking at a more modern radio. And I say that having owned and operated
> a R390 in the "old" days. Put it beside a good modern receiver and the

> difference is often astonishing. The R390 was about the best there was
> in its day, but its day was a long long time ago. I think you guys need to
> use one for a week side by side with a late model receiver in order to
> refresh your memories. I stayed with tube equipment for a long time after
> solid state equipment came out because the early solid state equipment
> wasn't very good. But that's changed. Any recent solid state receiver can
> eat the old tube receivers' lunch. And they're smaller, lighter, and consume
> much less power.
>

One thing you did not mention is that someone who knows how you can often isolate a
trouble to the stage from using the front panel controls/meters.
Can you do that with the modern day receivers?

> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

3286. Re: Wtb: Heathkit SB-220 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34FC6B9D.38C5@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 151719
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

W5IDX wrote:
>
> I Am Need Of The Manuals For A Heathkit SB-220 Amplifier.
> I Need The Assembly & Operators Manuals If They Are Seperate.
> 73's W5IDX
Hi,

Have you tried "Hi Manuals"? They advertise in QST I think.

73 and GL,
Don, W6JL

3287. Re: Test gear *cheap* in Sonoma Co.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: acooney@netcom.com
Message-ID: <acooneyEp9G5t.4u6@netcom.com>
Source record: 151720
Cross-posted to: ba.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Alan Cooney (acooney@netcom.com) wrote:

: The following test equipment is up for grabs at $200 for the
: whole lot (you must take it *all*, though, and pick it up in
: North Petaluma this week -- I'm moving).
[snip...]

The test equipment has been sold. Thanks to all who responded.

Cheers,
Alan
WD6DES

3288. FS: Kenwood TS950SD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34fd6ac9.11751832@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151721

My pride and Joy!!

Excellent condiition, works very well, excellent TX audio.

Last of a breed!!

$ 1650 .00 will split the shipping!!

Have owners manual/and service manual!!

TNX,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3289. FS: SPEAKER BOX (Auction)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: alan73cali@nospam.aol.com
Message-ID: <34fc6e57.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 151722
Cross-posted to: ba.forsale,ba.market.forsale,ba.market.misc,rec.audio.car,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale,ucb.market.misc

For sale via online auction: SPEAKER BOX
Box For Sale

Minimum Bid: $50.00
Auction Ends: 3/10 12:53 pm PST

To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=111646* To learn more
about buying and selling on CityAuction, see:
http://www.cityauction.com

3290. Re: Bandswitch output data from TS-850 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980303205901.PAA23301@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151723

Yup- ACC#4, feeds external AT-300. It's on page 70 of the service manual. (I suspect that port will also control an AT-50 by Kenwood, but I haven't tried it yet.)
I have given thought to automating the antenna selection and interlocking the bandswitch in the amplifier using this port. The
microprocessor in the AT-50 can be made to give a discreet signal
for each band.
73, George, K1RBS
73, George, K1RBS

3291. Basic oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <34FC70C4.126B@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 151724

What are some good, inexpensive models of basic oscilloscopes? I would use the scope for homebrewing simple QRP rigs and Glowbugs, and for troubleshooting a Drake TR4 and a Tentec Scout. I don't think I would ever consider opening up a ricebox. Thanks.

Will White

3292. Needed: Schematic for Sony ICF-2001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shane <myhome@nicoh.com>
Message-ID: <34FC6FA4.FC3BACA8@nicoh.com>
Source record: 151725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur

Needed: Schematic for Sony ICF-2001 shortwave radio (NOT the 'D' model). I left the long wire antenna on... FM works fine but no sensitivity on shortwave band. Please reply to: myhome@nicoh.com

3293. FT-847 Availability???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggadwa@cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <34fc71ef.23117691@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 151726

Anyone who hears or finds out that Yaesu FT-847's are actually
available and a real price is posted somewhere, Please post on the the
Newsgroup or E-mail me direct......

GARY
WA7FSI
ggadwa@cyberhighway.net

3294. RCI2950 CDROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philippe CADIC <ccadic@cadic.com.REMOVE.THIS.NOSPAM>
Message-ID: <01bd417a$1f97cea0$0101a8c0@sexytop>
Source record: 151727

http://rciweb.cadic.com/rcirom.html

3295. FS: Yaesu FL7000 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Garry W. Woods" <kb8sgo@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#QQclzuR9GA.320@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 151728

Purchased new R&L Electronics, 2/27/95. Low usage and looks new.
$1600.00 shipped CONUS. Trades considered.
Garry Woods
(423) 457-8961 Knoxville

3296. IC706/II Question (from service manual)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meegan and Jim Wilson <wilson@afn.org>
Message-ID: <34FC76DE.4EAB64DB@afn.org>
Source record: 151729

ICOMofiles,

The IC706 (and its sibling Mark II) apparently both suffer from the "missing-first-dot" problem which typifies the ICOM design philsophy: "Let's start generating some RF and THEN we'll worry about switching over to transmit mode".

My solution (dating back to my IC720a) has always been a special-purpose keyer that would switch the rig to transmit a dot-time or so before actually keying the transmitter. Not QSK, but not bad. (Let's ignore the power-control-by-ALC-causes-a-monster-click-on-the-first-dot problem for now!)

The problem has always been a neat connection between the keyer and the rig. In the IC720, I replaced the 2-conductor (tip/sleeve) key jack with a 3-conductor (tip/ring/sleeve) one; In the IC706, I interconnected the FSK jack tip (FSKK) to the keyer jack tip (dot-paddle/straight-key input). Then I plug my keyer into the FSK jack for CW.

In the IC706 this is ELECTRICALLY possible, because both signals are applied to the cathodes of diodes whose anodes are pulled up (through resistors) to +5V before continuing onto their respective LSI inputs. It is LOGICALLY possible, because the FSKK input is ignored when the IC706 is in CW mode, and key and paddle input is ignored in RTTY.

Well, I just figure this stuff out, and my wife goes and wins an IC706/II at the Orlando Hamcation. Now I gotta' do the same thing all over again.

I'd like to go ahead and use the radio without waiting for a service manual. Can someone who already has a service manual confirm the ELECTRICAL implications of this mod? I hate to install it only to see smoke rise from the back of the rig!!

Jim Wilson,
WA5BRB

I think, therefore I think I am.

3297. Re: Drake R7A (again)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <bob@hi.com>
Message-ID: <01bd46f0$8601c440$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 151730
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

The radio is sold (for real). Thanks.

3298. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Erickson <gerickso@midstate.tds.net>
Message-ID: <34FC9835.1928@midstate.tds.net>
Source record: 151731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.swap

Gary Coffman wrote:
> >> Gilbert Baron) wrote:
> >>Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net> wrote:
> >>DavidC wrote:

> >>> Amazing how fads inflate prices!
> >>
> >>I wouldn't call it a fad. Its more a general realization that the R390A
> >>is a better receiver and better value than virtually any of the current
> >>crop of plastic imported junk.
> >
> >SURELY you jest. The R390 is NOT EVEN close in performance to the
> >cheapest piece of what you call that imported junk available today,
> >NOT EVEN CLOSE.
>
> You may be eggagerating just a bit. The R390 may be better than
> a $49.95 DAK Chinese import, unless you need to take it portable
> on batteries. But in general you're right, the R390 just isn't up to
> the levels of performance available from modern receivers. It
> was a great receiver for its day, but its day was 30 years ago.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV

Gents:

Receiver test data from Robert Sherwood, Sherwood Engineering, Inc.

RCVR SENS. NOISE FLOOR SELECTIVITY ULIMATE REJECT.

Collins
75S3-B 0.1 uV -146 dBm B+ 85 dB
75S3 0.1 uV -145 dBm B 75 dB
R390-A 0.2 uV -137 dBm A+ 85 dB

Icom
IC-761 0.4 uV -131 dBm B- 90 dB
IC-781 0.5 uV -127 dBm B 90 dB

Yeasu
FT-757 0.7 uV -120 dBm C 70 dB
FT-ONE 0.2 uV -135 dBm C 80 dB
FT-980 0.12uV -136 dBm C 62 dB

Kenwood
TS-930S 0.15uV -135 dBm B- 80 dB

Now, lessee:

A. "The r390 isn't up to the level of performance of modern receivers."

B "The R390 is NOT EVEN close in performance to the cheapest piece of what you call that imported junk available today, NOT EVEN CLOSE."

Opinions are like belly buttons; everybody's got one....show me your data.

Gary Erickson

3299. FS: 2m VHF Radio and KPC-9612

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Murray <rlmurray@seanet.com>
Message-ID: <34FC80FA.75CB8F91@seanet.com>
Source record: 151732

FOR SALE:

Tait Electronics model PGM-2020 VHF radio (144-174 mhz)
mil spec mobile radio, 99 channel computer programmable memory,
CTCSS, dual tx power, programming package, manuals, etc. $250

Kantronics KPC-9612 dual port TNC 1200/9600 baud
manuals, cables, etc. $125.00

KB7QHX
Ron Murray - (253) 630-2703

Kent, Washington, USA

3300. FS: Yaesu FT-2400H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34FC8851.C9F6EC89@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale very nice FT-2400H with manual and mounting bracket.
Price $200 including shipping
Reply via email

--
73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
KU4IT Amateur Op
ku4it@bellsouth.net
KU4IT@WD9AGK.SIN.IN.USA.NA
http://personal.sdf.bellsouth.net/sdf/k/u/ku4it/pers1.html

Amateur Radio Transmitting Society
of Louisville, KY

3301. FS: Yaesu FT-416 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34FC89FB.BEE85EAE@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale nice clean Yaesu FT-416 2M HT with standard 600mA battery and extra 1500mA battery, includes stock accessories rubber duck antenna and a Radio Shack speaker/mic, desk stand, adapter for use in car made by Yaesu E-DC-5B and manual. This is a package deal for $200 including shipping.

Reply via email

--
73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
KU4IT Amateur Op
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of Louisville, KY

3302. FS: Iambic paddles and a straight key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <ku4it@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34FC8CBF.1430CFE1@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:
Vibroplex Iambic Deluxe paddle literally brand new only had in shack for a couple months and need money for other things NOW! Price $120 including shipping.

Schurr Profi, all brass construction very, very nice not a scratch anywhere on it perfect condition. Still have orginal box and packing materials, yours for $150 including shipping.

Bencher RJ-2 straight key, chrome version, only a few months old and in perfect condition. Very nice key for SKN!!! Price $50 including shipping.

All keys have been wired with premium quality wire and connectors and will be shipped UPS ground to the buyer's QTH.

Please reply via email.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
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3303. Re: CAT interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com
Message-ID: <O5IpLouR9GA.284@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151736

Yep, check the ARRL handbook - I think 1997. Very good circuit
in there. I built it and modified it to it will talk to both
my FT-990 and with the flip of a switch it talks to my IC-706.
Easy since the interface to the two are almost identical, but
not quite - since that would make WAY to much sense. Of course,
the radios use a completely different command set so you have
to write or find software for your radio. Check the web for that.

Matt
KC8FAY

In article <34FB3685.2A0B@flash.net>, mcwarner@flash.net says...
>
>Have Yaesu FT-757GX and am looking for info on building a computer
>interface. Also, a lead on any software to run it.
>
>--
>Best regards,
>
>Mark Warner
>mcwarner@flash.net

3304. Re: YAESU IS DOING US too!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rick L. Ulbrich" <wb0vzw@horizon.hit.net>
Message-ID: <34FC9060.1D43@horizon.hit.net>
Source record: 151737

Pieter wrote:
> What about YAESU? I bought an FT1000MP. The brochure clearly indicated that
> the radio had memories that could store TX and RX frequencies. I was only
> going to buy the radio to use it with the supplied transverter port on the
> back for 2 meters. When I got the radio I found out that it did not store
> split frequencies.... so I could not store the 2 meter repeaters (false adv.
> #1). Then I went to use the transverter port on the back. The brochure
> claimed that the radio had a -6 dBm output port. I measure the output....
> (-31dBm) useless without an external amplifier. (false adv #2) plus I had to
> cut a trace on the board and solder a switch (Why should I do this on a new
> $2800 radio). Then I buy an FT-8100 to use it as a crossband repeat link.
> The brochure clearly indicates that the radio has this capability. Well,
> guess what? The radio does not crossband. It has an inherent problem and it
> only works in one direction. It is a known problem and they keep selling
> broken radios expecting people to waste time and money to send them back.
> Then they get a rigged radio with resistors and wires dead bug style. Like
> the projects on the back of the ARRL handbook!
>
> These JAPANESE manufacturers are doing us and we keep supporting them. At
> some point we need to make them understand that we are the ones with the
> cash.
>
> Piet.

Jeez, wouldn't you have been much better off using the money for a
FT-736R and selling the transverter! Sounds like big time overkill for 2
meters and you are even talking like fm since you talk about offsets.
Holy Cow, if you have money to blow, I will trade my FT-726R even up for
the FT1000 MP. De Rick

3305. Tek 465M oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6di4b4$8pc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151738

Hi All
I have for sale TEK 100MHz scope Model 465M
Good Working Condition.(without probe)
Price:$ 245.00 Plus UPS
714-778-5151
Thanks.

3306. Icom 706MkII CTCSS problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bear@sfhs.edu
Message-ID: <6di6f4$c6s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151739

I have an Icom 706 MkII. When I transmit using
"FM-T" mode (ctcss) the tone is clearly audible as a hum
on the receiving end. Icom tells me this is a known bug
but I will have to live with it until they come up
with a solution. Anyone else experience this? Any
suggestions?
--------------"Bear" KB3CEB

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3307. Wanted: Manual for a Dentron Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jimallen@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Message-ID: <34FC93B6.6D0E@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Source record: 151740

I'm in dire need of a manual (or copy) for a Dentron Scout HF QRP rig.
I'll pay copy/shipping charges.

Thanks,

Jim

KQ6LB

3308. Re: FS: Yaesu FL7000 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Payne" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6di5cp$s9u$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 151741

Garry W. Woods wrote:
>
> Purchased new R&L Electronics, 2/27/95. Low usage and looks new.
> $1600.00 shipped CONUS. Trades considered.
> Garry Woods
> (423) 457-8961 Knoxville

Same as mine . Mine cost 2200.00 Mark

3309. FS: FT-920 Yaesu H.F.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6dlas7$e3r$1@news10.ispnews.com>
Source record: 151493
Cross-posted to: mi.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

Yaesu FT-920 H.F. Transceiver
Yaesu SP-8 Matching Speaker
MFJ-4035MV Regulated DC Power Supply

All of the above purchased brand new about a month ago. Have original boxes, manuals, receipts, etc. Paid approx.. $2,000.00, will consider reasonable offers!

Selling because I do not have the time to dedicate to obtaining my license. Has been used for short-wave monitoring only.

Bill Crocker
Warren, Michigan

3310. FT-50R mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Munday <dougmunday@shaverlake.com>
Message-ID: <34FD0B02.1BD4@shaverlake.com>
Source record: 151494

I applied the software mods to my FT-50 some time ago and it worked as advertised. (I had previously made the MARS/CAP mod by unsoldering the tab.) This has allowed me to use the radio on fire department channels as I am on the local fire department.

I just recently tried this software mod on another (newer) FT-50RD, (no unsolder mod made) and have been unsuccessful. I can upload the modified .tpl file, but the radio response as if nothing was done to it...I cannot transmit outside of the ham bands. Does anyone know if Yaesu has changed the firmware or software to block this mod? I have not done the solder tab mod to this radio, do you think it is needed in order for the software mod to work?

Any help would be appreciated.

73's

Doug Munday
N6GBD
dougmunday@shaverlake.com

3311. Re: Basic oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34FE3104.774C@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 151495

Will White wrote:
>
> What are some good, inexpensive models of basic oscilloscopes? I would
> use the scope for homebrewing simple QRP rigs and Glowbugs, and for
> troubleshooting a Drake TR4 and a Tentec Scout. I don't think I would
> ever consider opening up a ricebox. Thanks.
>
> Will White

Post an ad in rec.radio.swap and this group "WTB: Tektronix 453" and
you'll get what you need (DC-60 MHz) for less than $150!

If your budget is higher you can go to the 465, 475, or 485, but all
you'll get for your trouble is higher bandwidth.

-- jm

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

3312. Re: Radio Shack 2m/30W amplifier on sale for 59.- -- Good price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6dlgeo$sps@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 151496

Ernst Niebur <niebur@russell.mb.jhu.edu> writes:
>What I would want it for is to put it in my car and thus use my (brand
>new :) HT also as a mobile, or even as a base station. Would this make
>sense? I realize that this would limit me to 2m so I wouldn't be able
>to use half of my dual-band (2m/440MHz) HT (a Yaesu FT-50RD, FWIW). I
>saw there are dual-band amps out there, too, but the one I saw was
>$180.- If I _have_ to, I could save my money and buy one of those at
>some time but I wonder if it wouldn't make more sense to buy a 2m
>amp now and add a 70cm amp later, when the next sale comes along.

The Radio Shack amp *does* work. I bought one myself a while ago, for the same reason. The lowest power setting on the FT-50 (L1, 100 mW) is probably not sufficient to trigger the transmit switching circuit in the amp, but the other three power settings all work, giving you some control over the output power. Not a lot, though; the output power is a pretty non-linear function of input power (as you would expect with this sort of amplifier).

However, some warnings: If you want to operate on both bands, you will really want a dual-band amp eventually. To use separate 2 m and 70 cm amplifiers, you will need a duplexer between the FT-50 and the amplifiers. You will also either need two antennas, one for each band, or *another* duplexer. All this RF wiring, plus the power wiring to feed your FT-50 and two amps, will be a real mess. With a dual-band amp, at least, the RF wiring is a single path from the FT-50 to the amp to the dual-band antenna.

More generally, this isn't really a substitute for a mobile rig. Adding an RF amplifier will get you the power you need to get a solid signal into distant repeaters, but that's all.

You will probably find that when you connect your HT to a half-decent cartop antenna, it has severe unwanted signal pickup problems due to intermod. You can add various sorts of filters to attenuate the offending transmitters (usually paging transmitters), but that costs more money and space. Doing this for two bands at once is more awkward yet (the two-duplexer problem). A mobile rig should be more resistant to intermod in the first place.

Then you'll find that the built-in speaker isn't loud enough in the car. The FT-50 has a good audio amplifier, but you need an external speaker to make the most of it. It probably still won't be loud enough for use on the highway. An external speaker with amplifier will boost the 0.5 W from the FT-50 to several watts, providing enough sound for almost any conditions. But you have to run another wire from the FT-50 to the speaker, and maybe speaker power. A mobile has several watts of

audio power in the first place.

Finally, you will want to run external power to the FT-50 to avoid draining its battery. Plus you need some way of holding it where you can see it in the car, but which still lets you pick it up to operate its controls. And its display will be pretty small when it is no longer right at your face. A mobile has a larger display, and often has some sort of ability to control it from the microphone.

By the time you've added all the stuff needed to make a handheld perform reasonably close to a mobile rig, you've probably spent as much over and above the price of the handheld as it would cost you for a decent used 2m mobile, or even a basic new mobile. A dual-band mobile will cost a lot more, but making a handheld perform well on two bands will also cost more. And the handheld plus accessories will result in a mess of wiring that you'll have to deal with.

The Standard C510 seems to have a good system, judging by the ads. There is a "car box" that you install in the car. It contains an RF amp and an audio amp, plus providing connection points for DC power and the antenna. When you bring your 510 into the car, a single cable connects the handheld to the car box, carrying power, RF, and audio. But this car adapter isn't cheap either.

Spending $60 for the Radio Shack amp now isn't going to put a serious dent in your budget, so go ahead and buy it and play with it. But before you start buying expensive stuff like bandpass filters and duplexers and a dual-band amp, try looking at and pricing some used 2m mobiles.

Dave

3313. Re: 220 Hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FE4E7C.4A19@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151497

Jed Barton wrote:
>
> Hey there guys, does anyone know of any 220 hand helds being made any
> more? I am looking to get another one but can't really find any out
> there. Any info would be appreciated. Thanks and 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

At one of my Radio Club meetings, several members found out that
none of the radio companies out there plan on keeping the 220 HTs
in the future product line.

The 220 band isn't as popular as 2M or 440, so it isn't worth it
to produce radios for such a limited market. As far as I know, maybe
you can still get the Standard C288A, the Standard C228 (dual bander),
and the Yaesu's FT-33R. However, not every store will have them
in stock and you may have to make a lot of phone calls. You may
want to try calling AES and HRO first.

By the way, I own the Standard C228A; I wish the speaker was a little
more powerful, but other than that, it's a great litle radio.

73,
Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

3314. Ten-Tec 222Mhz FM Transceiver Kit any Good ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FE5257.47F4@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151498

Ten-Tec 222Mhz FM Transceiver Kit any Good ?

I'm thinking about getting the Ten-Tec 222MHz Radio Kit. Partly
for the fun of building something and partly because my Ham Radio
Club uses 220Mhz for our repeater. (I live in Southern
California and can reach the Condor Connection via 220MHz too.)

Are Ten-Tec's kits any good?

If you've built this rig, was it any good?

73,
Bob
KF6JHG

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of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

3315. FS: IC-751A ($680 shipped)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <34FDC990.3B4E@amsat.org>
Source record: 151499

For Sale: Icom IC-751A $680 includes ground UPS 48 states

Clean, nonsmoker, condition is 9 on 1-10 scale
Covers 160 - 10 Meter, including WARC bands
General Coverage Recv
100 Watts RF output
SSB/AM/FM/CW
Mobile mic
Mobile bracket
DC power cable (does not include internal 12VDC power supply)
User/owners manual
Options:
UX-14 computer interface ($50 additional) $730 total shipped
FL-53 250 Hz CW filter ($50 additional) $730 total shipped
Both UX-14 & FL-53 together ($75 additional) $755 total shipped

Options will not be sold seperatly until after radio sells.

Tom NE7X...

NE7X@amsat.org

3316. Re: inquiry on TS940,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0403980809140001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 151543

In article <Pine.SOL.3.95.980304080436.13789A-100000@peach.negia.net>, John Fearon <john@peach.negia.net> wrote:

>I bought a TS940 in 1987. I have heard from several sources that Kenwood >has made that rig a victom of programed obselescence. Is this true? I >really don't want to have to buy another rig if this one dies. Should I >cross my fingers that my rig doesn't die?!! I know Kenwood andd the other >Japanese manufacturers are disappointed in their rig sales, but this is a >real kick in the a-- if it is true. Please e-mail me privately if you >have info.

Nothing "programmed" any more than in any other ten-year-old rig. Pacific Parts still stocks most of the parts for the 940 and there are a lot of independent shops who are very very good at keeping them going (Avvid comes to mind).

Naturally, by the time the radios are twenty years old, parts availability is going to be more of a problem, but that is just a natural manufacturing reality, not part of any sinister plot on Kenwood's part to force you to buy new equipment.

I have both a TS-940S and an ICOM IC-751A that I would dearly love to keep for the next forty years, but manufacturing reality says I'll probably be lucky to get fifteen or twenty more. No plot, just reality.

f73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

3317. F.S Laptop modems $55

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304171001.MAA09735@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151544

Two laptop modems forsale

1- TDK CyberExpress 3000
V.34 28.8kbps Data/14.4 kbps fax
Asking $55

1- Megahertz PCMCIA Modem w/XJACK Connector
28.8/14.4 kbps Data/ Fax
Asking $55

Please e-mail me with all inquires
Thanks
Robert
DeForger@aol.com

3318. Wavetek Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dk20b$d9h@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151545

I have a for sale Wavetek signal generator
Good working codition
Model : 3000-200
Frequency : 1 - 520 MHz, .001%
$ 450.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

3319. Re: New ADI HF Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fd8f2d.436578771@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 16:21:12 GMT, davidho@one.net.REMOVE (David Ho (AF4BH))
wrote:
>I am not very sure if a basic, low cost HF rig should have a fancy LCD
>display, a 16 bit CPU, or elaborate controls. I think that it should
>be a solid performer with no thrills (even LED freq. readout), low
>noise floor, high dynamic range, 100W clean Xmitter, PBT, notch, RIT,
>all mode. A rig that can let the first time HAM's to make some decent
>DX QSO's, as well as allowing the big guns to fire. Almost forget --
>a complete service manual for future self maintainence would be the
>icing on the cake.

Realize that a LCD display is usually cheaper than a good analog
dial and its mechanical linkages. An embedded uP costs under $5
and replaces a lot of the glue circuitry you'd need otherwise to
control the radio. It generally makes sense to use a DDS or PLL
instead of an analog crystal mixed LO. It costs less, and it allows
you to easily upconvert to avoid the birdies that are inevitable with
a crystal mixed LO. That saves a few bucks on shielding too.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3320. Pre-Charlotte Hamfest for sale list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Barnett <lbarnett@claimsware.com>
Message-ID: <01bd479c$f63b65c0$133a88d1@c238.globalvision.net>
Source record: 151547
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have the following items for sale. I plan to take them to the Charlotte, NC hamfest if not sold before.

Mirage A-1015G 6 meter amp. Christmas gift this year. Upgrading to 100 watt 6 meter rig so I don't need the amp. New condition in box. Asking $325.

Kenwood TR-751A 2 meter all mode radio. 25 watts out. Comes with mobile mounting bracket, mic, manual and origional box. I am origional owner and I am a non-smoker. Asking $400.

Kenpro KR-5400 az/el rotor system. Similar to Yaesu KR-5400B but no computer interface. The elevation works fine but the azimath rotor is frozen up. Both rotors and dual control box. Asking $175.

AEA AT-300 antenna tuner. As new condition but I can't find the origional box. Asking $125.

Please reply to: lbarnett@claimsware.com

73,

Lee, KJ4BF

3321. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fd9194.437193508@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 14:22:33 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
>One thing you did not mention is that someone who knows how you can often isolate a
>trouble to the stage from using the front panel controls/meters.
> Can you do that with the modern day receivers?

Sure, if you understand how they operate. The nice thing about modern
equipment is that whole subsystems are embedded in a single chip.
Since it is easy to determine if a subsystem has failed, your troubleshooting
is over almost before it began. You don't care which part of the chip failed,
since you have to replace the entire chip anyway. You basically troubleshoot
at the functional block diagram level.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
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Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3322. Re: 220 Hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod <rod@rtsars.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4792$ee954840$a39293d0@rts.hiwaay.net>
Source record: 151549

We stock the FT-33r 220MHz handheld from Yaesu. This radio comes with the
5 watt battery and a free softcase.
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RT Systems
Amateur Radio Supply
8207 Stephanie Dr
Huntsville AL 35802
Sales 1-800-723-6922 Tech Support 1-205-880-3093

Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net> wrote in article
<Pine.SUN.3.96.980303224551.2788A-100000@klingon>...
> Hey there guys, does anyone know of any 220 hand helds being made any
> more? I am looking to get another one but can't really find any out
> there. Any info would be appreciated. Thanks and 73 de Jed.n1jbc.
>
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>

3323. Re: Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <34FD9366.365E@ccnet.com>
Source record: 151550

The early Yaesu FT101 series had 11 meters.....The FT101Z & ZD do not.
The FR101 series receivers also have 11 meters.

Don, W6IQ

>
> >> Could someone post a list of radios known to have either
> >> 11m RX or TX/RX?
> >>
> >> Please add to the list.
> >
> > If you want to operate 11 meters Radio Shack has several fine
> > radios
> > to choose from.
> >

3324. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fd9464.437914102@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151551

On 03 Mar 1998 13:06:08 -0700, Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com> wrote:
>Maybe. The ICOM 706 Mk II's microphone is intended for mobile use,
>with wind and road noise. To make the microphone work properly you
>have to hold it approximately 1 cm from your lips. My on-air testing
>with friends shows that if my moustache is just brushing the plastic
>microphone housing, my 706 Mk II delivers great audio with the stock
>microphone and the mic gain set at the factory default of 5.

Yep, that's exactly right. If you don't close talk this mic, and speak
up a bit, you won't fully drive the radio. This is characteristic of a
noise cancelling microphone. If you put a desk mic on it, like the
SM-6, you can easily drive the radio to distortion while sitting
back 3 feet from the mic (not something you'd want to do of
course). Naturally, every noise in the room will be picked up as
well.

I rather like the stock mic because it lets me drive with the
windows rolled down and the other party doesn't complain
about all the road noise, as they do with other mics.

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3325. wtb:at230 for kenwood ts830s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3nrz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304182301.NAA23604@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151552

would like to find the atenna tuner for my radio, if anyone has one they would like to sell please e mail me at n3nsl@aol.com

3326. WTB: HP 8552B & manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bwolford@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <34fc6983.5403521@news.magicnet.net>
Source record: 151553

I looking for a clean working HP 8552B IF plugin.

Also want the following HP manuals.

141T mainframe
8552B IF plugin.
8553L RF plugin
8554L RF plugin
8443B Tracking unit

3327. Eagle Sidewinder 400: 10kc jump? Tie clarifier to TX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mr_rhumba <NO_SPAMrumcd@open.org>
Message-ID: <34FD9B45.D9FCDCDC@open.org>
Source record: 151554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I just bought one of these little jobs. Nice radio for $149, but because it is
set up in CB like "channels" it is missing some 10M Novice/Tech+ voice frequencies, namely 28.345 (the 10X club freq), 28.395, 28.445 and 28.495. Anybody know the
mod for adding a 10kc jump switch? It already has a +/-5Kc for hitting the "zeros". It is low power [12W PEP] but seems to work decent for DX so far :-)

Also any ideas on turning the Clarifier/RIT into a actual VFO? It has a course detented tuning knob that goes about 1.5kc+/-. The RIT is inside that knob and only works as recieve tuing. It would be nice if both worked together for transmit. I would guess one could try ans modify the Clarifier/RIT to go 5kc+/-, thereby making the need for a jump obsolete.

Anyway thanks for reading! 10M openings have been great lately.

Any help would be greatly appreciated! Please reply to my email address, because my usenet access is spotty. Remove NO_SPAM from my return address.

Thanks and 73!

-Xopher
KD6FIB
rumcd@open.org

3328. FS: Kenwood TR-751A BRAND NEW IN BOX!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkinsley@raex.com
Message-ID: <34fd71cf.4224009@news.raex.com>
Source record: 151555

Posting this for a friend:
FS: Kenwood TR-751A BRAND NEW IN BOX!

Kenwood All Mode Model TR-751A
BRAND NEW IN BOX!!!
NEVER BEEN ON THE AIR!!

10 memories, 2 VFOs,
DTMF mic with up/down control
Still in Original Box with all materials,
Owners Manual, Mounting Bracket, etc.

$450 + Shipping OBO

Am posting this for a friend.
Please respond to:
jkinsley@raex.com

3329. WTB: ICOM PS-30 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6dk9plbvh3@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 151556

WTB: ICOM PS-30 Power Supply

I'm looking for a nice ICOM PS-30 Power supply.
Please email me condition and price. Thanks.

--sandy
KW6KW
sandy@sandy.com
408-257-5383

3330. Estate Sale for VE3DTV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: lazer@sentex.net
Message-ID: <6dka64ohh1@flint.sentex.net>
Source record: 151557

Greetings people:

The son of Frank Cooke (sk) has asked me to liquidate the remaining items of his shack. I have tried to set the prices fair to everyone conserned. None of the packages will be split-up unless they don't sell, then another packet will be sent. PLEASE don't reply unless you are interested in a package.

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Item Asking Price

Kenwood TS-940 (includes): $2000.00
-MC60 Desk Mic
-Stock HH Mic
-SP-230 External Speaker
-SM-220 Station Monitor Scope
-All manuals

Icom IC3200A Dual Band (2m-440) mobile $375.00
-Includes everything except box
-Has nifty "Hump Mount"

Same as Above but blown UHF brick Sold

MFJ 817 VHF/UHF Meter $75.00
-Cross needle
-Peak reading

Astron RS-20M 20 Amp Power Supply $150.00

TPL PA3-1DC 2 Meter Power Amp $75.00
-10 watts in gives 40 watts out
-SO-239 in/out connectors

2x CS-210 RF Switch $25.00/each
-2 position (one left)
-One not in use grounded

Samsung FX-40 Fax Machine $125.00
-uses rolled "thermal" paper

Code-a-phone Answering Machine $40.00
-Digital Outgoing Message

Com Share 650 $25.00
-Telephone line Sharing Device

Packard-Bell 486 Computer System Sold
-Multi-Media

-Includes 14" SVGA monitor

2 Meter Antenna Tuner Sold

All items are on display in Baden, Ontario, Canada (just outside of Kitchener).
Shipping extra, but would prefer pick-up if possible. All items "as-is".

Tedd Doda, CET

packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
e-mail lazer@sentex.net** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
[Team OS/2 in Canada]

3331. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FDAF68.7EAA7C54@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 14:22:33 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
> >One thing you did not mention is that someone who knows how you can often isolate a
> >trouble to the stage from using the front panel controls/meters.
> > Can you do that with the modern day receivers?
>
> Sure, if you understand how they operate. The nice thing about modern
> equipment is that whole subsystems are embedded in a single chip.
> Since it is easy to determine if a subsystem has failed, your troubleshooting
> is over almost before it began. You don't care which part of the chip failed,
> since you have to replace the entire chip anyway. You basically troubleshoot
> at the functional block diagram level.
>

That may be true, if the chip is in fact the fault. What if it is one of the inputs to the chip.

> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

--

73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

3332. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: charlesdavis@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dkc2f$797@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151559
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <34FD69A4.59E2@vermontel.com>, hermit@vermontel.com
says...
> Does the TS-570 transmitt on AM. With the Yaesu FT-920, I understand
> that you have to purchase a ciruit board for AM. I understand that you
> have the D model. Can you recieve the 6 meter band?

I also have a TS-570D, and yes it does have AM. It has some of the
finest quality AM audio of any rig ever manufactured. No 6 meter
with the D model.

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-=>Chas<=-
<>

3333. Re: Schematic for 4-1000 amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <34fd6f50.12763837@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 151560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 16:15:39 -0500, Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
wrote:

>Hunting for schematic(s) for 4-1000 amplifier, single or paired.
>(Yes I know what ONE puts out.) I am interested in tuned
>input information, bandswitch and coil info, and PI network
>values.
>
>I figure there is no sense in re-inventing the wheel.
>
>Bob Bethman
>N0DGN
>rbethman@erols.com
Once you get some of that info, Bob, please pass it also to Jon Ogden,
who has need of it. His e-mail address is jono@webspun.com

Thank you,

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

3334. FS: Orban AM Processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34feb9ae.10291459@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151561

The AM operator's delight!!
five band digital AM processing. This is the new commerical
Orban Optimod 9200 processor!!!
Cost, one of my VE friends just paid over 6K for one, will let go for
3K- USA
Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3335. Items forsale or trade:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: robertc908@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304203601.PAA10488@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151562

I have the following items forsale or for trade:

1. Solid State NOvex solidstate dip meter, model DM-4061. New, did not come with manual. $50 plus postage. These are currently selling for $99.

2. Eico 710 grid dip meter. All coils, no manual. $40 plus postage. Good physical and electrical condition.

3. SIIG i842 SpeedMaster VL SCSI bus master controller. Easy plug and go. Bus Mastering DMA technology. Active termination features. 32 bit wiht floppy controller.New $40 plus postage.

4. Winbond UN-1082 IDE controller. 16550 high speed serial ports. Floppy disk controller, game port and parallel port. VLB. $15, plus postage.

5. SIIG Fast parallel I/O. IEEE 1284 EPP/ECP parallel port Bi-directional. $5 plus postage.

6. SoundBlaster 16 bit plug and play sound card. $40 plus shipping.

All items plus shipping.

Items I am looking for. HeathKIt SB-600 speaker, Allied SP-190 speaker, Yaesu FRG-7000 receiver working or not working good physical condition. Allied AX/SX-190
receiver working or not working good physical condition. Any HeathKit SB acessories.

73's
Bob, W4RLC (formerly WA7OGU)

3336. wtb: 1750 M transciever, Curry or equiv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <whagen@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <34FDBB7D.45A8@inreach.com>
Source record: 151563

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wtb: 1750 M transciever, Curry or equiv, already assembled, and tuned,
either the CW or ssb rig.
thanks
whagen@inreach.com
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3337. Re: Icom 706MkII CTCSS problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmudd@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47ad$74447640$39806ac6@rickmudd>
Source record: 151564

This is interesting. Mine does not hum...

bear@sfhs.edu wrote in article <6di6f4$c6s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> I have an Icom 706 MkII. When I transmit using
> "FM-T" mode (ctcss) the tone is clearly audible as a hum
> on the receiving end. Icom tells me this is a known bug
> but I will have to live with it until they come up
> with a solution. Anyone else experience this? Any
> suggestions?
> --------------"Bear" KB3CEB
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

3338. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <34FDC74A.64A@stc.net>
Source record: 151565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

Jim Porter wrote:
>
> I did it and it works as advertised, except I used an individual and
> received a better discount without all the high volume buying. Make
> sure they sell you the American version. I bought a W32A cheap (the
> dream of every ham, cheap that is!)
>
> Jim K2NAX
>
> Dick G0BPS wrote:
>
> > In article <6d44d4mbt1@nnrp2.dejanews.com>, hamsupplies@trust-me.com
> > writes
> > > Dear Prospective Customers,
> > >
> >
> > So; who's going to be the first to take advantage of this super mega-
> > deal. Is it real I ask?
> >
> > > We are a newly formed company dealing with radio communications
> > > equipment for both commercial and amateur based in Kuala Lumpur,
> > > Malaysia. We are offering these equipments for sale at a very special
> > > discounted price due stock clearance. We are able to sell at a very
> > > competitive price due to purchasing them in large lots from Japan and
> > > due to cost of the products quoted in the local currency before.
> > >
> > > All products are brand new and fully guaranteed. Eg. HF transceiver
> > > from ICOM (IC-706 MkII) is being offered at US$1120.00 (excluding
> > > freight) against the current price of US$1289.00 offered by other radio
> > > dealers in the US. Please allow 1 week delivery after clearance of
> > > checks. We accept checks in US funds only.
> > >
> > > For quotes of all other products available and further queries, please
> > > e-mail to hamsupplies@trust-me.com or phone ++ 603 9439284
> > > fax: ++ 603 2513775 attn: Farez . We will promptly entertain any of
> > > your queries.
> > >
> > > Sincerely,
> > >
> > > Megat Farez (Managing Director)
> > > HamSupplies International
> > > (Malaysian Business Reg. No: 001127716-P)
> > >

> > > http://www.geocities.com/SouthBeach/Lagoon/5827/hamsupplies.htm
> > >
> > >------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> > >http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
> >
> > --
> > Dick Pascoe G0BPS
> > Kanga Products
> > Seaview House, Crete Road East
> > Folkestone CT18 7EG U.K.
> > Tel 44 (0) 1303 891106
> > http://www.kanga.demon.co.uk

did you notice they have the new yaesu ft-847 listed for $1950.00 on the
web page.

bob
wb5apd

3339. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34fdb2dd.20496984@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151566
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 02 Mar 1998 09:17:50 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 22:16:04 GMT, olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
>(Jim Dunnett) wrote:
>
>>On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 09:38:48 GMT, no.junk.mail@thank.you (Walt
>>Davidson) wrote:
>>
>>>It only takes one to blow, and those stats will be turned on their
>>>head ... for ever!
>>
>>Give over Walt. I'm sitting almost on top of Chernoble II.
>
>Why have they turned off Hunterston?

Have they? Very wise. (I was referring to Hinckley Point).

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3340. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <34fdb3de.20753882@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151567
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 01 Mar 1998 23:08:25 -0500, David L Pearce
<dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:

>Hey, isn't the Citroen the car that takes several minutes to get to
>60mph?

Not the Citro&#65533;ns we drive over here!

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3341. Norbreck Raido and electronics rally IS ON !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin John Hallsworth <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <889048031.25303.0.nnrp-08.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151568
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,demon.adverts,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.adverts.computer,uk.radio.amateur

Hello all

!!!!!!!!!!!! PLEASE NOTE THAT THE N.A.R.S.A. Rally IS ON !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

here is the text of an email sent to me by Carl G6MEI (the secretary of NARSA)

you can find some info about the rally on my web site at

HTTP://www.g1gyc.demon.co.uk/narsa/narsa.htm

<<<<<<< SNIP <<<<<
Hi Martin.
Bits of late news.
We are ON for setting up the main room on Saturday Afternoon as the event has been moved into the ballroom. Don't know about the motel lounge for you though.
I am getting msges that people are still saying the event has been cancelled and there is a web site (which I have not got onto yet) saying this. S search for Norbreck on yahoo threw up your page + some ehbition firm details of Norbreck.
We are mentioned on the RSGB rallies calendar.
Could you please amend the home pages to say the event is definitely on contrary to false reporting and mention the overflow car park at Little Bispham and free shuttle bus.
It will be going out on the GB2RS news as well.
Presume the home pages are still intact. I could not get on today from work.
See you a week Sat/Sun.
cheers
G6MEI

>>>>>

see you all there I will be on the Bring & Buy

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REMOVE "NOJUNK" or click link below to reply
Email to Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk
Web Page at HTTP://www.g1gyc.demon.co.uk
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3342. HELP TRACKING BURROWING OWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE2ZTT <morisset@saglac.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd47b7$4ebdf0e0$ac2513cc@204.19.37.2.saglac.qc.ca>
Source record: 151569

In order to safeguard this species, the Saskatchewan Environment
and Resource Management have equiped some owl with radio
transmitter in order to track them during their migration .One owl
was found(dead) near McAllen,Texas by the Canadian Wildlife
Service.The transmitters should be good until September 1998. It
would be very helpfull and fun to scan those frequencies in
Mexico and central United State and Canada.
If you want to help in monitoring those vhf frequencies you will
find all the informations (and frequencies to be monitored)
at this site http://www.saglac.qc.ca/~morisset/owl.htm
Gilles VE2ZTT

3343. What is a Yaesu FT101E in pristine condition worth these days?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: blackie@gate.net
Message-ID: <34fdce7e.38552633@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 151570

I have a fellow ham in the area that is interested in purchasing my Yaesu FT101E and I have no idea what a reasonable asking price should be. He said once I decide to let him know. I have had it since I was 14 years old. I bought it with money I earned mowing lawns and doing other odd jobs. Needless to say, since I had to work hard for it, I took very good care of it. There are no scratches, and no dust on the inside as I always kept it covered when not in use. It even has the origional plastic protective covering on the front. I fired it up lately, and yes it does work. The reason I am considering selling it is that I never use it and would like to take the proceeds and buy some other equipment.

Thank you in advance for your input.

3344. FS: HELIAX CONNECTORS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Schwartz <kb6sjt@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <34FDD179.A9E4E67C@ricochet.net>
Source record: 151571

Hello,

Please call any time for prices: 408 743-9407 day time 209 990-6820
pager evenings

I have NEW all sizes from 1/4" to 1 5/8" in stock now.

Brass and Silver connectors. Some male some female. Call for details.

TNX,

Jon
KB6SJT

3345. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Squeeze the Weeze <none@spammer.now>
Message-ID: <01bd47b9$fd9eb340$4a4de0c7@holmes>
Source record: 151572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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If its less than a year old and you have the receipt,
RS should fix it free if u bought it new.
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3346. FS: Knwd TM-631A 2m/220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka1kri <ka1kri@ici.net>
Message-ID: <34FDCF56.90088FF9@ici.net>
Source record: 151573

I have a kenwood TM-631A forsale .It's never been mobile and only used
in the shack. I have the box/manual and all the acc's that come with it.
Price is $375.00 or BRO. you pay shipping.

E-mail me at: ka1kri@ici.net

3347. Do you use Hamtronics WX sat receiver w/MFJ-1278?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f67a06be9db7ee99896a9@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 151574

What additional equipment are you using to receive these
WX sats that transmit on 137.XXX? I intend to use my
MFJ-1278, but received a discouraging e-mail from the
fellow at Hamtronics telling me thier FAX converter
works better. Anyone using the MFJ-1278 to decode the
WX sats? Are you satisfied? Did you wind up scrapping the
1278 in favor of Hamtronics own FAX converter?

Thanks for any comments- 73, -Web in Myrtle Beach, SC

3348. Re: I sell Big Amplifier & Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <34FDDCBA.4020FE2F@ncia.net>
Source record: 151575
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.pirate,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

YEP>>Fair Radio has a ton of em

Antonioni Bodoldo wrote:

> Hey Sandro, wadda ya talk here? You tella me Mama maka da pizza ona da 10
> KW machina. You sella dis one and you gotta eata da cold salami. Whatsa
> matta yo face?
>
> Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> wrote in article
> > I sell the following amplifiers HF, all under perfect conditions.
> > Ampli Collins 208U10, autotuning 2-30 Mhz, 10 Kw continues, with exciter

3349. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34FDD891.5233@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151576
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Charles Davis wrote:
>
> In article <34FD69A4.59E2@vermontel.com>, hermit@vermontel.com
> says...
> > Does the TS-570 transmitt on AM. With the Yaesu FT-920, I understand
> > that you have to purchase a ciruit board for AM. I understand that you
> > have the D model. Can you recieve the 6 meter band?
>
> I also have a TS-570D, and yes it does have AM. It has some of the
> finest quality AM audio of any rig ever manufactured. No 6 meter
> with the D model.
>
> --
> -=>Chas<=-
> <>
Thanks for your relply. The specs. for the Kenwood TS-570D on the
Kenwood web sight says that it will receive only on 6 meters. But you
are saying this is not true.

3350. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: charlesdavis@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dkmft$stb@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151577
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <34FDD891.5233@vermontel.com>, hermit@vermontel.com
says...
> Charles Davis wrote:
> >
> > In article <34FD69A4.59E2@vermontel.com>, hermit@vermontel.com
> > says...
> > > Does the TS-570 transmitt on AM. With the Yaesu FT-920, I understand
> > > that you have to purchase a ciruit board for AM. I understand that you
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> >
> > I also have a TS-570D, and yes it does have AM. It has some of the
> > finest quality AM audio of any rig ever manufactured. No 6 meter
> > with the D model.
> >
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> > -=>Chas<=-
> > <>
> Thanks for your relply. The specs. for the Kenwood TS-570D on the
> Kenwood web sight says that it will receive only on 6 meters. But you
> are saying this is not true.
>
My TS-570D is a full coverage, 10 thru 160 meters HF radio. Will
receive the AM broadcast bands, but not transmit there. The TS-570S
is the same radio with 6 meters included.
Hope this helps,
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-=>Chas<=-
<>

3351. Re: What is a Yaesu FT101E in pristine condition worth these days?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304230300.SAA04783@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151578

>What is a Yaesu FT101E in pristine condition worth these days?

Most of the ones on the net have been running from $250.00 to $350.00.

Just depends on the misc. items that goes with it, ie: mic, manuel, key, etc.

From the sounds of yours I would say that $325.00 to $350.00 would be a fair price.

73's
Dan, N8VZU

3352. FS: Cushcraft Antenna Farm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <34FDD983.FEBF3130@idt.net>
Source record: 151579

FOR SALE (All in good condition with manuals, and prices do not include shipping):

1. R7 (10-40M, including 12, 17, 30M) half-wave vertical, $200.
2. A3S 3-el beam & A743/A744 addon dipole (10-15-20-30/40M), $300.
3. A3WS beam (12-17M) 3-el beam antenna, $250.
4. A4 beam (10-15-20) beam antenna, $300.

BONUS: Cushcraft AR-270 2M/70CM Ringo $FREE$ for the FIRST purchaser of #2, 3, or 4.

CJH (KI7EW)
Phoenix, AZ

3353. Alinco Dj-G5T(H)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: perkins@nome.net
Message-ID: <6dkpbo$8p6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151580

Anyone contemplating purchase of a vhf/uhf dual band HT, consider the Alinco DJ-G5T. I have had mine for a year, and it is a great little rig. I belong to a club here in Arctic Alaska, and collectively we own over 50 of them. We had some problems early on, but Alinco USA was johnny-on-the-spot in getting them fixed. They even sent their head technician to Nome, Alaska to do the repairs on site! Talk about service! I have used mine in all kinds of conditions, it works excellent as a cross-band repeater, as well. Audio is excellent. The price is now down to $300 and change, so you can't go wrong. If you want some further testimonials, feel free to e-mail me. ALINCO: PROVEN ARCTIC TOUGH

Nate Perkins, KL0DI
Nome, Alaska

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3354. FS: ICOM IC-27A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <34fde59f.3565514@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 151581

ICOM IC-27A, works fine but needs new volume pot. Volume quits at high
levels. With mobile mount and copy of manual. $50 plus UPS.
73, Dick, W1KSZ

3355. FS: Kantronics KPC-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <34fde619.3687349@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 151582

Kantronics KPC-2, never used, cables still as received. With manuals
(2) and wall-wart. $100 plus UPS. 73, Dick, W1KSZ

3356. General Radio Tee - What is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John D. Farr" <johnfarr@ro.com>
Message-ID: <6dkqbf$8gd$1@news.ro.com>
Source record: 151583
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

Hello. Thanks for reading this.

Last weekend, I bought a few components with General Radio Connectors. Among them, is a Tee made by General Radio. It is marked "864-TPD". I cannot find this component in my only General Radio catalog. If you know what this guy is, please drop me a note.

tnx

John D. Farr

3357. Re: Yae-Ken Junk Also

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <6dkqhf$j9g@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 151584

In <01bd45ef$406e1b60$a5e7f2cd@default> "JDM" <jmul@iland.net> writes:

> I have had equipment from all of the major players and have had problems
>with all brands. They are all equally poor when it comes to service.

Agreed. There are good stories and bad stories with all the brands.

>Kenwood has had a rig of mine since Jan.24 and it's not repaired yet. But
>I have experienced this lack of quality and service from Yaesu and Icom as
>well. John N0EE

I am sorry to hear this. They must not have a part. I took my TS 440
to the new Kenwood service center last week and they fixed it in 3
days, it had some strange problems, now it is good as new.

The whole situation seems to make me try harder to work on my own rigs
when possible. Many problems have been fixable at home through the years.

Clark
WA3JPG

3358. Over 250 Mailing Lists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <shortckt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <34FDF918.466DC27B@primenet.com>
Source record: 151585

Over 250 Mailing Lists

There are over 250 email mailing lists (reflectors)
available at QTH.Net and you can subscribe online
via the new interactive interface: http://www.qth.net

Other free internet services, see: http://www.qsl.net

While there, check out my personal web page, too:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

Lastly, if you would like to start your own mailing
list (for your specialized interest or radio club etc)
just let me know: mailto:k7on@qsl.net

73, Brian

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Brian Short k7on@qsl.net http://www.qsl.net/k7on
1994 E Laguna Dr Tempe, Az 85282 (602)839-3484

3359. FS:Mot UHF Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unit 61 <zjohznabzlez@ezxeczpc.com>
Message-ID: <6dl0kj$92n@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 151586

FS: Motorola Radius M216 UHF mobile radio. 25 watt with mounting bracket, external speaker, and power cable. 5 pin rear connector. Excellent condition inside and out. Will program to your specs. $300.00 shipped.

John (to reply, remove all z's from address) spam control

3360. FS/Trade Kenwood TH-205AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rescue51@sunherald.infi.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f67bddef1581dfb989697@news.sunherald.infi.net>
Source record: 151587

I would like to trade the radio listed above. It has a speaker mike and drop in charger. Operates on 141-162 Mhz, has 3 channel memory. Interested in a hand held cellular phone, brand not important. Also, any offers are entertained. Thanks

3361. Trade for TS-50S or IC-706?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Unterweiser <Xmind_games@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FE0898.5EB@earthlink.net>
Source record: 151588

I have the following item's that I'd like to trade for a
good used Kenwood TS-50S or Icom IC-706 transceiver:

Pentium 83MHz workstation, 32MB RAM, 1.02GB SCSI II HD,
16bit sound, CD-ROM, 16bit graphics, color flatbed
scanner, paint, sound and video editing software
15" monitor, approximate value $500.00

Panasonic Prosumer video editing/duplicating system with
Sony 13" trinitron screen, approx. value $500.00

Sony handheld 8mm VCR/TV, approximate value $250.00

Avon Redcrest, 9' inflatable boat, approximate value $250.00

I'm located in the San Diego area and would prefer finding
someone locally so we can both see what we're getting...

Thanks! Paul
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To reply, remove "x" from address.
Visit our webpage at:
http://home.earthlink.net/~mind_games/

3362. Re: Eagle Sidewinder 400: 10kc jump? Tie clarifier to TX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FE12BC.12E2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

mr_rhumba wrote:
>
> I just bought one of these little jobs. Nice radio for $149, but
> because it is
> set up in CB like "channels" it is missing some 10M Novice/Tech+ voice
> frequencies, namely 28.345 (the 10X club freq), 28.395, 28.445 and
> 28.495. Anybody know the
> mod for adding a 10kc jump switch? It already has a +/-5Kc for hitting
> the "zeros". It is low power [12W PEP] but seems to work decent for DX
> so far :-)
>
> Also any ideas on turning the Clarifier/RIT into a actual VFO? It has a
> course detented tuning knob that goes about 1.5kc+/-. The RIT is inside
> that knob and only works as recieve tuing. It would be nice if both
> worked together for transmit. I would guess one could try ans modify
> the Clarifier/RIT to go 5kc+/-, thereby making the need for a jump
> obsolete.
>
> Anyway thanks for reading! 10M openings have been great lately.
>
> Any help would be greatly appreciated! Please reply to my email
> address, because my usenet access is spotty. Remove NO_SPAM from my
> return address.
>
> Thanks and 73!
>
> -Xopher
> KD6FIB
> rumcd@open.org

I got as great Web site for amplifiers 10-80 mtrs for $150 at $200 watts
73's Steve NS1R

3363. Does anyone have any info on SGC-2000 SSB/HAM rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: S/V Rare Mettle <svrm@nebulus.net>
Message-ID: <6dl4lv$7ng@thoth.portal.ca>
Source record: 151590

If you have any info on the reliability of this rig I would like to hear from you. I am thinking of buying one before I start my offshore adventure in my boat and I want to make sure I end up with the "RIGHT" radio.

Please respond via email as I dont get to check the groups very often.

Thanks
Guy VE7YEO

3364. Re: thoughts/opinions on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard O. Kinkead" <richard-kinkead@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dl4n1$6vl@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151591

Paul: I owned the FT-50 and had good experience with it. The RD is the Ft-50 with FT112.
One last thing. There is no need to do a hardware mod. The mod can be done through the software if you were to buy it. Do a search for ft-50 and read the FT-50 web page.

Richard, KF4PFE

3365. Alinco DX70T/DX70TH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sepsteinx@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dl65p$mb3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151592

WTB Alinco DX70T or TH in good condition.

FYI Brand new DX70T costs $749 at AES
and DX70TH costs $849 at Tech-America.

Waiting for best offer

73
Sid

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3366. Re: IC706/II Question (from service manual)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big_Daddie <bigdaddie@*bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <321L.706$aW1.1289147@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151618

Meegan and Jim Wilson wrote in message <34FC76DE.4EAB64DB@afn.org>...
<snip>
>
>Well, I just figure this stuff out, and my wife goes and wins an
>IC706/II at the Orlando Hamcation. Now I gotta' do the same thing all
>over again.

Way to go Meegan and Jim!!!
Congratulations on the win...and they told me I had the winning ticket.
:o))))

73
N4KEN 'Ken'

<snip>

>Jim Wilson,
>WA5BRB
>
>I think, therefore I think I am.
>

3367. F.S. MFJ-989C Tuner V $225

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304003300.TAA22724@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151619

MFJ Tuner Model MFJ-989C 3KW
$225. + Shp. Excell Cond.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

3368. WTB: TenTec Omni V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304021100.VAA14819@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151620

Looking for the above in good condition, no power supply required.

Alan, N3BJ

3369. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6di61l$db1@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 151621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Would you folks please drop rec.radio.swap from any further followups?

Jeff

Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
>Tony Hwang wrote:
>> K0HB@usa.net wrote:

>> > > By the way that radio is worth $185. C Thomas
>> > Depends on condition and the purpose you are buying it for.
>> > As a communications receiver for modern amateur use, it is essentially
>> > useless. Without additional outboard converters it can not be used for
>> > anything other than CW and AM.
>> > If you are an afficianado (sp?)or collector of "ye olde heavy radios", and
>> > assuming it is in reasonably good working condition and complete (both
>> > meters, original knobs, top and bottom covers), then it would be worth that
>> > price.
>> > 73, de Hans, K0HB
>>
>> With a stable BFO like 390 has, tuning on SSB or FM is not much of a
>> problem. Ever heard of slope tuning? We used to do it B4 product
>> detector ckts came out. I used to use 390, 392, SP-600, etc back in the
>> '60s. The good old days!
>> 73,
>> Tony, VE6CGX
>> Both fine radios
>
>
>I can't believe Hans does not know how to receive an SSB signal with an R-390
> with out the outboard SSB adapter. Maybe he was trying to run the price down
> by saying that.
>
>I once talked myself out of a free R-390. It had found it's way into the Ham
> community here somehow, maybe through the Mars system. Anyway the Ham
> who had it at the time told me I could have it. He did not want it because it
> would not receive SSB. When I showed him how to do it he changed his mind.

3370. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304052301.AAA17117@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151622

is that nutso jeff again??

3371. WTB: Allied AX/SX-190 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: robertc908@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304054201.AAA19767@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151623

I am in need of page 4 of either manual, deals with the IF alignment.

73's
Bob, W4RLC (formerly WA7OGU)

3372. Re: Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34FCF11B.60DA@onramp.net>
Source record: 151624

Curtis M LaFon wrote:
>
> Carl Hodder wrote:
>
> > I am courious about what older transceivers had the 11m band
> > before it was given to the CBers? I believe the band was given
> > in the late fifties but was told that some Yaesu FT-101's
> > had the 11m band in the late 1960's early 70's. I know most
> > HF transceivers now have general coverage RX and not interested
> > in hearing about them.
> >
> > Could someone post a list of radios known to have either
> > 11m RX or TX/RX?
> >
> > The radios I know of are:
> >
> > Yaesu FT101 (not sure what model but I think it was FT101B)
> > Siltronix 1011
> >
> > Please add to the list.
>
> If you want to operate 11 meters Radio Shack has several fine
> radios
> to choose from.
>
> --
>
> 73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq
> --
> Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
> Eat a prune.
> Unbunch your shorts.
> Ignore posts that make you angry.

If you folks would only read the question you might avoid the appearance
of being an idiot.

The 11m band used to be a HAM band and was on many radios. He is trying
to compile a list of them for whatever reason.

If you don't know the answer how about polite silence. ie DON"T RESPOND.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3373. HELP re.....GONSET GSB-101 CONVERSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "greg h." <kb2qqm@msn.com>
Message-ID: <eY0Q6ZzR9GA.171@upnetnews03>
Source record: 151625

Hi there,,,,anyone out here ever done a conversion for the Gonset GSB 101 Linear Amplifyer?? It was built in 1958 and has an input for a receiver and a transmitter as well as an output for the antenna.. Since i have a transceiver i need to find a mod to convert to transmit receive from one antenna jack, and a relay.....any ideas.....greg

3374. Re: 220 Hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew M Cohn <andy@vais.net>
Message-ID: <34FD287A.7B0B@vais.net>
Source record: 151626

Jed Barton wrote:
>
> Hey there guys, does anyone know of any 220 hand helds being made any
> more? I am looking to get another one but can't really find any out
> there. Any info would be appreciated. Thanks and 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

I'm pretty sure that the Standard C288A is still in production. That's the thin model with sliding keyboard cover. I've had one for years and it's a good rig. Then there's Yaesu's FT-33R, which apparently can be bought new also. Standard also has (or had) the 220/2m dual bander which got excellent reviews from QST. Suggest calling places like AES or HRO for current availability. 73, Andy - K4ADL

3375. Wtb: KWD MC-60 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6dj448$ial@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151627
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Looking For A Clean MC-60 Mic Wired 8 Pin For Kenwood TS-450SAT
This Is For A Friend Jerry KD5BIC He Also Needs The Matching Speaker.
73's W5IDX

3376. Re: TM-V7 Radio Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: zl1oz@voyager.co.nz
Message-ID: <6djchr$sl0$1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>
Source record: 151628

I just purchased the TM-V7 and it was completely modified out of the box all I had to do was the cross band repeat mod...maybe we get the good ones in NZ

Cheers Brett
zl1oz

3377. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4kk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304110901.GAA05567@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151629

I have been very pleased with the 570. I do not have the 6 mtr version so have no clue about that. I originally thought something was wrong because it was SOOOOOOOO quiet. Found out it was just the dsp doing what it was supposed to do. Have worked a lot of good DX barefoot with only an 80 mtr dipole. It tunes up for most bands fine. You need to remember where you tuned it since it has a "memory" for the tuner and if you go from CW to SSB, etc you will need to retune it. Otherwise it remembers settings from band to band. No battery problems, but keep pwr supply on so would not know. Works fine. Middle range s/n (80MM).

3378. HELP? TS-440 to SM-220 Pan Display?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkinsley@raex.com
Message-ID: <6dji9d$uk6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151630

Just picked up an SM-220 w/BS-8 Pan Adapter. Looking to pull the IF off the TS-440SAT to provide Pan Display on the SM-220. The 2nd IF of the TS-440 is the same freq. required by the BS-8. I've searched everywhere for ap notes or info, to no avail.

Has anybody done this or can point me in the right direction? I'll be a pioneer if I have absolutely to, but would rather find out if anybody else has been down this road before.

Any help or info would be very much appreciated.

Jeff

jkinsley@raex.com
If one member of a syncronized swimming team begins to drown, ... do they all have to drown?

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3379. VICOM Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <Sam@scoutnet.net.au>
Message-ID: <34fd41ce.0@news.camtech.net.au>
Source record: 151631

I have just purchased through n auction 2 vicom 2 way uhf radios,
I am investigating modifying these to suit the 70cm band, however I have no idea on how the frequency is determined.
Does any one know how to get this information or even get in touch with the manufacturer.
Any information will be appreciated.
Thanks

Sam
VK5ZLP

3380. 35 Amp Pyramid Phase III Schematic needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: trbarber@earthling.net
Message-ID: <34fe44dc.24175632@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151632

I need a schematic for the Pyramid Phase III Model PS-35. I will be willing to pay copying and postage expenses.

3381. dsp 100 for kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bertholet Jean-Charles <jessi.bertholet@span.ch>
Message-ID: <01bd4770$70ee0c00$49615590@bertholet>
Source record: 151633

hello,

i'm a Kenwood ts850sat, and I search 1 DSP 100 for this modele,
I thimg that the Kenwood make never this mod�le,
I you have un occasion , thank you

Excuse my for english bet y speak french.

Jean-chalrles

Answer jessi.bertholet@span.ch

3382. inquiry on TS940,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Fearon <john@peach.negia.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.980304080436.13789A-100000@peach.negia.net>
Source record: 151634

I bought a TS940 in 1987. I have heard from several sources that Kenwood has made that rig a victom of programed obselescence. Is this true? I really don't want to have to buy another rig if this one dies. Should I cross my fingers that my rig doesn't die?!! I know Kenwood andd the other Japanese manufacturers are disappointed in their rig sales, but this is a real kick in the a-- if it is true. Please e-mail me privately if you have info. John Fearon w4wkp

3383. Re: Kenwood 570 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34FD69A4.59E2@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151635

K4KK wrote:
>
> I have been very pleased with the 570. I do not have the 6 mtr version so have
> no clue about that. I originally thought something was wrong because it was
> SOOOOOOOO quiet. Found out it was just the dsp doing what it was supposed to
> do. Have worked a lot of good DX barefoot with only an 80 mtr dipole. It
> tunes up for most bands fine. You need to remember where you tuned it since it
> has a "memory" for the tuner and if you go from CW to SSB, etc you will need to
> retune it. Otherwise it remembers settings from band to band. No battery
> problems, but keep pwr supply on so would not know. Works fine. Middle range
> s/n (80MM).
Does the TS-570 transmitt on AM. With the Yaesu FT-920, I understand
that you have to purchase a ciruit board for AM. I understand that you
have the D model. Can you recieve the 6 meter band?

3384. Shack Cleaning Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Marsh <nickwb4sqi@wwd.net>
Message-ID: <34FD6816.5F08@wwd.net>
Source record: 151636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Cleaning Shack, need to move it out:

Icom CM-35 commercial charger (same as BC-35) in GC, $50 shipped.

W&W Mastercharger for Icom, GC, $60 shipped.

W&W Super BP-8S battery pack for Icom, like new, $45 shipped.

Iomega external tape drive, parallel port connection. With manual and
Win 3.1 software, one tape. 125/250mb capacity. $35 shipped.

IBM PC-Jr. keyboard, like new, never used, $15 shipped.

Universal Data Systems external modems, 1200/2400, (2). Make offer +
shipping.

Bird 43 wattmeter with 3 slugs, HF 250 watt, vhf 250 watt, vhf 10 watt.
$200 + shipping.

MFJ 259 antenna analyzer, like new, $150 + shipping.

Midland UHF handheld, 16 channel, 5 watt, keyboard programmable. Same as
Icom U-16. With 13.2v 1000mah battery pack, manual, service manual, no
charger. Uses Icom accessories listed above. $200 + shipping.

Money Order or Bank Check required over $75. COD via Fedx 2 day only.
Trades accepted, what do you have?

I need 16 mb 72Pin sims, ide HD 500mb or bigger, EIDE Hard drive 800+mb
and EIDE controller for VLB or ISA bus. Newton Print Pack.
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73
Nick Marsh
WB4SQI

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3385. Re: Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: vx701205@woods.uml.edu
Message-ID: <1998Mar4.100004.1@aspen>
Source record: 151637

>> Could someone post a list of radios known to have either
>> 11m RX or TX/RX?
>>
>> Please add to the list.
>
> If you want to operate 11 meters Radio Shack has several fine
> radios
> to choose from.
>
I owned one which could be added to the list, but since it would be
illegal to operate with that power on that band now, I hesitate to
even mention its name.

3386. FS 6 meter Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980304151301.KAA00540@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151638

For Sale 6 Meter - z Match - Antenna Tuner
$45.00 Plus Shipping
kb5mer@aol.com (512-267 7385)

3387. Bird wattmeter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6djric$amf@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151639

I've seen them, and everyone I've spoken with likes them. What is it about the Bird that makes it such a popular meter?

3388. FS: 10M Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Garry W. Woods" <kb8sgo@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#Ry7pR4R9GA.330@upnetnews03>
Source record: 151640

TS-5010, similar to HR2510, 25W SSB, 10W AM-FM,
looks like new and was not used mobile, $200+shipping.

TS-5011, matching speaker/power supply for TS-5010, $75+shipping

Garry (423) 457-8961 Knoxville

3389. Question: Best radio for AM/FM/WB reception?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: baker@sgi.net
Message-ID: <353f7d89.1355458035@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 151641

Hi All,

This question may be off topic, but its the closest forum I could find to ask it in. I live in Western PA and would like to buy a radio that provides the best reception for AM/FM/WB. I want this radio for in my office where it must co-exist with computer equipment. I have a few other desireable feature, but none are requirements. I would like it to have a digital tuner with presets, external antenna inputs, and a digital clock. Sound quality is a concern, but not a major one. Primary need is for sports broadcasts, AM talk radio/news, and weather band.

I would also like to hear opinions on where the best places to buy this radio. Retail stores, mailorder, other?

Thanks in advance,

Tim Baker
baker@sgi.net

3390. Re: Bird wattmeter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0403980754120001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 151642

In article <6djric$amf@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>, "Argus"
<rlong3@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I've seen them, and everyone I've spoken with likes them. What is it about
>the Bird that makes it such a popular meter?

Accurate, dependable, well made, bulletproof, change ranges and freqs by
buying a new slug, not a new unit, last forever, etc.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

3391. FS/trade - Alinco ELH-7400 UHF Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dmi0s$ck8@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Please make an offer for this item, I have no idea what its worth:
>
>Its in mint cosmetic condition; however, operational condition is
>unknown. Sorry, no box, no manual. It requires a 13.8 VDC power
>source which is not included. It did power up when I put a power
>supply on it. I purchased this at an estatee sale with a box of other
>electronics stuff. I am not a ham, and therefore have no need for
>this.
>
>The unit is all metal, approx 4" X 6" X 1"
>A tag on the bottom of it says "rated input 10W"
>The front of it has an "on-air" led, and three push buttons:
>
>1. Mode - SSB/FM
>2. RX - On/Off
>3. TX - On/Off
>
>I would be interested in trading this for a basic hand held scanner.
>Please let me know brand and model # on your scanner for trade. If
>necessary, I will add money to even up the trade.

3392. Help? Mod for Ic-215?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <6dmgh3$i6c$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 151344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital

Greetings all,

I have a vintage IC-215 (146-148 MHz Xtal controlled) FM transceiver.
I am looking to dedicate this to APRS and packet on the lower end of the
2M band. HOWEVER, ths rig was only designed to work in the 146-148 Mhz range.

Any ideas on how I can mod this down to around (gulp) 144.390 / 144.97?

Thanks
-J n1rwy
baack@maine.edu

3393. FS-Photocopy of Drake R-7 service + owners manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dmht0$ck8@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151345
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.boatanchors

>Photocopy of the owners and service manuals for $35 shipped to lower
>48 States. The service manual has 14 "11 X 17" schematics and circuit
>pictorials.

3394. MOTOROLA POWER SUPPLY FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka <ilonka00@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6dmi04$35n@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FOR SALE: MOTOROLA TPN1151 power supply. This is a rack mount, 120VAC supply, I think from a 100 watt MICOR base station, puts out 12VDC at 20-30 amps (or more)? It's in clean shape and works fine. Can send JPG photo if you want to see it. Want $150 plus freight.

3395. Re: receiver conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fec84e.496588217@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151347

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 00:54:01 +0000, Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net> wrote:
>I'am looking at purchasing a new HF+6 meters rig I currently have a Icom 735 which has
>triple conversion in the receiver.I have been looking at the Yaseu 920 and the Kenwood
>TS 570s. The Kenwood also has triple conversion I believe the Yaseu has double
>conversion. Does this indicate the receiver in the Yaseu is of a lesser quality? Any
>help here would be appreciated .
>73 de VO1TY Tom

There is no direct correlation between the number of conversions and the
quality of the radio. More conversions does not mean better. In fact, the fewer
conversions that have to be used to meet a given performance specification
the better. Mixers are always a weak point in a superhetrodyne receiver.
If you can get the image response and selectivity you need with a single
conversion, then that's best. If you must double convert to get both image
rejection and selectivity, then you do. If you have to go so far as to triple
convert, there may be something wrong with your basic design.

One reason why a radio designer may opt for triple conversion is that
it makes offering IF shift easier. But with DSP in the last IF now becoming
available, that's becoming an obsolete idea.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3396. Re: Taiwan VS. Japan ??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fecea3.498209045@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151348

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 08:11:42 -0500, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I just bought a Yaesu FT-2500M and noticed a label on it saying
>"made in Taiwan,China." I also have heard about some other brand and
>models. I guess the manufactures are moving their factorys to
>China where the labor is cheap and Plentiful. How is the Quality vs.
>Japan?
> 73's Steve NS1R

Tiawan is Free China, not Red China. The quality of workmanship
there is as good as Japan, at least from the better companies on
Tiawan. There is a very strong high tech industrial base on Tiawan.
Likely the boards in your computer were made there. SMD work
is almost all robotic, so cheap labor isn't an issue (and labor isn't
either that cheap or that plentiful on Tiawan).

Kenwood has some models which are assembled in Red China.
I'd be a bit more dubious about that. They *are* probably still trying
to use cheap hand labor. Quality may be spotty.

Gary
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3397. FS:Kenwood TS-850S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fred H. Naumann" <fnaumann@micron.net>
Message-ID: <34FED8FF.835DA3D8@micron.net>
Source record: 151349

Mint TS-850S/AT. $1100

FS: Mint TS-850S/AT

Like new in appearance and function.
Built in antenna tuner and narrow SSB filter (1.8).
Original manual and carton (no other accessories).
Bought new about 4 1/2 yrs. ago. (S/N#41100336)
Price includes shipping stateside.

Fred H. Naumann, N7ACB
fnaumann@micron.net

3398. WANTED: Collins 51J4 or R-388A; Collins KWM1 or R-390A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6dmktb$cq8$5@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 151350

WANTED: Collins 51J4 or R-388A; Collins KWM1 or R-390A

Wish to pay a reasonable price for a unit in good physical &
operational condition with standard accessories.

Email with details.

Thanks

3399. FS:YEASU ROTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Riccio <kc6rik@deltanet.com>
Message-ID: <6dmmnj$1ps$1@news01.deltanet.com>
Source record: 151351

I HAVE A YEASU G-800SDX ROTOR 2 YRS OLD $285.00
AND LIKE NEW G-5400B DUAL SAT ROTOR $375.00

YOU PAY SHIPPING OR P.U. NEAR LOS ANGELES.

TNX

RICK KC6RIK
KC6RIK@DELTANET.COM

3400. Re: Basic oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <34FECF19.72B3@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 151352

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 22:58:44 -0600, John Miles
> <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net> wrote:
>
> >Post an ad in rec.radio.swap and this group "WTB: Tektronix 453" and
> >you'll get what you need (DC-60 MHz) for less than $150!
>
> Be willing to pay a bit more and get a 453A. It is well worth it. I still
> consider the 453A to be the best all around service scope. The trigger
> circuits are top notch, and the display is big and bright. The older 453
> has a much smaller display, and the triggering isn't as good. I have
> a 4 channel 2465A now, but I still reach for the 453A first most times.
> It gets the job done with a minimum of complex setup and hassle.
> (The trigger circuits in the 453A are superior to those in the 465
> or 485 IMHO. I wouldn't pay a preminum for either of them for
> HF servicing.)
>
> Gary
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> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

AFAIK the triggering's the same between the 453 and 453A, but yes, the
bigger screen is much nicer. I have a 454 with the smaller screen, and
it can be a little uncomfortable to use at a distance.

I use a 485 most of the time, and have never noticed a difference in the
triggering sensitivity or control response between it and the 454. Both
are excellent. But I can sure tell the difference between the 454/485
and the newer junk, blindfolded...

When they stopped using the tunnel-diode trigger circuits, the
triggering quality went to hell in a handbasket.

-- jm

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

3401. ICOM 706 and Data

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <34ffe118.1581556@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151353

Anyone have an idea on how well an ICOM 706 would work with a KamPlus
for DATA work (packet/rtty/cw, etc)?

Please reply via W4SCO@amsat.org

3402. W.T.B. Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <n7zmg@seanet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd485c$a8b3f900$7753b6cc@default>
Source record: 151354

I am looking for a Tektronix scope. Would prefer model number 453 or higher in excellant condition. Will considers other models. Thanks.

John Waldburger

3403. FS:collins s-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1fxn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305175201.MAA11972@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151355

I have for sale a collins s-line from a local estate.Inludes 75s-3,32s-3,312b-4 and speaker power supply.This includes all manuals manufacturer tags and warranty card that was never filled out.This gear is collectors quality and NOT junk.I am asking $1200 cash and is pick up only due to value.I can be reached at (207)377-8061 in the evenings ask for Doug.

3404. WANTED 23CM FM-TRANSCEIVER !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees Brommersma <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <889123794.798462@guust>
Source record: 151356

Hello there,

I (Cees) am looking for a 23cm FM transceiver,
if You have, of know something, please let me know !!

Thanks a lot <> Cees and 73'sssssss

3405. Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM
Message-ID: <efuJI2DS9GA.272@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151357

Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as 'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound like it's doing the PS much good.

Matt Gilbert
KC8FAY

3406. FS:YEASU 736R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Riccio <kc6rik@deltanet.com>
Message-ID: <6dmq7t$4d4$1@news01.deltanet.com>
Source record: 151358

Like new 736R 2m/440 w/keyer /tone board and cat rs232 interface.original
box,and manual and
SP-767speaker w/filters included.
non-smoker. $1550.00 will ship

Rick
kc6rik@deltanet.com
626-333-6629

3407. Re: Old HF Transceivers with 11m TX/RX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <RATTdfAXtu$0EwSK@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151359

>If you folks would only read the question you might avoid the appearance
>of being an idiot.
>
>The 11m band used to be a HAM band and was on many radios. He is trying
>to compile a list of them for whatever reason.
>
>If you don't know the answer how about polite silence. ie DON"T RESPOND.
My old FT301S had an 11m position, used to get out well also:-)

Phil G4ZOW

3408. Re: Bird wattmeter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <BgbXVhA1yu$0Ewyf@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151360

>>I've seen them, and everyone I've spoken with likes them. What is it about
>>the Bird that makes it such a popular meter?
>
>Accurate, dependable, well made, bulletproof, change ranges and freqs by
>buying a new slug, not a new unit, last forever,
This last point is a matter of debate for any PMR/LMR field engineers,
the meter window is weak!

Phil G4ZOW
>etc.
>
>73, Dick
>--
>Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
>Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

3409. Re: FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jnewgas@cix.co.uk
Message-ID: <6dmqov$o0c$1@plutonium.compulink.co.uk>
Source record: 151361

Ricardo ...
Have a look at my web site www.cix.co.uk/~jnewgas/
I have some tables giving international data for the FT50

I also have a Windows program (FTZAP) and instructions on how to alter
your FT50 from USA to European.

I had to go the other way for travelling in the USA !

73's de G7LTQ

In article <6dfebgeod1@wagner.si.ualg.pt>, rgoncalv@mozart.si.ualg.pt
(Ricardo Goncalves) wrote:

> Hello,
> I've bought a Yaesu FT-50R, from HAMSTATION (www.hamstation.com) in US
> A.
> Now because I live in Portugal (Europe) I've to send the radio to the
> local
> equivalent of FCC, to test if is suitable for use in Portugal. For whi
> ch,
> I need to know what is the default BAND(*) for Yaesu's radios that are
> shipped to Portugal or Europe... My radio's BAND is A1 (USA).
>
> (*) Process to know what is the BAND:
> Hold down LAMP + PTT + KNOB and press POWER.
> In my case I see BAND A1.
>
> Please, if you know which is the Band for Portugal and/or Europe, or how
> to
> change this radio for EUROpean settings email-me !
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Ricardo Goncalves
> CT2*** (Expecting for the license of my radio)
>
>
> --
> +---
>
> | Ricardo Goncalves
> | E-Mail: rgoncalv@ualg.pt
> <<>> Finger rgoncalv@mozart.si.ualg.pt for PGP Key!!!
> <<>> Web Page http://w3.ualg.pt/~rgoncalv/
>

John N.

3410. IC 215 Mod??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <6dmqr0$2m8i$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 151362

Greetings all,

I have a vintage IC-215 (146-148 MHz Xtal controlled) FM transceiver.
I am looking to dedicate this to APRS and packet on the lower end of the
2M band. HOWEVER, ths rig was only designed to work in the 146-148 Mhz range.

Any ideas on how I can mod this down to around (gulp) 144.390 / 144.97?

Thanks
-J n1rwy
baack@maine.edu

3411. Re: Suggestions for Dual Band FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulc@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6dmqp3$mj6@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 151363

Bob (ciebert@triax.com) wrote:
: You can buy a Yaesu FT-8500 brand new for $379.95 at most any of the Ham
: radio stores. You can get one from HRO at that price and they will pay
: the shipping. I just purchased one two weeks ago and I just love it. It
: displays both vhf and uhf. It will do cross band repeater. You want the
: one with the MH-39 mic.

Maybe yes, maybe no. Depends on your tradeoffs. The MH-39 is smaller,
more "normal", but requires more button pushing for the same
functionality. I personally like the big mic (FS-10?) because most
all functions are available with one button push. It does have a learning
curve, and I can think of some changes I would love to make to it, but
it works well for me and I wouldn't trade it for the other one (which
I have tried, by the way...)

Try them both, if at all possible.

At that price, the FT8500 is a good buy. It seems to be a very solid radio,
plenty of features...

: Go to the web page and check it out.
: http://www.yaesu.com/ft8500.html

-Paul C. KG0CZ

3412. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6dmif6$8jq@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 151364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:

>>One thing you did not mention is that someone who knows how you can often is
>>olate a
>>trouble to the stage from using the front panel controls/meters.
>> Can you do that with the modern day receivers?

>Sure, if you understand how they operate. The nice thing about modern
>equipment is that whole subsystems are embedded in a single chip.
>Since it is easy to determine if a subsystem has failed, your troubleshooting
>is over almost before it began. You don't care which part of the chip failed,
>since you have to replace the entire chip anyway. You basically troubleshoot
>at the functional block diagram level.

Unless the radio is say, 10 years old. Then you toss it in the trash
and buy a new one, for the custom-made chip that went bad is no longer
available anywhere. That's why we (here on the .boatanchors NG) still
operate BA gear; we're able to keep 50+ year old radios on the air by
trouble-shooting down to the one single bad component, whether it be
a resistor, cap, inductor, or tube. Replacement is easy due to the
wiring layout (point-to-point).

One wonders why you'd come onto the .BA newsgroup, and slam BA gear,
Gary (your R-390 comments). You've got to try to cease being so
confrontational. You're becoming a bit like Carl.

Jeff KH2PZ

3413. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob McKay <r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dmv2k$2mf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151365

Matt Gilbert wrote:
>
> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
> deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
> 'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
> does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
> like it's doing the PS much good.
>
> Matt Gilbert
> KC8FAY
My 35a does that once in a while, so far hasn't hurt it, but I would be
interested to know if this is _normal_ or a problem also.

Bob
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KB4GNX
r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net
rmckay@juno.com
The world of fact is often stranger than fiction....

3414. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FEFE9E.80D07034@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 13:45:44 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
> >Gary Coffman wrote:
> >
> >> On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 14:22:33 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
> >> >One thing you did not mention is that someone who knows how you can often isolate a
> >> >trouble to the stage from using the front panel controls/meters.
> >> > Can you do that with the modern day receivers?
> >>
> >> Sure, if you understand how they operate. The nice thing about modern
> >> equipment is that whole subsystems are embedded in a single chip.
> >> Since it is easy to determine if a subsystem has failed, your troubleshooting
> >> is over almost before it began. You don't care which part of the chip failed,
> >> since you have to replace the entire chip anyway. You basically troubleshoot
> >> at the functional block diagram level.
> >
> >That may be true, if the chip is in fact the fault. What if it is one of the inputs to
> >the chip.
>
> Mechancial bonding problems generally give intermittant behavior, so this
> is pretty obvious. If the chip is bad, it won't be intermittant. It will be hard
> failed. So if the radio is just acting flaky, you know you have a bad bond
> somewhere. A visual inspection with a loupe will usually show it to you
> right away, and if not, some tapping with a non-conductive tool in the
> suspected area will quickly find it.
>

So your a hunt and pecker technician.. What about if an input from one chipto another chip
is not there due to a bad coupling capacitor, or what if the chip
has the incorrect out put due to a defective feedback resistor

> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

3415. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FF0013.AC20910@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> >Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
>
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> >>olate a
> >>trouble to the stage from using the front panel controls/meters.
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> >is over almost before it began. You don't care which part of the chip failed,
> >since you have to replace the entire chip anyway. You basically troubleshoot
> >at the functional block diagram level.
>
> Unless the radio is say, 10 years old. Then you toss it in the trash
> and buy a new one, for the custom-made chip that went bad is no longer
> available anywhere. That's why we (here on the .boatanchors NG) still
> operate BA gear; we're able to keep 50+ year old radios on the air by
> trouble-shooting down to the one single bad component, whether it be
> a resistor, cap, inductor, or tube. Replacement is easy due to the
> wiring layout (point-to-point).
>
> One wonders why you'd come onto the .BA newsgroup, and slam BA gear,
> Gary (your R-390 comments). You've got to try to cease being so
> confrontational. You're becoming a bit like Carl.
>
> Jeff KH2PZ

That's why I still have my heathkit SB 101, my SB401 and 303 receiver
and the drake twins, not to mention a Yazoo ft 101 EE, and my knight
kits that I converted to operate with the SB-10. MY Kenwood ts-530S
is not too bad along those lines but I have not looked too close at my TS-140.
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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

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3416. Yaesu FT 920 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kwick@mitre.org
Message-ID: <kwick-0503981440460001@wickwire1.mitre.org>
Source record: 151368

How do we mod the Yaesu FT920 for general coverage TX?

kwick@mitre.org (KB1JY)

3417. Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rotnappl@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <rotnappl-0503981218160001@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151369

I'm looking for any new or current manufactured HT's (2m/70cm) that use drop-in chargers.

If you know of any please post/email.

thanks, greg KC6ZWO

3418. FS ,RS Outdoor scanner/ham discone antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: darrellk@iland.net
Message-ID: <34ff07b1.4296666@news.iland.net>
Source record: 151370

I have an Radio Shack scanner/ham discone antenna for sale. RS number 20-043. $59.99 new. Assembled, but never used. Will disassemble for shipment or leave together for local pickup. $35.00 you pay shipping. W1TXX. E-Mail to darrellk@iland.net or call 660-826-7022 tnx

3419. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerald franks <w4rf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dn32u$msa@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151371

My RS-35A does it too, it's just the transformer responding to the high inrush current.

3420. WTB: Standard C508A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jopp@erols.com
Message-ID: <jopp-0503981612210001@207-172-175-77.s14.as3.hck.erols.com>
Source record: 151372

Want a mint condition Standard C508A with full mods. thanks.

3421. FS - USED TUBES ***NEW SITE***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: iakincorp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305210900.QAA07642@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151373

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/iakincorp/tubes">Click Here</A>
TO GO TO WEB SITE.

3422. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305211900.QAA13554@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151374

You should hear my 2 50 amp supplies when I hit them on
at the same time, ha ha,.... THUNK !!!! that is a good word to
describe the sound...
K5JOE

3423. Re: Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6dn5b7$dp@harp.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 151375

rotnappl@ix.netcom.com (Greg Reid) writes:
>I'm looking for any new or current manufactured HT's (2m/70cm) that use
>drop-in chargers.

What exactly do you mean by "drop-in charger"?

For example, the Yaesu FT-50 by default charges the battery on the
radio with a wall wart charger. But you can also get a charging
cup (the CA-15) that you can drop a battery, or radio plus battery,
into for charging. It uses the same wall wart for power.

In addition, you can get the NC-50 fast charger plus the appropriate
cups for the FT-50. That allows you to drop two FT-50s battery packs,
with or without radio attached, into the cups for charging. It charges
only one radio at a time, but it will automatically switch from one
to the other. So you can drop two discharged packs in, and have two
charged ones in about 2 hours with no further intervention. The NC-50
is a fair amount of additional money, though - it doesn't come with
the radio.

Dave

3424. Cabinet refinishing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bd487b$4c24cf60$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 151376

I remember seeing someone here on the net who does professional cabinet refinishing for boatanchors. Anyone know who that is and how to contact him? Thanks.

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Mike White
m_white@juno.com
mwhite@mitre.org

My opinions are my own, not my employer's.

3425. Need Help With Tube Matching & Price 6JE6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd487f$94584060$5d8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have just acquired a real nice SBE SB2-LA Linear Amplifier but UPS
trashed the tubes.
I am sure they will need to know what the replacement costs for the tubes
will be.
What will it cost to replace the six 6JE6 tubes with a MU-matched set of
six new ones?
What is the best source?
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

3426. Icom CI-V Interface Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <34FF1D8F.84A411D@wavefront.com>
Source record: 151378

Can anyone give me or point me to any tips on programming an IC-706 via its computer interface? The only reference that I have is the Instruction Manual. Most of the commands, per se, seem to make sense, but when does the radio return the OK Message, the NG Message or the IC-706 to Controller message? And in what order are the frequency bytes sent?

My first thought was to request the current frequency, see what I got and then assume that the command sequence would be the same. But then I couldn't figure out how to request the current frequency!

I managed to figure out my FT-990 by using the examples in its Instruction Manual and eventually wrote what I think is a pretty neat control program, but this Icom interface is clearly something very different. Any help whatever will be appreciated.

73, CJ K0CJ

3427. Astron Thunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JDM <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4881$b1528c00$9ee7f2cd@default>
Source record: 151379

All 3 of my Astrons make that noise when turned on.

3428. What Is The Difference Between 6JE6, 6JE6A, 6JE6C?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4880$cd0f7d00$5d8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151380

Follow up to value and replacement cost question for the UPS damaged tubes - which of the three versions of the 6JE6, plain, A and C is preferable for the SBE SB2-LA linear? Antique Electronic Supply is asking $40. each!
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

3429. Re: Icom W32a Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34FF21C8.7896@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151381

Mark Hodge wrote:
>
> I need the mods for the Icom W32a. I will be buying this radio this
> weekend and would like to get the full effect.
I don't know about any mods, but if you get cloning software and cable
which should be free when you buy the radio, it will expand the receive
range for 118MHz to 900 MHz with the cell phone freqs. blocked. I like
mine. I can set it for dual receive. AA1TA

3430. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6dn7n0$e8@harp.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 151382

mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM (Matt Gilbert) writes:
> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
>deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
>'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
>does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
>like it's doing the PS much good.

Yeah, it's normal, and no, you can't do anything about it.

The problem is that the power is applied at a random point in the
AC cycle. If you could guarantee that the residual magnetic
flux in the core was zero (from the last time the power supply
was on), and the AC switch was closed at the peak voltage
(when the flux is normally passing through zero), then the
transformer would behave normally from the instant power was
applied.

But turning on the power at a zero crossing requires the core flux
to go to double its normal level before it starts to decrease again.
Essentially, the flux in a transformer core normally goes from a
positive value "H" to an equal negative value -H every cycle of the
input. Starting with the wrong initial conditions requires the
flux instead to go from zero to 2H (or -2H) and back to zero.
Any residual magnetism in the core at turn on adds or subtracts from
this effect, and half the time makes it even worse.

This would be fine if the core was somewhat more than twice as large
as needed for normal operation. But manufacturers don't waste size
and weight and money like that - the core is only slightly larger than
needed. So the core saturates well before the flux reaches 2H. Once
the core saturates, the inductance of the primary doesn't generate enough
EMF to oppose the primary voltage, and the primary current goes way up
for the first half cycle. It is limited only by the primary resistance,
and whatever counter EMF the primary can generate. This current surge
causes magnetostriction in the core, which is what generates the thunk.

But after that first half-cycle has saturated the core, the second
half-cycle starts out with the core at maximum flux. This is even better
than normal operating conditions, so the second half-cycle will not
saturate. The third half-cycle will bring the core back up to the
edge of saturation, so there may be a bit of excess current for the
third half-cycle but much less. At the same time, this shifts the
operating point of the core back further towards balance.

As long as the core's flux waveform is not symmetric about zero,
the transformer will have slightly more inductance for the positive

half cycles than the negative (or vice versa). This asymmetry of inductance will push the core operating point towards symmetry. After a few AC cycles, the core flux waveform will be balanced around zero, and the transformer will operate normally. It will be quiet.

Dave

3431. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FF2668.15452EF8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151383

Matt Gilbert wrote:

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> deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
> 'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
> does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
> like it's doing the PS much good.
>
> Matt Gilbert
> KC8FAY

Hi Matt,
Well if it is a switching supply I would worry. But, I suspect it is a good old transformer type of the boat anchor variety. Indeed it is just the magnetic field in the transformer flexing the ferrite core when those filter caps start charging after you kick it on. It is common for high current supplies when they are first turned on. I like the description....

A quality power supply has a nice solid *THUNK*.......

73
Mark
WA0DCA

3432. Kenwood 241a - Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Hall <khall@ruraltel.net>
Message-ID: <34FED46B.2101@ruraltel.net>
Source record: 151384

Hi All,

I have a problem with a Kenwood 241a mobile 2 meter radio.
I bought it about 7 years ago and have got along with it OK
(the display goes out.....I think they all do it). Anyway,
here is my latest problem and I was hoping someone may have
some insight.

I'm driving along one day (minding my own business) and all of the
sudden it starts ringing like a cell phone going off....the display
was not working so I'm not sure what happened. I got the display to
turn on (push on the front...hard) and now the tone bell is
blinking....the A.Lock is blinking and I have a lame number like 001.5
and it's locked up. It will not reset and my function key will not
work. So....has anyone had a problem like this they could fix?
I know it's 7 years old...but I'm not that hard on my radios. It
ought to last longer than that. Does anyone have any thoughts?

Thanks,
Keith N0OMX

3433. WANTED 23CM FM-TRANSCEIVER !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees Brommersma <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <889142436.794843@guust>
Source record: 151385

Hello there,

I (Cees) am looking for a 23cm FM transceiver,
if You have, of know something, please let me know !!

Thanks a lot <> Cees and 73'sssssss

3434. FS:CLEGG 99'er 6MT TRANSCEIVER - HAM RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0nno <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <6dn9qkjtf1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 151386
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

This Clegg 99're is a two owner radio which I bought used in 1968. It transmitts and receives but needs a little tuning. In a scale of 1-10 it is a 8. I do not have original manual or original box, but I have a copy of the manual

Pictures Can be seen at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7588531

3435. FS: SWAN DC MOBILE POWER SUPPLY /NEW! / HAM RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0nno <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <6dn9vijtn1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 151387
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

NEW-ORIGINAL SWAN 117X AND 14X DC MOBILE SUPPLY ORIGINAL BOXES, ORIGINAL CABLE HARNESS, NEVER USED ONLY TESTED, HAVE HAD SITTING IN MY GARAGE FOR OVER 20 YEARS. ON A SCALE OF 1-10 A 10++++

Pictures can be seen at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7589701

3436. FS:1296 MICROWAVE MODULE TRANSVERTER HAM RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0nno <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <6dn9tajti1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 151388
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

1296 MICROWAVE MODULE TRANSVERTER--Its IF input frequency is 144mhz. It excepts 5 to 500mw input for 2 watts of output power. It is solid state using 13.8 volts DC. Was bought used from Oklahoma Comm Center and was never used. Encludes Manual

Pictures can be seen at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7589240

3437. Re: Bird wattmeter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: N5HYH
Message-ID: <34ff2f69.2338201@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151389

On Wed, 4 Mar 1998 10:20:24 -0500, "Argus" <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>I've seen them, and everyone I've spoken with likes them. What is it about
>the Bird that makes it such a popular meter?
>
They are just work horses. My 1958 model which I have had for 15
years is still working. Just for grins I ran it across the Cal Bench
at work and the thing is still in Cal.

Very Wide Band, that old meter is in regular duity from .540 kHz to
1860 Mhz. With power levels of 10mw to 2500 Watts.

Ron
N5HYH

3438. Knwd YK-455C-1 Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa5tn@apex2000.net
Message-ID: <6dng17tk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Kenwood YK-455C-1, 500 Hertz CW filter. Asking
$70 shipped via USPS Priority Mail. Tks es 73 de Bill

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3439. FL-2000 Amp Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rocky Davis <ac5io@seacove.net>
Message-ID: <34FF39CF.3E7A@seacove.net>
Source record: 151391

Thanks to all that helped,I got the Amplifier wired for 240 Volts.It works great.Thanks Old timers,I will try and run it another 50 years.
Rocky

3440. WTB: IC-1271 or IC-1275 1.2 GHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Schwartz <kb6sjt@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <34FF3ABF.85315A3C@ricochet.net>
Source record: 151392

Hello,

I want to buy or trade for an ICOM IC-1271 or 1275 1.2 GHz rig. Would
also like to get the ATV module for it.

Call 408 743-9407

Jon
KB6SJT

3441. Antenna Help requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sehrlich@shore.net
Message-ID: <6dnf7l$th@shell2.shore.net>
Source record: 151443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello to all:

I just received a new Hustler 6-BTV vertical HF antenna. One thing I discovered (possibly omitted from the description in the catalog), or something I maybe should have assumed, is that it will need radials if mounted high in the air. I plan to mount it about 90 feet up a metal mast which will have its metal base on the ground.

It comes with no radials, and the instructions recommend rather long radials. What are my options? I'd like to work all bands without having to add on a zillion 32 foot radials.

I have a brand new Yaesu FT-900 HF transceiver with a built-in antenna tuner.

Thanks for any help anyone can offer.

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Scott Ehrlich sehrlich@shore.net
Scott Ehrlich Consulting http://www.shore.net/~sehrlich
Amateur Radio Callsign: wy1z

3442. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <34FF4189.D10F3EC@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151444

Matt Gilbert wrote:

> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
> deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
> 'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
> does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
> like it's doing the PS much good.
>
> Matt Gilbert
> KC8FAY

Don't turn it off.

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

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3443. HELP: PL tone too strong for FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: LIUXI YANG <liuxi.yang@Eng.sun.com>
Message-ID: <34FF4663.F3949DD9@Eng.sun.com>
Source record: 151445

I bought a pair of FT-50RD's. For simplex, it works fine.
I am having problems when I use repeaters.
For most repeaters, I can trigger the repeaters' callsign
and hear it very clear, but I can not get my voice on the
air. So for, I only found one open repeater working for me.

I am a new ham. So I thought open repeaters might not be
strong enough. I decided to join a closed repeater for $50/yr.
But I had the same problem with this closed repeater.

Last night, when I was trying this repeater again, I found
that whenever I pushed the PTT, I could hear other people's
conversation. Now I believe that there is a problem with
my radio. It is likely that the PL tone transmitted by my
radio is much much stronger than the voice. So when my radio
is transmitting, the repeater picks up others' conversation
which was using different PL tone. And if there is no other
active conversation, the repeater simply can not pick up my
voice.

Am I right? Is there an easy way to confirm this? Unfortunately,
I don't have access to a scope now. So I want to find a real
easy way.

If so what should I do to get my radios fixed?

If there are other possibilities, please educate me.

Thanks a million.

KF6PKD

3444. WTB Knwd SP-70 Ext. Spkr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Campbell <qlz@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FF4BE7.E5E420C0@earthlink.net>
Source record: 151446

Name here is Ray and I am looking for the Kenwood SP-70 external speaker
to go with my TS 700 SP 2M all mode. Please reply to my e-mail
address/ qlz@earthlink.net
Thanks and 73's KC6QLZ

3445. Kenwood TH-G71A TX Mods now online!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb <bblackburn@puc.edu>
Message-ID: <34FF4D0D.62FF2F93@puc.edu>
Source record: 151447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

You can now find the TX mods for the Kenwood TH-G71A HT, On my site,
http://www.angelfire.com/ca/ke6gwf/ (Finally!)
Ben (KE6GWF)

P.S. I did the mods on mine, and everything seems to be working all right.
After mod TX capability.

136.000MHz- 173.995MHz, 400.000MHz- 469.995Mhz

RX
136.000MHz- 173.995MHz, 400.000MHz- 469.995Mh
320.000MHz- 399.99375Mhz, 800.000MHz- 823.9875Mhz
849.000MHz -868.9875Mhz 894.000MHz- 949.9875MHz

3446. DSI Freq. Counter, power help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6dnj8j$5nh$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 151448

Hey all,
I recently acquired a DSI Model 5600A Freq. Counter,
and have NO idea what type of power it needs.
On the back, it says "dc INPUT" but no voltages.
i'd hate to try 12v and have something inside pop because it expected
5v or 9v.... or maybe it needs something rediculous like 20v?? :)

Anyways, anyone have one out there and know what it might need?
I'm just being cautious here.... :)

Thanks, email replies to jrerlewe@mtu.edu

thanks, joe N8OUZ

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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

3447. Re: Qrange Swap Meet QST's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bell System <westernmobiletel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dnl11$cfd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151449
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

W5IDX wrote:
>
> I Am Looking For The Gentleman Who Had The QST's For Sale At The Orange
> Swap Fest That Belonged To The Widow Of A Silent Key. I Believe The Set Was
> From 1979-1994 With Some Missing. I Am The Intrested Party & Would Like To
> Get With You If You Still Have Them.
> 73's W5IDX Houston Texas
>
> Or Anyone Else Who Has Resonably Priced Qst's .

` HI W5IDX! Did you get my e-mail re: 5 large boxes of QST & CQ?
--
Very Best Regards, ARTHUR 73 KC6KUK ANAHEIM CA.
http://www.bellsystem.net
http://www.911radio.com
http://www.motorola8000.com

3448. Re: FS:1296 MICROWAVE MODULE TRANSVERTER HAM RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "jbyrdk3gnc@worldnet.att.net@email"@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dnmtd$mqp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151450
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

ka0nno wrote:
>
> 1296 MICROWAVE MODULE TRANSVERTER--Its IF input frequency is 144mhz. It
> excepts 5 to 500mw input for 2 watts of output power. It is solid state
> using 13.8 volts DC. Was bought used from Oklahoma Comm Center and was never
> used. Encludes Manual
>
> Pictures can be seen at:
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7589240

HI,

WHAT IS THE PRICE?

3449. Value of FT107M ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dno7g$2p2@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151451

Can anyone tell me the following re the FT107M:

1) current value
2) Approx date of manufacture
3) Output power
4) Tube or solid state

Thanks

3450. Re: Kenwood 241a - Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <34FF6A00.6AE6@onramp.net>
Source record: 151452

Keith Hall wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> I have a problem with a Kenwood 241a mobile 2 meter radio.
> I bought it about 7 years ago and have got along with it OK
> (the display goes out.....I think they all do it). Anyway,
> here is my latest problem and I was hoping someone may have
> some insight.
>
> I'm driving along one day (minding my own business) and all of the
> sudden it starts ringing like a cell phone going off....the display
> was not working so I'm not sure what happened. I got the display to
> turn on (push on the front...hard) and now the tone bell is
> blinking....the A.Lock is blinking and I have a lame number like 001.5
> and it's locked up. It will not reset and my function key will not
> work. So....has anyone had a problem like this they could fix?
> I know it's 7 years old...but I'm not that hard on my radios. It
> ought to last longer than that. Does anyone have any thoughts?
>
> Thanks,
> Keith N0OMX

Look in the owners manual for the ALL LOCK function and reverse the
procedure to turn it off. In that mode nothing works, even reset. Little
know feature of the rig.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3451. WTB: Kenwood TS440S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Professional Killer <mblank@iknowwhereyoulive.com>
Message-ID: <34FF6EFA.6F80BFFA@iknowwhereyoulive.com>
Source record: 151453

I'm in the market for one of these. It must be in good working order,
preferably unmodified. Email me at gt0060b@NOSPAMprism.gatech.edu
just remove the NOSPAM
Thanks
73
Eric N2JBE

3452. Re: Icom 706 mkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rtm@netgate.net
Message-ID: <rtm-ya02408000R0503981936560001@nntp.netgate.net>
Source record: 151454

In article <34FE36B9.2892@vermontel.com>, hermit@vermontel.com wrote:

> Is there any way to add a keypad to this rig for direct entry of
> frequencies?

A simple matter of programming...

The serial port protocols are sort-of-documented in the manual. The 706 speaks a funky packed BCD protocol (why these idiots^W fine designers couldn't stick to straight ASCII is beyond me).

You'll need a micro to do the digit input and recognize the end of data entry. format that into a BCD packet, and squirt it into the serial port of the radio.

I fooled around with a Stamp-II based external memory module for my 706, it worked pretty well. I'd probably go with picking up DTMF tones and accumulating them into a valid frequency.

Can't point to an off-the-shelf solution right now. Check this space in a couple of months (when I have some spare time.)

73-

Bob Martin K6RTM

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Bob Martin K6RTM * rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net

3453. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyberhax <i676532@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <34FF7920.78A4@thegrid.net>
Source record: 151455

Dave Martindale wrote:
>
> mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM (Matt Gilbert) writes:
> > Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
> >deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
> >'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
> >does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
> >like it's doing the PS much good.
>
> Yeah, it's normal, and no, you can't do anything about it.
>
> The problem is that the power is applied at a random point in the
> AC cycle. If you could guarantee that the residual magnetic
> flux in the core was zero (from the last time the power supply
> was on), and the AC switch was closed at the peak voltage
> (when the flux is normally passing through zero), then the
> transformer would behave normally from the instant power was
> applied.
>
> But turning on the power at a zero crossing requires the core flux
> to go to double its normal level before it starts to decrease again.
> Essentially, the flux in a transformer core normally goes from a
> positive value "H" to an equal negative value -H every cycle of the
> input. Starting with the wrong initial conditions requires the
> flux instead to go from zero to 2H (or -2H) and back to zero.
> Any residual magnetism in the core at turn on adds or subtracts from
> this effect, and half the time makes it even worse.
>
> This would be fine if the core was somewhat more than twice as large
> as needed for normal operation. But manufacturers don't waste size
> and weight and money like that - the core is only slightly larger than
> needed. So the core saturates well before the flux reaches 2H. Once
> the core saturates, the inductance of the primary doesn't generate enough
> EMF to oppose the primary voltage, and the primary current goes way up
> for the first half cycle. It is limited only by the primary resistance,
> and whatever counter EMF the primary can generate. This current surge
> causes magnetostriction in the core, which is what generates the thunk.
>
> But after that first half-cycle has saturated the core, the second
> half-cycle starts out with the core at maximum flux. This is even better
> than normal operating conditions, so the second half-cycle will not
> saturate. The third half-cycle will bring the core back up to the
> edge of saturation, so there may be a bit of excess current for the
> third half-cycle but much less. At the same time, this shifts the

> operating point of the core back further towards balance.
>
> As long as the core's flux waveform is not symmetric about zero,
> the transformer will have slightly more inductance for the positive
> half cycles than the negative (or vice versa). This asymmetry of
> inductance will push the core operating point towards symmetry.
> After a few AC cycles, the core flux waveform will be balanced around
> zero, and the transformer will operate normally. It will be quiet.
>
> Dave

Now there's a guy that knows what he's talking about!

WB6JWB

3454. TS-940 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: michael domeier <prefect03@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <34FF7C78.7A94@ameritech.net>
Source record: 151456

I'm experiencing an odd problem with my 940 and wondered if anyone has
seen this before.
After I turn the rig on, the display drops and returns...then I get a
series of periods running across the display. When in this mode..I have
a hard time changing bands or modes...as if the micro-processor is busy
with some other task....I have a feeling that the 5 volt line to the
micro may be low or noisy....but havent dug into the rig yet..
any ideas ? Mike (WS8D)

3455. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwm@reidnet.com
Message-ID: <6dnr7nevk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151457

> I own 8 Yaesu radios. For the most part they are excellent. The
> early serial numbers of the FT-8100 were unacceptable. Perhaps
> they have done better with the later ones.
>
> Good luck, Jim, W1PID
>
>
I hear about these early serial numbers can you give us an idea of
what kind of numbers we are talking about as early numbers??
I have an FT-8100 for 6 weeks now and have had no problems with it
cross-banding or otherwise. Appreciate your input maybe it's time to give the
8100 some good PR.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3456. Re: What Is The Difference Between 6JE6, 6JE6A, 6JE6C?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Orville Beach W6BI <w6bi@micom.com>
Message-ID: <34FF6FC4.1019CEFE@micom.com>
Source record: 151458

DavidC wrote:
>
> Follow up to value and replacement cost question for the UPS damaged tubes
> - which of the three versions of the 6JE6, plain, A and C is preferable for
> the SBE SB2-LA linear? Antique Electronic Supply is asking $40. each!
> --
> Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

According to the RCA Receiving Tube Manual (1968):

Hmmm... not very enlightening.

For 6JE6, they give no electrical data, just refer to the 6JE6A as the
replacement.
For 6JE6B, they refer you to 6LQ6 as the replacement.
Under 6LQ6, they say the 6JE6C is electrically equivalent to the 6LQ6.

They are physically the same, and what little electrical data is given
appears the same. I suspect that they are sequentially improved
versions of the same tube. I wouldn't mix them in an amp, but I
suspect you could use any of them. If you have the option and the
costs are about the same, I'd go with the latest version. Presumably
they've made improvements in durability, longevity, etc. without
modifying the electrical characteristics. Ideally you'd match them in
a tube tester. Haven't seen one of THOSE since Marconi was a pup...

Of course, I could be way off beam.. Anyone else got any insight into
this?

73 - Orv - W6BI

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Orv Beach W6BI
w6bi@*micom.com
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3457. Re: Icom CI-V Interface Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy <rcarles@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FF8532.55CC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151459

Frank Krozel wrote:
>
> Hi CJ:
> I have a similar problem. I have a 706MKII, after selling my old
> faithful 706, and it would have been nice to be able to "clone" one to
> another.
> All of the programs I have seen, bought or got, just allow for
> programming. Once you have 50 or so memories programmed, it would be
> nice to be able to "read" the radio, then bit bang it with the new
> added data. In addition, most of all the radios I have had over the
> years all have lost memory data over the life of the radio. I must
> say ICOM did it right, as over 125,000 road miles and it NEVER failed
> memories! (Thank you Icom!) I talked via e-mail to one of the
> software designers and he stated he would entertain reading the radio,
> but I never heard from him again. Apparantly, it may not be
> possible. I wish we Icom users had similar software like the FT-50
> has. The ADMS software is great. If you have some solution to this,
> I would appreciate hearing from you. Frank KG9H
> frank@electronicinstrument.com
>
> There is a program called Memory Master for the Icom -706 that I found
on the Internet. It is a zip file but I don't remember where I got it.
This was a shareware program.
I have the author's e mail address: KEITH-N5DUH@worldnet.att.net

If you want direct frequency entry there is an optional keypad mike
available from Icom.
73 Randy

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>
>

3458. VX-1r spring/beltclips fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <34FF9895.542EE69B@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 151460

[No readable article body recovered]

3459. KNWD TH28 INFO ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony A. Andrianos" <kc6kim@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <34FF9651.5215@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151461

Hello Anybody,

Does anyone have a quick start card for the kenwood th-28a that I may copy and return, or if possible can you spare an extra manual to help me out. I will send a donation (reasonable) to cover expense or cost of the material.

Please respond if you can help, as I have recieved one in need of repair; but I do need the basic instructions to operate the rig, the schematic is not necessary. Thank you.

Anthony A. Andrianos kc6kim@pacbell.net
P.O. Box 421
Ross, Ca 94957 (415) 457-9947

3460. Re: Norbreck Raido and electronics rally IS ON !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woody <woody@nospam.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Wdld6DAVLu$0EwSz@tangon.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151462
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,demon.adverts,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.adverts.computer,uk.radio.amateur

In article <h25wxJAeWp$0EwGX@fm-radio.demon.co.uk>, Gavin Lawrence
<Gavin@fm-radio.demon.co.uk> writes
>In article <889048031.25303.0.nnrp-08.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk>, Martin
>John Hallsworth <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk> writes
>>Hello all
>>
>>!!!!!!!!!!!!! PLEASE NOTE THAT THE N.A.R.S.A. Rally IS ON !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>It would have been nice to add when, instead of having to follow the Web
>link!

Er, when?

--
Andrew W.
Harrogate, UK
woody@tangon.demon.co.uk
g1uxp@gb7cym

To reply, replace nospam with tangon in the address.

3461. FS Icom 745

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305000700.TAA10950@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151500

I have a clean icom 745 with PS,Keyer and SSB filter.
$600.00
Dick,KA1KLA
Dick468359@aol.com

3462. Frequency Inversion Descrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305002000.TAA13217@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151501

Cordless phones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically 3300
3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.

Posted by Matthew Bias
CTP - Descramblers http://members.aol.com/CTPDS49/index.html

3463. FS: Yaesu FT-2400H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <w4des@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34FDF1CF.5BA94598@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale very nice FT-2400H with manual and mounting bracket.
Price $200 including shipping
Reply via email

Please ignore my earlier posting as this is the correct email address.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
W4DES Amateur Op
w4des@bellsouth.net

Amateur Radio Transmitting Society
of Louisville, KY

3464. FS: Yaesu FT-416 2M HT w/ access.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Shelton" <w4des@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <34FDF24B.E507C6CB@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale nice clean Yaesu FT-416 2M HT with standard 600mA battery and extra 1500mA battery, includes stock accessories rubber duck antenna and

a Radio Shack speaker/mic, desk stand, adapter for use in car made by Yaesu E-DC-5B and manual. This is a package deal for $200 including shipping.

Reply via email.

Please ignore the previous posting as this is the correct email address.

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73 dit dit,

David E. Shelton, RN
W4DES Amateur Op
w4des@bellsouth.net

Amateur Radio Transmitting Society
of Louisville, KY

3465. Re: inquiry on TS940,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47d1$754476c0$75efffcc@n4lq.iglou.com>
Source record: 151504

I'm not sure what you mean by programed obselescence but you may be referring to the rom chip which can fail and no replacement is available thus rendering your rig useless. I've heard the same about the TS-930 but have not confirmed anything. I can understand that sooner or later any manufacture will withdraw support of their older products. The only way to avoid this is to stick with a strictly analog rig of which there are few.

73

> I bought a TS940 in 1987. I have heard from several sources that Kenwood
> has made that rig a victom of programed obselescence. Is this true? I
> really don't want to have to buy another rig if this one dies. Should I
> cross my fingers that my rig doesn't die?!! I know Kenwood andd the other
> Japanese manufacturers are disappointed in their rig sales, but this is a
> real kick in the a-- if it is true. Please e-mail me privately if you
> have info. John Fearon w4wkp
>
>

3466. Re: searching pc pakratt for windows

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@minn.net
Message-ID: <6dkvic$2ap$2@news.minn.net>
Source record: 151505

In article <6cq0a3jnu1@news00.btx.dtag.de>, DBX238@t-online.de (Joerg Neumann) wrote:
>hello all
> i am searching the programm pc pakratt for windows.
>
>who can help me !

Try http://www.timewave.com. I know both AES and HRO handle this software.

John Douglas
N0ISL/UA4LIS/UB5WJD
Service manager
Timewave technology

3467. receiver conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net>
Message-ID: <34FDF7A9.71CF@thezone.net>
Source record: 151506

Thanks for looking at this.

I'am looking at purchasing a new HF+6 meters rig I currently have a Icom 735 which has triple conversion in the receiver.I have been looking at the Yaseu 920 and the Kenwood TS 570s. The Kenwood also has triple conversion I believe the Yaseu has double conversion. Does this indicate the receiver in the Yaseu is of a lesser quality? Any help here would be appreciated .
73 de VO1TY Tom

3468. Radio Shack HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: redwood09@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305025300.VAA16410@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151507

VENTURA, CA Area

Almost new Radio Shack HTX-202. Used on a few occasions to listen, never got liscensed, so never used to transmit. All there, packed in original box. I paid around $250 for this tranceiver a few months ago, and I got in over my head. I don't have the time to learn the material to get liscensed, and I need the money for school and a new vehicle. I am asking $150 or best offer. If you live in the Oxnard, Camarillo, Ventura or that area, I may be able to deliver it to your door. Any interested parties, please e-mail Redwood09@aol.com.

Thank you
Aaron Hendrix

3469. Re: Radio Shack 2m/30W amplifier on sale for 59.- -- Good price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Squeeze the Weeze <none@spammer.now>
Message-ID: <01bd47e2$d68281a0$d66be0c7@holmes>
Source record: 151508

Good enough! Just check your in/out connectors and make
sure they dont loosen up like many do. Also, RS REPLACES
anything under $100 if u get the warranty. Good if u smoke
things a lot.
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-skweezieweezie

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3470. Re: What is a Yaesu FT101E in pristine condition worth these days?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd47e2$48e21900$3506a3cd@bwallace.cts.com>
Source record: 151509

I think Dan, N8VZU is right on the mark. $300-350.
On the other hand, this is a really nice Transceiver.

Ben Wallace
WB8HUR -- San Diego

Blackie Lawless <blackie@gate.net> wrote in article
<34fdce7e.38552633@news.supernews.com>...
> I have a fellow ham in the area that is interested in purchasing my
> Yaesu FT101E and I have no idea what a reasonable asking price should
> be. He said once I decide to let him know. I have had it since I was
> 14 years old. I bought it with money I earned mowing lawns and doing
> other odd jobs. Needless to say, since I had to work hard for it, I
> took very good care of it. There are no scratches, and no dust on the
> inside as I always kept it covered when not in use. It even has the
> origional plastic protective covering on the front. I fired it up
> lately, and yes it does work. The reason I am considering selling it
> is that I never use it and would like to take the proceeds and buy
> some other equipment.
>
> Thank you in advance for your input.
>

3471. FS: ADI AR-446 UHF Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: truztnoone@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305031500.WAA15604@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151510

FOR SALE:

ADI AR-446 UHF mobile. 35 watts out, 40 memories, CTCSS encode and decode.
With original box and manual. In very good condition, and already modified for
public service frequency TX.

Asking $250 including shipping anywhere in continental U.S. E-mail
<truztnoone@aol.com> for more info.

3472. Amateur Radio Resources for Chicago, USA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cal Kutemeier <ckuter@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dl6d0$n77@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151511

I would like to tell you about my webpage which is intended to be a resource to hams visiting the Chicago area. It lists various repeaters, meetings, nets, etc. which a traveling ham may be interested in. Please pass this along to your members.

http://www.netcom.com/~ckuter/kb9rtm.htm

73's
KB9RTM
Cal Kutemeier

3473. WTB service manual for Icom R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stanton <mstanton@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd47e8$44a523e0$64a541ce@cen11212>
Source record: 151512

I am looking for a previously owned service manual...OK..a used manual if anyone has one...

thank you.....Mike Stanton mstanton@centuryinter.net

3474. Yaesu 290RMKII For Sale/Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305045301.XAA03713@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151513

Hello,
Not much into the ham radio hobby, would like to sell my Yaesu 290RMKII Multimode 2 meter transceiver. It comes with the following:

25 Watt Clip On Amplifier
Battery Pack w/new nicads
Wall Charger
Tone Board (Encode&Decode)
Antenna
Mobile Mounts
DTMF Mike
Carry Case, strap
All Manuals, original packing materials. Radio and accessories are in excellent condition, the radio has a small scratch next to the speaker where a sticker had been placed. When I removed it, a small piece of paint lifted. Otherwise, in excellent operating and cosmetic condition. I would like $475 for everything, not including the shipping. Will consider a swap for a mint Yupiteru MVT 9000, or a AOR 8000 (Not "B" model). Thank you for your time.
Ed Hutton N3KEX

3475. Yaesu 690RMKII For Sale/Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305045901.XAA09385@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151514

Hello,
I'm not much involved with ham radio anymore, and would like to sell my 690RMKII Multimode transceiver. The radio comes with the following:

10 Watt Clip On Amplifier
Battery Case
Carry Case, Strap
Base Loaded Portable Antenna
Mobile mounting brackets
Tone Board (encode/Decode)
DTMF Mike
All manuals, packing materials. Asking $475.00, not including shipping. I am open to a swap, interested in a Yupiteru MVT 9000, or AOR 8000 (Not "B" model). Equipment is in mint condition and well taken care of.

Ed Hutton N3KEX

3476. Icom 706 mkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34FE36B9.2892@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151515

Is there any way to add a keypad to this rig for direct entry of
frequencies?

3477. Qrange Swap Meet QST's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <KD5BAY@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6dlei9$497@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151516
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

I Am Looking For The Gentleman Who Had The QST's For Sale At The Orange Swap Fest That Belonged To The Widow Of A Silent Key. I Believe The Set Was From 1979-1994 With Some Missing. I Am The Intrested Party & Would Like To Get With You If You Still Have Them.
73's W5IDX Houston Texas

Or Anyone Else Who Has Resonably Priced Qst's .

3478. Re: 900 meg radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <34FE3C5D.DEA@vermontel.com>
Source record: 151517

Jed Barton wrote:
>
> Hey there gang, do any of you know of any radios that will tune up to 900
> megs? I am in a situation wear i am forced to link on 900 at one of my
> repeater sights. Brands and model numbers would be appreciated. Thanks
> ---Jed.
I have an Icom IC-W32A HT. When I used the cloning software that came
with it, there was a box labeled EXPAND Rx. After checking it I was now
able to scan from 600.00 MHz to 999.99 MHz on one band. I believe I can
now scan from 118.00MHz to 999.99 MHz, but the cell phone freqs. are
blocked, by changing to one of four bands. Hope this helps you.

3479. KNWD TH21 BATTERY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Rupprecht <jrupp@ezy.net>
Message-ID: <34FE3E3B.D78@ezy.net>
Source record: 151518

Need a battery pack for the Kenwood TH21 TH31 TH41 series original mini-portables.

Can use either the standard 7.2 volt or 9.6 volt extended pack, Dead or Alive as long as plastic housing is AOK/

PLEASE RESPOND TO K3NOQ email: jrupp@ezy.net

3480. WTB: NC-50 Yeasu Quick Charger.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <berL.5836$eZ1.4172454@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 151519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a Yaesu NC-50 quick charger. Dosen't matter on the charger cups, I can buy the correct ones.

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Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

3481. WTB: Yaesu NC-50 Quick Charger.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <WlrL.5837$eZ1.4176178@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 151520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a Yaesu NC-50 quick charger. Doesn't matter on the charger cups, I can buy the correct ones.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

3482. Icom W32a Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Hodge <wiz@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <34FE3EC3.D20221BA@iglou.com>
Source record: 151521

I need the mods for the Icom W32a. I will be buying this radio this weekend and would like to get the full effect.

3483. Re: TM-V7 Radio Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: swtempo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dlj5e$847@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151522

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 12:06:33 GMT, zl1oz@voyager.co.nz (Brett Skinner)
wrote:

>I just purchased the TM-V7 and it was completely modified out of the box all I
>had to do was the cross band repeat mod...maybe we get the good ones in NZ
>
>Cheers Brett
>zl1oz

What cross band repeat mod??

3484. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6dlk68eva4@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 151523
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-02-25 laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk said:
la>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
la>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
la>In article <888367920snx@llondel.demon.co.uk>
la>noone@llondel.demon.co.uk "Dave {Reply address in.sig}" writes:
la>-> I doubt if there are many modern TVs or monitors with mains
la>transformers -> in them. Switch-mode power supplies are now so
la>cheap and reliable and -> are a lot smaller and lighter for a given
la>power rating. Actually, quite a few current TV sets have mains
la>transformers in them - somewhat to my surprise.
la>I don't know about SM supplies being "cheap and reliable" - to
la>manufacture maybe, not so much for us poor engineers who have to fix
la>them!
la>rgds
la>LAurence

Yup. The heavies seem to have cracked the problem of preventing talented people from mending things free of charge.

Bill
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

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3485. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6dlk6eeva5@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 151524
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-02-25 laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk said:
la>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
la>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
la>In article <34f39c8f.108602508@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
la>ke4zv@bellsouth.net "Gary Coffman" writes:
la>-> If anyone seriously cared about the environment, we'd stop
la>greenhouse -> gas production cold and switch to a fully nuclear
la>powered energy system. -> We have tens of thousands of years worth
la>of proven reserves for that. -> Instead of gigatons of CO2 and
la>megatons of fly ash to dispose of every -> year, we'd have a few
la>hundred pounds of hot stuff to pile out in a desert -> somewhere
la>and put a fence around. Fine, if they can ensure that the atomic
la>plant will be 100 per cent safe 100 per cent of the time, with no
la>leaks, explosions, meltdowns, blowups, etc. The UK processing plant
la>at Windscale is notorious for springing leaks. And what are you
la>actually going to do ith all the hot waste that is currently buried
la>in a field or slung in the sea? rgds
la>LAurence

We went paddling in the sea downstream from Windscale with 2 little dogs, a few years ago. They seem OK (The dogs. And the feet. The "Daily Mail" would be far more worried about what the poor little doggies left in the water. AND the feet.)

We also went swimming off Aldeburgh, not 2 miles from Sizewell, most mornings. Then one evening we walked back from dinner after dark and saw the sea glowing green where the waves were breaking. Very pretty but we paused for thought. After realising the true explanation we resumed bathing in it.

Bill
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Forsan et haec olim meminisse juvabit

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

3486. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Willis <"M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <34FE6ABE.DA6FC638@rl.ac.uk>
Source record: 151525

I have consistently found the equipment supplied by ICOM to be much better
than the equivalent from Yaesu but then I use equipment for contests and value
a good receiver. My IC735 was bought second hand and has worked very well
for many years, the IC275 and IC475 are still the only VHF/UHF rigs available
that
are any use in a crowded band. Try using an FT736 - so many buttons, FT726
too many intermods. Kenwood, after the TRIO/KENWOOD service fiasco?

The service from ICOM UK is exceptionally good.

--
Mike

(Remove the space from the Email address to reply)

3487. Re: FT-50R mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bferry@spambot_die_die_die.dunks.com
Message-ID: <6dm32m$69v$2@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 151526

In article <34FD0B02.1BD4@shaverlake.com>, dougmunday@shaverlake.com wrote:
> I applied the software mods to my FT-50 some time ago and it worked as
> advertised. (I had previously made the MARS/CAP mod by unsoldering the
> tab.) This has allowed me to use the radio on fire department channels
> as I am on the local fire department.
>
> I just recently tried this software mod on another (newer) FT-50RD, (no
> unsolder mod made) and have been unsuccessful. I can upload the
> modified .tpl file, but the radio response as if nothing was done to
> it...I cannot transmit outside of the ham bands. Does anyone know if
> Yaesu has changed the firmware or software to block this mod? I have
> not done the solder tab mod to this radio, do you think it is needed in
> order for the software mod to work?
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> 73's
>
> Doug Munday
> N6GBD
> dougmunday@shaverlake.com
>

I seem to remember reading in the mods instructions that the MARS/CAP
mod was *required* for the software mod to work. Quoting from the mods
document title: "Super-Hyper Awesome Mod: The mother of all Mods!!!
(Requires ADMS-1C software and MARS/CAP -mod to be performed)"

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Bruce Ferry

3488. Norbreck Raido and electronics rally IS ON !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gavin Lawrence <Gavin@fm-radio.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <h25wxJAeWp$0EwGX@fm-radio.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151527
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,demon.adverts,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.adverts.computer,uk.radio.amateur

In article <889048031.25303.0.nnrp-08.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk>, Martin
John Hallsworth <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk> writes
>Hello all
>
>!!!!!!!!!!!!! PLEASE NOTE THAT THE N.A.R.S.A. Rally IS ON !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
It would have been nice to add when, instead of having to follow the Web
link!

Many thanks for the info though.
--
Gavin Lawrence

3489. Re: 900 meg radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Nicholson <csnichol@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <34FE9606.339D@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 151528

hermit wrote:
>
> Jed Barton wrote:
> >
> > Hey there gang, do any of you know of any radios that will tune up to 900
> > megs? I am in a situation wear i am forced to link on 900 at one of my
> > repeater sights. Brands and model numbers would be appreciated. Thanks
> > ---Jed.
> I have an Icom IC-W32A HT. When I used the cloning software that came
> with it, there was a box labeled EXPAND Rx. After checking it I was now
> able to scan from 600.00 MHz to 999.99 MHz on one band. I believe I can
> now scan from 118.00MHz to 999.99 MHz, but the cell phone freqs. are
> blocked, by changing to one of four bands. Hope this helps you.

Jed, I assume you need a transmitter too for your linking.
The GE Exec II 800 mhz conventional radio can be modified for the 900
band.

3490. WTB: Kenwood VFO-120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305122101.HAA06721@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151529

WTB: Kenwood VFO-120. Pls. respond via private e-mail if you have a *nice* one available.

Thanks/73--Phil (K1HS) < rut@mcrut.mv.com >

3491. Astron vs Switching power supply?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6dm5et$923@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 151530

I need a 20 amp continuous PS. I have seen these "switching supplys" which are much smaller and are found in many radios with internal power supplys.

Is there much of a difference between the new switching electronic jogbbies and the old Transformer type like the Astron RS-35?

The Alinco DM-340MVT also looked good. 30amps continuous. Does it hold up?

Thanks
=TOM=
tnic@idt.net

3492. Re: Astron vs Switching power supply?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FEA307.5E38@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151531

Tom Nicastri wrote:
>
> I need a 20 amp continuous PS. I have seen these "switching supplys" which
> are much smaller and are found in many radios with internal power supplys.
>
> Is there much of a difference between the new switching electronic
> jogbbies and the old Transformer type like the Astron RS-35?
>
> The Alinco DM-340MVT also looked good. 30amps continuous. Does it hold up?
>
> Thanks
> =TOM=
> tnic@idt.net

The Alinco has 30 MVs Ripple ves the Astron that has 5 mv Peak to Peak.
Also, MFJ appears to be selling a Power Supply that looks like the
Alinco. If you don't need the light weight ,Small Power supply I would
buy the Astron (Super Rugged,Reliable). All Astron makes is Power supply
stuff so I think got it right by now. If you need small lightweight
then go for the Switching. I have found Switching power supplys to not
be as reliable as the Large Transformer type units. Also, the regulation
or "ripple" isn't as good plus they generate noise on your radio.
Astron Claims their switching works great for Even HF radios.
73's Steve NS1R

3493. Re: WTB: High Band MVP REAL BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FE9824.9658A177@earthlink.net>
Source record: 151532

The MVP and its big brother the MSTR EXEC II and cousin MSTR II
all can be moded to 220.....I have some VHF EXEC IIs and MAYBE one
HIGHBAND MVP I may want to keep but can always part with an EXEC II
I have....

Chris
WB5ITT
Dallas

S.M.A.R.C wrote:
>
> Looking for this particular radio or one that can do the same as this. We are trying to
put up a
> 222 repeater and this radio, from what I here, can be moded to go up there.
>
> If you have an extra one, and want to sell it, or know where to obtain one, please
e-mail.
> Our club is trying to add this band to it's ranks. Thanks.
>
> ----------
> (S.M.A.R.C.) Sunrise Mountain Amateur Radio Club
>
> 73 de N7RCM...in Las Vega

3494. Taiwan VS. Japan ??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <34FEA48E.6419@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151533

I just bought a Yaesu FT-2500M and noticed a label on it saying
"made in Taiwan,China." I also have heard about some other brand and
models. I guess the manufactures are moving their factorys to
China where the labor is cheap and Plentiful. How is the Quality vs.
Japan?
73's Steve NS1R

3495. Re: Repeater Offset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FEA7BD.50F54EFB@earthlink.net>
Source record: 151534

Commercial high band rptrs use anything from 500Khz to 10Mhz offset!
There is NO set standard!

Chris

Mike Hughes wrote:
>
> >> There is a commercial repeater around here that operates around 166 mhz
> >> (output). I know that they use CTCSS to activate it but I can't seem to find
> >> the input frequency. Is there a standard offset used in the commercial world
> >> or could it be anything? I am simply curious about that because on 2 meters,
> >> the offset is fixed to 600 khz and I wonder about commercial stuff. Thanks
> >> for any input.
> >>
> >> 73 de VE2CJW.
>
> Most Hi Band Commercial Repeaters that I had anything to do with like the
> Corp of Engineers was set at 1.5 Meg offset.
>
> ==
>
> Mike Hughes
> 211 Woodland Drive
> Lowell, IN 46356
> (219)696-3637
> ICQ Number 6135077
> Also on People Link
>
> Have a Laser Printer we Remanufacture
> Laser Printer and Copy machine Cartridges
> Computer Repair will Make House Calls

3496. Re: GE Exec specs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <34FEA878.554F2832@earthlink.net>
Source record: 151535

If it has tubes, it is NOT a MSTR II....likely a MSTR EXEC I or
MSTR PRO series....the II is all solid state...the EXEC I is a hybrid
the EXEC II is solid state like the MSTR II series

Chris
WB5ITT

Dan Keizer wrote:
>
> Greetings ...
> my ham brother passed on to me a radio a few months prior that he wasn't
> making any use of that he picked up from a friend a while back. He
> doesn't know much about it, and no manual, so I'm looking for some
> helpful insights.
>
> It's a GE EXEC, nameplate info is as follows:
>
> EXEC MOBILE RT-42767
> EU = RG64TAS33
> ET=72-A
> ER=46-A
> SERIAL=5031628
> DOT=101391002
>
> If the GE Mastr II info page is pertinent to this radio, the info
> indicates it's a 41-80 watt radio, 20khz channel spacing, tone remote, 1
> xmit freq, 1 recv freq, standard options, 42.50MHZ.
> It's currently crystalled on 46.96 simplex.
> The info doesn't exactly coincide with the code on this radio and I'm
> not sure if it's the same radio...
>
> Two tubes in the final section are: 7984 and 8106.
>
> Any helpful insights??
>
> Thanks & 73, de Dan ve4drk

3497. F.S. Yaesu HF. FT-990 AC. $1250.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980305141101.JAA16351@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151536

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Yaesu H.F. Radio FT-990 /AC Model/AT
Excell Cond.w/manual no/handle strap
$1250. + Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com
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3498. Re: Motorola R-390A HF Receiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34febc09.493446925@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 13:45:44 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>
>> On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 14:22:33 -0600, Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com> wrote:
>> >One thing you did not mention is that someone who knows how you can often isolate a
>> >trouble to the stage from using the front panel controls/meters.
>> > Can you do that with the modern day receivers?
>>
>> Sure, if you understand how they operate. The nice thing about modern
>> equipment is that whole subsystems are embedded in a single chip.
>> Since it is easy to determine if a subsystem has failed, your troubleshooting
>> is over almost before it began. You don't care which part of the chip failed,
>> since you have to replace the entire chip anyway. You basically troubleshoot
>> at the functional block diagram level.
>
>That may be true, if the chip is in fact the fault. What if it is one of the inputs to
>the chip.

Mechancial bonding problems generally give intermittant behavior, so this
is pretty obvious. If the chip is bad, it won't be intermittant. It will be hard
failed. So if the radio is just acting flaky, you know you have a bad bond
somewhere. A visual inspection with a loupe will usually show it to you
right away, and if not, some tapping with a non-conductive tool in the
suspected area will quickly find it.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3499. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34febd32.493743755@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151538

On Tue, 03 Mar 1998 19:07:24 -0600, Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>
>> If you want to blast Icom (and other radio manufacturers), blast them
>> for failing to include service information with the product. This, to me,
>> has been the gravest fault of all. The IC706 shipped without even a
>> schematic diagram. That's intolerable in a product intended for the
>> amateur radio market.
>
>While I totally disagree with this disagreeable fellow ICOMSUX or
>whatever he calls himself, you have to admit that a schematic for the
>706 -- other than being an interesting artifact to admire while
>contemplating the wise use of ones spent ham radio dollars and the
>wonders of the innards of the really cool box in front of you on the
>table -- is pretty near a useless item.
>
>Now a schematic for an R-390A is something you can actually put to use
>.... but that's another thread altogether :-)

Ah, but Grant, as I told you in email, you certainly *can* make use of the service information for the IC706. Once you learn a few very simple new techniques, you'll find working on this sort of equipment is much easier than working on one of the old boat anchors. Yes, the parts are tiny, get a jeweler's loupe. But surface mount is a piece of cake to work on compared to the old wrapped and soldered tie points, or compared to thru-hole board mounting. All you need is access to one side of the board to work on it. The trick is to throw away your soldering iron. Get a static hot air source and some SMD solder paste. It's *easy*.

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3500. Re: Basic oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34febfa6.494372250@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151539

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 22:58:44 -0600, John Miles
<jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net> wrote:

>Post an ad in rec.radio.swap and this group "WTB: Tektronix 453" and
>you'll get what you need (DC-60 MHz) for less than $150!

Be willing to pay a bit more and get a 453A. It is well worth it. I still
consider the 453A to be the best all around service scope. The trigger
circuits are top notch, and the display is big and bright. The older 453
has a much smaller display, and the triggering isn't as good. I have
a 4 channel 2465A now, but I still reach for the 453A first most times.
It gets the job done with a minimum of complex setup and hassle.
(The trigger circuits in the 453A are superior to those in the 465
or 485 IMHO. I wouldn't pay a preminum for either of them for
HF servicing.)

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3501. FS: ICOM 761 GENERAL COVERAGE HF XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0nno <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <6dmfm9$aj5$1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 151540
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Icom 761---------- General coverage HF transceiver. All the bells and whistles. If you know the model you can appreciate what it is even more. A jewel of a transceiver. Works and looks like new. I am upgrading otherwise this would be mine til? A few features - VOX, electronic keyer, auto antenna tuner, AM-FM-RTTY-CW,SSB, compressor and more and more. Manual and schematics. -------- Winner pays shipping and insurance. ---
This radio is a one owner and non-smoker.

Go to:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7437725

3502. Re: HELP: NEED YEASU PARTS & TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Ward <don@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <A3XBQKACs0EwTp@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151541

In article <19980303093101.EAA17509@ladder03.news.aol.com>, Ekber
<ekber@aol.com> writes
>HELP ME
>I'm looking for parts for my YEASU FT-101B
>I need an RL-RELAY part # AE3171- 42
>And tubes 1ea 12BY7A
> 2ea 6JS6C
>Is there anyone out there that can help?
>THANX
>ekber@aol.com

I have some used but good 6JS6 you can have for free but where are you?
--
Don Ward G0MDO

3503. Re: inquiry on TS940,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <34fec1f9.494967240@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151542

On Wed, 4 Mar 1998 08:08:32 -0500, John Fearon <john@peach.negia.net> wrote:

>I bought a TS940 in 1987. I have heard from several sources that Kenwood
>has made that rig a victom of programed obselescence. Is this true? I
>really don't want to have to buy another rig if this one dies. Should I
>cross my fingers that my rig doesn't die?!! I know Kenwood andd the other
>Japanese manufacturers are disappointed in their rig sales, but this is a
>real kick in the a-- if it is true. Please e-mail me privately if you
>have info. John Fearon w4wkp

Johnny, all radios eventually become obsolete. The manufacturers have
to buy parts to build them, and the parts manufacturers discontinue old
parts when the technology on which they are based becomes obsolete.
That happens more and more quickly today as new processes and
new solid state technologies are developed. Solid state advances on
a roughly 18 month cycle (Moore's Law). So anything over two years
old is probably based on obsolete parts. When the radio manufacturer's
production surplus inventory is exhausted, that's the end of factory
support.

The problem can be particularly acute for chips with a high level of
integration. They are often single source, and when a newer technology
comes along, they are dropped. Usually, there is a functional equivalent
in the newer technology, but it usually isn't a pin for pin drop in replacement.
That means to keep older radios going you may have to do some modifications
to the design to use whatever parts are currently available. Often that isn't
cost effective.

This really isn't the radio manufacturer's fault. It is just a result of the
natural progression of technology. OTOH, solid state is *very* reliable,
and you generally won't have to do any repairs for the usable life of
the radio. If you really like the TS-940, find a parts radio to keep on the
shelf if you ever need to rob a part to keep your main unit going. You likely
never will have to, but it'll give you a warm and fuzzy feeling to know
that you can.

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3504. Re: Another Astron Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35008765.576415283@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151293

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 20:34:36 +0000, T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com> wrote:
>How many have hade the voltage rise on their Astron Power supply while
>using an HF rig that is not connected to the power supply?
>
>When I key down on the 40 meter cw band at 100 watts..... the voltage on
>my Astron RS-12A rises to 20v plus..... My HF rig has it's own power
>supply.... obviously rf related

Wow, you must have a really hot shack. RF can get back into the regulator
on any PS and cause it to go out of regulation. But it generally requires a
lot of RF to get into an Astron and throw the 723 out of regulation. Try a
0.001 uf cap across the DC out terminals to suppress this. But I'd seriously
look at shack and antenna layout to see why your shack has so much RF
floating around down there instead of up on the antenna where it can do
some good.

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3505. Re: 10mtr radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.91.980306170946.3606A-100000@sirajul.sh-gpl.ti.com>
Source record: 151294

On 6 Mar 1998, Michael D. Thomas wrote:

>
> I am hopefully going to be passing my 5wpm code test within the
> next several weeks. After that I will be in the market for a 10mtr
> rig. My question is; How can a new ham find out about older rigs
> that may be available on the used market? In other words what is the
> difference between the various rigs out there? Is there a good book
> to use?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Mike/KB8VYT
>
> --
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
> michael d. thomas
> mdt2@po.cwru.edu
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>
>

Mike;

Probably the best information on older radios is a book published by the ARRL
titled 'The ARRL Radio Buyers Sourcebook Volume 1'.

It lists the majority of commonly available radios covering the past 20 years.
Radios like the Drake R4 series, Kenwood TS520, Yaesu ft101 etc.

Newer all solid-state radios like the Yaesu FT1000 and Kenwood TS950 are also
listed. The book has actual QST reviews of the radios, along with product specs.
They also mention specific quirks or potential problems that the various
radios had.

There is also a Volume 2 that has some of the newest rigs, along with the newer
handie talkies.

I have both books, but think that VOL 1 is the best since it lists the older
rigs that are more easily affordable!

Good luck with your CW test and 73's!

Don Levstik WD5JBC/KAF8588
e-mail: d-levstik@ti.com

3506. Tek 465M Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dq1hq$h2e@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151295

Hi All
I have for sale TEK 100MHz scope Model 465M
Good Working Condition.(without probe)
Price:$ 245.00 Plus UPS
714-778-5151
Thanks.

3507. TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC2BTP@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dpvjo$8b9$1@newsd-142.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151296

Hey! Anybody own the Kenwood TM-V7A, you know the "Cool, New, and Blue"
rig. It looks pretty cool and has a lot of memory but I'm not sure if I
want to Invest in it. Or does anybody else recommend a dual-bander.
Also I have a wierd problem I just bought the Kenwood TH-79A and I think
its having power problems. First it worked GREAT! Then all of a sudden
it worked every now and then (like only when it wanted to) and now I
doesn't want to turn on at all. The Battery was charged but It doesn't
even want to turn on via power supply. Its really wierd. My Standard
HT is messed up and this was supposed to replace it. Now the Standard's
better. (I can't win)
Thanks for the help

73,

-Steve Goeller KC2BTP

3508. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <35009FE2.3E2C@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 151297

Jeez, come ON people! Are you all so attached to your techie "perfect pretty" radios that you have forgotten a true LAW of Ham radio???

ALL GOOD BIG THINGS GO "THUNK" WHEN YOU TURN THEM ON !

Case in point, My Astron 20M, and ANY respectable tube amp....

Pete

3509. FS:Radius Mobile UHF (reduced)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unit 61 <zjohznabzlez@ezxeczpc.com>
Message-ID: <6dq7sm$j47@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 151298

FS: Motorola Radius M216 UHF mobile radio. 25 watt with mounting bracket, external speaker, and power cable. 5 pin rear connector. Excellent condition inside and out. Will program to your specs. $275.00 shipped.

John (to reply, remove all z's from address) spam control

3510. FS:HT-1000 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unit 61 <zjohznabzlez@ezxeczpc.com>
Message-ID: <6dq82l$j47@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 151299

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FS:Mot HT-1000 UHF 450-520Mhz
Regular rate charger.
Very good battery.
Radio is a 9.5 on
a 10 scale. Radio has not had
any "rough" service.
$375.00 shipped.

John (remove z's from email to reply)
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3511. Help with tube rigs tuning theory!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6dq702$371$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151300

Hi there
I think my theory is a little rusty. Is it a fact that a
tube output transmitter like a Kenwood TS-830S can be matched to a
standard dipole without an antenna tuner? If so, what would be the advantage
in using a tuner anyway? If you can use it without a tuner, then how do
you tune it using the standard controls like LOAD, PLATE abd DRIVE? These
are the tuning controls on a Kenwood. Does a tube rig like to see a 50 ohms
load or can it use anything? In the Kenwood specs, it says RF output
impedance 50 to 75 ohms. I guess I am too used to using a solid state rig
and really need to review some theory. Thanks for any help.

73 de VE2CJW.

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3512. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwm@reidnet.com
Message-ID: <6dq75p$3d3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151301

In article <6doh84$o39$1@pyrite.mv.net>,
cluett@mv.mv.com (Jim Cluett) wrote:
>
>
> My FT-8100 serial number started with 7E021XXX. I understand
> that equipment can have problems. What was so frustrating
> to me was these radios had known problems and they sold
> them anyway and then expected their customers to pay the shipping to
> have them repaired. Nice to know they cleaned up the 8100.
>
> Now they say they have a new warranty policy where they pay shipping both
> ways. But they haven't announced it to their customers, and when I shipped
> my 8100 back a second time, even though the policy was in place,
> the company hadn't told their customer service people about it. What
> good is such a policy when they don't tell anyone about it? The
> vice-president, Mikio Maruya, has written me saying Yaesu now pays
> shipping both ways. It seems you have to call him personally in order to
> have the policy implemented. I'm afraid the 8100 changed my view
> of Yaesu and perhaps I haven't taken my lesson very gracefully.
>
> 73, Jim, W1PID
>
>
Mine starts with a 7H0XXXXX maybe they came to grips with themselves and
corrected the problem. Though I'm finding out when I cross-band using a 440
simplex freq like 446.100 171 tone into a 2meter repeater freq I get a hum in
the speaker during transmit. Yet no one else hears it. Anything like that ever
happen to you??

73, Al, KF4IBV

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3513. Re: Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <3500A01E.342F@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 151302

The Yaesu NC-50 is a drop in charger that works with a whole host of
Yaesu HT's, including the FT-50.

Pete

3514. FS UX-39A ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3500A992.3456@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151303

I have for sale a 220mhz module for an ICOM 900/901.$250
Lee

3515. Wisconsin Hamfest March 8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <3500AEE9.2140@vbe.com>
Source record: 151304

The Southeastern Wisconsin FM Amateur Repeater Society is holding a hamfest on Sunday March, 8 from 8:00am to 2:00pm. Admission is $5 at the door. It is being held at the Waukesha County Expo Center located off County Highway FT. There will be exams and hamradio, electronics, and computers. Please check their web page....\

http://www.execpc.com/~mjadams/SEWFARS.html

73
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Michael Melland, KB9QHU
FISTS #4387, 10-10 #69281
CW, SSB, and Electronics
List Administrator: grundig@qth.net

3516. Re: TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rik@vnet.net
Message-ID: <rik-ya02408000R0603982223190001@news.vnet.net>
Source record: 151305

I have the V-7A in my Explorer. I also have the 79A portable. They make a great combination. I love 'em. The remote and repeater functions are awsome.

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Rik Rasmussen Direct Call, Inc. Durham/Raleigh, NC USA
rik@vnet.net visit my homepage at http://users.vnet.net/rik/
AOL Instant Messenger: Rik Rass ICQ#7920695 Amateur Radio: WA4BAN

3517. Re: FT-50R mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Kerlin <kerlin@ligtel.com>
Message-ID: <3500bb0c.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 151306

Doug...I ran into the same problem on my VX1-R. Yaesu has made changes to many of their radios to make it more difficult to do hardware changes, and the newer versions of the ADMS have had changes to prevent software mods. Reason being that a high percentage of microprocessors have been damaged by the software mod attempts, and then warranty claims being submitted. You might try to make your modified template, send it to the radio with at least one frequency programmed, then download it to the radio. Now make another template from the now-modified radio and rename it and use it instead of the first one you made. You will probably have to do that each time you make a download to the radio.

On versions later than ver102 of the software, you will receive a "corrupt file" if you try to edit or open a file that you have uploaded from your radio. I would only do the hardware mods.
73 de Ron/kb9lsh
email: kerlin@ligtel.com

Doug Munday wrote in message <34FD0B02.1BD4@shaverlake.com>...
>Any help would be appreciated.
>
>73's
>
>Doug Munday
>N6GBD
>dougmunday@shaverlake.com
>

3518. Re: What is a Yaesu FT101E in pristine condition worth these days?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3500C627.551B4C5F@datacomm.com>
Source record: 151307

I am really happy now! I bought one in great condition, with a box of batteries, accessories, etc. for $125 about six months ago. I was wondering if I paid too much. I guess not.

Louis

Ben Wallace wrote:

> I think Dan, N8VZU is right on the mark. $300-350.
> On the other hand, this is a really nice Transceiver.
>
> Ben Wallace
> WB8HUR -- San Diego
>
> Blackie Lawless <blackie@gate.net> wrote in article
> <34fdce7e.38552633@news.supernews.com>...
> > I have a fellow ham in the area that is interested in purchasing my
> > Yaesu FT101E and I have no idea what a reasonable asking price should
> > be. He said once I decide to let him know. I have had it since I was
> > 14 years old. I bought it with money I earned mowing lawns and doing
> > other odd jobs. Needless to say, since I had to work hard for it, I
> > took very good care of it. There are no scratches, and no dust on the
> > inside as I always kept it covered when not in use. It even has the
> > origional plastic protective covering on the front. I fired it up
> > lately, and yes it does work. The reason I am considering selling it
> > is that I never use it and would like to take the proceeds and buy
> > some other equipment.
> >
> > Thank you in advance for your input.
> >

3519. Re: Antenna Help requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3500C8B1.8F78B2EB@datacomm.com>
Source record: 151308

What is the minimum size copper wire that can be used for radials. How long and how close should they be. I have access to scrap copper wire, and it would be helpful to know what size to save and what to send in for scrap.

Thank you

Louis

K4KK wrote:

> It is entirely possible that you will not need radials for satisfactory
> operation. Essentially you have 1/2 of a dipole with a vertical. You need
> something for the other half and typically that is good old Mother Earth.
> Since Ma Earth is usually a poor conductor, ground radials are required to
> assist in conductivity.
>
> If you are tower/mast mounting the vertical, the supporting structure can serve
> as the counterpoise. The problem here is that the angle of radiation will tend
> to be quite high. One of the "benefits" of vertical antennas is that there is
> a low angle of radiation. The low angle is beneficial for long distance
> communication. At 90' you will probably find a significant lobe at about 30
> degrees above horizon.
>
> Depending on what your planned uses are for the antenna, you may find that the
> performance is fine. There will probably be some change in feedpoint impedence
> although it is difficult to predict and probably will not cause any problem.
> The bandwidth will be impacted and could even improve as bandwidth is largely a
> result in rate of change between reactance and resistance.
>
> If you are interested in really getting into vertical antennas, Paul Lee (N6PL)
> wrote a book about 15 or 20 years ago titled "The Amateur Radio Vertical
> Antenna Handbook" that is probably still available and is the best book on the
> subject I have found.
>
> If I can be of help, you can Email me at K4KK@aol.com.
>
> Ed, K4KK

3520. Re: Icom 706 mkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy <rcarles@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3500CD86.175B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151309

hermit wrote:
>
> Is there any way to add a keypad to this rig for direct entry of
> frequencies?

Icom makes an optional keypad mike for the 706.Thats about
all I know. I never followed up on getting one.
73 Randy

3521. FS: Alpha 374 or 374A.....whichever u want 3 tubes@+spare!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dql2rltm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151310
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have one 374 A with third tube added. One 374 with 3 tubes (8874s for both). Both are in excellent condition, have the no-tune and manual tune positions,and either one will include one extra 8874 full output tube! $1495.oo gets you more amp than you thought possible for that money. Thanks, Murray

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3522. For Sale: ICOM 706 (mk1), 735, 751A, all excellent!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dqlf1$mb4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The 706(mk 1) is 5 mos old, in as new condition with mic, manual , boxes $875.

The 735 is in great condition, with mic, manual and box $595.

The 751A is in really great condition, with mic manual CW fil $695.

All guaranteed in perfect op. condition and working as such! Prices are plus shipping, can trade but mostly up! TRY ME! Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, TX

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3523. FS: Drake L4B Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dqm7v$n3m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two, one is very nice , one is even nicer, full out, lookin" FINE! These arent cheap but not expensive for what you get. If you are in the market for a 1200 watt output amp (at 100in, limit with 150 in) email me and we will chat. Both could be collector quality, the best one is surely and I want $750 for it, you pay shipping! Trades considered (only boatanchors Ill take would be other nice classic amps!) Thanks Murray Neece Odessa. TX

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3524. FS: Kenwood TS 940Sat Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dqmhc$n8e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

With SP 940 spkr. Mc 60 Mic, all working well, small amount of wear but looks fine. No gouges or big scratches, just a few small lite ones here and there.Will sell the whole station for $1050.oo and you ship! Or will sell you just the radio with hand mic for $940 and you ship! Trades? maybe but at this price, it will be wholesale for sure. Oh, yes, its a 5 million ser.# back to kenwood in 94 for ALL updates. one bulb out in clock. Thanks Murray

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3525. FS: Kenwood TS 530 S loaded!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dqmmjnlq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This rig has all xtra filters, ssb and cw, An MC 50 mic, manual and works perfectly!! Top shows some wear but not much, nothing deep , rest looks great original. Face GOOOOD! $450 and you ship! Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3526. Dentron Tuner MT 2000A for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dqmrb$nm8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151315
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice resonable clean, 3kw in upto 2kw out tuner. I have yet to arc one withmy big alpha. Works great, not metered, but modern meters are superior. Try it you will love it. Fixed inductance but capable of tuning ANY wire or aluminum that I have come across. $175 and Ill ship ! Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3527. Have new IC-756 want to trade for IC 775 DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dqn2lnuj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Well, the 775 is the only BIG radio I havent tried. I know this new 756 would bring 1600-1700 bux, still un-registered, but would rather trade to used 775 as long is it is perfect. Would probably give a grand with it for a good used one. Let me know if you are tempted!! Thanks Murray Neece

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3528. Re: 220 Hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chris A. Epler" <cepler@stormhaven.org>
Message-ID: <6dpn5s$em5$1@esinet2.esinet.net>
Source record: 151317

Andrew M Cohn <andy@vais.net> wrote:

> I'm pretty sure that the Standard C288A is still in production. That's
> the thin model with sliding keyboard cover. I've had one for years and
> it's a good rig. Then there's Yaesu's FT-33R, which apparently can be
> bought new also. Standard also has (or had) the 220/2m dual bander which
> got excellent reviews from QST. Suggest calling places like AES or HRO
> for current availability. 73, Andy - K4ADL

I had purchased a Standard C228 (2m/220) handheld and really liked it but returned it because my friend got a Icom W2A (This was ~1991 or so). I sort of regret that now because I really liked the C228.. Whatever happened to that? Why did they stop making them? Were they just not selling very well? Too pricy? (It WAS pricy)

Chris A. Epler - KC6ZOL - ESInet System Admin - (804) 974-7308
Do not send Unsolicited Commercial E-Mail (UCE), legal action may be taken.
PGP KeyID: 1024/6BBCAFE5 1997/04/14 Chris A. Epler <cepler@esinet.net>

3529. VX-1r spring beltclips fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <3500F0FE.B7A306B0@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 151318

[No readable article body recovered]

3530. FS: RACAL 0-30 MHZ. RECIEVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dqols$r84$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151319

Super clean Racal solid state 0-30 mhz. all mode (am,fm,cw,& ssb)
rcvr. Has mechanical filters. Built for the milatary. Works Great!! Have
manuale. A "vintage solid state rig". Price is $750.00.

For more info,call me or e-mail me.
73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

3531. FS: XTALS for BC-style TRANSMITTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dqo2e$r7a$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151320

Have 50+ DC-34 & DC-35 TX & RX xtals. It says "for BC-669 TMTR & RCVR"
on side. Very good shape. In the 3.5-4.5 mhz. range. Make me an
offer.......all or none.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

3532. Re: Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6dqt7p$8e6@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 151321

rotnappl@ix.netcom.com (Greg Reid) writes:
>I consider a drop-in charger, a unit that will allow an HT w/attached
>battery to be dropped into a holder/stand and recharge the battery, then
>maintain the charge with a trickle current.

Your VX-1R is somewhat of an exception. The FT-50 does not come
with one, but you can buy either fast (NC-50) or slow (CA-15) charging
stands for it. Many other HTs come with a charging stand by default
(e.g. FT-51).

The new tiny credit-card-size Alinco radios come with a charger that
the radio attaches to - it's not quite drop in, but much the same
functionally.

Dave

3533. Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Kempe <jkempe@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6dpjl5$8pp$1@news2.cais.com>
Source record: 151322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I bought, at a hamfest, an HT antenna, BNC, 16-inches
long, thin floppy rubber. It has red shrink tubing, 1.6 inches
long at the BNC, with the Logo, "AEA" in white. Not
sure of the letters, they run together, but at least "A?A".

The seller said it was for 440. It works there, I'm not
sure how well. Works poorly on 2m.

Can anyone ID this product?

Elliott

KC2FE

3534. Re: Yaesu 50RD Extended RX/TX Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6dqtod$8eu@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 151323

ralph_nos@nospam.contact-paging.com writes:
>FT-50RD even though it does not cover aviation freqs since it's still a great
>radio...

It does *receive* aviation frequencies just fine. It even switches to
the AM detector automatically in the aircraft band.

I suppose in an emergency you could use the PTT to transmit Morse code
even though you don't have an AM modulator or PA. Trouble is, nobody
listening to aviation frequencies would understand it.

Dave

3535. wanted JRC NCM 515 keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claudio <radio@mbox.queen.it>
Message-ID: <6dqr0a$pi7@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 151324

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radio@mbox.queen.it

3536. Gezocht IC-A22E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Cools <Hans.Cools@advalvas.be>
Message-ID: <3502e524.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 151325

Ben op zoek naar een iCom TX/RX type A22E (of type A22). Heeft iemand dit in tweedehand of kan iemand mij informeren waar ik er goed of zo goedkoop mogelijk kan aan geraken.

Zoek ook een TH-42E

3537. Re: Antenna Help requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: lar01@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <35007988.594410@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 151326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 5 Mar 1998 19:15:49 -0500, sehrlich@shore.net (Scott R. Ehrlich)
wrote:

>
>Hello to all:
>
>I just received a new Hustler 6-BTV vertical HF antenna. One thing I
>discovered (possibly omitted from the description in the catalog), or
>something I maybe should have assumed, is that it will need radials if
>mounted high in the air. I plan to mount it about 90 feet up a metal
>mast which will have its metal base on the ground.
>
>It comes with no radials, and the instructions recommend rather long
>radials. What are my options? I'd like to work all bands without having
>to add on a zillion 32 foot radials.
>
>I have a brand new Yaesu FT-900 HF transceiver with a built-in antenna
>tuner.
>
>
>Thanks for any help anyone can offer.
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>
>--
>-------------------------
>Scott Ehrlich sehrlich@shore.net
>Scott Ehrlich Consulting http://www.shore.net/~sehrlich
>Amateur Radio Callsign: wy1z

Hi Scott

I realise my suggestion might be contrary to your thinking, I am
refering to the idea of 90 feet sounding terrific, but would you
consider ground mounting the antenna and running the, 3 or 4, 32 foot
radials? I don't know how much yard space you have.
I tried a, homebrew, ground mounted vertical and they do perform quite
well.

Larry ve3fxq

3538. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6dp0cq$h9f@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 151393

In article <efuJl2DS9GA.272@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>,
mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM says...
>
> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
>deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
>'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
>does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
>like it's doing the PS much good.

Don't sweat it, Matt. My RS-35M has been doing this daily
since I bought it new in 1984. Never had a problem with it.

Dean, K5DH

3539. wtb broken radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bd490c$d1fd1020$1bf11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 151394

hi,im looking for bronken radios,projects ,tube or solid state

let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

3540. Re: FL-2000 Amp Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <35002542.5A8A@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Source record: 151395

Rocky Davis wrote:
>
> Thanks to all that helped,I got the Amplifier wired for 240 Volts.It
> works great.Thanks Old timers,I will try and run it another 50 years.
> Rocky

I used to own one. I don't know if
I would trust it that long (hi, hi)
Gary - KN0V

3541. Yaesu FT-101 / MFJ-1278 Help.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306151101.KAA20091@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151396

Hello,
I wanting to give a try at HF RTTY, Fax, ect.
I have a MFJ-1278, and a Yaesu FT-101. Is there anyone out there that can give me some pointers on using these two for the digital modes? Also, how about some of the software packages that work thru the soundcard, any good?

Sheeee, be wery, wery quiet, I'm hunting Elmers! Huuhuuhuu.

73's
Dan, N8VZU

3542. Clone TM-V7A ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <3500155c.1633467@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone know of a way to clone or computer control the Kenwood TM-V7A ?

I think I will put one in two cars and maybe a third on the desk in my
'shack'. It would sure be nice if I did not have to reprogram all
three radios.

Please reply via email: W4SCO@amsat.org

3543. VX-1R Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: slmayt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306153801.KAA22990@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151398

I recently have had a problem with the memory in my VX-1R.It
only affects the UHF memory.If I go to the memory from VFO it flashes the
memory number in the left upper corner for just a sec,then switches to
something like 1s or l and flashes.Also in the very left upper corner,there is
the letters ps....then when I try to go up or down,the whole display freaks and
goes to 3F3F3F....I have reset this thing a thousand times..This all happened
just shortly after I purchased and started using the ADMS-D programming
software...There was an artical on the newsgroup that said you could mix UHF
and VHF frequencies in one band...(I used The UHF band)....It never
worked....The VHF frequencies just blinked....Then about a week later the radio
flew south....All other memories,Vhf,FM,etc...work fine...as well as the UHF
VFO mode.......Any Suggestions?..Don

3544. Re: TS-940 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <35001573.1781@onramp.net>
Source record: 151399

michael domeier wrote:
>
> I'm experiencing an odd problem with my 940 and wondered if anyone has
> seen this before.
> After I turn the rig on, the display drops and returns...then I get a
> series of periods running across the display. When in this mode..I have
> a hard time changing bands or modes...as if the micro-processor is busy
> with some other task....I have a feeling that the 5 volt line to the
> micro may be low or noisy....but havent dug into the rig yet..
> any ideas ? Mike (WS8D)

Actually what is happening is PLL unlock. When that occurs the uPc
blanks the disply to alert you to the fact. The question is which one?
(There are 8). It is probably not the uPc or the 5v line.

With a few more clues I could probably tell you which one and the fix.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3545. Re: Icom CI-V Interface Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Toste <saturn@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <6dp5ijefs1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 151400

I've JUST built a CI-V for $3.05 all new parts. Anyways. I've been playing around with Visual Basic and created a really simple program to read the info off the radio. The OCX I'm using comes with VB5 and when ever there is a event from the comport it fires away at the routine and it displays the freq/mode or what ever. It's REALLY simple. But I'm having some really stupid problems now that for some reason it's not reading Hex value of 11.

What I'll like to do is maybe setup a group of 3-4 programmers to work on a Icom Control software in VB5(Since thats all I have). 3-4 minds would be better then one. Anyone Interested?

Btw I have a IC706

CJ <cjr@wavefront.com> wrote:

> Can anyone give me or point me to any tips on programming an IC-706 via
> its computer interface? The only reference that I have is the
> Instruction Manual. Most of the commands, per se, seem to make sense,
> but when does the radio return the OK Message, the NG Message or the
> IC-706 to Controller message? And in what order are the frequency bytes
> sent?

> My first thought was to request the current frequency, see what I got
> and then assume that the command sequence would be the same. But then I
> couldn't figure out how to request the current frequency!

> I managed to figure out my FT-990 by using the examples in its
> Instruction Manual and eventually wrote what I think is a pretty neat
> control program, but this Icom interface is clearly something very
> different. Any help whatever will be appreciated.

> 73, CJ K0CJ

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3546. Re: Norbreck Raido and electronics rally IS ON !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gavin Lawrence <Gavin@fm-radio.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Fiy5EXAy19$0EwjP@fm-radio.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151401
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,demon.adverts,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.adverts.computer,uk.radio.amateur

In article <Wdld6DAVLu$0EwSz@tangon.demon.co.uk>, Woody
<woody@nospam.demon.co.uk> writes
>>>!!!!!!!!!!!!! PLEASE NOTE THAT THE N.A.R.S.A. Rally IS ON !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>>It would have been nice to add when, instead of having to follow the Web
>>link!
>
>
>Er, when?
That's the point I was making. I still haven't found out when!

Regards,
--
Gavin Lawrence

3547. WTB: ic-2330

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: albright@greatdane.cisco.com
Message-ID: <ALBRIGHT.98Mar6080000@greatdane.cisco.com>
Source record: 151402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to buy an Icom IC-2330. If you interested in selling please email with condition and price. -thanks.

73 de w1if

-bob

3548. Re: Norbreck Raido and electronics rally IS ON !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graeme Hendry <graeme@agcomp.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <8Z+1WAAzeCA1EwLf@agcomp.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151403
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,demon.adverts,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.adverts.computer,uk.radio.amateur

In article <Fiy5EXAy19$0EwjP@fm-radio.demon.co.uk>, Gavin Lawrence
<Gavin@fm-radio.demon.co.uk> writes
>In article <Wdld6DAVLu$0EwSz@tangon.demon.co.uk>, Woody
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>>>It would have been nice to add when, instead of having to follow the Web
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>>
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>That's the point I was making. I still haven't found out when!
>
>Regards,

Sunday 15th March

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3549. Re: Antenna Help requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCA <cmoore@sedona.intel.com>
Message-ID: <35002752.87944744@sedona.intel.com>
Source record: 151404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Scott R. Ehrlich wrote:
> I plan to mount it about 90 feet up a metal
> mast which will have its metal base on the ground.

Hi Scott, this is just a wild-March-hare idea. If you insulated the antenna from the mast, you might get away with a single near-vertical radial per band - essentially a half-wave all-band vertical antenna.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA (not speaking for my employer)

3550. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3500282d.564135287@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151405

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 08:50:22 -0500, mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM (Matt Gilbert) wrote:
> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
>deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
>'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
>does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
>like it's doing the PS much good.

Yeah, it is due to start up inrush. The transformer field is
much greater than normal during the first half cycle,
especially under certain turn on conditions, and this gives
the transformer core a good hard magnetostrictive jerk.
The case acts as a sounding board for that, and that's
your thunk. This is perfectly normal. You can dampen
the thunk a bit if you jam something between the top
of the transformer and the top case half. This breaks
up the sounding board effect. But you'll still get some
noise even so. Don't worry, be happy.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3551. YAESU FT-8100R in box $400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon <120iq@writeme.com>
Message-ID: <35002BF1.D2465984@writeme.com>
Source record: 151406

I have a YAESU FT-8100R 4-Sale for $400.00 and for $50.00 more I'll give
you all the extras that I got with it, This is a 2m.-440 radio I dont
need the 440 side of it but if you have a yaesu ft-3000m I'll be willing
to swop with if you give me + $100.00
KE6TUT
Simon (818) 988-9874
ax499@lafn.org

3552. cq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude@fontain.net
Message-ID: <35002f62.5856140@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151407

cq

3553. FS Icom IC 2340H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306171801.MAA29994@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151408

I have a clean IC 2340 H for sale.$325.00
Dick,KA1KLA
Dick468359@aol.com

3554. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories, reduced!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <35002738.10904026@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 151409
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Is the radio a TS-850S or a TS-850SAT? Big difference......

Bryan W5KFT

hermperez@worldnet.att.net (Herm Perez) wrote:

>Ok folks, we are not getting any bites at $2400 so we are dropping
>down to $2000 OBO for the whole setup, lets see what happens!!
>
>For Sale:
>
>I have a complete Kenwood Ham radio station for sale.
>
>TS-850S Transceiver
>SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz)
>DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit
>MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone
>MC-43S handheld microphone
>SP-31 Matching external speaker
>PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply
>PG-2Z DC power cable
>HS-5 Deluxe headphones
>TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone
>
>All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,
>all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
>original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
>this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.
>
>$2400 or best offer plus shipping and insurance.
>
>Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
>more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..
>
>Orlando Martin
>Senor Fish Inc.
>Miami, Fl
>
>Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me
>to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
>HAM. Herm

3555. Re: VX-1R Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Hinkle <ae4rg.nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6dpbgidcr1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 151410

Slmayt wrote:

> I recently have had a problem with the memory in my VX-1R.It
> only affects the UHF memory.If I go to the memory from VFO it flashes the
> memory number in the left upper corner for just a sec,then switches to
> something like 1s or l and flashes.Also in the very left upper corner,there is
> the letters ps....then when I try to go up or down,the whole display freaks and
> goes to 3F3F3F....I have reset this thing a thousand times..This all happened
> just shortly after I purchased and started using the ADMS-D programming
> software...There was an artical on the newsgroup that said you could mix UHF
> and VHF frequencies in one band...(I used The UHF band)....It never
> worked....The VHF frequencies just blinked....Then about a week later the radio
> flew south....All other memories,Vhf,FM,etc...work fine...as well as the UHF
> VFO mode.......Any Suggestions?..Don

Check the version of the firmware on ur vx-1. If it is before A105, then the mixing bands will not work. For more info goto http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/

73
Barry AE4RG
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http://www.qsl.net/ae4rg
Please remove the .nospam from reply to address when responding.

3556. WTB: Kenwood AT-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Donahue <rdonahue@cam-walnet.com>
Message-ID: <35003470.57AA@cam-walnet.com>
Source record: 151411

Looking for a Kenwood AT-230. Willing to pay $120 plus shipping for a nice one. C.O.D. only.

73's
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Richard Donahue (KC0CHJ)
Owner
EBS & DakotaMade.com
Pierre, South Dakota
http://www.DakotaMade.com/ mailto:rdonahue@cam-walnet.com

3557. FS: Icom IC-2340H 2m/440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf8ru@netonecom.net
Message-ID: <6dpdc7naa1@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 151412

For Sale Icom IC-2340H in MINT condition. 2m/440 dual bander loaded with features. Radio comes complete with dtmf mic,mobile mounting bracket,power cord, manual and factory box. $310 shipped

3558. So Cal meet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Holderman <sparks@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <35003A0C.5690@radiolink.net>
Source record: 151413

Does anyone know...

Are there any hamfests/swap meets in Southern California
this weekend (March 7/8)?...when & where?

Thanks,

Scott

3559. USED Equipment for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: EZRider <ezrider@ecmis.net>
Message-ID: <35003db3.0@news1.uswest.net>
Source record: 151414

I have the following items foir sale, these itmes have not been used at all all new and ready to go!
All have been tested, by my father-in-law confrmed to work great!
I am sellingt hses itmes as I have no time to get my license!

1-Yaesu FT1000 loaded all equipment brand new shape abt 1 years old! make offer!
1- Yaesu FT2400 new shape never used make offer
1- Yeasu FT470 new shape never used make offer

1-5 band vertical cushcraft antenna new install but never used

many other itmes including high end code key and yeasu antenna rotor

all these itmes are in excellent shape,just no time to gte license!

if interested email me at
JDA@ECMIS.NET

3560. Yaesu 50RD Extended RX/TX Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph@hemi.com
Message-ID: <6dpgba$cku@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 151415

I am considering (very seriously) the purchase of a 50RD. One of the reasons is that transmit frequencies can be modified to go to (as much as i've seen) 120MHz on up, including MARS/CAP and a lot more. My question is, can the transmit go lower by just a few MHz? I am a pilot and the ability to transmit from, oh say 117MHz up would save me from needing to buy another portable radio. I have seen the benefits of having a second battery-powered aviation HT in the plane, and it seems like this would be awesome if I could use the 50RD for that as well as working ham while air-mobile. (Especially since a good Icom aviation transceiver runs about $350-$400!)

Thanks and 73's
Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO
ralph@contact-paging.com

3561. GE UHF Radio, what is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cj <cj@boi.hp.com>
Message-ID: <35003CD0.6CEA@boi.hp.com>
Source record: 151416

I've recently acquired an old GE UHF radio. It was an old police rig
and I'd like to convert it to Amateur use. I've got the main box,
control head and cables. The only trouble is, I'm not sure what kind
it is or where to get info on modifying the thing or programming it.

The only identification on it other than the GE logos is a model number:

N3UU2N040ZB

Anyone have any info on one of these?

Thanks in advance,
-cj

|cj@boi.hp.com | KD6AEG |
|===|
Hewlett-Packard	Give a man a beer
Enterprise Storage Solutions Div.	and he'll waste an hour
11413 Chinden Blvd. M/S 831	Teach him to brew
Boise, ID 83714	and he'll waste the rest of his life.

3562. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph@hemi.com
Message-ID: <6dpgte$cku@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 151417

Personally I think it give the power supply character... :)

- Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

In article <efuJl2DS9GA.272@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>,
mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM says...
>
> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
>deliver a very loud THUNK

3563. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Thayer <n7zti@pacinfo.com>
Message-ID: <350049B7.1193D75F@pacinfo.com>
Source record: 151418

I have own the 8100R for about a year, Love it, have had no problems, it is the best radio that I have ever owned, Unlike most radios, the out of band receive capabilities are great.

Scott

mwm@reidnet.com wrote:

> > I own 8 Yaesu radios. For the most part they are excellent. The
> > early serial numbers of the FT-8100 were unacceptable. Perhaps
> > they have done better with the later ones.
> >
> > Good luck, Jim, W1PID
> >
> >
> I hear about these early serial numbers can you give us an idea of
> what kind of numbers we are talking about as early numbers??
> I have an FT-8100 for 6 weeks now and have had no problems with it
> cross-banding or otherwise. Appreciate your input maybe it's time to give the
> 8100 some good PR.
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3564. 10mtr radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdt2@po.CWRU.Edu
Message-ID: <6dplbe$28f$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 151419

I am hopefully going to be passing my 5wpm code test within the next several weeks. After that I will be in the market for a 10mtr rig. My question is; How can a new ham find out about older rigs that may be available on the used market? In other words what is the difference between the various rigs out there? Is there a good book to use?

Thanks,

Mike/KB8VYT

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michael d. thomas
mdt2@po.cwru.edu
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3565. Re: TS-940 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <3500617C.14F5@amsat.org>
Source record: 151420

michael domeier wrote:
>
> I'm experiencing an odd problem with my 940 and wondered if anyone has
> seen this before.
> After I turn the rig on, the display drops and returns...then I get a
> series of periods running across the display. When in this mode..I have
> a hard time changing bands or modes...as if the micro-processor is busy
> with some other task....I have a feeling that the 5 volt line to the
> micro may be low or noisy....but havent dug into the rig yet..
> any ideas ? Mike (WS8D)

This happened to me and I replaced the two quater size flat batteries on
the main CPU board.
NE7X...

3566. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <3500558a.9290146@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 09:56:37 +0000, David Stockton
<david_stockton@hp.com> wrote:

> Dick knows that I keep my riding hats and sticks in the back of my
>car, so I'd better reassure him that I won't take your suggestion too
>literally.
>
> Cheers
> David (as a Dunfermline resident I liked the
> Carnegie quotation...)

One of those horsey types eh? I have an aunt living in
Dunfermline - Wedderburn Street.

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3567. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <350055f1.9392612@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 151422
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 6 Mar 1998 10:10:49 GMT, b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:

>If you really want to amuse the Hydro Board people, ask them how many
>people have been killed since construction of hydro power stations
>started.

Quite a lot I should think: on the roads, on the seas
and rivers, not to mention in earthquake and flood.

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- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

3568. HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: notme@127.0.0.1
Message-ID: <6dpl9u$850$1@newstand01.iconnet.net>
Source record: 151423

HAMFEST March 8, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB & SUFFOLK COUNTY RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - MARCH 8, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On March 8, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club & Suffolk County Radio Club will again sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location Will be at the:

Knights of Columbus
400 South Broadway, Lindenhurst, NY.

This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic components, computers and access-ories, software, books, technical manuals, ARRL information, Amateur Radio License Exams and information. Door Prizes. General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available at the door.)

ARRL VE - 12:00 NOON
For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID), and the examination fee, to the exam session. 1998 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.35, exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

For vendor and additional information pleas contact, Tom Favilla N2MIG at (516)957-5985, during EVENING HOURS (7PM-10PM), or info@gsbarc.org
NO TABLES WILL BE RESERVED WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT due to the space available. Tables are 2.5ft x 6ft.

Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights of Columbus Council.

Information is available during the club 2-meter info net:
GSBARC-Monday at 7:00 PM on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5)PL.
SCRC - Wednesday at 8:00 PM on the W2DQ repeater, 145.210 -600 4Z(136.5)PL .

You may also write to:
HAMFEST
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

Visit GSBARC online at http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm
or e-mail to info@gsbarc.org

NEXT HAMFEST- September 27, 1998

73,
GSBARC & SCRC

Joe Tomasone, AB2M

EMAIL:
joe@
ab2m.net

3569. Re: cq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35005C70.1002@ccnet.com>
Source record: 151424

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Nick wrote:
>
> cq

3570. FS: DC Power Supply SOLA CVDC serise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ki Choi <kc2@mail.duke.edu>
Message-ID: <35005C58.6103@mail.duke.edu>
Source record: 151425

SOLA part number 28-2233 48VDC 10A 480VA Regulated Constant Voltage
Power Supply.

Allied catalog number 921-2142 @ new price $516
Used, a little ding on the transformer housing, sell for $235 plus
shipping and COD from 53092 zip.

The PS weighs 53Lbs + 10Lbs for packing. Check for quick shipping cost
at www.ups.com

Let me now if interested.

Regards, Ki

3571. Another Astron Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35005DDC.2916@ccnet.com>
Source record: 151426

How many have hade the voltage rise on their Astron Power supply while using an HF rig that is not connected to the power supply?

When I key down on the 40 meter cw band at 100 watts..... the voltage on my Astron RS-12A rises to 20v plus..... My HF rig has it's own power supply.... obviously rf related

dt

3572. Re: Yaesu 50RD Extended RX/TX Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <nospam.steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bd493d$dba55480$230e10ac@s_siegel>
Source record: 151427

Even if it went there, it won't transmit AM. It's an FM only rig.
^^

73 de N3WUU
nospam.steves@clark.net
Remove "nospam" to reply

Ralph Forsythe <ralph@hemi.com> wrote in article
<6dpgba$cku@news.hemi.com>...
> I am considering (very seriously) the purchase of a 50RD. One of the
reasons
> is that transmit frequencies can be modified to go to (as much as i've
seen)
> 120MHz on up, including MARS/CAP and a lot more. My question is, can the

> transmit go lower by just a few MHz? I am a pilot and the ability to
transmit
> from, oh say 117MHz up would save me from needing to buy another portable

> radio. I have seen the benefits of having a second battery-powered
aviation HT
> in the plane, and it seems like this would be awesome if I could use the
50RD
> for that as well as working ham while air-mobile. (Especially since a
good
> Icom aviation transceiver runs about $350-$400!)
>
> Thanks and 73's
> Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO
> ralph@contact-paging.com
>
>

3573. Re: Help? Mod for Ic-215?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy <NO.SPAM.THANK.YOU.lakeaa@boat.NO.SPAM.bt.com>
Message-ID: <350064C1.1387@boat.NO.SPAM.bt.com>
Source record: 151428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital

Lovely rig - I rue the day I got rid of mine....

Just get the crystals and do it! It will re-tune EASILY to where you
want to go..! (Go through the usual alignment for tx & rx, the stages
are all wide enough for a few Mhx shift. (I used to have one back in the
'eighties on 149.4Mhz & 145.5Mhz at the same time.)

Good Luck.

73
Andy
G8YOA/2E0APR

Jason Baack wrote:
>
> I have a vintage IC-215 (146-148 MHz Xtal controlled) FM transceiver.
> I am looking to dedicate this to APRS and packet on the lower end of the
> 2M band. HOWEVER, ths rig was only designed to work in the 146-148 Mhz range.
>
> Any ideas on how I can mod this down to around (gulp) 144.390 / 144.97?
>

3574. Re: Yaesu 50RD Extended RX/TX Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4945$d2a8f0a0$6b8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151429

Even if it could go there and could transmit AM it would be illegal to use for that purpose. Non-FCC/FAA approved. The federal approval process (and just a little profit) are key reasons for the huge aviation rig cost. 73, DavidC AA1FA

> Even if it went there, it won't transmit AM. It's an FM only rig.
>
> > I am considering (very seriously) the purchase of a 50RD. One of the reasons
> > is that transmit frequencies can be modified to go to (as much as i've seen)
> > 120MHz on up, including MARS/CAP and a lot more. My question is, can the
> > transmit go lower by just a few MHz? I am a pilot and the ability to transmit
> > from, oh say 117MHz up would save me from needing to buy another portable
> > radio. I have seen the benefits of having a second battery-powered aviation HT
> > in the plane, and it seems like this would be awesome if I could use the 50RD
> > for that as well as working ham while air-mobile. (Especially since a good
> > Icom aviation transceiver runs about $350-$400!)
> > Thanks and 73's Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

3575. Re: 10mtr radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4946$e7214ea0$6b8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151430

An "Elmer" (translation: old timer/experienced Ham with a clue) would be your best hope for coming up with a decent used rig in your price range. This person could also help you to learn how to operate effectively and properly. Lacking that, a real simple rig would be a used Radio Shack HTX-100 for ssb/cw.

A better first choice would be an older tube rig like a Heath HW-101, SB-101 or 102. You'd learn about tuning into a load, have an almost indestructable rig that will load into most any simple antenna without a tuner (I once used 75 ohm cable tv wire to a junk wire dipole approximately 65 feet per side and worked the world!), and have 100 watts ssb/cw.

You will want to get an external audio dsp unit like Radio Shack's or the equivalent to help make 20 and 75 meters bearable.

Congratulations in advance! 73, DavidC AA1FA

> I am hopefully going to be passing my 5wpm code test within the
> next several weeks. After that I will be in the market for a 10mtr
> rig. My question is; How can a new ham find out about older rigs
> that may be available on the used market? In other words what is the
> difference between the various rigs out there? Is there a good book
> to use? Thanks, Mike/KB8VYT

3576. Re: 10mtr radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6dpq7g$ke8$1@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 151431

In article <6dplbe$28f$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>, mdt2@po.CWRU.Edu (Michael D. Thomas) wrote:
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>I am hopefully going to be passing my 5wpm code test within the
>next several weeks. After that I will be in the market for a 10mtr
>rig. My question is; How can a new ham find out about older rigs
>that may be available on the used market? In other words what is the
>difference between the various rigs out there? Is there a good book
>to use?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Mike/KB8VYT

Hi Mike!
Good luck on the 5wpm, Itrying to get my speed up so I can go for my general. There are several good 10m rigs, I'll recommend the HTX-100, made by Radio shack. You can get them at hamfests for between about $75-$120 and they are nice little rigs. It is a SSB/CW rig. It puts out 5-25 watts. I bought mine at a hamfest 2 years ago, looked brand new for $115.

Again, good luck!

73,
Tom

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
tprandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Dutchess county,N.Y.
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in the address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

3577. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Kilgore <kilgore@dev.tivoli.com>
Message-ID: <3500452E.43B21F60@dev.tivoli.com>
Source record: 151432

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> Yeah, it is due to start up inrush. The transformer field is
> much greater than normal during the first half cycle,
> especially under certain turn on conditions, and this gives
> the transformer core a good hard magnetostrictive jerk.
> The case acts as a sounding board for that, and that's
> your thunk. This is perfectly normal. You can dampen
> the thunk a bit if you jam something between the top
> of the transformer and the top case half. This breaks
> up the sounding board effect. But you'll still get some
> noise even so. Don't worry, be happy.
>

Yes, be happy. My Astron RS-35M has been going strong in almost daily
use for 11 years.

73,
Jeff, KC1MK

3578. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: _DEFAULT <RODWALL@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35007564.1F50@prodigy.net>
Source record: 151433

Ralph Forsythe wrote:
>
> Personally I think it give the power supply character... :)
>
> - Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO
>
> In article <efuJl2DS9GA.272@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>,
> mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM says...
> >
> > Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
> >deliver a very loud THUNK

Interesting replys to this question!
I have one of those THUNKS in my Pyramid and I am not worried
after 8 years. Eddie currents in resonance!
73 Rod KB8DNS

3579. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wayne@hoxnet.com
Message-ID: <35006e31.2517650@ntserv02>
Source record: 151434
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 27 Feb 1998 17:21:11 +0000, Simon Lewis
<pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <34f5cc97.281210489@ntserv02>, Wayne D. Hoxsie Jr.
><wayne@hoxnet.com> writes
>>
>>The main problem with Nuclear Power (in the US) is that the technology
>>is still classified (By the Atomic Energy Act of 1957) and because of
>>this, the general public has no idea how safe it really is. Only
>>Three Americans have every been killed related to Nuclear Power. The
>>conventional plants can't make a claim like that.
>
>Statement A negates statement B
>
>How do you know only 3 have been killed if its still classified?

It very well may be classified, but it's common knowledge in Idaho
where it happened (where I learned of it).

My details may be off somewhat, but it goes like this:

It was an experimental 3MW reactor operated by the U.S. Army. During
the Christmas shutdown a crew of 3 techs (minimal nuclear training)
were to do maintenance on the rod drive motors. The rest is
speculation as the crew was killed and no one knows for sure, but it
seems that after servicing the motors, a tech was swinging the first
one back into place on a chain fall and decided that it would be much
easier to pull the control rod up to the motor to attach it rather
than bolt the motor in place and then attach it to the rod. This
reactor was designed such that a single control rod could take it from
shutdown to supercritical (Not surprising since the design was for a
portable field reactor for Army use). The tech apparently got the rod
up about a meter when the reactor went supercritical and the cooling
water surrounding the core flashed instantly to steam thereby forcing
the other control rods from the core from the pressure and
subsequently cooking the crew. The fact that the core was not
pressurized and the water vacated immediately resulted in more of a
squib reaction than a full nuclear blast. It was a slow fission
reactor and with no water to moderate the neutrons, the reactor
basically shut itself down. The core was damaged beyond repair and the
whole plant had to be decontaminated and scrapped.

--
Wayne D. Hoxsie Jr. KG9ME
wayne@hoxnet.com

http://www.hoxnet.com

3580. Re: Yaesu 50RD Extended RX/TX Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph_nos@nospam.hemi.com
Message-ID: <6dpu1j$g1u@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 151435

Thanks to everyone who replied, I got my answer! I will still be purchasing an FT-50RD even though it does not cover aviation freqs since it's still a great radio...

73's and thanks again,
Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

In article <6dpgba$cku@news.hemi.com>, ralph@hemi.com says...
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>transmit go lower by just a few MHz? I am a pilot and the ability to transmit
>from, oh say 117MHz up would save me from needing to buy another portable
>radio. I have seen the benefits of having a second battery-powered aviation

3581. Re: cq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernest Stracener <ernest@itis.com>
Message-ID: <35007E46.1F8CD3F1@itis.com>
Source record: 151436

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> > cq

3582. Re: Another Astron Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph_nos@nospam.hemi.com
Message-ID: <6dpudp$g1u@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 151437

Hmm, I wonder if you are inducing RF into the transformer and somehow causing an amplitude increase within the transformer itself. The Astron power supplies are not terribly complex (hence their reliability) and there's not a lot of parts to induce RF into. There's also not a lot of filtration either. You might try moving the PS to the other side of the room temporarily just to see if it still happens. If not, your HF rig is leaking RF somwewhere. If it still rises the voltage, you'll have to do a bit more looking...

Just my $0.02 ... 73's!
Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

In article <35005DDC.2916@ccnet.com>, teixeira@ccnet.com says...
>
>How many have hade the voltage rise on their Astron Power supply while
>using an HF rig that is not connected to the power supply?
>
>When I key down on the 40 meter cw band at 100 watts..... the voltage on
>my Astron RS-12A rises to 20v plus..... My HF rig has it's own power
>supply.... obviously rf related
>
>dt

3583. Product Support page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <35008131.C8BCCD13@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 151438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

My earlier attempt to post this went sour.

If you want to hear my gripes about MIcrosoft's product
support
or my praise of Western Digital check it out at my web site.

If you have a story that you would like to have posted there

send it to me.

Take the Products Support link.

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73, Curtis ..N5HDQ.. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Gray Frierson Haertig wrote and Curtis plagerized:
Eat a prune.
Unbunch your shorts.
Ignore posts that make you angry.

3584. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35002a46.564672083@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151439

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 05:23:07 GMT, desmith@telalink.net (Doug Smith) wrote:
>davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:
>>The problem is that the power is applied at a random point in the
>>AC cycle.
>
>Are you sure this is the whole reason? It would seem to me this
>particular situation would clear up in 1/2 cycle of the AC line -- but
>the "Thunk" lasts somewhat longer.

That's just case resonance.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3585. Re: cq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Stevko <djep@N2.NET>
Message-ID: <350083B4.7F19@N2.NET>
Source record: 151440

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Ernest Stracener wrote:
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3586. Daiwa CN-410M SWR/PWR Meter Illumination

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: whitener@hiwaay.net
Message-ID: <haonkSVS9GA.204@newstoo.hiwaay.net>
Source record: 151441

The subject meter requires 12 VDC for meter face illumination. Does anyone know where to obtain the matching other halves of the quick disconnect connectors on the power supply wires? Does anyone know what brand or type of connectors these are? This will make sense if you have one of these meters; Otherwise, I doubt it :-)

The obvious solution is to apply one's wire cutters at the appropriate place and proceed with some other arrangement. But this is only viable when one is sure the unit is not going to be returned for refund.

73...
Don Whitener, K4BWU
whitener@hiwaay.net

3587. Re: Astron Thunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6dq141$5aj$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 151442

"JDM" <jmul@iland.net> wrote:

>All 3 of my Astrons make that noise when turned on.

Most likely the sudden magnetic field generated by the transformer core (when it is first hit with AC power) "thumping" the top cover (causing it to flex a bit).

I think they all do that unless you reinforce that flat metal top cover so it won't flex in this field. Perhaps a nice padded brick left on top would quiet it down if it bothers you.

The best solution is to leave the supply on all the time, then you won't hear that mechanical turn-on "thump".

Steve

3588. Re: Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306001300.TAA08768@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151463

all current 2/70 ht's use drop-in chargers although only the Alinco DJ-G5T comes with one standard as far as i know. (the overnite, drop-in rapid charge is still optional)

3589. FS: Collins 180L Var. Inductor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <34ff3ed1.4360754@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 151464

Variable Ribbon Inductor sub-assembly from Collins 180L Antenna
Tuner. 28 uh total inductance. Driven by 28 vdc motor. Fair Radio
had these for $35 at one time.
$25 plus UPS on 10# from 02173
73, Dick, W1KSZ

3590. National Receiver NC 2 - 70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Derek C Brown <kelrob@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6dnfnmfgf1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 151465

Hi there, anyone possibly got a Circuit diagram or any other info on a National NC 2 - 70 receiver, circa 1960 ish, please qsp to G8ECI, at kelrob@global.net.co.uk or via packet to G8ECI@GB7SKG.

73 es DX de G8ECI (Derek)

3591. Help in Repairing a Handheld Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe NW0A <manntis@loop.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4897$87c5f140$813ed3cf@dr.lizard>
Source record: 151466

Thanks for reading this plea for assistance. I had no luck when tried to find an answer using an Internet search engine.

I was asked recently to try and repair a handheld that a friend left alkaline batteries in a bit too long and the batteries leaked. After removing the main PCB, I discovered that some the battery ooze got between the rubber touch tone keypad and the PCB, and was very effective in removing the material on the lower 1/3 of the PCB that makes contact with the back of rubber pad when a key is depressed. The material that was removed by the battery leakage is not made of copper (the ooze did not affect the copper PBC traces), but of some soft, dark material that has the appearance of graphite.

Short of replacing the damaged PBC (which in effect would mean replacing the main PCB with the CPU), do methods exist that will restore missing contacts on the PBC that were under the touch tone pad keys?

Thanks in advance es vy 73 de Joe, NW0A

3592. W T B FLUKE preselector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctwla@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6dnkn9$dv0@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151467

I have a Fluke 1953A frequency counter without the preselector.
If you have one to sell or you know where to get one please respont
to my JUNO acount.
CTWLA@JUNO.COM
TNX DE C Thomas

3593. PC parts for sale/trade for Ham Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306015800.UAA02343@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151468

PC Shop cleaning, have for sale/trade the following:

ATI 3-D Rage Pro AGP video card with ATI-TV video capture card: $175.00
Has jacks for CATV,Camcorder, composite inputs. Will not seperate.

Toshiba SD-M1102 DVD-Rom drive: $200.00
DVD player and 24X CD-Rom.

Sony CDU311 ATAPI CD-Rom drive: $45.00
8X CD-Rom drive.

All prices include shipping to CONUS.
Looking to trade for HF gear, paddle/keyer, ???

E-mail to shephed@aol.com

73's
Dan, N8VZU

3594. Re: Astron Thunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <34FF5AE1.296B@ccnet.com>
Source record: 151469

Yup........sounds like the old Astron Thunk...... If you put a little
cotton in you ears it will go away......d8->

JDM wrote:
>
> All 3 of my Astrons make that noise when turned on.

3595. FS: 3K AEA Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <34ff62a1.318263@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151470

Advanced Electronics AT 3000 ATU.
Dual Meter Display
Six position antenna selector
3000 Watt PEP reading meter
Manual.

Next to minit condition!!
$260 .00 and help with shipping!!
TNX Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3596. TEK 485 Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dno2l$293@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151471

I have a for sale 485 oscilloscope
Good working condition
$ 600.00 plus shipping
Selectable input impedance
The TEK 485 oscilloscope provides both versatillity and reliabilliyt in a convenient, easy-to-use package
You'll have plenty of power ... bandwidth is rated at 350 MHz and vertical.
Sensetivity to 5mV/div!
Selecatable input impedance of 1M ohm and 50M ohm.
Also available are horizontal sweep rates to 1 nS/division.
Automatic deflection factor redout, 3 div/nS writing plus many more features. Weighs only 21 LBS
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

3597. 75S-3 Mechanical Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Sharon <DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dnpak$gav@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151472

Help! Can someone describe to me the location of the mechanical filters in a Collins 75S-3 (NOT 3A/3B)? A non-ham is trying to determine for me which filters are installed in a receiver that I am interested in buying. Unfortunately, I am not familiar with the 75S-3 and can't tell him where to look. Thanks.

Please respond via e-mail: DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net

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Denis Sharon WA2NBU Ridgefield, CT

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Denis Sharon WA2NBU Ridgefield, CT

3598. Re: Bird wattmeter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rampelbergh.p@euronet.be
Message-ID: <34fe3566.1656702@news.ib.be>
Source record: 151473

On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 07:54:12 -0800, dick@libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
wrote:

>In article <6djric$amf@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>, "Argus"
><rlong3@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>>I've seen them, and everyone I've spoken with likes them. What is it about
>>the Bird that makes it such a popular meter?
>
>Accurate, dependable, well made, bulletproof, change ranges and freqs by
>buying a new slug, not a new unit, last forever, etc.

How sensitive (watt) is the Bird in the 30 - 1000MHz ranges to have a
valid reading?

3599. Schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: semmer8018@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306034401.WAA21136@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151474

Subj: Schematics
Date: 98-03-05 22:21:29 EST
From: SEmmer8018

Do you have schematics on Gonset gsb-100 exciter, Drake 2b receiver, and Gonset kilowat 1kw linear amp.

If not do you where I can these schematics

Thank you,

73's Sam

wa6qpm

3600. Re: Bird wattmeter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@minn.net
Message-ID: <6dnregdeh1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 151475

In article <34fe3566.1656702@news.ib.be>, rampelbergh.p@euronet.be (Paul Rampelbergh) wrote:
>On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 07:54:12 -0800, dick@libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
>wrote:
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>>In article <6djric$amf@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>, "Argus"
>><rlong3@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
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>>>I've seen them, and everyone I've spoken with likes them. What is it about
>>>the Bird that makes it such a popular meter?
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>>Accurate, dependable, well made, bulletproof, change ranges and freqs by
>>buying a new slug, not a new unit, last forever, etc.
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>How sensitive (watt) is the Bird in the 30 - 1000MHz ranges to have a
>valid reading?
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One real advantage of the Bird is that you can select a slug that matches your needs. The disadvantage of the bird is cost of the slugs. To cover the range you mention with 1 watt slugs would be $1300, To do the same with 2.5 watt slugs is better, about $1100. :>)

John Douglas
N0ISL/UB5WJD/UA4LIS

3601. FOR SALE IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: slkdealr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306040101.XAA23880@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151476

NEW !!! 9+ Good Shape All papers and box & warranty card
For $285. FIRM You paid for the shipping!!

3602. Re: Icom 706 mkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: emarch@ais.net
Message-ID: <bEKL.6$zo.382810@news.ais.net>
Source record: 151477

One reason for the BCD is less data and faster through put -- figuring
a millisecond per byte! Spin the VFO and watch the data fly out of the
706. An with CPU's who cares what the data is, one's and zeros its all
the same, time is of the essence.

Ed

Bob Martin K6RTM (rtm@netgate.net) wrote:
: In article <34FE36B9.2892@vermontel.com>, hermit@vermontel.com wrote:
:
: > Is there any way to add a keypad to this rig for direct entry of
: > frequencies?
:
: A simple matter of programming...
:
: The serial port protocols are sort-of-documented in the manual. The 706
: speaks a funky packed BCD protocol (why these idiots^W fine designers
: couldn't stick to straight ASCII is beyond me).
:
: You'll need a micro to do the digit input and recognize the end of data
: entry. format that into a BCD packet, and squirt it into the serial port of
: the radio.
:
: I fooled around with a Stamp-II based external memory module for my 706, it
: worked pretty well. I'd probably go with picking up DTMF tones and
: accumulating them into a valid frequency.
:
: Can't point to an off-the-shelf solution right now. Check this space in a
: couple of months (when I have some spare time.)
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: 73-
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: Bob Martin K6RTM
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: --
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: Bob Martin K6RTM * rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net

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Best Regards,
Ed

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// Edward March Jr. Mt. Prospect, IL
//

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// ***> http://www.cl.ais.net/emarch
// ***> http://www.bmtmicro.com/catalog/clone.html
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// IBM BestTeam OS/2 Member, OS/2 Shareware author, Linux user, Ham WB9RAA
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3603. Re: TS-940 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <6do4lo$7ls$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 151478

Actually, its most likely the ROM socket. This is a common problem with
the TS940, and the fix can be found in many mod databases. Try going to
www.qrz.com and click on the Radio Mods button, scroll down to the TS940
eratic display problem and check it out. This is most likely your problem.

73 and good luck, Mike - WQ0N

In article <34FF7C78.7A94@ameritech.net>, prefect03@ameritech.net wrote:
>I'm experiencing an odd problem with my 940 and wondered if anyone has
>seen this before.
>After I turn the rig on, the display drops and returns...then I get a
>series of periods running across the display. When in this mode..I have
>a hard time changing bands or modes...as if the micro-processor is busy
>with some other task....I have a feeling that the 5 volt line to the
>micro may be low or noisy....but havent dug into the rig yet..
>any ideas ? Mike (WS8D)

3604. Uniden FTS 250CT??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Sussmann <sussmann@strogg.com>
Message-ID: <34FF9CDD.AA11CE76@strogg.com>
Source record: 151479

Hello all...

I am asking this for another gentleman who is network challenged...

He is looking for any information on an Uniden FTS 250CT. He doesnt't know anything about it....even what band it operates on. So any and all information is greatly needed...ie TX power, number of channels, how is it programed and if it can be programed to the amateur bands.

Thanks in advance for any and all replies,

Chris * N1UOC
sussmann@strogg.com

3605. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <6dnpp7$lvo@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 151480

davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:
>The problem is that the power is applied at a random point in the
>AC cycle.

Are you sure this is the whole reason? It would seem to me this
particular situation would clear up in 1/2 cycle of the AC line -- but
the "Thunk" lasts somewhat longer.

I think the high charging current required by the very large filter
capacitor is the real source of this noise.

73 Doug

3606. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6dodjf$81g@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 151481

desmith@telalink.net (Doug Smith) writes:
>I think the high charging current required by the very large filter
>capacitor is the real source of this noise.

Yeah, the surge of current caused by the load on the secondary would
also cause magnetostriction in the core. You're probably right that
this is most of the noise in a power supply.

The whole truth is probably something like this: The amount of the
thunk that you hear *every* time you turn on the supply is mainly charging
the capacitor. But if you hear a particularly loud thunk one time when
you turn it on, that's probably transformer saturation on top of
capacitor charging.

I was really thinking about an unloaded transformer, not a power supply,
when I wrote the previous article.

Dave

3607. Re: Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rotnappl@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <rotnappl-0603980134460001@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151482

Humm-

My VX-1R is NOT capable of using ANY drop-in charger that I'm aware of,
either factory or aftermarket.

Maybe I should define what I mean by "Drop-in Charger"

I consider a drop-in charger, a unit that will allow an HT w/attached
battery to be dropped into a holder/stand and recharge the battery, then
maintain the charge with a trickle current.

greg

In article <19980306001300.TAA08768@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
dirtmeat@aol.com (DIRTMEAT) wrote:

> all current 2/70 ht's use drop-in chargers although only the Alinco DJ-G5T
> comes with one standard as far as i know. (the overnite, drop-in rapid
> charge is still optional)

3608. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cluett@mv.mv.com
Message-ID: <6doh84$o39$1@pyrite.mv.net>
Source record: 151483

My FT-8100 serial number started with 7E021XXX. I understand
that equipment can have problems. What was so frustrating
to me was these radios had known problems and they sold
them anyway and then expected their customers to pay the shipping to
have them repaired. Nice to know they cleaned up the 8100.

Now they say they have a new warranty policy where they pay shipping both
ways. But they haven't announced it to their customers, and when I shipped
my 8100 back a second time, even though the policy was in place,
the company hadn't told their customer service people about it. What
good is such a policy when they don't tell anyone about it? The
vice-president, Mikio Maruya, has written me saying Yaesu now pays
shipping both ways. It seems you have to call him personally in order to
have the policy implemented. I'm afraid the 8100 changed my view
of Yaesu and perhaps I haven't taken my lesson very gracefully.

73, Jim, W1PID

In article <6dnr7nevk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, <mwm@reidnet.com> wrote:
>
>
>> I own 8 Yaesu radios. For the most part they are excellent. The
>> early serial numbers of the FT-8100 were unacceptable. Perhaps
>> they have done better with the later ones.
>>
>> Good luck, Jim, W1PID
>>
>>
>I hear about these early serial numbers can you give us an idea of
>what kind of numbers we are talking about as early numbers??
>I have an FT-8100 for 6 weeks now and have had no problems with it
>cross-banding or otherwise. Appreciate your input maybe it's time to give the
>8100 some good PR.
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3609. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stockton <david_stockton@hp.com>
Message-ID: <34FFC855.1FB4@hp.com>
Source record: 151484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

Jim Dunnett wrote:
>
> <Dick@kanga.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
> >So; who's going to be the first to take advantage of this super mega-
> >deal. Is it real I ask?
>
> We're volunteering you, Dick. I promise we'll all have
> a whip-round for you if it goes sour.
>

I always liked the advice that when a bargain looks too good to be
true - it probably is!

Dick knows that I keep my riding hats and sticks in the back of my
car, so I'd better reassure him that I won't take your suggestion too
literally.

Cheers
David (as a Dunfermline resident I liked the
Carnegie quotation...)

3610. Re: Antenna Help requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4kk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980306103401.FAA29676@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151485

It is entirely possible that you will not need radials for satisfactory operation. Essentially you have 1/2 of a dipole with a vertical. You need something for the other half and typically that is good old Mother Earth. Since Ma Earth is usually a poor conductor, ground radials are required to assist in conductivity.

If you are tower/mast mounting the vertical, the supporting structure can serve as the counterpoise. The problem here is that the angle of radiation will tend to be quite high. One of the "benefits" of vertical antennas is that there is a low angle of radiation. The low angle is beneficial for long distance communication. At 90' you will probably find a significant lobe at about 30 degrees above horizon.

Depending on what your planned uses are for the antenna, you may find that the performance is fine. There will probably be some change in feedpoint impedence although it is difficult to predict and probably will not cause any problem. The bandwidth will be impacted and could even improve as bandwidth is largely a result in rate of change between reactance and resistance.

If you are interested in really getting into vertical antennas, Paul Lee (N6PL) wrote a book about 15 or 20 years ago titled "The Amateur Radio Vertical Antenna Handbook" that is probably still available and is the best book on the subject I have found.

If I can be of help, you can Email me at K4KK@aol.com.

Ed, K4KK

3611. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6doi39cth5@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 151486
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-02-27 pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk said:
pa>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
pa>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
pa>In article <34f5cc97.281210489@ntserv02>, Wayne D. Hoxsie Jr.
pa><wayne@hoxnet.com> writes
pa>>The main problem with Nuclear Power (in the US) is that the
pa>>technology is still classified (By the Atomic Energy Act of 1957)
pa>>and because of this, the general public has no idea how safe it
pa>>really is. Only Three Americans have every been killed related to
snip

If you really want to amuse the Hydro Board people, ask them how many people have been killed since construction of hydro power stations started.

(Well, in Scotland, anyway.)

Bill
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Hannibal, cum victoria posset uti frui maluit

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

3612. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6doi3ccth6@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 151487
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-02-27 pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk said:
pa>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
pa>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
pa>In article <6d4qr7cet3@cn1.hw.ac.uk>, b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk writes
pa>>On 1998-02-26 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
pa>>snip
pa>> dl>ever be manufactured. At least of I die from ash, green house
pa>>gases, dl>or nuclear radiation, I'll have my mental faculties
pa>>until I am too dl>debilitated for it to matter, with lead, that
pa>>isn't an option. Just dl>my view, David
pa>>Er, one small point. In Scotland (and no doubt many other parts of
pa>>the UK) there are villages where there were lead mines until the
pa>>very recent past.
pa>>The locals don't seem peculiar in any way; and the many tourist
pa>>visitors to the insides of the mines would appear to be there
pa>voluntarily. What? Have you ever been to Leadhills?

Yes; I go there when people ask me for lumps of galena for making not
only their own crystal sets, but as many of the parts as possible.

Bill
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Capax imperii - nisi imperasset

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

3613. Re: Antenna Help requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <629371@att.net>
Message-ID: <6donvo$14l@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Scott R. Ehrlich wrote:
>
> Hello to all:
>
> I just received a new Hustler 6-BTV vertical HF antenna. One thing I
> discovered (possibly omitted from the description in the catalog), or
> something I maybe should have assumed, is that it will need radials if
> mounted high in the air. I plan to mount it about 90 feet up a metal
> mast which will have its metal base on the ground.
>
> It comes with no radials, and the instructions recommend rather long
> radials. What are my options? I'd like to work all bands without having
> to add on a zillion 32 foot radials.
>
> I have a brand new Yaesu FT-900 HF transceiver with a built-in antenna
> tuner.
>
> Thanks for any help anyone can offer.
>
> --
> -------------------------
> Scott Ehrlich sehrlich@shore.net
> Scott Ehrlich Consulting http://www.shore.net/~sehrlich
> Amateur Radio Callsign: wy1z

If you can't use radials with the antenna, you're probably not going to be very happy with it's performance...it requires radials to perform as designed.

See if you can return it, and go with an antenna that doesn't require radials - there's plenty of them around depending on the bands you want to operate.

John

3614. Re: Astron Thunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <6doqv6$qhr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151489

JDM wrote:
>
> All 3 of my Astrons make that noise when turned on.

Mine do that also. I wrote it off as the magnetic field, created by the transformer, asserting its presence on the cabinet.

Robert, N2JTX
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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
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3615. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim (N8XYN)" <jim.n8xyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dovfk$lc9@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151490

I get that sound also! I just leave the supply on 24/7. All it is is a
magnetic tug on the supply case during powerup. No harm that I can detect
after 3 years...73

Matt Gilbert wrote in message ...
> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
>deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
>'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
>does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
>like it's doing the PS much good.
>
>Matt Gilbert
>KC8FAY
>

3616. FS: 10M Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Garry W. Woods" <kb8sgo@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eDbi#fQS9GA.326@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 151491

TS-5010, similar to HR2510, 25W SSB, 10W AM-FM,
looks like new and was not used mobile, $200+shipping.

TS-5011, matching speaker/power supply for TS-5010, $75+shipping

Garry (423) 457-8961 Knoxville

3617. Re: Astron Thunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim (N8XYN)" <jim.n8xyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dovsg$n0t@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151492

My thoughts exactly!

Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX wrote in message
<6doqv6$qhr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>JDM wrote:
>>
>> All 3 of my Astrons make that noise when turned on.
>
>Mine do that also. I wrote it off as the magnetic field, created by the
>transformer, asserting its presence on the cabinet.
>
>Robert, N2JTX
>--
>**
>* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
>* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
>* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
>**

3618. WANTED. SCA FM subcarrier receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: grefar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307204900.PAA08463@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151193

I'd like to purchase tune 88-108 MHz FM subcarrier receiver for 67, 92 kHz subchannels with audio output signal.
Grefar@aol.com

3619. Yaesu FT900 AT vs FT900 CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth R. Teleis" <ken@teleis.com>
Message-ID: <3501B6A5.CA33452@teleis.com>
Source record: 151194

Can anyone tell me the advantage of the Collins filter on the Yaesu FT900 CAT as compared to the model without the Collins filter?

Also, since I am considering purchasing this rig, general comments are also welcome.

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Kenneth R. Teleis, Esq., KZ3E/8
System Administrator
University of Akron Amateur Radio Club (W8UPD)
E-mail: Ken@Teleis.com

3620. Dual Band Mobile wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Van Tully <110711.3250@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eHuXVWgS9GA.355@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Looking for a good dual band mobile that someone might be willing to trade for some misc. items (older 10yr computer w/vgamonitor, RS digital sound level meter, RS Pro-2030 scanner, RS DX-302 Communications Rec. 3-30mhz, etc). If you have a d.b. mobile in good shape (8 or better) and interested in trading, let me know. Brand doesn't matter as long as its fairly newer (less than 5yrs old) and in reasonable shape.

Van Tully
KB9SCZ@qsl.net

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3621. Fs Scom Delay Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ne2e@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307212900.QAA15018@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151196

Scom delay board 50.00 shipped

Fred

3622. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4a10$0018cf40$598a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151197

No, no, no! He has the limited edition 35M-nt model ... ayuh, "No Thunk"
:-) DavidC AA1FA

> >> Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
> >> Darrel KC7ZCA
> >Better get it checked, Darrel. My 35M thunks nicely.
> Oh no! Lessee, where'd I stash the shipping box........ sigh ;-)))

3623. FS: KENWOOD TS-940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4a15$1c8b45e0$24f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 151198

i have a nice 940sat for sale
with the following

yk-88c-1 500hz cw filter
yg-455c-1 500 hz cw filter
yk-88a-1 6khz am filter
giehl enhancment chip

box,manuals,service manual...

also sp-940 speaker

serial # 0050139

price $950.00

this station was sold .but,never received the money

monte k9dzd@netusa1.net
765-643-1282

3624. Kenwood TS430 and PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307221000.RAA21984@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151199

FS- a real nice Kenwood TS-430 100W Hf rig, WARC bands, general coverage receiver, mike, manual, and matching Kenwood Power Supply. A Nice One!! Sell package for $600.

73, George, K1RBS

3625. Hammarlund HQ-170 &Spkr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307221200.RAA18034@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151200

FS- a nice Hammarlund HQ-170 rcvr, HF and 6 mtrs, and matching Hammarlund
Speaker. $235 plus shipping
73, George, K1RBS

3626. MFJ Speaker / Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4yxted@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307222900.RAA25107@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151201

MFJ Speaker / Mic
Fits Yaesu and many other popular handhelds.
Model MFJ-284 - new in original box.
$22.50 money order will get it shipped to you!

N4YX Ted
Box 477
Burlington, KY 41005
1-513-638-1799
N4YX Ted@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/n4yxted

3627. Re: Icom 706MkII CTCSS problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350148B5.370CBF9F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151202

If you know where there is a PL dev adjustment in the 706, I'd sure like to know.

My friend and I both have this "loud PL" problem. Interesting thing is that on the bench in Bellviue (I took it there while driving to Canada from Calif last summer) the dev reads normal. But they could hear and acknowledged the problem. Fortunately (for me) I use mine on HF SSB exclusively, and have a Kenwood FM tri-bander in the car, too.

Phil

3628. ICOM 720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mitchellgray@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dsfrtnmm1@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151203

Anybody out there still trying to keep this unit
runnining?????g.mitchell-----mitchellgray@webtv.net

3629. Re: Icom 706 mkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael@wildbear.force9.co.uk
Message-ID: <350cd017.7465930@news.force9.net>
Source record: 151204

Possibly the article -A Remote Controller for the IC-725/726/735- by Bob Harris, G4APV; published in Radio Communication (the journal of the Radio Society of Great Britain) Vol68 #10&11, Oct92 pp27-29 & Nov92 pp49-51, may be of some help. The authors' email address is r.g.harris@shu.ac.uk.

The controller utilises a keypad etc. attached to the Icom C-IV bus.

Michael Slattery
Sheffield, UK

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 00:23:05 -0500, hermit <hermit@vermontel.com> wrote:

>Is there any way to add a keypad to this rig for direct entry of
>frequencies?

3630. Re: Help? Mod for IC-215?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael@wildbear.force9.co.uk
Message-ID: <3509c968.5754427@news.force9.net>
Source record: 151205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital

Just obtain and plug-in the appropriate crystals for 144.39/144.97,
trim and go! It should be as easy as that!! In Europe the IC-215 was
crystalled in the 144-146 range, the 2m allocation here. You shouldn't
have any problems.

Michael Slattery
Sheffield, UK

On Thu, 05 Mar 98 15:32:09 GMT, baack@maine.edu (Jason Baack) wrote:

>Greetings all,
>
>I have a vintage IC-215 (146-148 MHz Xtal controlled) FM transceiver.
>I am looking to dedicate this to APRS and packet on the lower end of the
>2M band. HOWEVER, ths rig was only designed to work in the 146-148 Mhz range.
>
>Any ideas on how I can mod this down to around (gulp) 144.390 / 144.97?

>Thanks
>-J n1rwy
>baack@maine.edu

3631. FS: ICOM IC-37A (220 MHz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <3501d18c.2975438@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 151206

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ICOM IC-37A 220 MHz FM XCVR, mint condition, with mobile
mount, original manual. $235 plus UPS from 02173.
73, Dick, W1KSZ
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3632. FS: ICOM IC-47A (440 MHz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <3501d1e8.3066765@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 151207

ICOM IC-47A 440 FM XCVR, mint condition. With mobile mount and
original manual. $230 plus UPS from 02173.
73, Dick, W1KSZ

3633. Re: Yaesu FT900 AT vs FT900 CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <3501CCCA.3C64FFC7@netnet.net>
Source record: 151208

The AT comes without any filters, the CAT has a Collins mechanical ssb filter.
Have had my FT-900AT over a yr. now and love it, both for base and /m.
Being a cw op., I put in a Collins cw filter built for a FT-1K, works great.

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73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ

Kenneth R. Teleis wrote:

> Can anyone tell me the advantage of the Collins filter on the Yaesu
> FT900 CAT as compared to the model without the Collins filter?
>
> Also, since I am considering purchasing this rig, general comments are
> also welcome.
>
> --
>
> Kenneth R. Teleis, Esq., KZ3E/8
> System Administrator
> University of Akron Amateur Radio Club (W8UPD)
> E-mail: Ken@Teleis.com

3634. Yaesu Batteries & Packs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4yxted@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307231400.SAA28130@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151209

Two (2) New W & W Assoc. NiCad batteries
Model FNB-4 fits Yaesu and other handhelds
12 Volts @ 750ma - Slow or Fast Charge
$30 each includes shipping CONUS

Two (2) New Yaesu Model FBA-5 Battery Cases
Can be used with AA size Alkaline, NiCad or NiMH
Holds Six (6) AA batteries
$15 each includes shipping CONUS

One (1) New Periphex NiCad battery
Model FNB-3S fits Yaesu and other handhelds
9.6 Volts @ 1200ma - Slow or Fast Charge
$45 includes shipping CONUS

N4YX Ted
Box 477
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N4YX Ted@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/n4yxted

3635. Cushcraft Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <3501C618.3B3CD49D@idt.net>
Source record: 151210

FOR SALE

1. R7 (10-40M, including 12, 17, 30M) half-wave vertical, $200.
2. A3S 3-el beam & A743/A744 addon dipole (10-15-20-30/40M), $300.
3. A3WS beam (12-17M) 3-el beam antenna, $200.
4. A4 beam (10-15-20) beam antenna, $250.

(All in good condition with manuals, and prices do not include shipping)
FREE: Cushcraft AR-270 2M/70CM Ringo for the FIRST purchaser of #2, 3, or 4.

CJH (KI7EW)
Phoenix, AZ

3636. Shack Cleaning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <3503d716.26076776@news2.humboldt1.com>
Source record: 151211

For Sale:

1. Timewave DSP-9+ Book & box
Like New. $125.00

2. Swan 500CX & 117Xc power Supply
In good cond. $250.00

3. "Un-built" Heathkit Remote Coax
Switch in the box. It has been
opened but is not built. As New $150.00

4. MFJ Multi-Mode Data Controller.
All books, power Supply and Cord
Very good cond. $150.00

5. KLM-140 2-Meter Amp 10 in 140 out. $125.00

Plus Shipping

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

Thanks,
Boyd N6DMF

3637. FS kenwood 701 144/440 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benson Scott <bscott@bayou.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4a20$f864b3c0$4b718fd0@dell-120>
Source record: 151212

for sale

kenwood 701 with spastic tuning when using the tuning knob

otherwise works great, with mic. in original box.

tuning with knob is not constant.

make offer

benson
ae5v

bscott@bayou.com

3638. FS KAM Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benson Scott <bscott@bayou.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4a21$3c3abae0$4b718fd0@dell-120>
Source record: 151213

kam for sale

upgraded to kam plus

works fine, vy good to mint condition.

cleaning up some stuff i just don't use any more.

benson
ae5v

bscott@bayou.com

3639. Re: Another Astron Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3501de9d.626143331@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151214

On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 15:44:12 +0000, T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com> wrote:

>I think Gary is correct..... to clarify, I did check the actual
>voltage at the supply at over 20 volts.....It shut down my 2 meter
>radio. The apex to my 40 meter inverted V is about 30 feet above my
>desk with my Ham gear..... When I move the antenna I think the problem
>will go away. I tried ferrite rods ect. and it didn't help.
>
>Thanks Don, W6IQ

But did you try a balun at the 40m antenna's feedpoint? 30 feet should
be plenty of separation for 100 watts. Your feedline has got to be radiating
to get the kind of fields needed to trip out the regulator in the Astron down
in the shack.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3640. FS KLM 140 watt 2 meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benson Scott <bscott@bayou.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4a21$b1da6ca0$4b718fd0@dell-120>
Source record: 151215

KLM amps

2 meter

10 - 30 watt in

about 140 -160 out.

i have two. one is a 160 watt and one is a 140 watt version.

works fine.

just don't use them any more. stored on shelf in original box.

benson
ae5v

bscott@bayou.com

3641. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ObC7REiS9GA.131@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151216

You ain't heard a "thunk" untill you gotz an Astrom 50m. It go
"G O U N K!"

--
PAW
(WA9JMN@Compuserve.com)

3642. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net>
Message-ID: <OjxSPqiS9GA.159@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 151217

OIC, I could only afford the run-of-the-mill, off-the-shelf 20Mnt model not the limited edition 35Mt.....

Big sigh of relief.....

Darrel KC7ZCA

DavidC wrote in message <01bd4a10$0018cf40$598a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>...
>No, no, no! He has the limited edition 35M-nt model ... ayuh, "No Thunk"
>:-) DavidC AA1FA
>
>> >> Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
>> >> Darrel KC7ZCA
>> >Better get it checked, Darrel. My 35M thunks nicely.
>> Oh no! Lessee, where'd I stash the shipping box........ sigh ;-)))

3643. FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <3501E821.66FD@stc.net>
Source record: 151218

This from the Yaesu reflector

Hello Jack,

The info you heard second hand about most Yaesu HF radio's being
discontinued is totally false. Let me set the record straight.

The FT-1000/D will be around another 3-4 years.
The FT-1000MP will be marketed for a long time.
The FT-920 is only 1 year old, so this also has many years left.
The FT-900/CAT is due to go away in May/June of this year.
The FT-840 has many years to be marketed.
The FT-736R will probably go away later this year, But remember this
radio has been on the market for over 10 years.

Last but not least... The exciting new FT-847 will start shipping in the
U.S. in early March.

Best Regards and 73's,

Kevin Karamanos
Director of Sales and Marketing
YAESU USA

3644. Re: FT1000 Yaesu For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dsroa$p2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151219

But the real question is... will the rotor handle the windload of the verticle....
EZRider wrote in message <35019672.0@news2.uswest.net>...
This radio has never been used excellent shape needless to say! This unit is the deluxe modle with all the extra goodies....

I have CAT module for the unit. Also avail is a Cushcraft 5 Band Vertical and Yaeus Rotor unit....

take all for 2750 firm!

3645. Re: Request advice on antenna tuner/antenna/power supply for IC-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw1d8fy7xvv.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 151220

TONY_STEEN@prodigy.net writes:

> I have an ICOM IC-706 and want to add an antenna tuner. I would like to
> get a setup that would be user friendly and allow me to use the
> capability of all frequencies the IC-706 can handle. Currently, I have
> a no-code tech license so that currently limits my transmission to the
> 2m band. However, I am studying for my General license and would like
> to at least listen on the HF and 50M.

Good plan. Worked for me. Listened my ICOM 706 MkII and AT-180,
liked it, and just upgraded to General. Studying for Advanced now. :-)

> My manual suggests I use the ICOM
> AT-180 (approximate cost $500). Any pros or cons on using this antenna
> tuner?

The AT-180 only handles a maximum mis-match SWR of 3:1. That is not a
very wide range tuner. The ICOM AH-3 costs a bit more, handles a much
wider range of SWR mis-matches, and can tune a random wire (or a
back-stay on a sailboat). The ICOM 706 has the necessary cable
adapter on its back to talk directly to the AH-3. I wish I had
purchased a wide range AH-3 instead of my very limited range AT-180.

The LDG antenna auto tuner can be had for $210, handles 100 W, and can
handle a mis-match SWR of 10:1. Much better deal than any of the ICOM
auto-tuners.

> Is there a tuner that can go from 1.8MHZ to 165MHZ?

Not any automatic tuner that I have ever heard of.

> (Or is this
> a pipe dream?).

Yes, I fear so.

> Also, any suggestions on the antenna(s) I should look
> at, for connecting to the radio? I bought a Perth Outbacker as my
> antenna for sailboat usage....but personal circumstances have had me
> change my plans and create a base station, instead.

I have a W9INN (see adverts in the back of CQ and QST) horizontal
dipole. This a coil loaded (not trapped) antenna which handles 80m
though 10m without a tuner, at least for part of every band. With my
IC-180 I can tune all of every band. It also tunes up OK on 6m,
though the manufacturer does not claim it will. Start with one of
those (sized to fit your lot) and skip the antenna tuner for now.

I also have a Butternut HF6B-X. Another great antenna (a vertical).

Put as much wire as you can as far up in the air as you can, and tune
it with a manual tuner (inexpensive) or with a wide-range auto-tuner
such as the LDG (more expensive) or the IC AH-3 (very expensive).

> While I'm at it...I am also looking into a PS85 (Power Supply) as I will
> not have the capability of using my sailboat batteries, anymore. Is
> there an equal or better Power Supply I could use?

Consider the Astron non-switching supply. The Astron switcher is
reputed to output birdies on HF. Or use a gel cell car battery (works
even when the power goes out). A ripple free power supply.

Marc Illsley Clarke, KB0YDL, KB0YDL@N0MPI.#NECO.CO.USA.NOAM
marcclarke@unforgettable.com
(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of
any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

3646. Need info - Kenwood TH-21A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpstech@roxbury.org
Message-ID: <rpstech-ya02408000R0703982051300001@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 151221

I'm looking for any information I can get on this handheld.

Thanks
George N2TMC

3647. HT Batteries - FT-411

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sir-dan@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dsvfidqu1@newsd-152.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151222

Looking for a battery pack for a Yaesu FT-411.

As an aside, can anyone SIMPLY explain the correlation between volts & milliamps (duration of how much power?) and any suggestions for dollar amount for the power? There are several ads in March's QST....Periphex on p122 &
Mr. NiCad on p 174, with some varying prices.

Thanks

3648. ICOM RAPID CHARGER FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. W. Balinski" <eugeneb@nni.com>
Message-ID: <35020821.356A@nni.com>
Source record: 151223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FOR SALE:

ICOM CM-35 (Commercial version of the BC-35) rapid
charger. NIB with manual. Never used. Charges BC-2, 3, 5, 7, 8
CM-7, & 8.

Will ship for $ 55.00

Thanks,

Gene K1NR/3
eugeneb@nni.com

3649. Re: Cellphone Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul J. Troiani III" <pjtroi@planetx.bloomu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.96.980307221420.76470A-100000@planetx.bloomu.edu>
Source record: 151224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

mine needs a 6 digit code... some use a 3 digit code ... otherwise, dont
know!

On Mon, 2 Mar 1998, Andy*Kapp wrote:

> I have a motorola meteor handheld phone, its not aflip phoe , but I
> found it on the street and its locked. can anyone tell me how to unlock
> it and scan with it? any help appreciated e-mail me if you can thanks a
> lot in advance
>
>

"But for every one of the liberated prisoners, the day comes when, looking
back on his camp experiences, he can no longer understand how he endured
it all. As the day of his liberation eventually came, when everything
seemed to him like a beautiful dream, so also comes the day comes when all
his camp experiences seem to him nothing but a nightmare.

"The crowning experience of all, for the homecoming man, is the wonderful
feeling that, after all he has suffered, there is nothing he need fear any
more -- except his God."
-- Victor Frankl

3650. !need info knwd th-28a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony A. Andrianos" <kc6kim@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35021B01.337@pacbell.net>
Source record: 151225

Hello Anybody,

Does anyone have an extra quick start card or can you spare a copy
of the user manual? Wonder if you possibly could scan in the quick
start card? I will reimburse any cost.

Thank you, Anthony A. Andrianos kc6kim@pacbell.net
p.o. box 421
Ross, Ca 94957
(415) 457-9947

3651. WTD. manual RME 69

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Moe <kb7ww@SignalONE.com>
Message-ID: <350242B9.1AA9F139@SignalONE.com>
Source record: 151226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Wanted ORIGINAL manual for RME 69. Anyone have one?

Art

KB7WW@SignalONE.com

3652. fs/Yaesu ft10r accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1wcc@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980307.123759.15566.3.N1WCC@juno.com>
Source record: 151227

Due to the fact that my FT 10R HT was stolen i have the following
accessories for sale.
Yaesu speaker mike mh-34 the clip on the back broke off on me but can be
replaced otherwise excellent.
Fnb-41 5 watt battery pack only 6 months old with not many charges on it.
Yaesu csc-68 soft leather case
2 belt clips for the battery
Yaesu nc-60b battery charger wall charger.
$ 40.00 plus 5.)) for shipping takes all
If interested e- mail N1WCC@juno.com

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Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

3653. FS/Yaesu ft10r accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1wcc@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980307.123759.15566.5.N1WCC@juno.com>
Source record: 151228

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If interested e- mail N1WCC@juno.com

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Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

3654. Discriminator (digital) mods for HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: slmyw@cc.usu.edu
Message-ID: <A3oG6+QorG1N@cc.usu.edu>
Source record: 151229

I'd like to start experimenting with paging in the 2m band, and am interesting in modifying one of my two HT's:

I want to tap off the audio from the discriminator, and (optionally) inject an input signal past the audio stage. Ideally, I would like to add a small jack or two to the case to allow this.

I'm hesitant to invest the money in a larger (easier to modify) rig, until I know this will do what I want it to.

If anyone has any information on the Kenwood TH-27A, or the Icom W-32 that would help along these lines, I'd appreciate your help. I've looked at the normal "mods" sites, but 99% of everything there is for MARS/CAP stuff.

I have the block diagrams for the Kenwood, but I would rather have some input from someone who had some experience in this before I start guessing on things.

-73's, n7ytd.

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Travis Hayes - slmyw@cc.usu.edu

3655. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net>
Message-ID: <#d0cmnaS9GA.326@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 151243

Pete McGreevy wrote in message <35009FE2.3E2C@MAIL.IDT.NET>...
>Jeez, come ON people! Are you all so attached to your techie "perfect
>pretty" radios that you have forgotten a true LAW of Ham radio???
>
>ALL GOOD BIG THINGS GO "THUNK" WHEN YOU TURN THEM ON !
>
>Case in point, My Astron 20M, and ANY respectable tube amp....

Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)

Darrel
KC7ZCA

3656. Yaesu 767GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moses Lestz <moses@www.intrnet.net>
Message-ID: <350121B6.4E0C@www.intrnet.net>
Source record: 151244

For Sale: Yaesu 767GX with 2 meter module and extra filters installed.
All mode,Mint condition,original box and all manuals included.Serious
inquiries e-mail me. $1200-firm
Moses Lestz/KF9UD

3657. Re: TM-V7 Radio Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4ykv2@fuse.net
Message-ID: <350130f3.54559529@nntp.fuse.net>
Source record: 151245

>On Wed, 04 Mar 1998 12:06:33 GMT, zl1oz@voyager.co.nz (Brett Skinner)
>wrote:
>
>>I just purchased the TM-V7 and it was completely modified out of the box all I
>>had to do was the cross band repeat mod...maybe we get the good ones in NZ

Mine did cross band repeat right out of the box.

Randy
Northern Kentucky, Greater Cincinnati Scanner Page
http://home.fuse.net/rwtrue00

3658. Re: What Is The Difference Between 6JE6, 6JE6A, 6JE6C?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bferry@spambot_die_die_die.dunks.com
Message-ID: <6dreb1$234$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 151246

In article <34FF6FC4.1019CEFE@micom.com>, Orville Beach W6BI <w6bi@micom.com> wrote:
> DavidC wrote:
> >
> > Follow up to value and replacement cost question for the UPS damaged tubes
> > - which of the three versions of the 6JE6, plain, A and C is preferable for
> > the SBE SB2-LA linear? Antique Electronic Supply is asking $40. each!
> > --
> > Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

> According to the RCA Receiving Tube Manual (1968):

> Hmmm... not very enlightening.

> For 6JE6, they give no electrical data, just refer to the 6JE6A as the
> replacement.
> For 6JE6B, they refer you to 6LQ6 as the replacement.
> Under 6LQ6, they say the 6JE6C is electrically equivalent to the 6LQ6.

> They are physically the same, and what little electrical data is given
> appears the same. I suspect that they are sequentially improved
> versions of the same tube. I wouldn't mix them in an amp, but I
> suspect you could use any of them. If you have the option and the
> costs are about the same, I'd go with the latest version. Presumably
> they've made improvements in durability, longevity, etc. without
> modifying the electrical characteristics. Ideally you'd match them in
> a tube tester. Haven't seen one of THOSE since Marconi was a pup...

> Of course, I could be way off beam.. Anyone else got any insight into
> this?

> 73 - Orv - W6BI

This really takes me back ...

Since these were used as the horizontal output tube for TVs I remember them well. The "B" version was supposed to be a beefed up version of the original, the "C" beefier yet. I seem to remember them adding extra fins on the plate to improve heat dissipation. Common problem was overheating when the flyback transformer was on it's way out. Some sets just normally overtaxed the thing and it always ran warm (read dull red glow).

The 6LQ6 was tougher still - I seem to remember that the actual plate area was bigger (taller) and it's the preferred replacement (at least in the TV land).

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Bruce Ferry

3659. Re: Another Astron Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Swann <n1bs@not_usa.net>
Message-ID: <6drfjs$h56@cocoa.brown.edu>
Source record: 151247

In addition to the other comments given here, check the possibility that the
RF
is getting into your voltmeter, and the power supply is ok.

Brian
N1BS

T E I X E I R A wrote in message <35005DDC.2916@ccnet.com>...
>How many have hade the voltage rise on their Astron Power supply while
>using an HF rig that is not connected to the power supply?
>
>When I key down on the 40 meter cw band at 100 watts..... the voltage on
>my Astron RS-12A rises to 20v plus..... My HF rig has it's own power
>supply.... obviously rf related
>
>dt

3660. Re: Icom 706MkII CTCSS problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Wilson <sowilson@tdsnet.com>
Message-ID: <6drha3$p7f@news2.tds.net>
Source record: 151248

Mine does not either..... Sounds as if your ctcss gain is too high. Check the deviation if you can and set it no higher than 2.5kc with tone on and no audio.

Rick Mudd wrote in message <01bd47ad$74447640$39806ac6@rickmudd>...
>This is interesting. Mine does not hum...
>
>bear@sfhs.edu wrote in article <6di6f4$c6s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>> I have an Icom 706 MkII. When I transmit using
>> "FM-T" mode (ctcss) the tone is clearly audible as a hum
>> on the receiving end. Icom tells me this is a known bug
>> but I will have to live with it until they come up
>> with a solution. Anyone else experience this? Any
>> suggestions?
>> --------------"Bear" KB3CEB
>>
>> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>>

3661. VX-1R power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gem1@ibm.net
Message-ID: <6drhs4jrl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151249

Given the large size of the power supply 'block' for the VX-1R, can someone tell me if the voltage/current regultion to charge the Lithium battery is incoporated into the monstrous power supply, or is it 'in-board' in the battery/radio?

If the regulation is inboard, then I could use a much smaller power supply to charge the batteries, rather than the one supplied with the radio.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3662. FS:Kenwood TV-502S Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Nolte <brucenol@abs.net>
Message-ID: <35010C1E.6844070F@abs.net>
Source record: 151250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale a Kenwood TV-502S 2 Meter Transverter. Hooks right up to the Kenwood TS-520, 520S, and 820, using the 10 meter part of the radio as a 28 Mhz IF. It has 10 watt output and I installed a Ramsey MOSFET preamp inside. Got a Yaesu 736 so I don't need it anymore. I am asking $175.00 including shipping to the lower 48. I would also consider intresting trades. If you are intrested contact me by E-mail or call me at 410-429-3985.
73 to all

Bruce N3LSY

3663. Re: Descrambling Frequency Inversion for Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim (N8XYN)" <jim.n8xyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6drkl6$gn5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151251

There was a fellow out there not too long ago that offerd a software product that does the exact same thing using your soundcard.....Anyone remember his address?

CTPDS49 wrote in message <19980307005200.TAA09558@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Cordless Telephones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically 3300
>3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
>can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.
>We have developed such a unit and are now offering it on our web site.
>
>
>CTP Descramblers

3664. Re: Icom 706MkII CTCSS problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35015F03.591F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151252

Steve Wilson wrote:
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> Mine does not either..... Sounds as if your ctcss gain is too high. Check
> the deviation if you can and set it no higher than 2.5kc with tone on and no
> audio.
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> Rick Mudd wrote in message <01bd47ad$74447640$39806ac6@rickmudd>...
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> >>
If you turn it down to much then the CTcss tone encode won't work.
I had the same problem on an Alinco DR-570T. There is a pooint were the
tone is not audible and still works with repeater that need the
Subaudible tone.
73's NS1R Steve

3665. Question: Kenwood V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: martian273@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307153000.KAA15475@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151253

Hello and thanks for taking the time to read this. I am in the process of buying a new Kenwood V7A Cool Blue dual bander. I'd like to hear any pros or cons concerning this rig. Also, wondering if there are any RX/TX improvement mods out there for this rig.

Thanks,
Chris
"NoSpam"Martian273@aol.com

Please remove the "nospam" for obvious reasons !!!!

3666. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <350167C7.6B64@netdoor.com>
Source record: 151254

That "thunk" says POWER! I love the "THUNK" of my L4B when I flip it on! It says POWER IS HERE and READY!!

Yeah....

Butch KF5DE

3667. WTB H.D. POWER SUPPLY 50,60 70 AMP NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <tbolt@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35016851.2B092A37@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151255

I am looking to purchase a H.D. Power supply, adjustable, with meters and or rack mount. Preferred but will consider anything.. (Does have to be a 50,60, 0R 70 amp version..) I do have a like NEW ALINCO DM-1350 35 amp supply that I would like to trade and pay cash difference to up-grade to a larger supply. We are setting up a new repeater site and our budget is somewhat limited at this time. Can anyone help out. Tnx. tbolt@ix.netcom.com

3668. Re: Another Astron Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35016B4A.7B5E@ccnet.com>
Source record: 151256

I think Gary is correct..... to clarify, I did check the actual
voltage at the supply at over 20 volts.....It shut down my 2 meter
radio. The apex to my 40 meter inverted V is about 30 feet above my
desk with my Ham gear..... When I move the antenna I think the problem
will go away. I tried ferrite rods ect. and it didn't help.

Thanks Don, W6IQ
>
> Wow, you must have a really hot shack. RF can get back into the regulator
> on any PS and cause it to go out of regulation. But it generally requires a
> *lot* of RF to get into an Astron and throw the 723 out of regulation. Try a
> 0.001 uf cap across the DC out terminals to suppress this. But I'd seriously
> look at shack and antenna layout to see why your shack has so much RF
> floating around down there instead of up on the antenna where it can do
> some good.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3669. Re: cq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <35016AE1.C2A@netdoor.com>
Source record: 151257

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Butch KF5DE (for the no-coders)

3670. DOSY TC-4002-SW METER QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6drpq9$r7l$6@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 151258

Hello. I have a question on the TC-4002-SW base station meter made by Dosy. What is the meters freq. coverage (meaning, on what frequencies will it operate on)? I have checked several sources and gotten many different answers. Some say that it was made for use on 10/11m, some say you can use it for 160m-10m, some say Dosy does not give a freq. coverage. Any help is appreciated. Thanks a lot in advance!

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW

3671. GE Business Mate Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Ormsby <ormsbyd@relia.net>
Message-ID: <350213E0.93C7FD47@relia.net>
Source record: 151259
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap

GE Business Mate, currently wired for autopatch. Excellent tone quality.
Crystals for 151.715. Extra tubes. Best offer. Inquire:
ormsbyd@relia.net

3672. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <35018247.3140@nidlink.com>
Source record: 151260

D. Waller wrote:
>
> Pete McGreevy wrote in message <35009FE2.3E2C@MAIL.IDT.NET>...
> >Jeez, come ON people! Are you all so attached to your techie "perfect
> >pretty" radios that you have forgotten a true LAW of Ham radio???
> >
> >ALL GOOD BIG THINGS GO "THUNK" WHEN YOU TURN THEM ON !
> >
> >Case in point, My Astron 20M, and ANY respectable tube amp....
>
> Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
>
> Darrel
> KC7ZCA

Better get it checked, Darrel. My 35M thunks nicely.

David, WA7ZYQ

If you enjoy spamming, let these guys add to your pleasure:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

3673. MOTOROLA MAXTRAC UHF $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage11 <mirage11@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eaQtpYeS9GA.312@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 151261
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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mirage11 wrote in message ...
>
>mirage11 wrote in message ...
>>I have FS a number of Motorola Maxtrac radios
>>32ch
>>MDC signaling
>>40watt
>>16 pin port on rear
>>with
>>mike and Locking Bracket.
>>$300 each
>>Doug
>>
>>
>>
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>
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3674. Re: Icom 706 mkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: trbarber@earthling.net
Message-ID: <3501742d.1750036@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151262

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 00:23:05 -0500, hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
wrote:

>Is there any way to add a keypad to this rig for direct entry of
>frequencies?

Why not get/make the computer interface and run it totaly by confuser?

3675. FS TS-520SE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <35016DA2.777@hauns.com>
Source record: 151263

Absolutely like new TS-520SE with like condition book, box, all original plugs, spare fuses, etc. This is the real thing! $300

3676. FS/trade - Alinco ELH-7400 UHF Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6drt8j$53g@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Please make an offer for this item, I have no idea what its worth:
>
>Its in mint cosmetic condition; however, operational condition is
>unknown. Sorry, no box, no manual. It requires a 13.8 VDC power
>source which is not included. It did power up when I put a power
>supply on it. I purchased this at an estatee sale with a box of other
>electronics stuff. I am not a ham, and therefore have no need for
>this.
>
>The unit is all metal, approx 4" X 6" X 1"
>A tag on the bottom of it says "rated input 10W"
>The front of it has an "on-air" led, and three push buttons:
>
>1. Mode - SSB/FM
>2. RX - On/Off
>3. TX - On/Off
>
>I would be interested in trading this for a basic hand held scanner.
>Please let me know brand and model # on your scanner for trade. If
>necessary, I will add money to even up the trade.

3677. FS-Photocopy of Drake R-7 service + owners manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6drtad$53g@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.boatanchors

>Photocopy of the owners and service manuals for $35 shipped to lower
>48 States. The service manual has 14 "11 X 17" schematics and circuit
>pictorials.

3678. WTB: Icom SM8 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1SWR <fleet@mbl.edu>
Message-ID: <35017987.3E27@mbl.edu>
Source record: 151266

Looking for an SM8, must be mint.

3679. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Devenport <jdport@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35017F06.6D61@concentric.net>
Source record: 151267
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:
>
> On 1998-02-27 pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk said:
> pa>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
> pa>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
> pa>In article <34f5cc97.281210489@ntserv02>, Wayne D. Hoxsie Jr.
> pa><wayne@hoxnet.com> writes
> pa>>The main problem with Nuclear Power (in the US) is that the
> pa>>technology is still classified (By the Atomic Energy Act of 1957)
> pa>>and because of this, the general public has no idea how safe it
> pa>>really is. Only Three Americans have every been killed related to
> snip
>
> If you really want to amuse the Hydro Board people, ask them how many
> people have been killed since construction of hydro power stations
> started.
>
> (Well, in Scotland, anyway.)

Well, anywhere major construction occurs there are the occasional deaths associated with it. Years ago I saw a vintage newsreel describing construction of the Depression-era Hoover Dam in the western USA, and as I recall the primitive footage showed a "T-model" truck falling over the edge of the gigantic dam in progress. Seems like over a dozen workers were killed in that project, and that doesn't count the "gangster victims" that were mixed in with the concrete. Construction deaths also do not include the thousands of deaths over the years from mining coal. I grew up amongst Uranium mines and mills and tailings piles and I recall 2 or 3 deaths associated with accidents from heavy equipment operation etc., cave-ins and such, but I recall no old-timers dying from coughing up their lungs slowly, as they do in the areas surrounding the coal mines of the USA.
Even Chernobyl, that hiss-and-byword of the nuclear horror group, fails to approach the casualties incurred from more conventional methods of generating power. (Generalization gleaned from Reader's Digest article on Chernobyl from some unknown months ago)
Is any of this on-topic for this group? Oh Well
Jim W5AOX

3680. Re: Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6qq@socal.wanet.com
Message-ID: <6ds0is$4ue$1@paleale.wanet.net>
Source record: 151268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It's a 440 "Hot Rod" from AEA. (I have one.)
It's a half-wave antenna.

73,

John, K6QQ

3681. Re: Antenna Help requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35017f7b.601785362@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151269

On Fri, 06 Mar 1998 20:10:25 -0800, Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com> wrote:
>What is the minimum size copper wire that can be used for radials. How long and how
>close should they be. I have access to scrap copper wire, and it would be helpful
>to know what size to save and what to send in for scrap.

The minimum size is whatever won't melt under the current load in the radial.
But more practical concerns arise. One of those is how long it takes for copper
to corrode away when buried. That depends on soil pH, but I wouldn't bother
burying anything smaller than #22. It won't be there long enough to make the
effort worthwhile.

Ideally, current shares equally between radials, so the more of them you put
down, the less each one has to carry individually. For example, if you use
8 radials, each should carry 1/8th as much current as the radiator. So you
can size them accordingly.

Very crudely, the RF current carrying capacity of a wire halves for each
reduction in wire gauge. So 1/8th capacity would be 3 wire gauges. Thus
if you use #12 for your antenna, the radials should be #15. Since #15
isn't a common gauge, you'd use #14 instead. But current on a buried
radial tapers as it disperses into the surrounding soil (sheet resistance
effect), so you could use #16 and still do fine.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3682. Re: DOSY TC-4002-SW METER QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <postmaster@fbi.gov>
Message-ID: <6drvpugbb1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 151270

Dosy makes meters targeted at the CB crowd. They are pretty liberal with their power readings at the 25-30 mhz. range, I wouldn't trust them for any accurrate power readings even on the 11 meter band. However, the SWR function should be OK on HF as long as the meter will calibrate properly on the foward setting. Personally, I would look for a better quality meter, i.e. Bird, Drake, etc...

73,

Dan K Nelson, KF6KNB

>Tony Heatwole wrote in message <6drpq9$r7l$6@clarknet.clark.net>...
>
>Hello. I have a question on the TC-4002-SW base station meter made by
>Dosy. What is the meters freq. coverage (meaning, on what frequencies will
>it operate on)? I have checked several sources and gotten many different
>answers. Some say that it was made for use on 10/11m, some say you can use
>it for 160m-10m, some say Dosy does not give a freq. coverage. Any help is
>appreciated. Thanks a lot in advance!
>
>Nat Heatwole
>heatwole@clark.net
>KB3CBW

3683. FS: UHF MAXTRAC NEW!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ds0vr$qsi@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151271

FS: UHF Maxtrac
450-470MHz 45Watts
MDC/DPL/PL
32 Channel
16 Pin acc
Also Brand New Motorola Touch Tone Pad that lights!! This alone is
75.00 new.
All for 365.00 NOW: 345.00 Without mic:320.00
Reply E-Mail
Rich
Everything is BRAND NEW!!

3684. FS: ICOM Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <G%fM.52$W85.220422@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 151272

Icom Z1A with box, manual, remote mic and case in like new condition. Full 800 range professionally restored. $ 300. John N3ZQJ johnl@ptd.net

3685. FS: MISC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <c0gM.53$W85.220422@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 151273

Percom Spectrum Frequency Database CD Winter 95
Mr. Scanner FCC Frequency Database CD May 1996
both for $ 10

Compton's Interactive Encyclopedia CD New in box 1995 edition $ 10

Altec Lansing ACS-100 amplified speakers. 3" base and 11mm tweeter with box,
cables and power supply. Sound great hooked up to a radio. $ 30.00

All prices include shipping.

Contact John, N3ZQJ at johnl@ptd.net if interested. Thanks.

3686. Re: VX-1R power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEpGnJ4.7oD@netcom.com>
Source record: 151274

In article <6drhs4jrl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> gem1@ibm.net writes:
>Given the large size of the power supply 'block' for the VX-1R, can someone
>tell me if the voltage/current regultion to charge the Lithium battery is
>incoporated into the monstrous power supply, or is it 'in-board' in the
>battery/radio?

I've wondered about this myself. Oddly enough, the cigarette lighter
power adapter is far smaller/lighter.

I gather the DC input current to the radio must be current limited.

Too bad Yaesu did such a horrible job on the AC supply.

Have you seen the 5V 1A AC supply for the IOMEGA ZIP DRIVE PLUS? It is
about 8 cubic centimeters and built right onto the AC plug (looks like
a _slightly_ fat AC power plug). It is actually delivering MORE power
than the VX1R takes.

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

>
>If the regulation is inboard, then I could use a much smaller power supply to
>charge the batteries, rather than the one supplied with the radio.
>
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3687. FS: DIAMOND MV3A ANTENNA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <_0gM.54$W85.220422@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 151275

Diamond MV3A mobile antenna--covers 10/6/2m plus the ability to add an extra band. Includes Diamond C213 coax assembly. Both are new in box.

Over $ 120 at HRO---yours for $ 80 including shipping.

Contact John, N3ZQJ at johnl@ptd.net if interested. Thanks

3688. FS: AZDEN 6m HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <I1gM.55$W85.220422@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 151276

Azden AZ-61 6m HT New In Box with warranty card and all factory accessories plus the LC-16 Soft Case and the AD-16 DC Power Cord $ 250.

Contact John, N3ZQJ at johnl@ptd.net if interested. Thanks.

3689. RE:Racal receiver FS..MORE INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6drv1j$sk4$1@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151277

Have gotten lots of response about this receiver. In my last posting,I
forgot the model #. Here it is....R-1555/URR-62.......RACAL # RA6217E.
Price is still $750.00 + shipping

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

3690. 600 radio tubes fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob <spenders@lancnews.infi.net>
Message-ID: <350190F0.3655ACAA@lancnews.infi.net>
Source record: 151278

Some 600 radio tubes that are in original boxes are for sale for $325.00 plus postage. These tubes represent a variety of brands including GE, Sylvania, Amperite, RCA, Amperex, Western Electric, Westinghouse, Ken-Rad, Mullard, Dumont and others. Included are mini, glass and metal tubes. I will include 200 unboxed/used tubes for free.

For a list of the tubes email spenders@lancnews.infi.net.

3691. Re: mod for kenwood tw4100a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <350192BA.779B@onramp.net>
Source record: 151279

Qin2 wrote:
>
> Hi
> does anyone have a frequency expansion mod for a kenwood tw 4100a mobile
> radio? Thanx KB2VX Rob

There isn't one. The only mod is cross-band repeat..
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3692. Re: Yaesu CAT Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: EZRider <ezrider@ecmis.net>
Message-ID: <35019598.0@news2.uswest.net>
Source record: 151280

yes it will i have used one on it
i also have one for sale
Mark Warner wrote in message <34FCC920.7CAF@flash.net>...
>Will Yaesu interface from current ARRL Hndbk work with FT-757GX?
>
>--
>Best regards,
>
>Mark Warner
>mcwarner@flash.net

3693. yaesu 757 GX CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <350195C5.6429@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 151281

YAESU 757 GX WORKS GOOD AND LOOKS GOOD.
550 PLUS SPIPPING
ALSO MFJ ANT TUNER 50.00
mikes@newulmtel.net
GENERAL COVERAGE RX/TX

3694. FT1000 Yaesu For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: EZRider <ezrider@ecmis.net>
Message-ID: <35019672.0@news2.uswest.net>
Source record: 151282

This radio has never been used excellent shape needless to say! This unit is the deluxe modle with all the extra goodies....

I have CAT module for the unit. Also avail is a Cushcraft 5 Band Vertical and Yaeus Rotor unit....

take all for 2750 firm!

3695. FS: PARTS FOR HT 32/ SX-111/SB400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ds563$sl@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151283

Parts rigs for each(No glass for SX111), some parts gone now.
contact <Joe.7hc@juno.com>

3696. wtb kenwood tv-506

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <350197FD.1D3439DC@mc.net>
Source record: 151284

looking for a clean tv-506 6 meter transverter for the ts-520.
good working condition with cables and manuals 73 jack n9iif

3697. help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6ds5tm$hmf@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 151285

I have a couple AEA 232MBX'S. I also am using PCPAKRATT-II. There is a line that you put in your autoexec.bat or config.sys file to set the UTC/LOCAL time. Something like settz utc -6 dst. Does anyone know the exact format for this.

thanks..genno/WM9H

wm9h@execpc.com

3698. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: N5HYH
Message-ID: <35019d7e.8260626@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151286

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 08:50:22 -0500, mgilbert@csi.compuserve.com.NOSPAM
(Matt Gilbert) wrote:

> Every so often when I power up my Astron 25Amp PS, it will
>deliver a very loud THUNK - is this what they refer to as
>'inrush current'? Should I worry about it, and if so what
>does one do to solve this problem? It sure doesn't sound
>like it's doing the PS much good.
>
>Matt Gilbert
>KC8FAY

My experiance tells me that the transformer windings have settled a
little. The inrush current on startup builds the Magnetic field. The
devlopment of this new field causes the windings to move a litte in
relation to the core. Kind like the sound of two magnets comming
together.

In small transformers, link in Astron Power Supplies, this is not a
problem. But on a Utillity Line transformer....

That little supply will continue serving you for many years.

Ron
N5HYH

3699. opions TS-570s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net>
Message-ID: <35018E22.72B6@thezone.net>
Source record: 151287

Thanks for reading this .If you have ts-570s or have used one do you like it and have you had any trouble with it any suggestions as to ssb filters , desk mic or other options .Thanks I have been considering buying one new .
Tom VO1TY

3700. WTB:Ratio boxes Gertsch, Singer, Ailtech, Eaton RatioTransformers, AC Dividers, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: debussy@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6ds9nsbot1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151288

Hello:

I collect used Gertsch, Singer, Ailetch & Eaton ratio standards, ratio transformers, "RatioTran" series boxes, decade AC dividers and the like.

Examples are: "RT-xx" RatioTran series, e.g. RT-15, RT26, etc.

"1000" series ratio standards, e.g. models 1000 through 1012

Plus anything like synchro boxes, null meters, etc, and anything weird or unusual from the above manufacturers.

Please contact me with price, condition, model number, etc. Thanks!

David Stadille N6OZC

Email: debussy@ix.netcom.com

(303) 554-5966 (home), 440-0861 ext 3 (work), 449-3622 (work fax)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3701. Info: Opinions on Yaesu FT 7 10 watt HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rrfasi@castles.com
Message-ID: <35019bc1.1891195@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 151289

Will you give ne your impressions on this older rig?
Is it designed for battery usage. Thanks,

Dick KM6PA

3702. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net>
Message-ID: <#zA8nUgS9GA.147@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 151290

David Rogers wrote in message <35018247.3140@nidlink.com>...
>D. Waller wrote:
>>
>> Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
>>
>> Darrel
>> KC7ZCA
>
>Better get it checked, Darrel. My 35M thunks nicely.

Oh no! Lessee, where'd I stash the shipping box........ sigh ;-)))

3703. Re: Info: Opinions on Yaesu FT 7 10 watt HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307202700.PAA00585@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151291

I purchased the "B" model(QRO) new in '79. The receiver is nice, but the xmtr drifts a bit, and the audio is prone to splatter, so keep the mic level down. Very easy to work on; all the circuits are on small plug-in cards, and pretty much discrete circuits to each board.

The front panel is plastic,and thin around the top corners. Be very careful when removing the top cover or you'll break the corners out. It is safer to lift the rear of the top cover minimally, and pull towards the rear.

K&#65533;MB

3704. 800 MHz with the FT-8100 ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: easycom@infomaniak.ch
Message-ID: <6dsahf$qo5$3@sibyl.sunrise.ch>
Source record: 151292

Hi,

Can the FT-8100 receive the 800 MHz ????

Thanks for your reply.

73, HB9ICC Sebastien

3705. FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories, reduced!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermperez@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6dp2dj$1g@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151327
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ok folks, we are not getting any bites at $2400 so we are dropping
down to $2000 OBO for the whole setup, lets see what happens!!

For Sale:

I have a complete Kenwood Ham radio station for sale.

TS-850S Transceiver
SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz)
DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit
MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone
MC-43S handheld microphone
SP-31 Matching external speaker
PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply
PG-2Z DC power cable
HS-5 Deluxe headphones
TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone

All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,
all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.

$2400 or best offer plus shipping and insurance.

Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..

Orlando Martin
Senor Fish Inc.
Miami, Fl

Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me
to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
HAM. Herm

3706. mod needed Kenwood tw-4100a mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307001501.TAA03301@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151328

I would appreciate a frequency expansion mod for the kenwood tw-4100a mobile dual bander. thank you Rob

3707. Yaesu Ft847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Leach <leach@mcmail.com>
Message-ID: <35009791.0@news1-hme0.mcmail.com>
Source record: 151329

Just thought I wouldlet you know, I received my FT847 brochure today. It also gives datils fot he ATAS aerial which covers 7mhz to 440 mhz (not 160 & 80 m)

The spec looks good but not too sure when I will actually see one in the flesh

I think the leaflets have only just arrived in the UK

73's Paul

ps FT920 for sale £900 uk
GW4AMZ
leach@mcmail.com

3708. Descrambling Frequency Inversion for Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307005200.TAA09558@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151330

Cordless Telephones that employ speech inversion scrambling (typically 3300
3700 Hz), as well as some police communications (typically 3500 Hz)
can be descrambled utilizing a balanced modulator/demodulator circuit.
We have developed such a unit and are now offering it on our web site.

CTP Descramblers

3709. WANTED COLLINS STATION CONSOLE 312B-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: swinche808@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307013701.UAA12718@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151331

PLEASE CALL STAN WINCHESTER AT 805-324-7286. WANTED COLLINS 312B-4 WING OR ROUND.

3710. Re: Help with tube rigs tuning theory!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307014200.UAA17916@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151332

Hey! The output circuit of your rig is a matching network! By the manual quote you gave, it will load an antenna between 50-75Ohms in impediance. If your antenna falls in that range you will not need an auxillary matching network.

I gathered by your quote that you have the manual? If so, follow the instructions therein. Otherwise, here are a few tips:
Turn on the xtal calibrator and tune the dial to it. Peak the S-meter using the Drive control. This will get you very close to the final position for this control.

Use the Tune position. This lowers the voltage to the tube, and allows you to tune with less chance of damage to the tubes.

With the meter reading Plate current, switch to XMIT and use the plate control to tune for a minimum meter reading.Switch to ALC meter position, do the minor peaking that may be needed to the Drive control. No ALC reading? Advance the CARR control to the 10 o'clock position, and try again.

Switch to the PWR Out(RF OUT) meter position, switch to xmit, and tune the LOAD control for max. No switch out of the tune position, xmit again, and redip the PLATE.

That should do it. Let the rig rest between adjustments if its taking you more than about 5 sec. per adjustment

KMB

3711. Re: TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6dqcla$krn@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 151333

I have owned my for over a year (I own 2 of them). It has been ultra
reliable. The one I use for a base rig is in constant use on both 2 meter
and 440. Other than putting an extra muffin fan on it to keep is from
getting hot on long blab sessions it is great.
Lots of features. I like the remote contro from a hand held which lets
you turn cross band repeat on and of from your hand held.

Stephen Goeller Jr <KC2BTP@webtv.net> wrote:
> Hey! Anybody own the Kenwood TM-V7A, you know the "Cool, New, and Blue"
> rig. It looks pretty cool and has a lot of memory but I'm not sure if I
> want to Invest in it. Or does anybody else recommend a dual-bander.
> Also I have a wierd problem I just bought the Kenwood TH-79A and I think
> its having power problems. First it worked GREAT! Then all of a sudden
> it worked every now and then (like only when it wanted to) and now I
> doesn't want to turn on at all. The Battery was charged but It doesn't
> even want to turn on via power supply. Its really wierd. My Standard
> HT is messed up and this was supposed to replace it. Now the Standard's
> better. (I can't win)
> Thanks for the help

> 73,

> -Steve Goeller KC2BTP

3712. FS: Opto Xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franklin Reed <freed@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4974$372ef460$e668cccf@franklin>
Source record: 151334

For Sale
OptoElectronics Xplorer WITH cellular unlocked. It is in excellent condition used very little, still in original box. Xplorer, manual, cables and software that came with it, $750. I will pay shipping and COD charges to you. If interested e-mail me with your your phone number and I will call you.

freed@ionet.net

3713. mods for kenwood tw4100a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307041201.XAA10054@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151335

Hi'
I would appreciate a frequency expansion mod for the kenwood tw4100a dual-band mobile. Thank you Rob

3714. mod for kenwood tw4100a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307042201.XAA16136@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151336

Hi
does anyone have a frequency expansion mod for a kenwood tw 4100a mobile radio? Thanx KB2VX Rob

3715. For Sale: UHF MOBILE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: truztnoone@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980307053701.AAA28143@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151337

FOR SALE:

ADI AR-446 UHF mobile. 35 watts out, 40 memories, CTCSS encode and decode.

With original box and manual. In very good condition, and already modified for public service frequency TX.

Asking $250 obo including shipping anywhere in continental U.S. E-mail <truztnoone@aol.com> for more info.

3716. FS: Two RCA 45 Used Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6dqmed$22v$3@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 151338

Two RCA #45 used tubes for sale with my actual TV-7D/U's readings/ratings for each tube.

Tube dealers due to large volumes of tubes generally cannot spend the time to give you the actual "performance" of the tube on a calibrated TV-7D/U tester in excellent shape (Please understand your readings can vary obviously). They simply say the tube passes usually and you could get a mediocre pass at best to decent very strong tube with the luck of the draw that's really like a new tube. I have had this experience.

Have rated and priced the following two tubes accordingly:

Tube 1: RCA 45

TV-7D/U's Minimum Acceptable Value = 47

" Actual Reading for tube 1 = 78

Asking price $45.00 or B/O plus shipping. This tests approximately like a new tube in my opinion!!!

Tube 2: RCA 45

TV-7D/U's Minimum Acceptable Value = 47

" Actual Reading for tube 1 = 65

Asking price $35.00 or B/O plus shipping. This is a strong used tube in my opinion.

International buyer welcome.

Thank you.

3717. Re: Icom 706 mkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <esVmSLaS9GA.200@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 151339

HM77 DTMF microphone

Randy wrote in message <3500CD86.175B@ix.netcom.com>...
>hermit wrote:
>>
>> Is there any way to add a keypad to this rig for direct entry of
>> frequencies?
>
>Icom makes an optional keypad mike for the 706.Thats about
>all I know. I never followed up on getting one.
> 73 Randy

3718. Re: FT8100R-any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <XU9wVFADHLA1Ew+d@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151340

In article <6doh84$o39$1@pyrite.mv.net>, Jim Cluett <cluett@mv.mv.com>
writes
>
>My FT-8100 serial number started with 7E021XXX. I understand

7E

It was manufactured in May 1997.
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

3719. FS: Cushcraft R5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kirby.nesbitt@velocity.bc.ca
Message-ID: <889254547@velocity.bc.ca>
Source record: 151341

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* For Sale *
Cushcraft R5 HF Vertical Antenna
Covers 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 meter bands
Exc. condition, stored past 3-years
Complete with assembly sheets $175.00 usd + shipping
Please contact:

Kirby Nesbitt VE7RKW
<knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>
Ph: 604.574.2316
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3720. FS: Cushcraft R5 Vert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kirby.nesbitt@velocity.bc.ca
Message-ID: <889254812@velocity.bc.ca>
Source record: 151342

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* For Sale *
Cushcraft R5 HF Vertical Antenna
Covers 10, 12, 15, 17, 20 meter bands
Exc. condition, stored past 3-years
Complete with assembly sheets $175.00 usd + shipping
Please contact:

Kirby Nesbitt VE7RKW
<knesbitt@velocity.bc.ca>
Ph: 604.574.2316
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3721. ICOM TUNER FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3502EB88.1FA4@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151044

I have the following ICOM tuner for sale...

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7773466

73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

3722. Drake B-Line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6dun2o$ais@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151045

Drake T-4XB transmitter w/speech processor, R-4B receiver with all filters, MS-4/AC-4 speaker/power supply. Additionally crystalled for 1.5, 5.9, 4.0, 9.7, 14.5, 18.0, 24.5, 27.0, 28.0, 29.0 MHz segments. All in excellent condx with manuals. $425 OBO.
Glenn, AA5PK
San Angelo, TX

3723. Complete Station For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wesley@jumpgate.net
Message-ID: <6dunbm$5eo$1@excalibur.avalon.net>
Source record: 151046

I am selling my complete station.. Partial listing: Yeasue 901D..MFJ 984 tuner.. Palomar 40 thru 10 meter amplifier...watt meters... Robot 400...Hygain TH3 Junior three element beam..all coaxes...connectors...Palomar 200 to 4oo watt mobile amp...Everthing goes for $1500.00. Cash....Firm..No tower...Bought an airplane..lost interest..30yrs worth of stuff...Sell complete only...Everything in excellent condition.....wesley@jumpgate.net

3724. ICOM Auto Tuner F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3502EDC6.4FCF@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151047

I have the following ICOM tuner for sale...

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7773466

73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

3725. 432 Transverter For sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3502ED8D.4301@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151048

I have the foolowing 432 Transverter for sale...

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7673691

73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

3726. SIX METER AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3502EE42.2024@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151049

I have the following SIX meter amp for sale

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7764449

thanks and 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

3727. Re: Yaesu Ft847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <6dunmt$d7g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151050

Paul Leach wrote:
>
> Just thought I wouldlet you know, I received my FT847 brochure today. It
> also gives datils fot he ATAS aerial which covers 7mhz to 440 mhz (not 160 &
> 80 m)
>
> The spec looks good but not too sure when I will actually see one in the
> flesh
>
> I think the leaflets have only just arrived in the UK
>
> 73's Paul
>
> ps FT920 for sale ï¿½900 uk
> GW4AMZ
> leach@mcmail.com

Just received mine here in New York on Saturday. Very nice brochure. I
am definitely going to wait at least 6 months before considering a
purchase. This radio really needs to get tested out by the ARRL and
other publications. The cooling system doesn't look too impressive. I
heard a rumor that the rig gets hot. That might be the reason why. I
would love to see how it works on RTTY.

Robert, N2JTX
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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
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3728. FS: ****Racal RA-6217 0-30mhz. RCVR****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dum0m$1an$1@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151051

Super clean Racal RA-6217 receiver. This is a all mode soldstate
receiver with lots of features. Price is $750.00 + shipping

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

3729. FS UPDATED LIST OF RADIO PAPERWORK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hipkat99@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308185201.NAA24306@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151052

UPDATED LIST PF RADIO MAGAZINES, MANUALS, ARRL HANDBOOKS, CATALOGS!!!!!
HUNDREDS OF THEM!!!!

http://members.aol.com/hipkat99/index.html

3730. Trick/Mod for Standard C5608DA Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sztim999@catbert.ucdavis.edu
Message-ID: <6dupi1$67q$1@mark.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 151053

Hi,

I'm looking for any mod for Standard C5608DA Dual Band Mobile
radio.

Also need the hint of how to direct enter of ALL Digit. As
default, the radio display the first two digit already. Thanks

- Tim

3731. HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Ormsby <ormsbyd@relia.net>
Message-ID: <35039339.E3572F2C@relia.net>
Source record: 151054

Is the HT still available? Thanks.. Don KC7PCJ

3732. Marine SSB for sale - Yaesu FT-180A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <6durucctk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151055
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yaesu FT-180A Marine SSB never installed. With all paperwork and accessories. Microphone and DC power cord are included (never opened!). Manuals are in English and Spanish.

The FT-180 is a rugged, compact Marine SSB Transceiver capable of HF base or mobile operation. The unit covers transmit and receive frequency (simplex or
duplex) pairs from 1.6 to 18 MHz. Power output is 100 watts PEP. Modulation modes supported are JE3 (USB/LSB) and H3E (AM). A built-in fan cools the final amplifier to remove excessive heat. Powered by 12V-13.8V DC.

All controls and buttons have a rubber seal, covers, or grommets to keep moisture and dirt out. This unit will work in a car, boat, or home because of
its rugged design. This rig can be used on other frequencies or bands other than Marine SSB. The manual covers the frequency selection. There are other discussions on the Internet USENET where this rig was used as a mobile radio outside of the Marine bands for public/government service. OK on Amateur Bands.

The transmitter has a temperature controlled crystal oven (TXCO) to keep transmit frequencies accurate. A receive clarifier helps tune in other stations that may not be on frequency.

Units are being sold at South Midlands Communications.

I am looking to sell this Marine SSB radio for $500 US OBO. Shipping weight is 10-12 pounds (4-5 Kg). I will ship and insure to CONUS US states.

A photo can be found at: http://www.smc-comms.com/radios/ft-180a-hf.jpg

Al, NW2M
aor@gteais.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3733. *FS: Transportable Cellular Phone w/ 2 antennas*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308194401.OAA28629@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151056

Hey there...

I have a Technophone 900 (clone of a Nokia) Transportible Cellular Phone for sale (or trade). Condition is about 5/10, but it works 100%!! Will work on the Analog (standart 800 MHz) system (both A and B carriers). Includes the Transceiver Unit, the Handset (with the cord), the 12 VDC plug (for connecting a ciggarrete ligher cord), original manual (in both Engligh and Spanish), two antennas, one is the "Rubber Duck" type which connects directly to the TNC connecter on the transciever unit, and a "Trunk Mount" mobile antenna, also with the cord and TNC connecter. Plus I also have some "Programming Info" for it. One more thing, the handset of the unit is damaged abit (there's a scratch going through the LCD) but the LCD functions perfictly. (Basicly only the handset is in rough shape, all else is in great shape.) Makes a great "Emergency Cell Phone" beause you can make 911 calls for free. Asking $30 + shipping. I am in the Philadelphia, PA area.

73s
N3ZVM

3734. Yaesu FT-8500 & Aircraft Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Lorber <jlorber@tsinc.com>
Message-ID: <6dusjj$371$1@client2.news.psi.net>
Source record: 151057

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-8500/FS-10 and have noticed something rather strange. For some reason (unknown to me), when I listen to an aviation freq (128.400 for example), and the AM Receive is OFF, I hear it BETTER than when the AM Receive is ON! Something definitely doesn't make any sense. To top it off, when I am listening with the AM Receive in the OFF setting, sometimes it is still very garbled and unreadable. I'm wondering if the AM filter is bad in my radio.... BTW- it's brand new... Any ideas?

Thanks!

Jonathan

3735. Yaesu FT-102 Dial Tension

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308195500.OAA04958@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151058

Is it possible to adjust the Main Tuning dial tension on the FT-102 ? Just got one that is real stiff.

Alan, N3BJ

3736. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3502F54C.7D27@onramp.net>
Source record: 151059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Bob Bethman wrote:
>
> I have a Kenwood TS-820S with EXTREMELY low
> output in the TUN mode. Everything else is working at
> specs. I get full out put in CW and SSB.
>
> How do I adjust the TUN mode?
>
> Where is the adjustment?
>
> I can't find a service manual, it is out of print and Kenwood
> apparently either doesn't have one, or is not willing to copy
> the one thay have as they used to offer.
>
> I need to use this TUN mode to initially tune my amplifier
> so that I don't blow something up or scortch it.
>
> Bob Bethman
> N0DGN/4
>
> --+
> | Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 |
> +--+
> | Bob Bethman \\\|/// " The absence of a danger |
> | N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
> | rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
> +----------------------oOOo-(_)-oOOo-------------------------+

There isn't a "tune mode" adjustment. When in tune mode the screen
voltage on the finals is halved by a voltage divider in the power
supply. What has happened is the divider is open. I am at home and don't
have the designators but look at the schematic for 2 56k resisstors in
the power supply board. If you can't find them then e-mail me tomorrow
and I will look them up.

NO ANTI-SPAM, JUST HIT REPLY.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3737. FS: RS HTX-404 UHF HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke7vg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308201000.PAA07529@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151060

Must sell; too many radios. New in box, never used, Radio Shack HTX-404 HT w/nicad & optional dry cell battery case too. Misplaced instruction book. Will forward to buyer when found or will supply copy. $100.00 firm including shipping, COD cash/money order by UPS ground.
Gene

3738. **FS: Non-Working 2 meter HT w/ schematics**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308201100.PAA03330@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151061

Hey there...

I have for sale (or trade) a non-working Tempo S-1 HT. This is a 2 meter Synthesized HT. The frequency is set by "Thumbwheel" on top of the HT. The radio is not working, and I do not know what is wrong, it simply won't power up. It comes with the following accessories: 7.2 Volt NiCAD battery pack, battery charger/power supply (2 in 1), "Rubber Duck" antenna, Leather Case, plus the original manual AND the SERIVCE MANUAL with full schematics for the radio. Asking $15 + shipping. I am in the Philadelphia, PA area.

73s
N3ZVM (Eugene)

3739. Re: In need of an equipment manual!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3502FA1B.31C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151062

Philip Westover wrote:
>
> Does anybody out there have, or know a source for, a manual for a Swan
> SS-200-16B transceiver? I've tried Ray Sarrio, but he doesn't have one.
> Whatever help I could get would be greatly appreciated!

Hi Phillip -- try URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageu.html
Brock Publications has the originals of Swan manuals.

73
Keep them Boat Anchors Afloat
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 70 PAGES AND 2000 LINKS
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

3740. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <3CA8EAA51B9AE2E9.738BB31B06341DDB.B2F4DE3636FA9094@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 151063
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ dial.pipex.com
> "Linux is to Windows
> ... as Betamax is to VHS"

U got it!!!
Linux _is_ to Windows what Betamax was to VHS!

Why do you think the majority of images you see on your televsion are
gathered using
GASP .....betacam! Beta was a far superior product to VHS and always
will be.
Marketing and release of the licensing of the format was the secret to
VHS success, not
quality.Marketing is also the reason for success of Windows...._nobody_
would accept
the horseshit brought to you by Microsoft if they were _really_ thinking
and not mindlessly
accepting marketing vs real world scenarios.

Windows is to crashing as VHS is to being "un-broadcastable". They are
both a given.

They say you can't polish a turd. Never tried. But Bill G. is as close
as close can get.

3741. FS: Ameritron AL1500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308202200.PAA09687@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151064

For Sale-----Ameritron Al1500 HF Amplifier. EC----Newer 8877 final. 10 meter modification done. $1650.00--price includes shipping-----sells new for $2300.00.

3742. Re: VX-1R power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <aYuzmBANLnA1Ew$G@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151065

In article <6drhs4jrl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, gem1@ibm.net writes
>Given the large size of the power supply 'block' for the VX-1R, can someone
>tell me if the voltage/current regultion to charge the Lithium battery is
>incoporated into the monstrous power supply, or is it 'in-board' in the
>battery/radio?
>
>If the regulation is inboard, then I could use a much smaller power supply to
>charge the batteries, rather than the one supplied with the radio.

In view of the hazards involved in charging/discharging Lithium
batteries, the regulation would be in the radio with hopefully
protection circuitry on the battery pack itself.

The "monstrous power supply" does not appear to have any sophistication.
I'm not sure there is even any voltage regulation in it. Yaesu should
really have provided a switching PSU.

I have successfully used one of those multi-voltage adapters which plugs
into a 12v cigarette lighter socket. It runs at around 700mA and I set
it to 6v. These adapters come with interchangable tips but I had to
search for an extra tip to connect to the VX1. In the UK, both the 12v
adapter and the extra tip is available from Maplin stores.
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Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

3743. IC-706 mods !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rava@mail.pf
Message-ID: <3502FE5E.F11951FF@mail.pf>
Source record: 151066

Hello all,

Thks for reading this msg.

I have the mods for the IC706 MK-II, but I am not sure wheither it goes
for the IC706.
(mods for the MK-II seems to be : "cut the diode D16 on the main circuit
board").

I am looking for the mods for the Icom IC706.
On the main circuit of the IC706, the same-located diode is labelled
D116.
Do I have to cut this D116 diode ?

Thanks in advance for any help.

Cheers, de Eddy - FO5OK

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Eddy Tchung, FO5OK
81, Ch. vicinal de Taunoa
PO Box 491, Papeete
Tahiti I., French Polynesia
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3744. wanted kenwood vfo-520 and kenwood mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35024001.56C37A79@mc.net>
Source record: 151067

looking for clean vfo-520 with cables for my ts-520.
also want a stock mic for the ts-600 or 700 series or mc-50 mic
thanks jack n9iif

3745. FS ICOM 735 & Etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Chunky" <mrchuck@1st.net>
Message-ID: <6duvgs$3du$1@news2.ee.net>
Source record: 151068

FS Icom 735. Used only a few hours. Like new. Was used as second radio in my winter home... Best offer. Now just collecting dust.

Also available
Mosely TA-36 6 Element tri-bander.
Icom IC2-KL Solid state amplifier

Make offer... only pickup or local delivery. Will not ship.
E-mail mrchuck@1st.net

Chuck/K8WDC

3746. IC-706MKII and MFJ-969 help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6duieu$644$2@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 151069

Is anyone else using the IC-706MKII and the MFJ-969? I'm new to manual tuning and can not figure out how to tune. I've tried everything in the tuner manual with no luck yet. Just got them yesterday. Could you tell me the steps you use to tune the rig with it? ANY help greatly appreciated!!! I'm going nuts trying to figure it out.....

73,
Tom
KB2SMS

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
tprandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Dutchess county,N.Y.
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in the address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

3747. Re: Yaesu FT-102 Dial Tension

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308211900.QAA15482@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151070

Boy - am I stupid...the rubber grip around the dial was binding against the silver "venier" part of the knob. Discovered that after tearing the sucker all the way down.

Name withheld

3748. 20-30A SWITCHING power supply recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEpIs34.6H0@netcom.com>
Source record: 151071

I'm looking for a 12V 20-30A switcher I can use to power a FT900CAT,
and as I've had no good success in the past with switchers for HF gear,
I'd like to get some suggestions from people who have had success
with this kind of combination. What type of switching power supply for
HF SSB gear have you used and been happy with (in terms of dynamic
behavoir and noise?)

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

3749. ALINCO DJ-S41C to DJ-S41T ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: S&#65533;rgio Gil <gitopo@mail.telepac.pt>
Message-ID: <3502F8F3.1B3D@mail.telepac.pt>
Source record: 151072

It will be possible to transform ALINCO DJ-S41C to DJ-S41T ?

Sï¿½rgio Gil
Coimbra

3750. FS: Alpha 87A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Newell <dick@cerulean.com>
Message-ID: <6dv1ff$b9p@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151073

For Sale:

The cadillac of power amps, the Alpha 87A. Mint condition. New price $6390. My price $4700 + shipping.

Dick, AK1A

dick@cerulean.com

3751. Whats a Ten-Tec Mini D worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Kenney <kenney@magnet.fsu.edu>
Message-ID: <350310BC.5FB4@magnet.fsu.edu>
Source record: 151074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

I inherited a Ten-Tec Mini-D transceiver with a model 252 power supplt,
model 228 antenna tuner, ans a Century Keyer model 670 and Astatic model
10-c mike. Can anyone tell me what would be a fair asking price for it?
I have all manuals.
Respond by e-mail

Thanks
Jerry Kenney
kenney@magnet.fsu.edu

3752. Kenwood TS-50, Feature? Or Fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <35038997.338B@virgin.net>
Source record: 151075

Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50
and in the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon
as CW mode is selected, the radio goes into TX.

I was fairly alarmed by this at first but then I calmed down a
little and inserted an unconnected mono 3.5mm jack plug into the
'Key' socket.

Instant cure.

Take the plug out when in CW mode, WHAP, straight into TX mode.

The manual does not bother to explain how a key should be connected
but I am virtually sure it should be normally open, closed when keyed,
so it seems that the socket has an internal short. Looking at the
diagram I see that the socket is pretty complex for something which
theoretically only needs two connections from a push-to-make switch.
The 'Key' socket includes switches, and they are used, according to
the diagrams.

It occurs to me that this is there to provide an easy way to key up the
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find this a little bit TOO helpful.

If you have a TS-50 or have used one I would like to know if this
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As a second query, I also got an AT-300 Auto-ATU with the set
and I see that according to the manual, the AT-300 unit is not
suitable for mobile use. Examination of the unit reveals that it
only has a single wing-nut termination for the aerial, so I take it
that the AT-300 is strictly an end-fed wire tuner, and that I would
need the AT-50 if I wanted to drive a coax-fed antenna?

Bear with me: This is the first HF TRX I have ever owned,
so what may be obvious to you is not necessarily obvious to me.

Regards, Graham Galbraith, M0ADR (U.K.)

3753. Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <35038830.36B5@virgin.net>
Source record: 151076
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Regards, Graham Galbraith, M0ADR (U.K.)

(remove no.spam. from my email address to reply.)

3754. Where best price on Icom PCR-1000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: flanders@groupz.net
Message-ID: <350314f1.9654112@nntp.groupz.net>
Source record: 151077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Anybody know where the best USA mail order deal is for the ICOM
PCR-1000 receiver? Who has it cheapest?

Jerry W4UK flanders@groupz.net

3755. WANTED COLLINS STATION CONSOLE 312B-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmarce6692@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308232601.SAA12520@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151078

PLEASE CALL STAN WINCHESTER @ 805-324 7286.. HAS TO BE IN GOOD SHAPE, ROUND
OR WING..

3756. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature? Or Fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim (N8XYN)" <jim.n8xyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dva73$aum@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151079

I have TS60 and it dont do that....

Graham Galbraith wrote in message <35038997.338B@virgin.net>...
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>and in the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon
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3757. FS SERVICE MONITOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: JACORN@HOTMAIL.COM
Message-ID: <6dv9i6$t6p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151080

I have for sale a Cushman Model 7010 service monitor,covers 100khz to 999.9999 mhz.Features include 2 uv receiver,150 watt meter,sinad meter,deviation meter,scope,frequency error meter and more.does not do spectrum.I bought an IFR 1500 so do not need any more.$1400 or trade for equal value.
Jim

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3758. Re: Alinco DX-77

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sepsteinx@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6dvaed$u75$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151081

ALINCO DX77 vs DX70

No six-meters.
No TXIT.
Keyer comes standard (No message memory).
No detachable control-head.
No SSB filter.
LCD and heatsink are the same.
No option for mobile bracket.(Has holes for a bracket though).
No Auto Power Off.
Priced about $200 more then DX70.(Can't be! Ought to check this again)
Price may come down in future but still doubtful whether its worthwhile.

In article <6dtsm0ejo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
josephbird@rocketmail.com wrote:
>
>
> Anyone know the difference between DX-70 and DX-77 other
> than appearance?
>
> Joe
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3759. FS: ICOM Rapid Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: eugeneb@nni.com
Message-ID: <6dvf0v$4jh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151082
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amatuer.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale

ICOM CM-35 set-in desk top rapid charger. This is the
commercial version ofthe BC-35. This unit is new in box,
never used, complete with instructions and warranty card.
Will charge BP-2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 70, & 8, and others.
Will also charge ICOM packs for some of their Aviation
radios (A-2) amd Marine Band Radios.

Will Ship for $55.00

Contact Gene K1NR/3 at: eugeneb@nni.com

Thanks

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3760. wanted: Manual FT-227R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL GOSS <renal@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <35032A1F.992E3F1E@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 151083

Need a manual (copy ok) for this older Yaesu 2m 10w xcvr. Happy to
buy burger and soda for your troubles. 73 AL

3761. Re: Sold IF-232C adaptor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doran Platt <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3503314C.2E74CC6B@erols.com>
Source record: 151084

The adaptor was sold. Thanks to all!

>

3762. FS: TH28A and Astron Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Lyon <kj5xf@nospamworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dvfpe$7sq@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151085

Greetings,
I have two items for sale:

#1) Astron RS-20A; It's in working condition, and cosmetically it's
a 9.9 on a scale of 10. I'm asking $50.00 for it.

#2) Kenwood TH28A; I have the original manual box, receipts and
charger, etc. It's in mint electrically and cosmetically.
The only thing you will probably nead to buy is a battery.
The battery that's currently installed is old and tired.
I'm asking $100.00 for it.

NOTE: Buyer will pay shipping costs....

If you're interested, please let me know.... My email address is:
kj5xf@worldnet.att.net

Regards,
Tony Lyon

3763. Re: FT1000 Yaesu For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Traylor <timtraylor@mvtel.net>
Message-ID: <35031110.4037C172@mvtel.net>
Source record: 151086

Is this the FT1000 or the FT1000D??

>EZRider wrote:
>
> This radio has never been used excellent shape needless to say! This
> unit is the deluxe modle with all the extra goodies....

Just what goodies are added that make it the "deluxe" model??

> I have CAT module for the unit.

I thought that was standard.

>Also avail is a Cushcraft 5 Band
> Vertical and Yaeus Rotor unit....

Also available or INCLUDED??

> take all for 2750 firm!

--
Tim Traylor -- Mountain View, AR
WBCCI#3095 KD5CXO

3764. Re: 10mtr radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Hoke <hokey@clover.net>
Message-ID: <350345C7.25E5@clover.net>
Source record: 151087

Michael D. Thomas wrote:
>
> I am hopefully going to be passing my 5wpm code test within the
> next several weeks. After that I will be in the market for a 10mtr
> rig. My question is; How can a new ham find out about older rigs
> that may be available on the used market? In other words what is the
> difference between the various rigs out there? Is there a good book
> to use?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Mike/KB8VYT
>
> --
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
> michael d. thomas
> mdt2@po.cwru.edu
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
Hi Mike,
Good luck on your test. The ARRL puts out two buying guides, called
"Radio Buyer's Sourcebook", two editions are published. As far as
current values, just keep watching current prices in ads on the net. I
found a real nice Kenwood on the net.
Ken

3765. WTB UHF ASTRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: JACORN@HOTMAIL.COM
Message-ID: <6dvgur$774$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151088

I am looking for a ASTRO SABER Model 3 in the frequency split of
403 to 470 mhz.Please let me know the price and condition if you have
one for sale.
Lee

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3766. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature? Or Fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <35034918.4768@onramp.net>
Source record: 151089

Graham Galbraith wrote:
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> need the AT-50 if I wanted to drive a coax-fed antenna?
>
> Bear with me: This is the first HF TRX I have ever owned,
> so what may be obvious to you is not necessarily obvious to me.
>
> Regards, Graham Galbraith, M0ADR (U.K.)

That is NOT normal. Something is wrong.

You are correct on the tuner, it is for a wire antenna.
--
Clif @ AVVid
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http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3767. Re: IC-706 mods !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <35034843.7780@onramp.net>
Source record: 151090

Eddy Tchung wrote:
>
> Hello all,
>
> Thks for reading this msg.
>
> I have the mods for the IC706 MK-II, but I am not sure wheither it goes
> for the IC706.
> (mods for the MK-II seems to be : "cut the diode D16 on the main circuit
> board").
>
> I am looking for the mods for the Icom IC706.
> On the main circuit of the IC706, the same-located diode is labelled
> D116.
> Do I have to cut this D116 diode ?
>
> Thanks in advance for any help.
>
> Cheers, de Eddy - FO5OK
>
> --
>
> Eddy Tchung, FO5OK
> 81, Ch. vicinal de Taunoa
> PO Box 491, Papeete
> Tahiti I., French Polynesia
> ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

Not the same mod...
--
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3768. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature? Or Fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <3503753F.6B53@1st.net>
Source record: 151091

Graham Galbraith wrote:
>
> Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50
> and in the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon
> as CW mode is selected, the radio goes into TX.
>

i have one that is listed here for sale. i took it out of the
plastic and plugged it in.

with NO microphone and NO key plugged in i put it in CW.
it continued to receive. it did NOT go into transmit mode.

sounds like the key plug on yours may be bent inside.

duane wm8n

3769. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature? Or Fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <35034C6F.386D@onramp.net>
Source record: 151092

Clif wrote:
>
> Graham Galbraith wrote:
> >
> > Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50
> > and in the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon
> > as CW mode is selected, the radio goes into TX.
> >
> > I was fairly alarmed by this at first but then I calmed down a
> > little and inserted an unconnected mono 3.5mm jack plug into the
> > 'Key' socket.
> >
> > Instant cure.
> >
> > Take the plug out when in CW mode, WHAP, straight into TX mode.
> >
> > The manual does not bother to explain how a key should be connected
> > but I am virtually sure it should be normally open, closed when keyed,
> > so it seems that the socket has an internal short. Looking at the
> > diagram I see that the socket is pretty complex for something which
> > theoretically only needs two connections from a push-to-make switch.
> > The 'Key' socket includes switches, and they are used, according to
> > the diagrams.
> >
> > It occurs to me that this is there to provide an easy way to key up the
> > TX for tuning purposes when using SSB mode, simply by blipping
> > across to CW mode, which is a one-button press. If so it's a little
> > dangerous because you only need to select a memory which has
> > been programmed with the CW mode for the radio to go into TX. I
> > find this a little bit TOO helpful.
> >
> > If you have a TS-50 or have used one I would like to know if this
> > is normal behaviour for the beast.
> >
> > As a second query, I also got an AT-300 Auto-ATU with the set
> > and I see that according to the manual, the AT-300 unit is not
> > suitable for mobile use. Examination of the unit reveals that it
> > only has a single wing-nut termination for the aerial, so I take it
> > that the AT-300 is strictly an end-fed wire tuner, and that I would
> > need the AT-50 if I wanted to drive a coax-fed antenna?
> >
> > Bear with me: This is the first HF TRX I have ever owned,
> > so what may be obvious to you is not necessarily obvious to me.
> >

> > Regards, Graham Galbraith, M0ADR (U.K.)
>
> That is NOT normal. Something is wrong.
>
> You are correct on the tuner, it is for a wire antenna.
> --
> Clif @ AVVid
> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

I didn't notice the anti-spam in your address so I hope yopu get it
here. BTW If I had I wouldn't have responded.
--
Clif @ AVVid
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http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3770. WTB qrp 40 meter equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoBody <george@sky.net>
Message-ID: <6dvjhj$2d9$1@alpha.sky.net>
Source record: 151093

Hello

Im looking for a 40 meter qrp rig that can be used in the Tech Plus privileges area. Must be in very good condistion. Will to pay no more then $50.00 not including shipping.

george@sky.net

3771. Re: Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6dt4n3$1pj@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 151094
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In rec.radio.amateur.equipment john.moriarity <k6qq@socal.wanet.com> wrote:

: It's a 440 "Hot Rod" from AEA. (I have one.)
: It's a half-wave antenna.

I don't think so....the "Hot Rod" is not "flexible" it is a ridgid,
extendable antenna (I have the 440 *and* the 2 meter versions)

--
Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

3772. Comments on TH-K7 Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrinky@xtra.co.nz
Message-ID: <34f0c3db.1014409@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 151095

Hi,

Thanks for reading this message.

I am interested in the Kenwood TH-K7 and wondered if anyone has had
any experience with this rig and their views on it please.

73 de David
ZL1TLU.

3773. In need of an equipment manual!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Westover <philathillview@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6dt6t8$60b@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151096

Does anybody out there have, or know a source for, a manual for a Swan SS-200-16B transceiver? I've tried Ray Sarrio, but he doesn't have one. Whatever help I could get would be greatly appreciated!

3774. WANTED COLLINS 312B-4 STATION CONSOLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: swinche808@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308045400.XAA29597@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151097

PLEASE CALL STAN WINCHESTER AT 805-324-7286.. WANTED 312B-4 STATION CONSOLE.
ROUND OR WING.. SHOULD BE IN GOOD SHAPE..

3775. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4a4b$4f00d860$598a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone find a solution to this problem which seems to be common to several owners, now including me?
Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

> >>it, and still no TX! RX is fine, but it won't transmit!!!
> >>73s
> >>N3ZVM
> >>Visit my Website at: http://members.aol.com/EugeneD

> I have a 202 myself with the same problem.......I disasembled and
> inspected, and it worked well for a while, then the problem returned.
> Good Luck!

3776. Re: Icom CI-V Interface Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Bernstein <dhb@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <350225D0.D4C1E17B@mediaone.net>
Source record: 151099

1. The radio sends "OK" or "NG" in response to a "controller-to-radio" message, such as "change frequency to 14150" or "set mode to CW" or "enable dual receive". The controller is typically your PC, but could be another radio on the CI-V bus with its CIV-TRN parameter set to "ON", or a dedicated frequency controller like the "QSYer" that used to be advertised in the back of QST.

2. The radio sends "radio-to-controller" messages in the following situations:

a. If the radio receives a "report frequency" command from the controller, it responds by sending a "radio-to-controller" message bearing the radio's current frequency. The command code for "report frequency" is 3; this doesn't seem to be documented in either the 706 or 775 manuals, and I have a vague memory of writing an application to explore every command code.

b. If the radio receives a "report mode" command from the controller, it responds by sending a "radio-to-controller" message bearing the radio's current mode and filter settings; the command code for "report mode" is 4; this command also appears undocumented in the 706 and 775 manuals.

c. If the radio's CI-V TRN parameter is "on", then the radio will asynchronously send a frequency-bearing "radio-to-controller" message (which I refer to as a "new frequency" message) any time its frequency changes -- which can occur because you move the tuning knob, change VFOs, or because the controller sends a "controller-to-radio" command that causes the radio to change frequency, such as "set frequency" or "memory->VFO". Similarly, C-IV TRN "on" means the radio will send a "radio-to-controller" message bearing mode and filter settings (a "new mode/filter settings" message) any time its mode or filter settings change.

On the surface, it would seem that one should simply set C-IV TRN "on", write a handler for incoming "new frequency" and "new mode/filter-setting" messages, and then implement whatever "business logic" is required to satisfy your control needs. This works ok if you have only one radio on your CI-V bus, and if you are careful to avoid recursion in the case where the radio sends you a "new frequency" message in response to the "change frequency" message you just sent. If you have more than one radio on you CI-V bus, however, setting a radio's CI-V TRN parameter to "on" makes makes it a "master" -- all other radios on the CI-V bus will follow its frequency and mode changes; unless this is what you want, you'll need to configure CI-V TRN to "off" and poll for frequency and mode changes.

In DX-Lab, I configure CI-V TRN "off" and poll the radio every 200 ms., alternating between "report frequency" and "report mode" commands. Even in the pre-compilation Visual Basic days, performance wasn't a problem on a 486DX running Windows 3.1. With compilation in VB 5.0, there is certainly no problem with any pentium running Win95 or NT, assuming sufficient memory. If you're concerned, make the polling interval variable from your app's user interface and explore the limits.

The frequency encoding is 5 BCD bytes, least-significant sent first. If your radio is a 735, or if your radio isn't a 735 but has its CI-731 parameter set to "on", then the frequency is encoded into 4 BCD bytes.

You'll find additional notes and Visual Basic code fragments illustrating the above in http://www.ambersoft.com/Amateur_Radio/Icom_Control.htm.

Have fun & 73,

Dave, AA6YQ

CJ wrote:
>
> Can anyone give me or point me to any tips on programming an IC-706 via
> its computer interface? The only reference that I have is the
> Instruction Manual. Most of the commands, per se, seem to make sense,
> but when does the radio return the OK Message, the NG Message or the
> IC-706 to Controller message? And in what order are the frequency bytes
> sent?
>
> My first thought was to request the current frequency, see what I got
> and then assume that the command sequence would be the same. But then I
> couldn't figure out how to request the current frequency!
>
> I managed to figure out my FT-990 by using the examples in its
> Instruction Manual and eventually wrote what I think is a pretty neat
> control program, but this Icom interface is clearly something very
> different. Any help whatever will be appreciated.
>
> 73, CJ K0CJ

3777. FS: MFJ-962C tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308054300.AAA06997@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151100

I have a mint 1.5KW tuner for sale. Less than a year old with box and manual.
$175 shipped.

73,
k-K

3778. Re: Icom CI-V Interface Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhopper-N0SPAM@ix.N0SPAM.netcom.com
Message-ID: <slrn6g4c9v.ga.dhopper-N0SPAM@dhopper.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 151101

On Thu, 05 Mar 1998 21:10:10 -0800,
Randy <rcarles@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>Frank Krozel wrote:
>>
>> Hi CJ:
>> I have a similar problem. I have a 706MKII, after selling my old
>> faithful 706, and it would have been nice to be able to "clone" one to
>> another.
>> All of the programs I have seen, bought or got, just allow for
>> programming. Once you have 50 or so memories programmed, it would be
>> nice to be able to "read" the radio, then bit bang it with the new
>> added data. In addition, most of all the radios I have had over the
>> years all have lost memory data over the life of the radio. I must
>> say ICOM did it right, as over 125,000 road miles and it NEVER failed
>> memories! (Thank you Icom!) I talked via e-mail to one of the
>> software designers and he stated he would entertain reading the radio,
>> but I never heard from him again. Apparantly, it may not be
>> possible. I wish we Icom users had similar software like the FT-50
>> has. The ADMS software is great. If you have some solution to this,
>> I would appreciate hearing from you. Frank KG9H
>> frank@electronicinstrument.com
>>
>> There is a program called Memory Master for the Icom -706 that I found
>on the Internet. It is a zip file but I don't remember where I got it.
>This was a shareware program.
>I have the author's e mail address: KEITH-N5DUH@worldnet.att.net

There's also the software Icom was demonstrating at Dayton last year,
ARCP, now available from the page linked to from
http://www.icomamerica.com/amateur/ . Pretty snazzy looking, but it
also suffers from the same ailment all other software I've tried does:
it doesn't store 100% of the attributes in a IC-706 memory location.
If you copy a memory to disk, erase it in the radio, and program it back,
I believe I remember it torching the correct split frequency. So,
probably OK for most HF memories, but totally inadequate for 10M, 6M,
and 2M FM split operation.

Dan
KU4NF

3779. WTB: FT107M operation manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dtcng$7sq@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151102

Please advise if anyone knows if the FT107M operation manual is available by downloading or if anyone has one for sale. I have the repair manual already

Thanks for reading
R. C. Long III

3780. Major M 788 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aki Salonen <aki.salonen@swipnet.se>
Message-ID: <889343383.539110@mn8>
Source record: 151103

Is there enybody that know what kind of radio this is: Major M 788...
I would appreciate some info on the radio..

Regards
21DT139 Aki..

3781. 7100/80 AV CD Power Macintosh for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: timato@xsite.com
Message-ID: <6dtg7r$230$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,tor.forsale.computers,uk.adverts.computer,umn.general.forsale

7100/80 AV CD Power Macintosh for sale, 48 meg ram, 700 meg hard drive, GREAT CONDITION, complete with original manuals, software, and packaging -$990Tim - (630) 887-3741

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3782. Re: Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6dtnuv$85m$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 151105

Dave Martindale (davem@cs.ubc.ca) wrote:
: rotnappl@ix.netcom.com (Greg Reid) writes:
: >I'm looking for any new or current manufactured HT's (2m/70cm) that use
: >drop-in chargers.

: What exactly do you mean by "drop-in charger"?

: For example, the Yaesu FT-50 by default charges the battery on the
: radio with a wall wart charger. But you can also get a charging
: cup (the CA-15) that you can drop a battery, or radio plus battery,
: into for charging. It uses the same wall wart for power.

: In addition, you can get the NC-50 fast charger plus the appropriate
: cups for the FT-50. That allows you to drop two FT-50s battery packs,
: with or without radio attached, into the cups for charging. It charges
: only one radio at a time, but it will automatically switch from one
: to the other. So you can drop two discharged packs in, and have two
: charged ones in about 2 hours with no further intervention. The NC-50
: is a fair amount of additional money, though - it doesn't come with
: the radio.

: Dave

W&W Associates make two great chargers that will work on a FT-50...a slow
one(3-8 hours), and a fast one (1-3 hours).
Either one is cheaper than the Yaesu stuff.

3783. Alinco DX-77

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: josephbird@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <6dtsm0ejo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151106

Anyone know the difference between DX-70 and DX-77 other
than appearance?

Joe

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3784. Re: Astron Thunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: trbarber@earthling.net
Message-ID: <3503a083.20419147@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151107

On 5 Mar 1998 21:57:50 GMT, "JDM" <jmul@iland.net> wrote:

>All 3 of my Astrons make that noise when turned on.

Every power supply I have had that was over 15 amps has this same
"THUNK" when turned on except the one I built. That one has the cover
about 3" from the transformer. I just close my ears and "THUNK" away.
Not to worry.

3785. Re: Question: Kenwood V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0803980623150001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 151108

In article <19980307153000.KAA15475@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
martian273@aol.com (Martian273) wrote:

> Hello and thanks for taking the time to read this. I am in the process of
> buying a new Kenwood V7A Cool Blue dual bander. I'd like to hear any pros or
> cons concerning this rig. Also, wondering if there are any RX/TX improvement
> mods out there for this rig.
>
> Thanks,
> Chris
> "NoSpam"Martian273@aol.com
>
> Please remove the "nospam" for obvious reasons !!!!

Great radio - traveling around Boston which can be tough
for intermod - V7 is clean and easy to use. Get a copy of
EZ Clone for programming the freqs/alpha-numerics.

73,

John Seney
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
Oscilloscope.FAQ

3786. FS: K-Wood IF-232C adaptor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doran Platt <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350281DA.83B50D78@erols.com>
Source record: 151109

I have one, NIB Kenwood IF-232C computer control adaptor. Its new in the box with all cables, book, warranty, etc. $40 + postage. Thanks de K3HVG

3787. FS: Kenwood TR-751A 2 meter All Mode BNIB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkinsley@raex.com
Message-ID: <6dtujdgub1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151110

Posting this for a friend:
FS: Kenwood TR-751A 2 meter All Mode BNIB

All Mode 2 Meter Transceiver
Kenwood Model TR-751A,
BNIB (Brand new in the box)
Never been on the air.
Dual VFOs and memories,
DTMF mic with up/down control
Still in Original Box with all materials,

$450 + Shipping OBO

Am posting this for a friend.
Please respond to:
jkinsley@raex.com

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3788. FS Icom IC 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf8kw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308124301.HAA05167@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151111

Purchased a new rig and have an IC 735 with PS-55 power supply, SP3 speaker, hand mike, MB6 mobile bracket, manual and original boxes. I am the original owner of this rig and it has performed flawlessly Has never used as a mobile rig and the MB 6 was purchased for an IC 728. $750 complete + shipping.

AT 150 Auto tuner, 8 months old. Can be used with numerous Icom radio's to include the IC 706, 735, etc. $150 + shipping.

Dave KF8KW 616-530-5590 (voice) 616-530-9073 (fax)

3789. INFO Needed: N2DAN Key Dust cover

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: fractenna@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308130601.IAA06660@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151112

Anybody know the source for the plastic dust cover of the (late) N2DAN 'Mercury' key? Wanna get one.

Thanks!

Chip N1IR

3790. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1bug@mint.net
Message-ID: <35029594.11026688@news.mint.net>
Source record: 151113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Try resoldering the connections on that final transistor! If you run
the radio on 12v in the high power position, it eventually will begin
to melt the solder there... and due to partial melting/hardening you
end up with cold/bad solder joints.

The mechanical stress of taking it apart and putting it back together
often fixes this temporarily, but not for long.

I've repaired a number of 202's with this problem.

Paul

"DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:

>Anyone find a solution to this problem which seems to be common to several
>owners, now including me?
>Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA
>
>> >>it, and still no TX! RX is fine, but it won't transmit!!!
>> >>73s
>> >>N3ZVM
>> >>Visit my Website at: http://members.aol.com/EugeneD
>
>> I have a 202 myself with the same problem.......I disasembled and
>> inspected, and it worked well for a while, then the problem returned.
>> Good Luck!

3791. Help needed with MECK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonweiner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308133301.IAA08799@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151114

I recently picked up a Meck Model T60-1 transmitter, manufactured by the John Meck Co., Plymouth, IN, in 1947. Anyone have a copy of the manual I could get?

Jon, K1VVC

3792. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS I CURED IT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6dub7i$s63$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151115

In article <#zA8nUgS9GA.147@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>,
"D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net> wrote:
>
Well, I found a way!! I have mounted my 35M with the case off, in a 150 pound
VISE mounted on the floor behind my rig, it take a few minutes to go back
there and tighten down on it, every time I start up the station, but the thunk
is down to a "pooof" hardly noticeable compared to the startup noise of the
27" turbo fan mounted directly over my amplifier. Now if I could just find
those "loud crackeling noises" when I transmit!! I got the cat out of the
powersupply so thats not it!! Murray

>
> David Rogers wrote in message <35018247.3140@nidlink.com>...
> >D. Waller wrote:
> >>
> >> Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
> >>
> >> Darrel
> >> KC7ZCA
> >
> >Better get it checked, Darrel. My 35M thunks nicely.
>
> Oh no! Lessee, where'd I stash the shipping box........ sigh ;-)))
>
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3793. IC-706mk2 keying amp problem and spike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Marcelletti <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4a94$77ad4020$6b849cd0@rudym>
Source record: 151116

In the Jan QST review of then 706mk2 a "missing first dot" problem was described and the review also stated that the mk2 was unable to key an external amp relay. Does anyone else experience this problem? What about the mk2 with say the SGC, Ameritron or other 500 watt transistor amps? What about problems experienced with the so called "power spike" referred to in the review. Evidently the mk2 gives out a spike at 100 watts before the AGC reins it in to the set level. The article states that this spike could damage some amps (which ones? it does not say) or trip protection mechanisms in others (the SGC?). Does this occur if using the PTT and ALC lines from the rig to the amp.

Any input would be apprecieated.

Rudy, K8SWD

3794. Re: Another Astron Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3502AEBC.752F@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151117

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sat, 07 Mar 1998 15:44:12 +0000, T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com> wrote:
>
> >I think Gary is correct..... to clarify, I did check the actual
> >voltage at the supply at over 20 volts.....It shut down my 2 meter
> >radio. The apex to my 40 meter inverted V is about 30 feet above my
> >desk with my Ham gear..... When I move the antenna I think the problem
> >will go away. I tried ferrite rods ect. and it didn't help.
> >
> >Thanks Don, W6IQ
>
> But did you try a balun at the 40m antenna's feedpoint? 30 feet should
> be plenty of separation for 100 watts. Your feedline has got to be radiating
> to get the kind of fields needed to trip out the regulator in the Astron down
> in the shack.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
Perhaps it is your Voltmter that is responding to the RF I have 1.5 Kw
running within 6 inches of my Astron RM-50A and see no change when
keyed... 73 de Jordan VE2SWL...

3795. Kenwood TS-50 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <3502D129.62F1@1st.net>
Source record: 151118

Kenwood TS-50 for sale

bought it to use mobile (i drive 3000+ miles per month) but NEVER
USED IT MOBILE and bought a new HF radio.

looks in like new condition. the only things on it that may be marks
are on the display. if i hold it at a certain angle there are
2 light lines on the right side that may be light marks.

all accessories that came with the radio included (screws and fuses
never even opened).

$620 firm shipping included delivered to you. (no cod)

will drive reasonable distance to show you or someone that
you know or trust.

duane olexa wm8n
p.o. box 342
64672 sand hill road
neffs, ohio 43940 (eastern ohio near wheeling, WV)

740 676 5784 (always an answering machine on 4th ring)

3796. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth R. Teleis" <ken@teleis.com>
Message-ID: <3502A909.4123651A@teleis.com>
Source record: 151119

Why is the FT900 being discontinued? It looks like a pretty nice rig.

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Kenneth R. Teleis, Esq., KZ3E/8
System Administrator
University of Akron Amateur Radio Club (W8UPD)
E-mail: Ken@Teleis.com

3797. WANTED:YAESU FT-736R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308143500.JAA11021@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151120

Looking for a MINT to EXCELLENT condition late model FT-736R from a
non-smoker......
If you have one e-mail me with price and phone number....

WZ1U Steve / Lakeville, Ma.

3798. Re: IC-706mk2 keying amp problem and spike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <shortckt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3502AD5B.45E3D64D@primenet.com>
Source record: 151121

I am also interested to know if this "spike" problem
applies to driving 6m amplifiers?

Rudy Marcelletti wrote:
>
> In the Jan QST review of then 706mk2 a "missing first dot" problem was
> described and the review also stated that the mk2 was unable to key an
> external amp relay. Does anyone else experience this problem? What about
> the mk2 with say the SGC, Ameritron or other 500 watt transistor amps?
> What about problems experienced with the so called "power spike" referred
> to in the review. Evidently the mk2 gives out a spike at 100 watts before
> the AGC reins it in to the set level. The article states that this spike
> could damage some amps (which ones? it does not say) or trip protection
> mechanisms in others (the SGC?). Does this occur if using the PTT and ALC
> lines from the rig to the amp.
>
> Any input would be apprecieated.
>
> Rudy, K8SWD

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Brian Short k7on@qsl.net http://www.qsl.net/k7on
1994 E Laguna Dr Tempe, Az 85282 (602)839-3484

3799. Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3502B09F.9EED1B5D@erols.com>
Source record: 151122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have a Kenwood TS-820S with EXTREMELY low
output in the TUN mode. Everything else is working at
specs. I get full out put in CW and SSB.

How do I adjust the TUN mode?

Where is the adjustment?

I can't find a service manual, it is out of print and Kenwood
apparently either doesn't have one, or is not willing to copy
the one thay have as they used to offer.

I need to use this TUN mode to initially tune my amplifier
so that I don't blow something up or scortch it.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN/4

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| Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 |
+------------------------------------------------------------+
| Bob Bethman \\\|/// " The absence of a danger |
| N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
| rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
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3800. Re: Alinco DX-77

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308152101.KAA16903@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151123

built-in keyer but no 6m in the dx-77

3801. Needed: Source for New-HBVHF-channels-capable communications monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: herndonNONONOSPAM@texas.net
Message-ID: <QIyM.5$a5.47854@typhoon.texas.net>
Source record: 151124
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm at Texas D.O.T. We are having problems finding communications monitors capable of measuring receiver and transmitter capabilities for the new FCC-mandated narrower channels between 50-512 MHz. Our IFR 1200 & IFR 1600 DO NOT work for these channels. IFR says to just measure the audio difference, since they can't get to the exact frequencies. But, we want equipment designed for the newer channels.

Please reply with the note below in mind.

Thanks for your help!

Richard Herndon, P.E.
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Note: Return mail requires omitting NONONOSPAM in address.

3802. WTB Rockwell Collins Model 851S/8000 Series Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: stouto@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6duiv6$2mb$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151125

I have a ham radio friend in Japan that is looking for a Rockwell Collins Model 851S-1 or 8000 series receiver. Do you have these radios for sell or know where I can locate one. Thanks in advance.
Jess, kd4cge, (stouto@mindspring.com)

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3803. Re: Alinco DX-77

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3502BBEA.46A6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151126

josephbird@rocketmail.com wrote:
>
> Anyone know the difference between DX-70 and DX-77 other
> than appearance?
>
> Joe
>
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Anyone out there own a DX-77 and how do you like it. It appears the
DX-70T or DX-70TH is a better price/value.
73's Steve NS1R

3804. FS: COLLINS 75A-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3502be88.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 151127

COLLINS 75A-4 Receiver, Serial # 00036. VG condition.

4:1 TUNING KNOB, 3.1MHZ. MECHANICAL FILTER.

Recent RF & IF ALIGNMENT.

MANUAL.

$ 750.00 + shipping.

Dennis w4dg@ibm.net

3805. FS: YAESU FT-102 XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3502bee3.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 151128

YAESU FT-102 160-10m (including WRC) Transceiver, reconditioned by
NC4L, new relays & tubes, 200w output, 1.8KHz. filter, VG condition.

$550 + shipping

Dennis w4dg@ibm.net

3806. NOS Dial Glass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rockseaent@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308155500.KAA26085@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151129

We have a few pieces of NOS dial glass for Magnavox. No model numbers, but
part numbers are as follows: 150273-D, D150330, D150353 and D150586.
Need a dial scale? We have lots in stock from Admiral to Zenith.
Visit our web page at: http://members.aol.com/RockSeaEnt/
or send an SASE for brochure and list or just call (805) 646-7362.
Thanks, Mike
Rock-Sea Enterprises, 323 E. Matilija St. #110-241, Ojai, CA 93023

3807. WTB: Yaesu XF-455C or CN CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308160600.LAA27706@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151130

Looking for the above in good condition. Please let me know if you have one
that is surplus to your needs.

Alan, N3BJ

3808. KENWOOD SP230 SPEAKER (MINT) $75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gpinos@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308162300.LAA25924@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151131

HELLO I HAVE A MINT KENWOOD SP230 SPEAKER F/S $75.00 PLUS SHIPPING.847-215-0323 (GENE)

3809. KENWOOD SM220 MONITOR SCOPE (MINT)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gpinos@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308162501.LAA00700@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151132

HELLO I HAVE A KENWOOD SM220 SCOPE IN MINT CONDITION HAVE MANUAL AND POWER CORD
$250.00 847-215-0323 (GENE)

3810. WTB: Shure 526T microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dugml$8c2@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151133

This is a posting for a friend. Please advise if you have one of the above for sale.

Thanks for reading
R. C. Long

3811. WTB: ICOM 765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308164100.LAA03207@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151134

Looking for the above in good condition. Please let me know if you have one
that is surplus to your needs.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

3812. Standard C-156a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4NVM@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dudki$g9u$1@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151135

Can any one give me the modifications for the Standard 2 meter HT, out of band TX & RX.

3813. WANTED 23CM FM-TRANSCEIVER !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees Brommersma <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <889380706.576859@guust>
Source record: 151136

Hello there,

I (Cees) am looking for a 23cm FM transceiver,
if You have, of know something, please let me know !!

Thanks a lot <> Cees and 73'sssssss

3814. Re: converting cb into 10 meter rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Sherwood <barry_sherwood@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6dujv3$hjk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

If a beacon is all you want then try one of Radio Shack's (or any other brand for that matter) 1 to 3 channel walkie talkies and just re-crystal and re-tune them for the 10 meter portion you want. You can get creative and gut it out of it's own case for a project box of your choice big enough for a homebrew amp!

Good Luck
Barry Sherwood
KF5GC

3815. Yaesu FT-101 Web Page is back online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <6dunn2$6m7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

The Yaesu FT-101 web page is back after
the QSL.NET server took a hit. If you
have a web page on this server, you will
have to restore it via FTP.

73 Al, NW2M

http://www.qsl.net/nw2m/ft101.html

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3816. URGENT Help Needed!! Alinco dr-600 !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmelo@esoterica.pt
Message-ID: <3504d2d2.4296894@news.esoterica.pt>
Source record: 151139

hello,

i have a alinco dr600 and i don't need to extend the tx/rx mod
because it was already extended when i bought it. :)

After I closed it all was well except it was in the U.S. mod.
(144-148,440-450)
What I need to know is how to put it back in to the european mod
(144-146,430-440)

please help me

thanks in advance

Mario

mmelo@esoterica.pt

3817. Re: Icom W32a Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.xx.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <3502d2a0.9017385@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 151140

Mark Hodge <wiz@iglou.com> wrote:

>I need the mods for the Icom W32a. I will be buying this radio this
>weekend and would like to get the full effect.
>

Here's the info on opening up the receiver, and making it crossband repeat.

73,
Gary KN4AQ (remove xx's from reply address to reply)

To extend the receiver and open up 800 MHz receive (cellular blocked):

-- Turn off the radio

-- Press and hold the band and squelch buttons.

-- Turn on the radio while holding these buttons,
wait for 5 seconds before you release the band
and squelch buttons.

-- Now the receiver should be opened up as far as it will go.

To enable Crossband Repeat:

-- Set the VHF and UHF frequencies you want to use.

-- "Lock" the radio by holding down the CALL/LOCK button
for two seconds.

-- Turn off the radio.

-- Hold down the SQUELCH button (above the PTT button),
the MAIN button and the BAND button.

-- Turn the radio on while holding these buttons. The "LOCK"
indicator (a key icon in the upper right side of the display)
will be flashing, and the radio will be in crossband repeat.

To disable Crossband Repeat:

-- Hold the CALL/LOCK botton down for two seconds. The "LOCK"
indicator will stop flashing, unless...

-- if the crossband repeater is in use, holding the LOCK button
won't turn it off. If you must shut it off in that condition,
press and hold the SQUELCH button, then hold the LOCK button
for two seconds, and the "LOCK" indicator will stop flashing.

3818. Re: FRG 9600 (lungo)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <Nick@no.spam.for.me.ta>
Message-ID: <6dun2d$2q2$1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 151141
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Jas wrote in message <34f43b6b.3099307@193.76.127.2>...

> I've received feedback that although the above mod allowed the radio to
>tune the entire range, the dial seems restricted. This restriction can be
>overcome by using the interface for tuning. Alternatively, you might try to
>reset the machine by turning off the battery for a couple of minutes to see
if
>upon restarting, the MPU recognizes the new bands. This can be done by
>switching off the internal battery using the switch at the top right hand
side
>of the front panel, under the top cover. There is a tiny slide switch
there.

The signal OPT SEL (J03 pin 1) needs to be pulled low to enable the
out-of-range freqs. Try looking at
http://www.geocites.com/CapeCanaveral/8516/expand.htm where I found the mod.

3819. TUBES FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3502E9EA.4387@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151142

I have the following tubes on e-bay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7607849

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7728823

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7730379

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7800230

These are tubes for COLLINS NATIONAL HALLICRAFTERS etc also I have some
6AK5 6AL5 5749 5750 tubes NOS available... get them while you can...
73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

P.S.
I may still have some 6EH7/6EJ7 tubes for DRAKE gear...

3820. 432 Transverter For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3502EC6C.B5F@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151143

I have the foolowing 432 Transverter for sale...

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7673691

73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

3821. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35035064.2402@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151144

Kenneth R. Teleis wrote:
>
> Why is the FT900 being discontinued? It looks like a pretty nice rig.
>
> --
>
> Kenneth R. Teleis, Esq., KZ3E/8
> System Administrator
> University of Akron Amateur Radio Club (W8UPD)
> E-mail: Ken@Teleis.com

The FT-736 will be replaced by the FT-847. THe FT-900CAT will also be replaced by the FT-847. The FT-900AT used to cost around $1300. Now the Price is down to $1200 and they give you the Collins SSBfilter, 500HZ CW Filter, plus the separation kit for free. It is a decent value. I am hoping perhaps another $100 dicount in 2-3 months on the last ones in stock. The FT-847 may cost as little as $1600 but also has 6/2/440/DSP.
73's NS1R Steve

3822. OSCILLISCOPE NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobb <cobb@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <3503588B.742C@sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 151145

Hi, group im looking for a oscilloscope at lease 40mhz, if you have one for sale please E-mail me.

Thanks
Don

3823. OCSILLISCOPE NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobb <cobb@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <35035871.1774@sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 151146

Hi, group im looking for a oscilloscope at lease 40mhz, if you have one for sale please E-mail me.

Thanks
Don

3824. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <35036654.38BF@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 151147

> The FT-736 will be replaced by the FT-847. THe FT-900CAT will also be
> replaced by the FT-847. The FT-900AT used to cost around $1300. Now the
> Price is down to $1200 and they give you the Collins SSBfilter, 500HZ CW
> Filter, plus the separation kit for free. It is a decent value. I am
> hoping perhaps another $100 dicount in 2-3 months on the last ones in
> stock. The FT-847 may cost as little as $1600 but also has 6/2/440/DSP.
> 73's NS1R Steve

Personally the 847 cannot replace the 900. They are two totally
different radios. I am surprised that Yaesu is not coming out with an
updated 900, perhaps something with DSP and a few IF filters, and perhaps
dual passband tuning like the old 757 had. It would be a pity if they
didn't replace it with something similar. Furthermore, it would seem to
me that, if they don't replace it, Yaesu just rolled over to the 706,
which is its only competition. The 847 is too large, unfiltered in the
IF stages on SSB (to my knowledge), does not have an internal tuner
(which greatly facilitates operation, especially mobile, but I'd like to
see what that new antenna they have will do...and if you can change bands
remotely), and does not have a removable faceplate (although they might
do an 8000/8100 disappearing act trick...8000, what 8000 :)
Hey, has anyone tried to sling a radio as large as an 847 (and let's face
it folks, it ain't big, but it ain't small) from the passenger side dash
of, say, an Integra, or a Civic..... I hope your girlfriend has short
legs...)

ANYWAYS, that's my opinion....

Pete -- KA2YDY

PS- After a life of being a Yeasu only operator..... My Kingdom for an
IC-746...

3825. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS I CURED IT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <350366E1.4D95@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 151148

Take a 100 pound freeqeight.... put it on top of the supply (or, even
better, put it on top of the Cat, then put them both on the supply)....
no more problems.... :)

kc5mdm@iglobal.net wrote:
>
> In article <#zA8nUgS9GA.147@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>,
> "D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net> wrote:
> >
> Well, I found a way!! I have mounted my 35M with the case off, in a 150 pound
> VISE mounted on the floor behind my rig, it take a few minutes to go back
> there and tighten down on it, every time I start up the station, but the thunk
> is down to a "pooof" hardly noticeable compared to the startup noise of the
> 27" turbo fan mounted directly over my amplifier. Now if I could just find
> those "loud crackeling noises" when I transmit!! I got the cat out of the
> powersupply so thats not it!! Murray

3826. WANTED DUPLEXER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buddy Mclawhorn <buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <350372B5.19B6@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 151149

Any one have a pass/reject duplexer for two meters. Need one bad for my machine.

Buddy
Kc4umo

buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com

3827. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6dvsk9$2m1k$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 151150

That doesn't make a lot of sense. The FT900 is a great mobile rig. You can put the rig in the trunk and the faceplate on your dash and use the built in antenna tuner to extend the useable range of your mobile antenna. The FT847 has neither a detachable faceplate nor a built in antenna tuner. A lot of us hams could care less about 6 meters and up especially in a mobile rig, and don't want to spend extra for something we are not going to use. I wonder if Yaesu is going to update the FT900 and add DSP and possibly six meters. Just my 2 cents. ---- Steve N9ROU

hershman wrote in message <35035064.2402@ix.netcom.com>...
>
>The FT-736 will be replaced by the FT-847. THe FT-900CAT will also be
>replaced by the FT-847. The FT-900AT used to cost around $1300. Now the
>Price is down to $1200 and they give you the Collins SSBfilter, 500HZ CW
>Filter, plus the separation kit for free. It is a decent value. I am
>hoping perhaps another $100 dicount in 2-3 months on the last ones in
>stock. The FT-847 may cost as little as $1600 but also has 6/2/440/DSP.
> 73's NS1R Steve

3828. Want service manual for IFR FM/AM 1000s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC <kcmjr!@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35037892.FDE65EAB@flash.net>
Source record: 151151

Looking for service manual or a photo copy of the schematic for an IFR FM/AM 1000s communications service monitor. Anyone that can help please reply to "kcmjr@flash.net". Thanks.
Ken Mazie - kd6izy

3829. Re: converting cb into 10 meter rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Garrett <mgarrett@pdnt.com>
Message-ID: <6dvt2r$4ri$1@sol.pdnt.net>
Source record: 151152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Michael Black wrote in message ...
>
>
>On Sun, 1 Mar 1998, Bill wrote:
>
>> generally speaking, what is involved in converting a cheap cb such as
>> one of those 30$ rigs that Radioshack has into a 10 meter transciever?
>> I would like to use one to create a cw beacon.
>> thanks.
>> William F. Hagen
>> kc6ufe
>> whagen@inreach.com
>>
>>
I would highly recommend that you consider a crystal controlled unit that
you dont mind ripping into for beacon operation rather than consider a new
radio for beacon service.
An even better radio for beacon use is to find an old cb/car alarm that
sends out tones to a pager. These units have no receivers in them and have
a limited number of parts to remove to make them into beacons. They can
be had at hamfest and
flea markets for only a couple of dollars at the most since they cannot be
used at cb's
and run 4 watts on 11 meters. Best of all they are so simple that you
really dont need a schematic to figure them out!
I aquired one of these units for my beacon. I removed the audio amp.
The modulation transformer was also removed and replaced with my keying
transistor so it only keys the driver and final. I separated the b+ out so
that the osc circuit runs continously.
I only had one crystal to deal with and so there were no switches or
contacts to mess with and added a small variable cap to my crystal so that
I could compensate for aging of the crystal. Tuneup to 28.215 Mhz from
27.195 was too easy.
I also added variable supplys so that I can control my power output. I run
1 watt so
I reduced B+ voltage down but would have no qualms running it up to 5 watts
(my unit will get to 7 watts @ 14.5vdc).
My beacon has been on the air continous with this transmitter since July 96
on 28.215 Mhz from Champaign, IL with no problems encounted. Before that I
used a home brew transmitter that used a 7400 IC and two 2N3904's as finals
that ran 250milli watts but that is another story.

3830. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature? Or Fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Worthlin <qrm@uswest.com>
Message-ID: <6e0123$i35@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 151153

<<<<<If you have a TS-50 or have used one I would like to know if this
is normal behavior for the beast.

I have one and the key jack works the same way. I believe your assumption
is correct, that it is the way to get a carrier for tuning in SSB.

3831. Manual/Schematic for Yaesu FTdx400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG7NN <seymour@montana.com>
Message-ID: <6e08cc$rjc@news.montana.com>
Source record: 151154

I am looking for a copy of a manual or at least a schematic for a Yaesu FTdx400.

3832. ADMS software for VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Teddy <tedlwh@hkstar.com>
Message-ID: <350189F8.9262FD84@hkstar.com>
Source record: 151230

Any person can mail me the ADMS software to me for mods my Yaesu VX-1.

Thanks.

My mail : tedlee@cyberec.com

3833. Re: FS:ICOM IC-730 HF Rig >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rvarbero@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <6dsosi$a4$1@usenet52.supernews.com>
Source record: 151231
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

(Dave) wrote:
Through in a 25 A PS andI'l give you 400..........(WY7X)

>ICOM IC-730 with cw audio filter,100 Khz/25 Khz marker units installed

>Includes LDA and TRV units both of which are new in original boxes

>with installation manuals.

>Also included are the ICOM IC-SM6 desk mike and the IC-HM7 hand mike.

>Radio has been modified for WARC..

>Asking $350.00 .... If interested, email me at
>HAMpdhall@mindspring.com (Remove anti-spam HAM)
>---

>Dave >>
>---

3834. FS: Larson Magmount w/ 70cm ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: modemzap@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308003101.TAA15070@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151232

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F.S.
vvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvv
vvvvvvvvvv
Larson mag mount (MNO-MM) with 440-460Mhz 30" Antenna. All in very good
electrical and physical cond.Sold my ht and don't need. $28 + Shipping. email
if interested. Al N7FGV
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3835. WTB/T for Model HD-1416 Code Oscillator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom@murlin.com
Message-ID: <3501e907.2445803@news.sound.net>
Source record: 151233

looking for a Model HD-1416 Code Oscillator
Mike
KC0CHK
ccom@murlin.com

3836. Yaesu FT-1000 D, FT-1000 for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308004800.TAA18085@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151234

FT-1000 D , Excellent condition, 6.0 version, $ 3,000.00
FT- 1000, verry good condition just back from Yaesu with all the new mods and upgrades. $ 2,300.00

K5JOE
THanks for reading my posting.
Joe in Little Rock, AR 73

3837. Anyone gotten Standard C701 to extend TX range?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEpH6HL.HB1@netcom.com>
Source record: 151235

The Standard C701 is a 2/440/1.2G relative of the C108 & C508. It's not available for US market, so the C701's TX range is only 144-146 and 430-440. Has anyone attempted and/or succeeded at getting the beastie to tx outside these JA ranges?

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

3838. 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcgoodman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3501ea54.392913@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

thay are available at http://www.mindspring.com/~worldwave

3839. Timewave DSP-59Y for SP5,SP6 Yaesu Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308005801.TAA15579@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151237

I have the DSP-59Y Timewave DSP for the SP5 or SP6 Yaesu speaker.
It is like new and works great, it gives your FT-1000 or 990 DSP capabilities.
New they are $ 389.95, I would take 289.00 and pay shipping to you.
K5JOE
Thanks for reading my posting.
73 from Joe in Little Rock, AR

3840. WTB Tone Reeds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308011801.UAA23152@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151238

Looking for Motorola Tone Reeds
TLN-6709 or KLN-6209
697.5 (G13)
->Dan

3841. FS: Kenwood TS950SD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3501a944.2329755@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151239

Excellent condiition, works very well, excellent TX audio.

Last of a breed!!

$ 1650 .00 will split the shipping!!

Have owners manual/and service manual!!

TNX,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3842. beacon question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <whagen@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <3501FD17.2854@inreach.com>
Source record: 151240

for people running beacons, 10 meter band etc,
what kind of control, computer, software, etc are you using to get the
CW message to be repetative?
thanks
whagen@inreach.com
kc6ufe

3843. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: 10-7 <boygonbad@aol.com>
Message-ID: <81oM.979$ww4.7753243@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 151241

I got a 50vm Astron modified it also goes GGGgUuuuNnnnKK when i flick the
switch!
PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM> wrote in message ...
>You ain't heard a "thunk" untill you gotz an Astrom 50m. It go
>"G O U N K!"
>
>--
>PAW
>(WA9JMN@Compuserve.com)
>
>

3844. Atlas 210x with console on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dxbricks@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980308031300.WAA12957@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151242

Check out my Atlas 210x currently being offered on Ebay.....

Ebay# 7578236

3845. WTB: ACC DVR for RC-850 Repeater Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: GK <gkitto@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <35046acc.0@news.nova1.net>
Source record: 150945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,tx.wanted

We are in need of the DVR (Digital Voice Recorder) that was made by ACC for the RC-850 Repeater Controller. We prefer the 2 or 3 channel model.

Additionally, we are looking for any spare RC-850 controllers for a backup or parts for our existing controllers.

Please email to: gkitto@pobox.com

Thanks and 73,

Glen Kitto
N5OD
Dallas ARC
(972) 383-7507

3846. WTB CE-6 Cushman Service and Operators Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <3504670E.34B9@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 150946

Or Good Copy.

Please state price and terms. Thanks!

Andy Zorca

3847. WTB UHF Radius.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <35046749.6BA@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 150947

Any number of channels UHF Radius. Looking for a good quantity at a good price. Or maybe a few. Let me know what you have.

Andy Zorca
WJ9J

3848. Anyone Know the Mod for the ICOM T-8A, that opens up 220 and 900 TX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <35046773.1467@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 150948

Let me know.

Thanks!

Andy

3849. FS Mirage B-310-G and Standard 558A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Walthall <n3qom@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <6e1o60$hr9$1@news.netusa1.net>
Source record: 150949

Hi

I have a 2 meter amp with pre-amp forsale
for. Its 4 month and can be used for FM/SSB,
$145.00.

I also have a Standard 2/440 Ht for sale with
case, charger and hand mike $300.00.

All in like new shape

765-453-5239 evenings
765-451-5284 days

carl

3850. TS-440 S-meter wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <35046866.260E2989@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 150950
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Actually just need the plastic glass, which includes, the s-meter, and
labels, ONAIR, M.SCR, etc.
Frank

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3851. Equipment manual suppliers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: SPIKE@EESTAFF.uwaterloo.ca
Message-ID: <6e1n8f$ii8_001@watstar.uwaterloo.ca>
Source record: 150951

I am looking for the address / telephone number / web site for a
retailer of manuals for amatuer radio / commercial transceivers.

Ed Spike
E&CE Department, University of Waterloo. E2-3357 *
Communication and Microwave Area Laboratory Instructor. *
(519)888-4567, x3716, FAX: (519)746-3077 *____/
URL: http://www.ece.uwaterloo.ca/~spike * / CQ
*
IEEE Student Branch Computer Chapter Advisor, *

3852. HP 6266B Power Supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e1qtq$ifj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150952

Hi All
I have a for sale.
HP 6266B Power supplies 0-40V / 0-5A
$275.00 Plus shipping
Working good comdition
714-778-5151
Thanks

3853. Re: Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6e1ru9$un@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 150953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

: >>I don't think so....the "Hot Rod" is not "flexible" it is a ridgid,
: >>extendable antenna (I have the 440 *and* the 2 meter versions)
: >
: >I hate to differ with you, but I worked for them! I did the antenna
: >range measurements on the 2m version with Dr. Don Reynolds,
: >the inventor. There *was* a flexible 440 Hot Rod, and I have two
: >of them.
(snip)
: Didn't AEA use color codes identify the bands for which their antennae were
: made, with white-printed logos being amateur? Seems I read this somewhere.
: And I believe my 220 Hot Rod has Green heat-shrink, as opposed to the 2M
: unit, which is red.

Don't know about the 220, but *my* 440 (ridgid) Hot Rod has *black* heat-
shrink.

--
Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

3854. FS ICOM 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Teacher@inetone.net
Message-ID: <6e2103$e5f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150954

I have an Icom IC-706 for sale. Box, Manual, Mike. No filters. Non-Smoker.
Used very little, never mobile. $700 + shipping.

Mike KG8NV
Teacher@inetone.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3855. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nrgrebel@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6e20k8dvj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150955
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <34FA34BC.78A8@eos.ncsu.edu>,
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu wrote:
>
> And I quote from the GEET page:
>
> "... some of the mixtures were done with mixtures with as much as 80%
> water."
>
> I wonder if anyone will ever realize that as much energy as is derived
> from burning hydrogen and oxygen, it takes even more to separate it.
> There never will be any magical way to do it with minute amounts of
> power, or you would be tripping up physics as we know it.
>
David,
Perhaps you don't understand how the GEET works. It is not using electrolysis
to split the water and use it. You simply run it in the tank like gasoline.
Even if the mileage would go down, (it should actually increase) it would
still be acceptable as water is still essentially free.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3856. Re: Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6qq@socal.wanet.com
Message-ID: <6e1vfi$42q$1@paleale.wanet.net>
Source record: 150956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

ke6alm@die.spambot.die.com (Matt Mendenhall) wrote:

>Didn't AEA use color codes identify the bands for which their antennae were
>made, with white-printed logos being amateur? Seems I read this somewhere. And
>I believe my 220 Hot Rod has Green heat-shrink, as opposed to the 2M unit,
>which is red.

I believe so, but don't remember the color code for certain (I don't
own a 220 version). I wouldn't count on mine having the right color
heat-shrink, since they were engineering models.

73,

John, K6QQ

3857. Re: Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6qq@socal.wanet.com
Message-ID: <6e1vkg$42q$2@paleale.wanet.net>
Source record: 150957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

marc_k@walrus.com (marc_k) wrote:

>I've had several Hot Rods...they were all telescoping whips, with a coil
>at the bottom...not flexable at all!
>AEA may very well have designed a flexable model-but I've never seen(or
>heard of one).

All I can say is "I have". I don't think the flexible ones were very
popular. They're kind of "limp". I never liked mine much, but they
worked fine.

73,

John, K6QQ

3858. MODS for all those radios - ,to help you all!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: burtnn17@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309234300.SAA05381@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150958

Check out,
www.qrz.com/mods, Just got mods for my new Icom 706 Mk 11, but all
the mods seem to be there ! Great site

Burtnn17@AOL,com

3859. Manual or paper re Daiwa Aut Ant Tuner CNA1001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: burtnn17@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309235201.SAA11265@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150959

Can anybody help please have the Tuner but no info how to use.

Cheers

Burtnn17@AOL.com

3860. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <3504F073.8F0@virgin.net>
Source record: 150960
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Geoff wrote:
>
> Graham Galbraith wrote:
> >
> > Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50 and
> > in
> > the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon as CW mode
> > is
> > selected, the radio goes into TX.
> >
> > I was fairly alarmed by this at first but then I calmed down a little
> > and
> > inserted an unconnected mono 3.5mm jack plug into the 'Key' socket.
> >
> > Instant cure.
> >
> > Take the plug out when in CW mode, WHAP, straight into TX mode.
>
> Common fault here! the socket is shot, replace it!
> The switch contacts have had the WRONG 3.5 mm jack inserted in them, I
> have seen this a dozen times or more.
> de GJ4ICD

Thanks for that, several people have confirmed that there is a fault condition on the radio and we all agree that the socket itself is the likely cause.

Since you've obviously done the job before yourself can I ask if there is any 'trick' method for getting at the board on which the socket is mounted, as I had a preliminary look at it tonight and it is buried three deep inside the rear heatsink, it looks a real nightmare job to get at.

Secondly, the socket looks unusually complex with a second set of contacts in it (according to the diagram) and I doubt that I can just buy one off the shelf, so where do you get them from, and:

What exactly is the 'wrong' jack plug to plug in? Surely all 3.5mm jack plugs are physically very similar? I would hate to replace the socket only to wreck it again.

Regards, Graham Galbraith M0ADR

3861. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <3504F251.5D56@virgin.net>
Source record: 150961
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> The TS50 is also very easy to modify for full HF TX capability, and if
> using a manual ATU can also be tweaked to deliver much more than 100W on
> SSB.

> Nathan

Thanks for your helpful comments Nathan. Not sure what you mean by full HF TX capability, I assume it already provides 100W on all the bands I'm licensed to use. For the time being I'm also quite happy with 100W.

I do have a manual ATU myself (SEM Z-Match) but it would have been nice to have been able to utilise the Auto-ATU with a coax-fed balanced antenna like (say) the G5RV.

Graham Galbraith M0ADR (UK)

(remove no.spam. to reply via email)

3862. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980309182338.13948B-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 150962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

that's just like kenwood, every time you have a problem with there product
they don't seem to have parts, get an icom, and through that kenwood
junk away. i had a kenwood ts 440 once, and i sure was glad to see that
one go. i am blind, and like icoms service, and there synthesizers.

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e-mail dana@randomc.com

3863. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <35044CDC.C62@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 150963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Bob Bethman wrote:
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> I have a Kenwood TS-820S with EXTREMELY low
> output in the TUN mode. Everything else is working at
> specs. I get full out put in CW and SSB.
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> How do I adjust the TUN mode?
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> Where is the adjustment?
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> I can't find a service manual, it is out of print and Kenwood
> apparently either doesn't have one, or is not willing to copy
> the one thay have as they used to offer.
>
> I need to use this TUN mode to initially tune my amplifier
> so that I don't blow something up or scortch it.
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> Bob Bethman
> N0DGN/4
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> | Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 |
> +--+
> | Bob Bethman \\\|/// " The absence of a danger |
> | N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
> | rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
> +----------------------oOOo-(_)-oOOo-------------------------+
Hi again Bob,

I forgot, on manuals: try HI Manuals. They are advertised in CQ and
QST I think. Never have been impressed with Kenwood's factory
support organization, from high prices and horror stories I have heard
over the years. Fortunately, the TS820 is not only rugged, it is
REPAIRABLE.

73,
Don, W6JL

3864. Info requested: TenTec 1253 9-band shortwave receiver kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Herrera <p-herrera@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <35048925.617B2F5B@tamu.edu>
Source record: 150964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Has anyone had any experience with either building or using the TenTec
1253 9-band
shortwave receiver kit. I am interested in purchasing the kit as it
appears to be an
inexpensive means of getting into SWLing. I would like to know how well
the kit
assembles, plus any hints or problems. I would also like to know how
well the unit
performs.

Paul Herrera
p-herrera@tamu.edu

3865. Re: Request advice on antenna tuner/antenna/power supply for IC-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Meeks <jmeeks@wwnet.com>
Message-ID: <6e24kalae1@trellis.wwnet.net>
Source record: 150965

Marc Clarke wrote in message ...
>TONY_STEEN@prodigy.net writes:
>
snip
>
>The LDG antenna auto tuner can be had for $210, handles 100 W, and can
>handle a mis-match SWR of 10:1. Much better deal than any of the ICOM
>auto-tuners.
>
snip
>Put as much wire as you can as far up in the air as you can, and tune
>it with a manual tuner (inexpensive) or with a wide-range auto-tuner
>such as the LDG (more expensive) or the IC AH-3 (very expensive).
>
snip
> Marc Illsley Clarke, KB0YDL, KB0YDL@N0MPI.#NECO.CO.USA.NOAM
> marcclarke@unforgettable.com
>(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of
>any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

Marc,
I've never heard of LDG, and I have not had much luck locating them in any
of the catalogs I have.
Do you have any more info on them?? a URL maybe?
Thanks
Jon
KC8HYU

3866. Re: Discriminator (digital) mods for HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3504A917.6EA2@onramp.net>
Source record: 150966

Travis Hayes wrote:
>
> I'd like to start experimenting with paging in the 2m band, and am
> interesting in modifying one of my two HT's:
>
> I want to tap off the audio from the discriminator, and (optionally) inject
> an input signal past the audio stage. Ideally, I would like to add a small
> jack or two to the case to allow this.
>
> I'm hesitant to invest the money in a larger (easier to modify) rig, until
> I know this will do what I want it to.
>
> If anyone has any information on the Kenwood TH-27A, or the Icom W-32 that
> would help along these lines, I'd appreciate your help. I've looked at the
> normal "mods" sites, but 99% of everything there is for MARS/CAP stuff.
>
> I have the block diagrams for the Kenwood, but I would rather have some
> input from someone who had some experience in this before I start guessing on
> things.
>
> -73's, n7ytd.
>
> --
> --
> Travis Hayes - slmyw@cc.usu.edu
> --

Save money and headaches and buy the service manuals.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3867. FS:KENWOOD TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JONATHAN ECKERT <jpeckert@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6e264k$6od@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale a very clean Kenwood TS-430S, 4 million s\n. Radio has original box and owners manual. Comes with SP-430 speaker, shure 526T series II amplified desk mic, MC-42S hand mic and the following filters: YK 88A, YK 88CN, YK 88S. The radio was owned by a none smoker and was never mobile. $450.00 plus shipping, usps mo

3868. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3504A906.83AB2D6C@hevanet.com>
Source record: 150968
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Graham Galbraith wrote:

> Geoff wrote:
> >
> > Graham Galbraith wrote:
> > >
> > > Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50 and
> > > in
> > > the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon as CW mode
> > > is
> > > selected, the radio goes into TX.
> > >
> > > I was fairly alarmed by this at first but then I calmed down a little
> > > and
> > > inserted an unconnected mono 3.5mm jack plug into the 'Key' socket.
> > >
> > > Instant cure.
> > >
> > > Take the plug out when in CW mode, WHAP, straight into TX mode.
> >
> > Common fault here! the socket is shot, replace it!
> > The switch contacts have had the WRONG 3.5 mm jack inserted in them, I
> > have seen this a dozen times or more.
> > de GJ4ICD
>
> Thanks for that, several people have confirmed that there is a fault
> condition on the radio and we all agree that the socket itself is
> the likely cause.
>
> Since you've obviously done the job before yourself can I ask if
> there is any 'trick' method for getting at the board on which the
> socket is mounted, as I had a preliminary look at it tonight and
> it is buried three deep inside the rear heatsink, it looks a real
> nightmare job to get at.
>
> Secondly, the socket looks unusually complex with a second set of
> contacts in it (according to the diagram) and I doubt that I can
> just buy one off the shelf, so where do you get them from, and:
>
> What exactly is the 'wrong' jack plug to plug in? Surely all 3.5mm
> jack plugs are physically very similar? I would hate to replace
> the socket only to wreck it again.
>

> Regards, Graham Galbraith M0ADR

One man's fault is another man's feature. Consider that if you're using an external antenna tuner or tunable mobile antenna, you might want to be able to easily get a carrier to
tune on. This "fault" provides that "feature". If you're using CW, insert a key.

--
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

3869. Re: Any New HT's that use Drop-in chrgr's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tekkie*@icdc.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f6e78b3b83a36d59896b8@news2.icdc.com>
Source record: 150969

In article <rotnappl-0503981218160001@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
rotnappl@ix.netcom.com says...
>
>
> I'm looking for any new or current manufactured HT's (2m/70cm) that use
> drop-in chargers.
>
Yaesu FT-51 comes with a drop in charger. It's a current model.
--

Tekkie

To reply remove the asterisk. Unsolicited email not in reply to this
posting will be charged a minimum of $500.

3870. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <35044C62.63A6@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 150970
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Bob Bethman wrote:
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> | N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
> | rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
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Hi Bob OM,
Probably just an open resistor in the screen voltage divider,
which sets the power level for tune. There is no adjustment.
I never use tune mode on my TS820. Just tune it up per normal,
nothing will blow up. Trust me, I been using mine for 18 years
now (still original 6146's; they can last a lifetime with care)!
You can also use the FSK position,and tune it up for about 110
mA plate current, about 40 watts out. The rig has auto power reduction
for FSK operation. It is an excellent rig for all modes, including
AMTOR/PACTOR/RTTY. I would not part with mine.
Vacuum tube finals are not persnickety like solid state ones,
(damned hard to short the 'collector' to 'emitter of a 6146). The
pi network output allows vastly greater tolerance of (and matching
capability to) high SWR loads than the auto-shutdown SS final amps.
Enjoy!

73, Don, W6JL

3871. FOR SALE: KENWOOD TS-820S W/CW FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3504B5A6.3B8B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale a very clean, full output Kenwood TS-820S transceiver
with optional CW filter installed.

For those who are not familiar with this unit, it is a fully self
contained 100 watt transceiver covering 160 to 10 meters, SSB or
CW. This unit does not have WARC bands or gereral coverage receive.
It operates from 110V AC and has all power supplies built in.

The unit has digital display (green flourescent) and is all solid
state with the exception of a PA driver tube and a pair of 6146's
in the output. THe unit has Pi-net output, meaning that unlike newer
rigs with a fixed 50 ohm output, will match antennas having impedances
of 50 to 75 ohms.

Asking $350, and I Am located in Southern california.

Any questions, just ask..

Thanks for reading.

Steve-WA6GSD

3872. Kenwood IF-232C Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Barlament <kc9id@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <6e2bbe$1in$1@news.inc.net>
Source record: 150972

I need a copy of the original documentation & schematic for the Kenwood IF-232C interface. If you have this material let me know what the cost for a copy is and I will gladly pay it. If you can scan the info and e-mail it would be even better. thanks for reading this.

Jim KC9ID
kc9id@netnet.net

3873. Can the Tektronix TDS 210 replace an analog scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6e2n00$bv0@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 150973
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For many years, I have had a Tektronix 2215 60 MHz analog scope. It was my first "real" scope, replacing a Heathkit that was not much better than a toy. It has served me well over the years.

But I've been eyeing the TDS 210 since it came out a year and a half ago. It seems like it does everything that the 2215 does, and considerably more. It's also a quarter the size of the 2215, so it will fit on my desk where it will be available for use, rather than stashed in a closet to be brought out only when no other instrument will tell me what is going on. It has plenty of sampling rate for its bandwidth, so it seems that it will never revert to "equivalent time" digital sampling.

So, my question: If I buy a TDS 210, can I get rid of my analog scope entirely? Or are there still some things that analog does better? (The 2215 is pure analog - no cursors, no character generator for on-screen readout, no voltmeter. All measuring is done with the graticule and the calibrated B sweep delay knob).

Also, how hard is it to get waveform data out of the scope via the serial port on the communications module? I know Tek sells software for this, but I also see a programmer's manual listed. Is is practical to read out the waveform data using self-written code, say on a Unix machine?

Finally, I see Tek has announced the TDS2MM "measurement module". This has the same three interfaces to the outside world as the communications module, but also adds FFT analysis and a few other automatic measurements. I can't find any detailed information on it on the Web, and the local Tek distributor doesn't have the module so I can't just go there and read the manual. Does anyone have this module? Does it work well? (It's $500 US, so it's a lot of money).

Dave

3874. Alinco DJ-580 Lithium Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: RDK <rdk@a.crl.com>
Message-ID: <3504EEE3.1CA3@a.crl.com>
Source record: 150974

Hi I have a Alinco DJ-580 handheld vhf/uhf radio. and I believe the
Litium battery needs to be replaced, Has anyone any tips on replaceing
this battery? Thanks in advance and you may e/mail me at rdk@a.crl.com

73s

3875. FS:HT-1000 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unit 61 <zjohznabzlez@ezxeczpc.com>
Message-ID: <6e2ir7$g8o@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150975

FS:Mot HT-1000 UHF 450-520Mhz
Regular rate charger.
Very good battery.
Radio is a 9.5 on
a 10 scale. Radio has not had
any "rough" service.
$375.00 shipped.

John (remove z's from email to reply)

3876. Cherokee CBS-500 & Realistic TRC-495 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <6e1u7c$a96$1@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 150976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I am looking for any mods for the Cherokee CBS-500
and Realistic TRC-495. Also, Is the TRC-495 a
CBS-500 without the frequency counter?

They both look the same beside the frequency display.

If you don't know of a mod for this radio, could you email me
any sites with CB mods.

3877. Re: Equipment manual suppliers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0903982137390001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150977

In article <6e1n8f$ii8_001@watstar.uwaterloo.ca>,
SPIKE@EESTAFF.uwaterloo.ca (ED Spike, E&CE Dept.) wrote:

>I am looking for the address / telephone number / web site for a
>retailer of manuals for amatuer radio / commercial transceivers.

W7FG Vintage Manuals http://www.w7fg.com
Hi Manuals http://www.hi-manuals.com/

Some folks may suggest Ray Sarrio, but I believe they just resell W7FG
manuals and I would rather give my money directly to Fred.

Good luck.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

3878. Band Scope For IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0903982147510001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150978

Has anyone configured a band scope ("panadapter," not just transmit monitor) to work with the IC-751A? I love my Kenwood SM-220 and would like a similar capability with my IC-751A.

I am not a good enough engineer to design such a unit, but I can probably follow directions if someone else has done the hard part. :)

Thanks for any help or ideas.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

3879. BC 9000 Mod's ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: HEATHER J PANTIN <HEATHERJP@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6e5543$5cla$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 150979
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Looking for MOD's for the Uniden BC 9000 ! Especially to restore cellular,
and any other neat tricks. Please e-mail with info !

Brian

3880. Problem with HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8hgs@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <35043441.17996568@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 150980

My brother has an HTX-202. It recently failed to power up with the battery pack, but works fine when attatched to the dc power supply. We checked the battery pack...it is ok. We tried the alkaline battery pack and had the same result. Anyone else experience a similar problem?

Regards,

Joe

3881. WTB: Original Yaesu FT-290

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1QVE <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <3503E8B0.513A2388@connix.com>
Source record: 150994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi
Looking for the original FT-290 .... not the FT-290R MkII ....
Need one for transverter ops.
Thanks
Harry
N1QVE

3882. WTB. DRAKE R4245 RECEIVER,& YAESU QTR-24D WORLD CLOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: joseph@comcen.com.au
Message-ID: <joseph-0903982327490001@modem028.ts522.comcen.com.au>
Source record: 150995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.shortwave,

Buyer is interested in the Drake R4245 Receiver. Must be in very good condition. Any information on the whereabouts of this radio would be appreciated. Please e-mail any information. Thanks.

Also interested in the Yaesu QTR-24D Analogue type world clock of the mid-80's. Must be in mint condition.

Also WTB, book from TAB by Cornell Drentea, 1982."RADIO COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVERS." Please e-mail. Thanks

3883. FS: Alinco DJ-F1T 2 meter handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: georges@echoman.com
Message-ID: <6e0qv7$g3c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150996

For sale mint Alinco DJ-F1T 2 meter handheld, 40 memories,
5 watt HP battery, Alkaline AA cell case. Asking $200 OBRO.

georges@echoman.com
207-539-9188 (Lazy L Kennel business line)
Oxford, Maine

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3884. FT: Moto MX Service Depot for RACAL 6790

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <3503F22C.1E4D@hnvr.com>
Source record: 150997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for good condition RACAL 6790, 6790G/M, R-2174(P)/URR, 6793, or
1792. Newer radios considered, but nothing older please. Willing to
trade complete Motorola MX series HT service depot. E-mail for details.
-Ken
(day)314-241-1188 Ext.203
ken@hnvr.com

3885. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nathan <Nathan@hullnet.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <unQ1NBAlu6A1EwLD@hullnet.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150998
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <35038830.36B5@virgin.net>, Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.
galbraith@virgin.net> writes
>Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50 and
>in
>the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon as CW mode
>is
>selected, the radio goes into TX.
>
SNIP

This is not standard, I often use CW mode to tune my manual atu, and my
TS50 does not TX until you press ptt or hit the keyer.

>As a second query, I also got an AT-300 Auto-ATU with the set
>and I see that according to the manual, the AT-300 unit is not
>suitable for mobile use. Examination of the unit reveals that it
>only has a single wing-nut termination for the aerial, so I take it
>that the AT-300 is strictly an end-fed wire tuner, and that I would
>need the AT-50 if I wanted to drive a coax-fed antenna?

I decided not to buy the auto ATU because it can't tune the bits of wet
string I connect to it, but a manual ATU can. I use a Vectronics VC300,
which performs well.
>
>Bear with me: This is the first HF TRX I have ever owned,
>so what may be obvious to you is not necessarily obvious to me.
>
The TS50 is also very easy to modify for full HF TX capability, and if
using a manual ATU can also be tweaked to deliver much more than 100W on
SSB.
>Regards, Graham Galbraith, M0ADR (U.K.)
>

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Nathan

3886. FS: Pyramid Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8ddq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309140600.JAA16306@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150999

Pyramid PS-12 10 amp power supply with surge protection. Very good condition. $25.00. If interested e-mail at kc8ddq@aol.com.

3887. Re: Help: Kenwood TM-731A unstable in HI pwr mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3503F3A6.39B7@onramp.net>
Source record: 151000

david lee wrote:
>
> My TM-731A locks into an unstable condition (draws excessive
> current, parasitics heard on separate receiver, etc) when mic
> keys the 2meter high power side. Mic off switch becomes
> inoperable and can only shut off by turning off power. Works
> great on low power and on 440. Anyone have any ideas? (Service
> mod for the cap already made).
>
> --
> David D. Lee, AB5AX ddlee@neosoft.com
> Houston, Tx
> "Take 2 aspirin and call me at Turtle Island..."

Mobile or at home???

Does it do it into a dummy load???
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3888. Re: Help: Kenwood TM-731A unstable in HI pwr mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3503F3E2.7C3F@onramp.net>
Source record: 151001

Nelson wrote:
>
> I hv similiar problem in my TM-732A. I found that it happen in HI power
> while the HT is warm up.
> The power will drop off / on continuesly even you press the PTT without
> release (i.e. like flashing on/off transmit power). In the rear of the HT,
> the cool fan cannot work. but it only work if you change to Medium power
> (Thats mean that the cool fan will resume normal after Medium Power
> transmit a while). Does anyone can help me to solve this problem ?
>
> david lee <ddlee@neosoft.com> wrote in article
> <6dvlrt$7lq$1@uuneo.neosoft.com>...
> > My TM-731A locks into an unstable condition (draws excessive
> > current, parasitics heard on separate receiver, etc) when mic
> > keys the 2meter high power side. Mic off switch becomes
> > inoperable and can only shut off by turning off power. Works
> > great on low power and on 440. Anyone have any ideas? (Service
> > mod for the cap already made).
> >
> > --
> > David D. Lee, AB5AX ddlee@neosoft.com
> > Houston, Tx
> > "Take 2 aspirin and call me at Turtle Island..."
> >
> >
> >

You either have;
1. A diode that needs resoldering.
2. A final module going out.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3889. What's an HP-8640B?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <889446089Asnz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151002

Can anyone tell me about the HP-8640B 0-512MHz Sig Gen in terms of frequency stability and repeatability? Were the modulation and RF sections standard or modular options? What is the unit's weight? Are there any typical faults to look out for? Roughly what is a used one worth nowadays?

Followup set.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

3890. Need Yeasu web address

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6e0ufc$h9a@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151003

Anyone know the web address for Yeasu. That is, if it exists.

Thanks for reading

3891. Re: Need Yeasu web address

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6e0v1u$h1j@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151004

Try the obvious www.yaesu.com It's Yaesu, not Yeasu...

Glenn AA5PK

3892. FS: Heathkit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Bowles <mbowles@texas.net>
Message-ID: <3504047B.CCA8F0F5@texas.net>
Source record: 151005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale the following:

1. Heathkit SB-104A
Operation manual
Assembly Manual
Noise blanker manual
Schematic
Turner 350 Hi-Z ceramic microphone

2. Heathkit SB-604
Accessory speaker assembly manual
HP-1144 AC power supply assembly manual

3. Heathkit HD-19 hybrid phone patch
Assembly manual

4. MFJ-949 Deluxe Versa Tuner II
Owner manual

All equipment, with the exception of the Versa Tuner, is known to be working well, the condition of the Versa Tuner is unknown. I would like to sell this as a package, but I am flexible. I am asking $400 OBO, you pay shipping. I will also consider trading for a 2m/70cm mobile.
Please respond via e-mail to mbowles@texas.net

--
Mike Bowles, KD5BCK
mbowles@texas.net

3893. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1bug@mint.net
Message-ID: <35040232.16017722@news.mint.net>
Source record: 151006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I haven't seen THIS one yet. I would think the transistor would shut itself
>down if the die temperature reached 450-plus degrees Fahrenheit, which is
>where it would be for the solder to go from the solid phase to the plastic
>(partial-melting) phase. Plus, that case would be AWFULLY hot. I have seen
>poor solder joints in general on many RS items, and to be fair, did fix ONE
>'202 by resoldering... a resistor in the pre-driver circuit. BTW - I've run a
>two-hour net more than once using a '202 with 12 input. Duty cycle was TX 2-8
>minutes, RX 1-4. The case was uncomfortably warm, maybe 110-125 degrees F, but
>the radio was cruising along.

I would think the same, but I have repaired over a dozen different
HTX-202s that had no transmit (or transmit at ~1 to 5 mW) by
resoldering those connections on the PA transistor. I've also seen the
same radio come back for the same repair the second time, so it
appears not to be simply a problem with the original soldering job. On
all the 202's I've found this problem on, the owner said they had been
running it extensively on hi power using 12 or 13.8V.

However, as you say.... I have no idea how this can be happening!
Several owners did report the case was too hot to touch and they had
to lay the radio down and use a speaker mic.... but as you say, it
takes a LOT of heat melt solder! It remains a mystery to me.

>A very common problem with these radios is that the wire from the RF circuit
>board to the BNC connector breaks. If you move the antenna, suddenly the TX
>works (or fails). The solution is to open up the radio and replace the wire. I
>prefer to use stranded wire for the replacement; it has more give and lasts
>longer.

YES!! That's true too. I had almost forgotten that one, but have seen
it a number of times as well. Good point!

Paul

3894. WTB: FL44A filter and IC775DSP service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Howard S. Charney" <charney@cisco.com>
Message-ID: <35040786.FC7@cisco.com>
Source record: 151007

I would like to buy the ICOM 2.4 kHz filter FL44A (hopefully in
excellent condition).

I would also like to locate a service manual for the IC775DSP.

Please let me know if you can help.

Howard

3895. SB-200 on 17m?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <35040db3.5963424@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 151008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone know of mods for the SB-200 that will let it load up and operate on 17m? My dad has been able to get about 400 watts out of his SB-200 on 17m without doing any mods; is there a way to get it to load up to full power on 17m?

Thanks & 73,

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

3896. MOTOROLA TEST UNIT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <35041D0A.2484@nucleus.com>
Source record: 151009

I have the following MOTOROLA TEST UNIT on E-bay at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7840924

Unit is All Solid State and very clean... 73 de Jordan...

3897. Exciter/Amplifier Question???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35040f5c.2405879@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 151010

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I measure a 1.9 SWR between my Kenwood 950 and my Alpha 76PA, I was told to do one of two things.

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2.- Insert a small Antenna tune between the two and tune for a match of 1:1.

My problem is that when I TX and ,monitor my audio, it changes complextion/tone every time I key up. But when I shut down the Alpha all is OK!! It doesn't matter whether I'm into an antenna or a dummy load!!

What is the correct fix, or what should be between my kenwood and Amp???
Thanks,
Bill
KC4PE
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3898. Re: opions TS-570s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <uKwUb12S9GA.131@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151011

I like mine. IF DSP would be nice, but the AF DSP is still pretty adequate for my needs. Better than no DSP by a long shot.

The noise reduction feature is amazing. It makes a great RTTY rig.

My only real complaints:
1) The memory battery fails in about 6 months. Supposedly if you replace it correctly it will last longer. Hopefully Kwood has fixed this in later releases. You can find out about how to change the battery on my web site: http://www.al-williams.com/wd5gnr

2) Would be nice if you could put in more than one IF filter. However, with the DSP, there is less need for filters than you would think.

3) The PC control software isn't really as useful as you would think. I'm not sure if that's the software or just an indication about PC control in general. I have programmed the radio myself, and it is useful for certain things, but having a mock up of my radio front panel on my PC doesn't do anything for me. Your milage may vary.

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I have heard, but not verified, that if you are using the computer interface, the built in keyer can get confused.

73,

Al Williams
AWC
http://www.al-williams.com/awce.htm

Tom Warren wrote in message <35018E22.72B6@thezone.net>...
>Thanks for reading this .If you have ts-570s or have used one do you
>like it and have you had any trouble with it any suggestions as to ssb
>filters , desk mic or other options .Thanks I have been considering
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3899. Re: opions TS-570s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <uKwUb12S9GA.329@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151012

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3900. Re: opions TS-570s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <uOXVb12S9GA.316@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151013

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3901. Re: opions TS-570s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <e6iWb12S9GA.354@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151014

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3902. Re: opions TS-570s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <ejApb12S9GA.363@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151015

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3903. Re: Exciter/Amplifier Question???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.wilcox@mci.com
Message-ID: <3504156c.13629216@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 151016

On my TS-850S-AT I simply press the tune button to match the output to
the input of my Dentron Clipperton amp. Works great. Maybe you should
try that?

On Mon, 09 Mar 1998 15:58:38 GMT, kc4pe@mindspring.com (Bill) wrote:

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>amplifier, strange things (RFI Wise) can happen!!
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>Thanks,
>Bill
>KC4PE
>kc4pe@mindspring.com
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John Wilcox
john.wilcox@mci.com

3904. Kenwood TV-502S Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Nolte <brucenol@abs.net>
Message-ID: <3503D37D.E9F1576C@abs.net>
Source record: 151017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Kenwood TV-502S has been sold. Thanks to everyone who responded.
Bruce N3LSY

3905. WTB Kenwood RF Power Module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Milton Krain <milt@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <6e1767sjn1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 151018

Hi,

I WTB a Kenwood RF Power Module VP-15E1305.

Please e-mail me
milt@monmouth.com.

73

milt, W2UNL
Over 50 years of ham radio.

3906. IC-735 trap door wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <350421B3.D5F1F6B4@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 151019
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I need a trap door for the 735. Frank KG9H

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3907. Greater Baltimore Ham Fest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lynch <jlynch@bcpl.net>
Message-ID: <35042350.ADB5C176@bcpl.net>
Source record: 151020

The Greater Baltimore Computer ahd Hamfest is coming to the Timonium Fairgrounds on March 28 and 29 (Saturday and Sunday). All three buildings (Cow Palace, Exhibition Hall and 4H Building) will vendors of Computer and any other electronic gear you can think of. PLUS the entire inner parking lot is full of tailgaters!
One of the biggest computer and ham fests in the entire country. Best prices available with show specials! Great food! Tickets are $5 per a day or $8 for the weekend.
You have to see this show to believe it.
Rain or Shine.
Questions, call 410 -HAM-FEST for voice or fax back information any time

24 hours a day. Or check out the Hamfest Home Page,
http://gbhc.org/

Sponsored by the Baltimore Amateur Radio Club
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73s
John Lynch
N3ZNU and retired BUFF driver

3908. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3504219D.C112D12E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151021

MailfrmPA wrote:

> >Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
> >
> >
>
> Your 20m WHAT?????? These are both adjectives, to paraphrase,"WHERE'S THE
> NOUN?"
>
> KØMB

And all this time I thought you were a science teacher......

73
Mark
WA0DCA

3909. wtb: IFR , MOT service monitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Wilson <alcomtest@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e18ne$fuh@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151022

we buy SERVICE MONITORS
CALL 1-800-476-2526
OR FAX: 1-228-868-0133

http://home.att.net/~alcomtest

3910. fs: service monitor plug-ins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Wilson <alcomtest@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e18ab$bte@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,houston.forsale,atl.forsale,memphis.forsale

motorola service monitor plug-in high gain SLN6396A $175.00
motorola service monitor plug-in SLN6354A 145-175Mhz $150.00
motorola plug-in SLN6355A 450-512Mhz $160.00

contact Larry Wilson 1-800-476-2526
fax: 1-228-868-0133

http://home.att.net/~alcomtest

3911. Re: Want service manual for IFR FM/AM 1000s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <6e17ol$q96$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 151024

In article <35037892.FDE65EAB@flash.net>,
KC <kcmjr!@flash.net> wrote:
>
> Looking for service manual or a photo copy of the schematic for an IFR
> FM/AM 1000s communications service monitor. Anyone that can help please
> reply to "kcmjr@flash.net". Thanks.
> Ken Mazie - kd6izy
>
>

Yes, I do have a manual. But my copy shop wants at least $ 50 to $ 60 to copy,
since it contains various sizes pages, which are all double sided.
They can not use their automatic copy machine and have to do everything by
hand. Especially since the pages are folded.
Plus, there would be a cost to drive to the copy shop to deliver and another
trip to retrieve. All in all, it would be cheaper to buy a new manual.
dutch

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3912. FS Tek Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e19pi$9sj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151025

HI All
I have a for sale
TEK 475 scope 200MHz $ 350.00 plus shipping
TEK 465B " 150MHz $ 350.00 with DM 44 plus shipping
TEK 465 " 150MHz $ 330.00 without DM44 plus shipping
TEK 465M " 100MHz $ 245.00plus shipping
Good working codition and without Probes
714-778-5151
Thanks
Joon

3913. Diff btwn FT101ZD&FT901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstroppe@uhl.uiowa.edu
Message-ID: <6e197c$u04$1@flood.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Source record: 151026

How much difference is there between an FT 101 ZD markIII and an FT 901?

john
WA0VYZ

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John Stroppel | Internet: jstroppe@uhl.uiowa.edu
The University of Iowa - Hygienic Lab | Amateur Radio: WA0VYZ
Oakdale Research Campus, OH-M7A | Voice: (319) 335-4500
Iowa City, IA 52242 | Fax: (319) 335-4555

3914. FS Tenuline coaxial attenutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e1aif$pgh@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151027

Hi All
I have for sale ATTENUATOR.
Good working codition.
. $ 150.00 Plus shipping
" TENULINE COAXIAL ATTENUTOR "
* Attenuation : 30DB
* Model : 8323
* Watts : 100
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

3915. Wanted : Mods for ICOM IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bochan@usa.net
Message-ID: <01bd4b88$83cfa1a0$4e6532cc@P100.intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 151028

I have read the following article, but can u tell me where is the location
of D15 according to the article below?

Please email to bochan@usa.net
Thanks!!
73's
Bo

Subject: RE: Icom IC-T7A Mods?

In article 05101dcc@gfiber.halcyon.com, Gary P. Fiber <gfiber@halcyon.com>
writes:

Hold the Moni and band buttons while powering up the radio, wiat for at

least 5 seconds before you release these buttons. Then press the band

button and see what happens. You will be pleased.

Gary

It has also been said that if you remove D15 on the logic board that
tx at 420 is possible

3916. FS: MRTI PHONE PATCH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka <ilonka00@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6e1clj$5rm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Like new MRTI 1000 phone patch (L1340) for sale. Internally very clean (a 10), minor scratches on top cover; otherwise blemish free. Want $450 which includes COD freight to continental US.

3917. WANTED: Icom acc. & Standard Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Piero A. Sassu" <n3fvg@worldlynx.net>
Message-ID: <35043517.6D66E6ED@worldlynx.net>
Source record: 151030
Cross-posted to:
Newsgroups,<"rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio,amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc">

Wanted: Icom SP-21 or very reasonably priced SP-20 for IC-756. Must be
in excellent condition.

Wanted: Standard C228A dual band 2M/220 Mhz. HT. Must be in good+
condition, accessories not important.

Please e-mail details including asking price to me at my address
below....Thanks!
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Have a nice day!
Piero Sassu (N3FVG)
n3fvg@worldlynx.net

Life Member National Rifle Association
Life Member Philadelphia Area Repeater Association
Active Member Fraternal Order Of Police

Amateur Radio Callsign - N3FVG
Extra Class Accredited Volunteer Examiner - W5YI and A.R.R.L.

Favorite Amateur Frequencies
1.850 Mhz.
3.782 Mhz.
7.215 Mhz.
144.385 Mhz.
224.200 Mhz. (N3CVJ Repeater located at my QTH)
P.A.R.A. Repeaters

3918. I sell Dumy Load "SPINNER"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6e1bto$i22@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 151031
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I sell 5 Dummy Load Spinner BN527766, 400 Ws 4Ghz, new, with special connectors (used male), to the price of 600DM. For Other information you write to this address.

llinus@frael.it

3919. wtb: Kenwood MC-50 or equivalent

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Kopp <rkopp@pioneerplanet.infi.net>
Message-ID: <6e1e91$89u$1@nw003t.infi.net>
Source record: 151032

I'm Looking for a desk mic for a Kenwood TS530s.

Rob KA0GZO

3920. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@nospam.itl.net>
Message-ID: <3504AF10.151F1547@nospam.itl.net>
Source record: 151033
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Graham Galbraith wrote:
>
> Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50 and
> in
> the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon as CW mode
> is
> selected, the radio goes into TX.
>
> I was fairly alarmed by this at first but then I calmed down a little
> and
> inserted an unconnected mono 3.5mm jack plug into the 'Key' socket.
>
> Instant cure.
>
> Take the plug out when in CW mode, WHAP, straight into TX mode.

Common fault here! the socket is shot, replace it!
The switch contacts have had the WRONG 3.5 mm jack inserted in them, I
have seen this a dozen times or more.
de GJ4ICD

3921. F.S. Kenwood PS-430 $125.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309200501.PAA29608@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151034

Kenwood P/S -430 DC Power Supply
In good Cond. 1 scratch upper right corner back side
$125. + Shp
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

3922. WTB:Murata Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgetz <jgetz@pacificnet.net>
Message-ID: <35044C16.294A953A@pacificnet.net>
Source record: 151035

Looking for CFR-455I or CFM455I or equiv.2 kc filters.
Any old stock SSB pulls out there?
Scott
KM6CS

3923. Part 15 Spread Spectrum Datamodem Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <35044EDA.75790244@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 151036

Does anyone have any experience with the current crop of Part 15 Spread Spectrum Datamodem Equipment Manufacturers? Any info is appreciated.
Also, information about pricing of various brands would be appreciated.

Thanks,

David L Pearce - KF4MOK
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

3924. Re: *Please help! HTX-202 No TX*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35044ff6.43687038@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 151037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 09 Mar 98 06:11:05 GMT, ke6alm@die.spambot.die.com (Matt Mendenhall)
wrote:
>In article <35029594.11026688@news.mint.net>,
> n1bug@mint.net (Paul N. Kelley) wrote:
>>Try resoldering the connections on that final transistor! If you run
>>the radio on 12v in the high power position, it eventually will begin
>>to melt the solder there... and due to partial melting/hardening you
>>end up with cold/bad solder joints.
>
>I haven't seen THIS one yet. I would think the transistor would shut itself
>down if the die temperature reached 450-plus degrees Fahrenheit, which is
>where it would be for the solder to go from the solid phase to the plastic
>(partial-melting) phase.

It is called thermal runaway. As a bipolar transistor gets hotter, the current through it will increase, causing it to get hotter, which causes the current to increase, and so on and so on until something lets go. Often what lets go is the aluminum metalization on the silicon die. But other times it is a bond wire that fails, or even the solder joints to the leads. The latter is rare in my experience since it is further from the source of heat than the metalization or the bond wires.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3925. Startek Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: eddieb@perigee.net
Message-ID: <3507482d.285204542@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 151038

I am looking for opinions on Startek Frequency Counters. In particular the model ATH-30. I saw these counters at a recent Ham Show and was wondering what others may have heard or experienced.

Startek International Inc. is located in Ft. Lauderdale, Fl.

I appreciate your comments/advise.

Eddie B.
eddieb@perigee.net

3926. Icom ICW2E. Anyone got Mod for Wide Band Transmit ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: keith rawlings <keith@recelectronics.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <higbEGAFLFB1EwTK@recelectronics.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 151039

Hi There.

Looking for a mod to give the ICW2E out of band transmit.
I know that the set can be made to receive wide band by software and
also be set up as a repeater by software (IE Keypad).Is there one for
transmitt? Either By the keypad or a Hardware mod.?

Cheers

De G4MIU
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keith rawlings

3927. I need ADI AT-600 mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nostep@flash.net
Message-ID: <6e1lssodd1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 151040

Can someone point me towards the mods for the ADI-Premier AT-600 radio?

Thanks

John

3928. Many items For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: lpeterman@acronet.net
Message-ID: <6e1jv5$4h0@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 151041

Still cleaning for a move out of state. Have the following for sale.
Unless noted, all stuff in great shape.

Bearcat BC-300 Scanner 75.00
Connect Systems CS-16 DTMF control Board 60.00
Connect Systems CS-900 duplex autopatch/interconnect $250.00
Daiwa Coaxial Switches C-201 (1) & C401 (3) $15/$60
Drake UV-3 with all three bands $425.00
Drake 1525 EM Microphone $50.00
Heath VTVM IM-5228 $50.00
Hygain HDR 300 rotator needs rebuilding. Contol box perfect $250.00
Falcon 2 meter Repeater Amp 10-100 $150.00
ICOM IC-781 Transceiver $4,000.00
ICOM BC-35 desk rapid charger $50.00
ICOM R-100 Scanner w/cell 600.00
Kenwood 7625 2 meter mobile (exterior ruff but works perfect) $50.00
Kenwood MC-45 Microphone $40.00
Macom 2000E Videocipher $75.00
MFJ 206 Antenna Probe $45.00
Mirage D24N 440 brick Amp (optimized for ATV) $145.00
Mirage C211 2 in 120 out 220 Amp $160.00
Mirage D1010N 10-100 440 Amp $225.00
NYE Viking RF-005 5kw SWR/Power meter $175.00
Optoelectronics R10 Interceptor $125.00
Palomar 8 KW 4:1 Beam Balun (for the 77SX) 20.00
Regency Scanner MX-7000 with cellular 300.00
Signal One Milspec 1030 Transceiver $5,000.00
Signal One matching speaker $125.00
Sony ICF-2001D All band receiver 160.00
Sony ICF-SW7600 All band receiver 115.00
Yokyo HP HL120U 440 MHz Linear amplifier 1-14 watts in / 10-100 out
$200.00
W.S. Engineering M100A Port-A-Peter 45.00
100' Belden 9214 double sheild/silver coax $90.00 (new)

Complete 220 MHz Repeater with: Make offer on any below.

Astron rack mount 50 amp power supply
Celwave 220 Stationmaster antenna
Falcon 144 4112C Repeater Amp 10-100W
Falcon 220 4111C Repeater Amp 10-100
MIcro Control Specialities Repeater Receiver MR-4
Spectrum Rack mount RX SCR500M Receiver
Spectrum SCT-110 30 watt 220 MHz transmitter
Spectrum SCR200A receiver board

TxRx 220 Mhz 28-52-2-2 Duplexer
Wacom WP-440-2 220 Band Pass filter (2)

Relm 800 MHz 25 Watt complete repeater $750.00

73, Lloyd N9BBQ

3929. Re: Icom ICW2E. Anyone got Mod for Wide Band Transmit ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e1mn7$c1f$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 151042

keith rawlings (keith@recelectronics.demon.co.uk) wrote:
: Hi There.

: Looking for a mod to give the ICW2E out of band transmit.
: I know that the set can be made to receive wide band by software and
: also be set up as a repeater by software (IE Keypad).Is there one for
: transmitt? Either By the keypad or a Hardware mod.?

: Cheers

: De G4MIU
: --
: keith rawlings

Most likely, the mod for the W2A will work...do a search.
You need to remove one duo-diode, and install 2 others.
The above is done on the logic board.
Be careful....the parts are surface-mounted, and INCREDIBLY small!
I modded my W2A some years ago, and have had no problems-but I used a VERY fine-tipped grounded soldering iron, a lighted magnifier, tweezers, and pins as positioning tools.
After you do the mod-reset the radio-if it won't reset right away, put 12 volts on the unit and try again.
On mine, it refused to reset with 7.2 volts-it needed 12 volts for the initial reset.

3930. HP & Tektronics Test Equipment Reference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Sharon <DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e1p5k$8q1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 151043

Can anyone help me locate reference sopurces to identify various HP and Tektronics test equipment, mostly older units. I am interested in acquiring several items but I need to find out the details of the numerous models that were produced over the last 20-30 years that are often advertised here.

Please repond via e-mail to DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net

Thanks

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Denis Sharon WA2NBU Ridgefield, CT

3931. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS I CURED IT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: MICHAEL J DRUM <mikedrum@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6dv7nq$g9d@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151155

In article <6dub7i$s63$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
kc5mdm@iglobal.net wrote:
>In article <#zA8nUgS9GA.147@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>,
> "D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net> wrote:
>>
>Well, I found a way!! I have mounted my 35M with the case off, in a 150 pound
>VISE mounted on the floor behind my rig, it take a few minutes to go back
>there and tighten down on it, every time I start up the station, but the thunk
>is down to a "pooof" hardly noticeable compared to the startup noise of the
>27" turbo fan mounted directly over my amplifier. Now if I could just find
>those "loud crackeling noises" when I transmit!! I got the cat out of the
>powersupply so thats not it!! Murray
>
>
>
>
>
>>
>> David Rogers wrote in message <35018247.3140@nidlink.com>...
>> >D. Waller wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
>> >>
>> >> Darrel
>> >> KC7ZCA
>> >
>> >Better get it checked, Darrel. My 35M thunks nicely.
>>
>> Oh no! Lessee, where'd I stash the shipping box........ sigh ;-)))
>>
>>
>
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>

My Pyramid PS-52K makes a load enough >>>>T H U D<<<< when I turn
it on that it even rattles the filing cabnet that I have it resting
on....I love it!

3932. re:706 mkII prob/ques FM nar filter!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4KJF@qsl.net
Message-ID: <3505347c.3461248@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 151156

Hi All,
I just got an Icom 706 mkII, I use it mostly on 2 meter FM right now. I needed to use the narrow filter on receive, since we have 15 kz and 50 mile spacing here in South Florida. When I started using the new 706 I notice the N light staying on, during transmit! Sure enough there is a noticeable difference in the audio, filter on or off. Its a negative difference. So do not save transmit Narrow filter settings in a memory. You'll be hard pressed to figure out why your not getting enough audio!! Anyone figure out more??
73's,
Benjamin Blavat, KF4KJF

3933. F/S FT-51R 2M/440 $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309005800.TAA28353@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151157

FOR SALE: YAESU FT-51R 2MTR/440 HANDHELD. IN PERFECT CONDITION WITH FNB-38 BATTERY AND ORIGINAL BOX. I AM THE ORIGINAL OWNER AND WILL SHIP THIS UNIT VIA FEDEX TO YOU FOR $350 STEVE W1SN

3934. Comments on the Icom706mkii getting one soon...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cfisher@klis.com
Message-ID: <35034587.2387005@news.klis.com>
Source record: 151158

please email or post in news groups like too hear from every one..
cfisher@klis.com

3935. Re: Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6qq@socal.wanet.com
Message-ID: <6dvi4vdgg2@paleale.wanet.net>
Source record: 151159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net> wrote:

>In rec.radio.amateur.equipment john.moriarity <k6qq@socal.wanet.com> wrote:

>: It's a 440 "Hot Rod" from AEA. (I have one.)
>: It's a half-wave antenna.

>I don't think so....the "Hot Rod" is not "flexible" it is a ridgid,
>extendable antenna (I have the 440 *and* the 2 meter versions)

I hate to differ with you, but I worked for them! I did the antenna
range measurements on the 2m version with Dr. Don Reynolds,
the inventor. There *was* a flexible 440 Hot Rod, and I have two
of them.

73,

John, K6QQ

3936. Wtd.: Info on heath ho-5404

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcn1foj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309023101.VAA15334@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151160

Have recently been offered a Heathkit HO-5404 station monitor with the panadapter module installed. Can anyone tell me an approximate value for this unit and whether it would be a good choice for use with my older Kenwood Station (TS-830S). Any help appreciated. E-mail tto JCN1FOJ@aol.com . 73 de John

3937. FS: Opto Xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franklin Reed <freed@galstar.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4b04$d8651ee0$df770dcf@laptop>
Source record: 151161

For Sale
OptoElectronics Xplorer WITH cellular unlocked. It is in excellent condition used very little, still in original box. Xplorer, manual, cables and software that came with it, $750 or obo. I will pay shipping and COD charges to you. If interested e-mail me.

freed@ionet.net

3938. Yaesu FNB-4 Battery - How to open

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: srsulak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309024200.VAA13224@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151162

I have a Yaesu FNB-4 battery pack that I would like to rebuild. Before I proceed to destroy the pack by opening it incorrectly, does anyone know how to open one of these packs?

Stan de KD4YEP

3939. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdenny1831@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309025700.VAA20232@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151163

What will pick up the 1.2 ghz mode the FT-736R handles???? Not the 846!!!!!!!

3940. Help: Kenwood TM-731A unstable in HI pwr mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: david lee <ddlee@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <6dvlrt$7lq$1@uuneo.neosoft.com>
Source record: 151164

My TM-731A locks into an unstable condition (draws excessive current, parasitics heard on separate receiver, etc) when mic keys the 2meter high power side. Mic off switch becomes inoperable and can only shut off by turning off power. Works great on low power and on 440. Anyone have any ideas? (Service mod for the cap already made).

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David D. Lee, AB5AX ddlee@neosoft.com
Houston, Tx
"Take 2 aspirin and call me at Turtle Island..."

3941. FS 4-1000 socket&chimnet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309030600.WAA21775@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151165

For Sale Eimac cast socket for 4-1000
glass chimney for 4-1000

3942. Location of D15 for ICOM IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bo Chan <bochan@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4b08$471c4ae0$f6b422cf@P100.intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 151166

Subject: RE: Icom IC-T7A Mods?

In article 05101dcc@gfiber.halcyon.com, Gary P. Fiber <gfiber@halcyon.com>

writes:

Hold the Moni and band buttons while powering up the radio, wiat for at

least 5 seconds before you release these buttons. Then press the band

button and see what happens. You will be pleased.

Gary

It has also been said that if you remove D15 on the logic board that
tx at 420 is possible

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Anyone can show me the location of D15 for the above article?

73..
Bo

3943. Re: IC-706mk2 keying amp problem and spike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4b08$db0e2200$7eeeffcc@n4lq.iglou.com>
Source record: 151167

Hey......that spike helps bust through pileups. You don't need an amp now.
What we need is the mod that puts a spike on every character. Let's
see.....If 10 watts gives us a 100w spike then 100 watts should yield a
1000w spike. Maybe this thing was designed by a radar technician. I like
mine though.

> In the Jan QST review of then 706mk2 a "missing first dot" problem was
> described and the review also stated that the mk2 was unable to key an
> external amp relay. Does anyone else experience this problem? What
about
> the mk2 with say the SGC, Ameritron or other 500 watt transistor amps?
> What about problems experienced with the so called "power spike" referred
> to in the review. Evidently the mk2 gives out a spike at 100 watts
before
> the AGC reins it in to the set level. The article states that this spike
> could damage some amps (which ones? it does not say) or trip protection
> mechanisms in others (the SGC?). Does this occur if using the PTT and
ALC
> lines from the rig to the amp.
>
> Any input would be apprecieated.
>
> Rudy, K8SWD
>

3944. WTB: IC 229H Finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve9bm@auracom.com
Message-ID: <3503662e.45375395@news.auracom.com>
Source record: 151168

Hi
I am looking for finals for my IC229H. I have heard that you
have to buy from ICOM because there is no other generic equivilent.

Please email

ve9bm@auracom.com

Thanks

Brent

3945. WTB Kenwood TH215 PA CHIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve9bm@auracom.com
Message-ID: <350466ad.45501596@news.auracom.com>
Source record: 151169

Hi
Yep I need the PA chip for this handheld....also
looking for PA chip for ICOM 229H. It was a good month what can I
tell you....

Please email

ve9bm@auracom.com

Thanks
Brent

3946. Need IC-706 low tx audio mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: pactor@communityonline.NET
Message-ID: <350344B2.B24B4919@communityonline.net>
Source record: 151170

There is a modification to raise the tx audio involving the changing out of a resister. Can anyone tell me where to find this mod?

Thanks and 73...de N6QCA, Pactor Phil in Vacaville

3947. Which Should I keep. 735 or 745?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam_km5mz@qsl.net
Message-ID: <35056f31.48484307@news>
Source record: 151171

I own both of these rigs currently.
I am wondering which one to keep.
I need to sell one of them but am not sure which.
I love the size of the 735 and the look.
I prefer the NB in the 745 as well as the if shift.

Which receiver has better performance?
Problems noted with each? Fixes?

All comments, please no grammer/spelling flames, appreciated.
Remove the nospam from address to reply
Kip
K5KiP
nospam_km5mz@qsl.net

3948. Re: TH28A and Astron Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4b18$6ac47480$598a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 151172

It ain't got no spunk if it don't make that thunk, doo wah doo wah, doo wah doo wah! :-) DavidC

> #1) Astron RS-20A; It's in working condition, and cosmetically it's
> a 9.9 on a scale of 10. I'm asking $50.00 for it.
> If you're interested, please let me know.... My email address is:
> kj5xf@worldnet.att.net Regards, Tony Lyon

3949. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980309051701.AAA14789@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 151173

>Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
>
>

Your 20m WHAT?????? These are both adjectives, to paraphrase,"WHERE'S THE NOUN?"

K&#65533;MB

3950. *****WTB: Radio Shack HTX-202 2m HT with Batt. charger, and any acces.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6dvuk6geq2@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 151174

I am looking for a fairly new Radio Shack HTX-202 2m HT radio that
someone wants to sell. Please E-Mail me with info on the radio and what you
have with it, and what price you want for it, prefer COD if possible. Please
E-Mail me a reply OR if you want to you can post the info here. thanks...

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=====----****----====
73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

3951. HTX-202 Mic and Pwr Adjustments needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: trbarber@earthling.net
Message-ID: <350381b6.46375199@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 151175

Hi all,

I had the instructions to adjust the audio lever and the High/Low
power output at one time but have lost them. Can anyone help me here?

mailto:trbarber@earthling.com

3952. TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Braithwaite <keithb1@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35038676.5EF1@mindspring.com>
Source record: 151176

Need a copy of the service manual for the Kennwood TS-430S.

3953. HTX-212 Programming Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <102670.1206@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uvRWkvxS9GA.373@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 151177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I own a Radio Shack HTX-212 2-meter mobile radio. I accidentally activated the Channel 1 Alarm feature (the little bell symbol is displayed and the radio beeps every four seconds).

Pages 16 and 30 of the user manual mention the feature, but don't clearly tell you how to deselect it. Does anybody know how to turn this feature off?

73

Brian Webb, KD6NRP
Thousand Oaks, California

3954. Re: Help: Kenwood TM-731A unstable in HI pwr mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4b22$8acb6a40$a10148ca@nelson>
Source record: 151178

I hv similiar problem in my TM-732A. I found that it happen in HI power while the HT is warm up.
The power will drop off / on continuesly even you press the PTT without release (i.e. like flashing on/off transmit power). In the rear of the HT, the cool fan cannot work. but it only work if you change to Medium power (Thats mean that the cool fan will resume normal after Medium Power transmit a while). Does anyone can help me to solve this problem ?

david lee <ddlee@neosoft.com> wrote in article
<6dvlrt$7lq$1@uuneo.neosoft.com>...
> My TM-731A locks into an unstable condition (draws excessive
> current, parasitics heard on separate receiver, etc) when mic
> keys the 2meter high power side. Mic off switch becomes
> inoperable and can only shut off by turning off power. Works
> great on low power and on 440. Anyone have any ideas? (Service
> mod for the cap already made).
>
> --
> David D. Lee, AB5AX ddlee@neosoft.com
> Houston, Tx
> "Take 2 aspirin and call me at Turtle Island..."
>
>
>

3955. Can The Eagle Sidewinder 400 be Modified?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael1998@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6dvtij$s8f$1@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 151179

I have been thinking about purchasing the new Eagle Sidewinder 400 10 Meter mobile radio. Does anyone know if this rig can be modified to cover the entire 10 Meter ham ban? It looks like it has all of the modes available, such as SSB, FM, but the rig only cover the tech portion of the band straight out of the box. It looks like this radio could be easily "opened up" to include the rest of the 10 meter band, even up to as high as 30 MHz. Is anyone out there familiar with this rig and whether or not it can be easily modified such as the Ranger 2950 and some other mobile rigs can? Any help would greatly appreciated! Just e-mail me and let me know.

3956. Re: Inexpensive Repeater Directory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: squidkid@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3503870d.3213772@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 151180

> Eric Connor Said:
> looking for a realativly cheap repeater directory for western states,
>i don't wanna pop $20 for some book with information I don't need
>thanks for anyhelp

Hey Eric, there is a company called World Xpress or something that has
a repeat guide for western states only. I bought it about a month ago
for $4 and the company waived shipping charges. I dunno if they have
any left or not but here is their page: http://www.rotd.com/worldxn/
They had another repeater directory but I don't know the details.

3957. Re: Taiwan VS. Japan ??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6e016a$7om@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 151181

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>Tiawan
>Tiawan. Tiawan.
>Tiawan).
>
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV

It's spelled T A I W A N.

(I would have ignored it, but my Taiwanese companion here is laughing her tail off and insists I correct you.)

Jeff KH2PZ / KH6

3958. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6e01sv$83v@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 151182

Pete McGreevy wrote in message <35009FE2.3E2C@MAIL.IDT.NET>...
>Jeez, come ON people! Are you all so attached to your techie "perfect
>pretty" radios that you have forgotten a true LAW of Ham radio???
>
>ALL GOOD BIG THINGS GO "THUNK" WHEN YOU TURN THEM ON !

That's true with even the "smaller" 1/2 kW rigs. My Galaxy GT-550
registers an 8.0 on the Richter Scale when powered up.

Jeff KH2PZ

3959. Re: Which Should I keep. 735 or 745?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0903980506170001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 151183

In article <35056f31.48484307@news>, NoSpam_km5mz@qsl.net (Kip Chatterson)
wrote:

> I own both of these rigs currently.
> I am wondering which one to keep.
> I need to sell one of them but am not sure which.
> I love the size of the 735 and the look.
> I prefer the NB in the 745 as well as the if shift.
>
> Which receiver has better performance?
> Problems noted with each? Fixes?
>
> All comments, please no grammer/spelling flames, appreciated.
> Remove the nospam from address to reply
> Kip
> K5KiP
> nospam_km5mz@qsl.net

Why not sell both and get a new ICOM 706 MKII with DSP? That way
you have a radio that is under warranty and will give you all
the features that are important to you, more bands, smaller
size, and great resale if and when you decide to migrate again.

73,

John D. Seney, WD1V
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
Oscilloscope.FAQ

3960. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6e0g0kmgp1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 151184
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-03-07 jdport@concentric.net said:
jd>> pa><wayne@hoxnet.com> writes
jd>> pa>>The main problem with Nuclear Power (in the US) is that the
jd>> pa>>technology is still classified (By the Atomic Energy Act of
jd>>1957) pa>>and because of this, the general public has no idea
jd>>how safe it pa>>really is. Only Three Americans have every been
jd>>killed related to snip
jd>> If you really want to amuse the Hydro Board people, ask them how
jd>>many people have been killed since construction of hydro power
jd>>stations started.
jd>> (Well, in Scotland, anyway.)
jd>Well, anywhere major construction occurs there are the occasional
jd>deaths associated with it. Years ago I saw a vintage newsreel
jd>describing construction of the Depression-era Hoover Dam in the
jd>western USA, and as I recall the primitive footage showed a
jd>"T-model" truck falling over the edge of the gigantic dam in
jd>progress. Seems like over a dozen workers were killed in that
jd>project, and that doesn't count the "gangster victims" that were
jd>mixed in with the concrete. Construction deaths also do not
jd>include the thousands of deaths over the years from mining coal. I
jd>grew up amongst Uranium mines and mills and tailings piles and I
jd>recall 2 or 3 deaths associated with accidents from heavy
jd>equipment operation etc., cave-ins and such, but I recall no
jd>old-timers dying from coughing up their lungs slowly, as they do in
jd>the areas surrounding the coal mines of the USA. Even Chernobyl,
jd>that hiss-and-byword of the nuclear horror group, fails to approach
jd>the casualties incurred from more conventional methods of
jd>generating power. (Generalization gleaned from Reader's Digest
jd>article on Chernobyl from some unknown months ago) Is any of this
jd>on-topic for this group? Oh Well Jim W5AOX

Yes, but the privately owned (since inception) hydro electric scheme (5
V DC at 100,000 amperes - visitors leave watches and pacemakers at
Reception please) at Fort William, Scotland (aluminium smelter), has its
own private graveyard. Or do I mean the other one at Kinlochleven?
Probably both. The photos are at Kinlochleven Visitor Centre. Those
photies of the dam being built give me vertigo.

Bill
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Quem deus vult perdere prius dementat

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

3961. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature? Or Fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <3503B764.37AA2EF0@triax.com>
Source record: 151185

Hi Graham. I have had a TS-50 for about 3 years. Mine does not transmitt when put in the CW mode unless I push the push to talk button on the side of the mic. It does sound like you have a bad CW jack. I have nothing pluged into my CW jack.

Bob W7CTW

Graham Galbraith wrote:

> Hello, thanks for reading this. I've just acquired a Kenwood TS-50
> and in the early stages of trying it it I have noticed that as soon
> as CW mode is selected, the radio goes into TX.
>
> I was fairly alarmed by this at first but then I calmed down a
> little and inserted an unconnected mono 3.5mm jack plug into the
> 'Key' socket.
>
> Instant cure.
>
> Take the plug out when in CW mode, WHAP, straight into TX mode.
>
> The manual does not bother to explain how a key should be connected
> but I am virtually sure it should be normally open, closed when keyed,
> so it seems that the socket has an internal short. Looking at the
> diagram I see that the socket is pretty complex for something which
> theoretically only needs two connections from a push-to-make switch.
> The 'Key' socket includes switches, and they are used, according to
> the diagrams.
>
> It occurs to me that this is there to provide an easy way to key up the
> TX for tuning purposes when using SSB mode, simply by blipping
> across to CW mode, which is a one-button press. If so it's a little
> dangerous because you only need to select a memory which has
> been programmed with the CW mode for the radio to go into TX. I
> find this a little bit TOO helpful.
>
> If you have a TS-50 or have used one I would like to know if this
> is normal behaviour for the beast.
>
> As a second query, I also got an AT-300 Auto-ATU with the set
> and I see that according to the manual, the AT-300 unit is not
> suitable for mobile use. Examination of the unit reveals that it
> only has a single wing-nut termination for the aerial, so I take it
> that the AT-300 is strictly an end-fed wire tuner, and that I would
> need the AT-50 if I wanted to drive a coax-fed antenna?

>
> Bear with me: This is the first HF TRX I have ever owned,
> so what may be obvious to you is not necessarily obvious to me.
>
> Regards, Graham Galbraith, M0ADR (U.K.)

3962. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <3503B37D.F7582F0F@triax.com>
Source record: 151186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Why do you think they have a tune mode? Very stupid question why is the
output EXTREMELY LOW. You don't operate it in the tune mode. You tune it.

Clif wrote:

> Bob Bethman wrote:
> >
> > I have a Kenwood TS-820S with EXTREMELY low
> > output in the TUN mode. Everything else is working at
> > specs. I get full out put in CW and SSB.
> >
> > How do I adjust the TUN mode?
> >
> > Where is the adjustment?
> >
> > I can't find a service manual, it is out of print and Kenwood
> > apparently either doesn't have one, or is not willing to copy
> > the one thay have as they used to offer.
> >
> > I need to use this TUN mode to initially tune my amplifier
> > so that I don't blow something up or scortch it.
> >
> > Bob Bethman
> > N0DGN/4
> >
> > --+
> > | Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 |
> > +--+
> > | Bob Bethman \\\|/// " The absence of a danger |
> > | N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
> > | rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
> > +----------------------oOOo-(_)-oOOo-------------------------+
>
> There isn't a "tune mode" adjustment. When in tune mode the screen
> voltage on the finals is halved by a voltage divider in the power
> supply. What has happened is the divider is open. I am at home and don't
> have the designators but look at the schematic for 2 56k resisstors in
> the power supply board. If you can't find them then e-mail me tomorrow
> and I will look them up.
>
> NO ANTI-SPAM, JUST HIT REPLY.
> --
> Clif @ AVVid
> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center

> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3963. Re: Mystery HT antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e0mpo$n1b$6@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 151187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

john.moriarity (k6qq@socal.wanet.com) wrote:
: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net> wrote:

: >In rec.radio.amateur.equipment john.moriarity <k6qq@socal.wanet.com> wrote:

: >: It's a 440 "Hot Rod" from AEA. (I have one.)
: >: It's a half-wave antenna.

: >I don't think so....the "Hot Rod" is not "flexible" it is a ridgid,
: >extendable antenna (I have the 440 *and* the 2 meter versions)

: I hate to differ with you, but I worked for them! I did the antenna
: range measurements on the 2m version with Dr. Don Reynolds,
: the inventor. There *was* a flexible 440 Hot Rod, and I have two
: of them.

: 73,

: John, K6QQ

I've had several Hot Rods...they were all telescoping whips, with a coil
at the bottom...not flexable at all!
AEA may very well have designed a flexable model-but I've never seen(or
heard of one).

3964. Re: thoughts/opinions on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6e0m6n$n1b$5@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 151188

Richard O. Kinkead (richard-kinkead@worldnet.att.net) wrote:

: Paul: I owned the FT-50 and had good experience with it. The RD is the Ft-50
: with FT112.
: One last thing. There is no need to do a hardware mod. The mod can be done
: through the software if you were to buy it. Do a search for ft-50 and read
: the FT-50 web page.

: Richard, KF4PFE

Only the RX mod can be done with s/w-if he wants the extended TX, he still
has to mod the h/w(very simple)-so if the poster wants the tx mod, then he
may as well do the other mod in hardware(almost as simple as the tx one).

3965. Re: VX-1R power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus Lenggenhager <m.lenggenhager@zrh.sc.philips.com>
Message-ID: <3503DEFC.EEE502BA@zrh.sc.philips.com>
Source record: 151189

Hi all

I bought my VX-1R in W6 and cannot use the 110V AC adapter here in Europe. So I took it apart. Took me a while to draw the schematics. Have it as GIF file at home. If interested, let me know and I'll publish it here. In the AC adapter there is both a voltage regulation and a current limiter (around 600mA). The LiIon battery pack itself includes some circuitry to switch the charging current on and off. That's what you hear as clicks out of the speaker during the 2nd half of the charging process.
Don't forget the VX-1R draws 0.7mA even when the unit is off. So after a month of inactivity the battery will be empty! BTW, there is a lot of VX-1R info in the German PBBS network.

73, Markus HB9BRJ

3966. Kenwood TMV7 TXRX <-> LCD serial protocol

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc@aargh.mayn.de
Message-ID: <PSVZB*Mqh@aargh.mayn.de>
Source record: 151190
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Since quite some time I'm trying to remote-control a Kenwood TMV7 radio transceiver.

Unfortunately the mike buttons can't access all of the TMV7 functions. Even worse, the default state (eg after a hard reset) is "no DTMF mike" - so I can't turn on mike buttons from the mike. That's it about the mike, I can't use it for the project.

However, the display ("LCD assy") is connected via a 4 wire cable. The pinout is

1-PSI (serial LCD -> TXRX)
2-PSO (serial TXRX -> LCD)
3-PE (gnd)
4-PB (+13.8v)

So it should be possible to (fully) control the transceiver via this connector.

According to the service manual, the communication is async 3125 bps.

However, the bit timing is 58us (measured with osci), resulting in a rate of 17240bps. If the manual meant BYTE per second, each byte must have 5.5 bits :(Doesn't look too familiar.

I built a receiver circuit, which turns 17240bps raw data (without stop bits) into 57600bps 8N1 for reception on a PC.

I can clearly see the activity when pressing buttons, but there's a lot of traffic. I can't figure out how the buttons are encoded.

Pressing buttons that affect the display output produce far more data than others (although I'm looking at LCD -> TXRX direction). Obviously there's some acknowledgement or repetition of received data.

I never get the same two datasets when pressing the same button twice.

Twice a second, the TXRX sends an "E0" (I interpret data as LSB first, 8 bit into one byte, sync to the first bit of a block, and a block lasts until there's 80 bits of inactivity). The LCD answers with "E8". This checks wether the LCD is still connected.

Here's what I receive when turning the volume knob (dig poti, no display activity):

E8 (LCD still there)
(pause)

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E8
(pause)

40 8A 01 42 FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF 07 FF A3 FF
8F FE 7F F4 7F F0 FF E8 7F F4 FF A3 FF 9F FE 8F
FE 8F FE FF D1 FF C8 FF E8 FF A3 FF 8F FE FF FF
FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF

(pause)

00 52 1C 10 EA FF FF FF FF FF FF FF 3F FA FF E8
FF E8 FF 47 FF 9F FE 4F FF 47 FF 1F FD 7F F4 7F
F4 7F FA FF E8 FF A3 FF A3 FF D1 FF 4F FF FF FF
FF FF FF FF FF FF FF

(pause)

00 8A 03 A1 FE FF FF FF FF FF FF FF D1 FF D1 FF
C9 FF 47 FF 47 FF A3 FF 8F FE 3F FA FF A3 FF 8F
FE 47 FF 3F FD 1F FD 3F FA 3F FA FF C1 FF FF FF
FF FF FF FF FF FF FF

(pause)

00 00 19 07 88 FC FF FF FF FF FF FF FF 8F FE 7F
F4 7F F4 FF D1 FF 47 FF A3 FF A3 FF 4F FF 3F F9
1F FD 1F FC 3F FA FF D1 FF E8 FF E8 FF D1 FF FF
FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF

(pause)

00 80 14 07 42 FC FF FF FF FF FF FF FF 8F FE 4F
FF 47 FF 3F FA 3F FA FF E8 FF E8 FF D1 FF A3 FF
4F FF 47 FF 8F FE 8F FE 3F FA 3F FD 7F F0 FF FF
FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF

(pause)
E8
(pause)
E8
```

On the other hand I get this when pressing an ordinary button (with display activity):

```
00 00 00 8A FC 8F FE 3F FA FF 8F FE 8F FE 4F FF
8F FE 4F FE 47 FF 47 FF A3 FF D3 FF D1 FF D1 FF
E8 FF E9 FF E8 7F F4 7F FA 3F 00 00 00 00 00 00
00 00 00 E8 FF 00 F4 7F 00 00 F4 FF D1 FF 47 FF
A3 FF 07 E0 FF D1 FF 47 FF 47 FF 0F A0 FF 47 FF
3F FD 7F F4 FF A3 FF 8F FE FF FF FF 1F FD 7F F4
7F F4 FF E8 FF A3 FF 3F FA FF E8 7F F4 3F FA 3F
F8 7F F4 FF A3 FF D1 FF 4F FF 3F F8 1F FD 8F FE
0F A0 FF 4F FF 47 FF 0F E8 FF A3 FF D1 FF 03 FA
FF E8 FF A3 FF D1 FF 0F E8 FF A3 FF 8F FE 47 FF
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0F A0 FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
(pause)
00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 68 F5 FF FF FF FF FF
FF 1F FD 1F FD 1F FD 7F F4 7F FA 3F FA 7F F4 FF
D1 FF 9F FE 8F FE 1F FD FF D1 FF 47 FF A3 FF A3
FF 8F FE FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
```

pressing the same button again immediately:

```
00 95 FE 47 FF 8F FE FF A7 FF 8F FE 8F FE 8F FE
47 FF 8F FE 7F FA FF E8 FF E8 FF D1 FF 4F FF 1F
FD 8F FE 1F FD FF F4 FF D1 FF D1 FF A3 FF 93 FF
D1 FF A7 FF A3 FF 47 FF A7 FF 8F FE 3F FA FF E8
FF 47 FF A3 FF A3 FF 8F FE 3F FA FF F4 7F F4 FF
8F FE 1F FD 1F FD 3F FA FF E8 FF 07 FF 1F FD 9F
FE 8F FE 1F A0 FF 4F FF 3F FD 1F FD 7F 40 FF 1F
FD 7F F4 7F FA 3F 00 FA 7F F4 FF D3 FF 47 FF 3F
FA FF E8 7F F4 FF 80 FE 7F F2 3F FA FF 81 FE 3F
FA FF E8 FF A3 FF 1F FD FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
(pause)
00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 D0 E6 FF
FF FF FF FF FF 1F FD 1F FD 7F F4 FF 47 FF 1F FD
9F FE 8F FE 3F F8 FF E8 FF E8 FF E0 FF D1 FF 47
FF A7 FF A3 FF 8F FE FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
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I see a lot of F's, indicating I might oversample the signal. However there are sequences of only one same bit (as in a7), and the shortest interval I measured is what I used as bit time.

The signal looks very fuzzy on the scope, and I can't imagine it can keep sync for that long. It even looks like it is doomed to loose sync after 2 or 3 bits. And there's no regular frame structure like in 8N1 transmissions such as RS232. (I don't think Kenwood uses a PLL to recover bit timing for a 0 to 7 meter digital 0V/5V transmission) :-)

This is my problem, can you help me?

Maybe Kenwood uses this or similar protocols in other products (eg car stereo with display)? Have you seen any Kenwood protocol before?

Every small hint might help.

Are Kenwood service manuals trustworthy? Ie can I rely on the comment about 3125bps and assume there must be some kind of modulation? (Maybe Kenwood does not send a bit as high/low, but as levelchange/nolevelchange? Or even a more complex modulation?)

What experience do you have with Kenwood service manuals?

3967. Re: Astron Thunk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <6e0ol8$p23@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 151191

What you are hearing is the feild developing around the transformer and the montentary rattle/thud from the case as this happens. You ott to hear/see a really big tranformer ramp up, it sucks the sides in so much you can see it.

David, Ke4zqz

>On 5 Mar 1998 21:57:50 GMT, "JDM" <jmul@iland.net> wrote:
>
>>All 3 of my Astrons make that noise when turned on.
>
>Every power supply I have had that was over 15 amps has this same
>"THUNK" when turned on except the one I built. That one has the cover
>about 3" from the transformer. I just close my ears and "THUNK" away.
>Not to worry.
>

3968. Re: IC-706MKII possible quirks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <6e0ov5$p23@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 151192

In article <yw1iupvh74f.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>, mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com
says...
>
>ev1960@hotmail.com writes:
>
>> Hi All,
>>
>> Got my new IC-706MKII last week and I think I have found some
quirks.
>>
>> Mike Gain seems inadaquate. On 6M FM Compression does not work
which may be
>> inherent with the radio but I get low audio reports with the mike
gain set to
>> 10 on 6Meters. I think it sould be distoring on the setting of 10.
2M FM my
>> audio seems to be OK but again on a setting of 10 I think it should
be
>> overdriven and distorted.
>>
>> My AGC only toggles to F-AGC and not AGC. It seems the slow AGC
setting
>> can't be set on the radio as described in the manual.
>>
>> Have you experienced the same things? Any suggestions on misteaks I
am making
>> on settings? Should I be sending this radio back to ICOM?
>>
>> Thanks es
>> 73 de Elmar
>>
>> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion
==-----
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based
newsreading
>
>Maybe. The ICOM 706 Mk II's microphone is intended for mobile use,
>with wind and road noise. To make the microphone work properly you
>have to hold it approximately 1 cm from your lips. My on-air testing
>with friends shows that if my moustache is just brushing the plastic
>microphone housing, my 706 Mk II delivers great audio with the stock
>microphone and the mic gain set at the factory default of 5.
>

I would agree with that, it is a mobile mike IMHO

3969. FINAL CALL FOR BIDS, Tek 7L12/039 2.5 GHz Spectrum Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <6e49jebih1@news.jumpnet.com>
Source record: 150846
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

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This is the final call for bids for an exceptional 2.5 GHz spectrum
analyzer in excellent condition. Bidding will close at midnight
Tuesday March 17 unless extended by higher bids recieved in the final
48 hours of the bidding process.

For details see: http://www.widind.com/auctions/hpgear.htm

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Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com
http://www.widind.com/
http://www.widind.com/auctions/
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3970. FS: Tek 545B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fritz Tender <fwt@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3505AC93.8CBB6BBB@ibm.net>
Source record: 150847

FS: Tek 545B W/ Type M plugin, can deliver to Dayton Hamvention. Make offer to fwt@ibm.net

Fritz

3971. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <zXKc4DASqaB1EwDO@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150848
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <35060C1D.E16B11EE@nospam.itl.net>, Geoff
<equinox@nospam.itl.net> writes
>paul wrote:
>
>>
>> <snip bit about modified TS-50>
>>
>> Yeah right, and I wouldn't care less as long as the mod was documented
>> and done properly.!
>>
>> Regards
>>
>> --
>> paul G8IZR
>

<snip bit about IP>

At what stage did I suggest that the modification was correct. ISTR
saying something about properly documented and done properly....

I have no knowledge of the TS-50 , the point I was trying to make was
that radio amateurs should be willing to research and modify *if they
want to*

or does that go against the grain for those that make their living by
buying,selling & modifying amateur equipment?

>As for wideband tx there is no need to do this to use the radio as an
>IF, modify the Transverter to have an IF already available on the Radio!

Dont talk rubbish Geoff, some of the coverage needed on the higher bands
is wider than a suitable amateur band allows, It can cause a fair bit of
frustration if the mast head translation stage drifts a couple of
hundred Khz below the HF band edge.

Yes the translator can be band switched but this can cause reliability
issues particularly when remote switching is concerned.

>Modifying the radio for w/b tx can cause serious problems like
>confiscation by the R.A, (check Radio Active Magazine, March 1998)
>Finally, for those smart A.....d guys out there who have modified their
>radio's for W/B TX just think!

I guess they could confiscate my Racal HF kit as well, ISTR that it will
TX all over the place........

> In several cases that I have seen the
>bandpass filter network will not stand 100w on the wrong frequency,
>either the filter network burns up, or in the case of Icom Radio's the
>PA's blow, and that will cost you dearly!

Only because that modification was not thought out properly.

>My answer is don't even THINK about it.

Or rather , THINK about buying another black box perhaps?

Regards

--
paul

3972. FS: Kenwood TS-850-AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4dh@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980310.132428.7559.1.n4dh@juno.com>
Source record: 150849

My Kenwood TS-850AT, VS-2 Voice Unit, Mic, and 500Hz. CW
filter. Excellent condition, have orginal shipping cartons, manual,
etc. Not alot of use. $1100.

Thanks, Bill, N4DH

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3973. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS I CURED IT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Gross <RPGross@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4g4d$g94@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150850

kc5mdm@iglobal.net wrote:
>
> In article <#zA8nUgS9GA.147@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>,
> "D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net> wrote:
> >
> Well, I found a way!! I have mounted my 35M with the case off, in a 150 pound
> VISE mounted on the floor behind my rig, it take a few minutes to go back
> there and tighten down on it, every time I start up the station, but the thunk
> is down to a "pooof" hardly noticeable compared to the startup noise of the
> 27" turbo fan mounted directly over my amplifier. Now if I could just find
> those "loud crackeling noises" when I transmit!! I got the cat out of the
> powersupply so thats not it!! Murray
>
> >
> > David Rogers wrote in message <35018247.3140@nidlink.com>...
> > >D. Waller wrote:
> > >>
> > >> Hmmmm, my 20M doesn't go "thunk".... Think it's defective??? ;-)
> > >>
> > >> Darrel
> > >> KC7ZCA
> > >
> > >Better get it checked, Darrel. My 35M thunks nicely.
> >
> > Oh no! Lessee, where'd I stash the shipping box........ sigh ;-)))
> >
> >
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Wow, When I turn on my solid state amp, It thunks so loud it even trips
my computers ups alarm. The other guy was right. ALL good things thunk
when you turn them on!!

Bob KD4LGW

3974. 28.8 data-voice-fax modem for sale 35.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5ixe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310232200.SAA29317@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150851

I have an acer plug and play 28.8 data-fax-voice modem with install software and voice cable hookups. 35.00 and i pay ship. RD at n5ixe@aol.com

3975. Couple of notes on FT-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jose R. Camara" <camara@quantacorp.com>
Message-ID: <3505CD10.CD6D853D@quantacorp.com>
Source record: 150852

A couple of notes on the FT-50... Very disorganized, bu I better post it before I forget it completely.

Bought one in December, serial 7F20xxxx. Software mod works fine, but I liked better the ability of changing country settings with a few keystrokes, so had to remove the R2048 resistor.

First comment: 1.the 'resistor' is a 0 ohm one, simply a jumper, actually jumper #4.

2. The jumper status is what is read into the rdf or tpl files position 5E2, before current_band. 0 is a closed jumper, 1 open. 03 = 00000011 (my original setting) shows r2048 installed (bit3), jumper 1 closed (bit2), jumper 2 open (bit1) and jumper 3 open (bit0). After removing r2048, it reads 0B (00001011). I didn't remove the solder jumper because I don't need a reset to go into freeband, I actually prefer to have reset restore the U.S. bands.

3. Extended Xmit: On a dummy load, I obtained the following (internal power limiting setting adjusted for 5W, external power supply):

F P I F P I
(MHz) (W) (A) (MHz) (W) (A)
119.88 0.78 1.78 309.35 0.6 2.15
120 0.8 1.78 310 0.6 2.13
122.5 1.4 1.76 320 1.2 2.15
130 4.0 1.51 340 2.4 2.07
140 5.0 1.51 360 3.8 1.49
150 5.0 1.36 380 4.8 1.31
160 4.8 1.21 400 4.9 1.27
170 4.6 1.17 420 4.9 1.32
180 3.6 1.10 440 5.0 1.35
190 3.2 1.09 460 5.0 1.36
200 2.4 1.32 480 4.4 1.29
205 1.5 1.58 500 2.8 1.60
207.5 0.8 1.51 502.8 2.7 1.68
210 0.3 1.40
220 0.0 1.35
230 0.0 1.45
231.1 0.0 1.49

The extreme points are the absolute boundaries for my radio, a few kHz out of those the radio will transmit for a split second and ignore the PTT button. Seems like an unusual situation is detected internally and the CPU stops transmit to protect the radio. There is a temperature sensor, perhaps that's what triggers it. Anyway, at the edges the efficiency is really low, as current consumption is still high with little power actually making its way out of the radio.

4. Antennas. Tried original, Premier RD-98 (17" very thin and flexible) and Diamond SRH805 (1.8" baby-type). The RD-98 improved reception of weak signals, including 800MHz, but didn't improve much transmission. I could hit a local repeater using a tiny bit less power, but for that reason it wouldn't be worth the money and the sometimes inconvenient length. It showed 1:1.2 over 144-148, better than original antenna, but much worse on 440. The original antenna was a better balance between 144 and 440. The tiny SRH805 is really disappointing when compared to the others (no miracle here...), but is good enough to make the radio very small together with a FNB-40H Maha battery, provided you know beforehand that you can achieve the range you need (skiing use).

5. Batteries. I have the Yaesu FNB-41 (9.6V 600mAh) and a Maha FNB-41H (7.2V 650mAh). I like the slim one, without the bulky Maha belt clip, for portability. The radio still puts out 3.6W with it.

6. Power output versus DC voltage. Setting HIPO to 255, I measured the minimum voltage to obtain certain power levels:

F=144MHz F=440MHz
P I E I E
(W) (A) (V) (A) (V)
0.5 0.57 3.6 0.56 3.6
1 0.73 3.9 0.8 4.9
2 1.0 4.9 1.13 5.9
3 1.2 6.0 1.38 7.2
4 1.38 7.0 1.58 8.3
5 1.52 7.8 1.69 9.0
7.5 1.77 9.1 2.03 11.0
10 2.02 11.1

Although you can obtain much more than 5W from the radio, I wouldn't set for more than 6 or 7W, because the radio may overheat and fry during long transmit. I only tested for a couple seconds. The Maha battery, fully charged gives 8.3V during receive, 7.0V during tx, 4W VHF, 3W UHF.

7. Internal settings. Set VFO A to 144, VFO B to 440 (or valid vhf and uhf frqs), turn radio off, hold lamp,ptt and knob pressed while turning the radio on brings up the internal settings menu. Some parameters are set with the rotary knob, others will self-adjust in the presence of a proper external signal. It is advisable to write down the original settings before messing with them. There is a separate set of parameters for the VHF and UHF bands. Selecting VFO B with a UHF frequency while VFO A has 144, powering down and up with the lamp,ptt and knob pressed will bring the UHF set. Settings are only saved if you exit this mode by holding down the knob for a half second. To exit without saving, turn power off.

BAND - shows current country setting (A1 or A2C for U.S.). Can be changed by clicking the knob down quickly and then turning the knob to select A,B,C,D,H,Free bands. IMPORTANT: if you exit by pressing the knob more than 1/2s, all memories (and other settings) will be erased. To preserve them, change the band by turning the knob, tap once on the knob to accept the new band and exit by turning off the radio and back on. This paramenter is only manually changeable if resistor R2048 has been removed!

HSSQ - squelch hysteresis setting, originally was 0, after a factory repair they reset it to 5. Can be set manually with knob. Don't know exactly what it does, from the name should be something related to the level at which the squelch closes (mutes) after being open by a

signal.

THSQ - squelch preset threshold. This is one of the settings that cannot be set manually. If you tap the knob button, it will change very fast depending on the signal at the antenna. At this point you would apply the correct signal to the antenna and tap again on the button to set it. DO NOT TRY TO CHANGE IT! If you get into the setting mode by accident or curiosity, simply turn off the radio and the new setting will not be saved.

TISQ - squelch preset tight - no idea of what it does, but also needs external signal to adjust. Leave it alone.

S1LV - also adjusted by external signal, but this I encourage you to mess with. It sets the signal strenght corresponding to S-1 in the S-level meter. First, tapping on the knob will give you a nice numeric signal strenght meter, great to compare antennas on a distant HT, for instance. Exit without saving and no harm is done. It is easy to find a weak signal on the air, and then by bending my RD-98 antenna get whichever setting I desire. Using the regular antenna you can also obstruct it to get different readings. Or you can make your HT match S1 and S9 of another radio, by finding an appropriate S1 and S9 off the air signals.

S9LV - same as S1LV, for S9 reading
HIPO - high tx power. Can be set manually, and pressing PTT while in set mode actually transmits, making it real easy to achieve a desired power level. Actual settings for different power output will depend on individual radio, but for what's worth here is what mine gave:

F=144MHz F=440MHz
P(W) HIPO uHIPO
0.1 23 19
0.5 41 34
1 57 47
2 84 70
3 108 86
4 130 103
5 149 118
6 163 131
7 147
10 230

L3PO - L3 tx power, similar to HIPO
L2PO - L2 tx power, similar to HIPO
L1PO - L1 tx power, similar to HIPO

In my radio, I use L1PO to 0, and associate it to some memories to prevent me from accidental transmissions.

Here are my original settings. Note that each individual radio would have different settings. This is the modern version of factory-adjusted trimpots.

BAND A2C A2C
HSSQ 0 0
THSQ 132 129
TISQ 77 80
S1LV 116 134
S9LV 208 223

HIPO 142 122
L3PO 98 86
L2PO 52 47
L1PO 16 14

8. Power button. Yaesu has now a lower profile power button that won't turn your radio on by accident every time you put in your briefcase or pocket. Seems like they are mailing it out for free. It is also easy to open the radio, remove the button, cut it right below the top, make another parallel cut 1/8" below and glue the top back on, giving you a lower button with the power inscription as original.

Well, this is enough for 'a couple of notes' :-)

3976. IC-706 Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Teacher@inetone.net
Message-ID: <6e4mvcdka1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150853

The Icom IC-706 I have posted has sold. Thanks.

Mike KG8NV

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3977. Wanted: R-389 VLF Reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSEPH FROUNJIAN <josfro@becnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4c65$1833d5a0$25caaacc@josfro>
Source record: 150854

Looking for an R-389 Reciever.
Thanks!
Joe
KA3OYJ

e-mail josfro@----becnet.com
remove ---- when e-mailing

3978. WANTED COLLINS STATION CONSOLE 312B-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmarce6692@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310235400.SAA04845@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150855

PLEASE CALL STAN WINCHESTER AT 805-324-7286

3979. HTX-212 close-out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6e2q9u$22k@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 150856

I was able to get the very last HTX-212 in Hawaii at RS's close-out price of $69.95. Now that I've got this I can retire my Regency and Heath crystal-control rigs.

Has anyone encountered any design faults or difficulties with this transceiver? One thing I already don't care for is the low power setting: 10W (draws 7A at this "QRP" level); I'd like to get that down to 1W. Examining the schematic I can't seem to find any way of varying the low power setting. Any hints?

Thanks in advance,
Jeff KH2PZ

3980. Re: IC706 Control Program Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw17m62krt8.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 150857

Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com> writes:

> I have been attempting to use the IC706 Control Program authored by John
> Hansen WA0PTV and can not get it to talk to the IC 706. I am using the
> MFJ 5383I level convertor connected to Com 1 on my Toshiba Tecra 720 CDT
> running Win95 and have tried evry combination of port speed and address
> setting for the IC706 MKII that I can think of without sucess.
>
> Has anyone tried this program and have you had sucess with it? It looks
> like a terrific program, allowing you to set modes and memories from the
> keyboard and then down load them to the rig. I just wish I coulkd get it
> to play for me.
>
> The author mentions a file called ICOM.ZIP that allows some freedom to
> choose port settings has anyone seen this file? I have tried to contact
> the author but have been unsucessful.
>
> Joe K3JV

Joe,

This may be idiotic, but have you checked that the 706's CV hex
address is the same one the program expects? You set the 706's CV
address during the default (power up plus lock, I think, don't have my
manual here at work) configuration menu. I'll bet the program assumes
the 706 is set to a specific hex address on the ICOM CV bus (even if
you are using a direct PC->706 cable without the expensive ICOM CV bus
adapter). If the 706 and the program's assumed command destination
address do not agree, the 706 may not listening to commands which it
thinks were issued for some other ICOM radio on a different hex
address on the shared CV bus.

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3981. Re: Request advice on antenna tuner/antenna/power supply for IC-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw167lmkrfm.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 150858

"Jon Meeks" <jmeeks@wwnet.com> writes:

> Marc Clarke wrote in message ...
> >
> >The LDG antenna auto tuner can be had for $210, handles 100 W, and can
> >handle a mis-match SWR of 10:1. Much better deal than any of the ICOM
> >auto-tuners.
> >
>
> Marc,
> I've never heard of LDG, and I have not had much luck locating them in any
> of the catalogs I have.
> Do you have any more info on them?? a URL maybe?
> Thanks
> Jon
> KC8HYU

They advertise routinely in QST. I have not seen them in any of the
standard Ham Radio catalogs (HRO, AES, etc.).

There is brief on-line press release at:

http://206.13.40.11/1996/dec/ldg.html

The full LDG Web site is:

http://www.radix.net/~ldg/

I have the 100 Watt automatic AT-11 tuner kit, which I have not
assembled yet (lack of time, my job keeps interfering with my hobby).
The AT-11 kit is of very high quality. I bought the enclosure as
well. It, too, is very well fabricated. The PC board is very well
fabricated. The directions are very clear. My buddy has the QRP kit
which he has assembled and uses.

LDG's Web site has the assembly manual on line as a PDF document.

QST did a full 5 page review of the LDG, in the January, 1996 issue.

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3982. Re: Band Scope For IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim McGhee <jmcghee@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <3505E210.18E9@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 150859

Hi all,
I have the instructions to convert between a BS-8 and a BS-5. This
might be usefull to figure out how to move either one to the 9Mhz of the
751.
I also have a new BS-5 for sale.

Jim

Dick Flanagan wrote:
>
> Has anyone configured a band scope ("panadapter," not just transmit
> monitor) to work with the IC-751A? I love my Kenwood SM-220 and would like
> a similar capability with my IC-751A.
>
> I am not a good enough engineer to design such a unit, but I can probably
> follow directions if someone else has done the hard part. :)
>
> Thanks for any help or ideas.
>
> 73, Dick
> --
> Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
> Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

3983. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3505E9A3.A22C3E68@erols.com>
Source record: 150860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

George,

That is the crux of my problem. I can only get about 1 to 2 watts out on TUN.
I have gotten info from this post that leads me to go look for a pair of resistors
that get switched into the screen grid circuit in the TUN mode. Then I can get
it back to where the level ought to be. If I had 20W I'd be very happy. It is
apparent that it is sick. Now I'll get it well.

I also located a source for a service manual. A money order is going in tonight's
mailbag from the right coast to the left coast.

For a lot of the rest of the folks; I know how to tune a rig. Been at it a little while,
something around twenty years. I have never had a solid state HF rig. I have
used a few. I prefer my tube finals, Thank You.

Bob
N0DGN/4

+---+
| Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 |
+---+
| Bob Bethman \\\|/// " The absence of a danger |
| N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
| rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
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K2RXY wrote:

> Bob,
> The TUN mode puts out about 20W on my TS-820S. You use it when you
> first
> tune up to set the ALC level. (Switch to TUN, meter to ALC, peak it
> with
> DRIVE, then switch to IP and dip PLATE...still in TUN. Switch to CW,
> meter
> in IP, dip PLATE, meter to RF, max with LOAD, back to IP, dip...repeat
> LOAD
> and PLATE as required for maximum smoke.)

>
> While in TUN, you can adjust any antenna tuner you have in-line for
> min.
> SWR. You can also use the TUN mode for plotting SWR curves for your
> antennae. Otherwise, it's only there for peaking the ALC level.
> (NOTE:
> You may have to back off on the carrier level if the ALC goes off
> scale
> high, which it may do on 40m or 75m; otherwise, mid-scale seems to be
> adequate.)
>
> Hope that helps. (BTW, the Kenwood site has all the service bulletins
> for
> the 820, some of which you may find useful...especially if your
> digital
> display goes haywire when operating on 10 meters!)
>
> 73 DE K2RXY/7
> George
>
> Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com> wrote in article
> <3502B09F.9EED1B5D@erols.com>...
> > I have a Kenwood TS-820S with EXTREMELY low
> > output in the TUN mode. Everything else is working at
> > specs. I get full out put in CW and SSB.
> >
> > How do I adjust the TUN mode?
> >
> > Where is the adjustment?
> >
> > I can't find a service manual, it is out of print and Kenwood
> > apparently either doesn't have one, or is not willing to copy
> > the one thay have as they used to offer.
> >
> > I need to use this TUN mode to initially tune my amplifier
> > so that I don't blow something up or scortch it.
> >
> > Bob Bethman
> > N0DGN/4
> >
> > --+
> > | Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 |
> > +--+
> > | Bob Bethman \\\|/// " The absence of a danger |
> > | N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
> > | rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
> > +----------------------oOOo-(_)-oOOo-------------------------+
> >
> >

3984. WTB: YK88-A Filter for Kenwood TS-430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwbran1@uswest.com
Message-ID: <6e4qh6$g3l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150861

Greetings,

I'm in need of a YK88-A AM Filter to fit into
my TS-430S. Also could use a FM430 board..If you have
such item or items, pls e-mail me at mwbran1@uswest.com
or call me at 612 588-3468 days

Tnx de KA0PWW
Mike Brandt
Minneapolis, Minnesota

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

3985. FS: FT-736, FT-980

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry & Robin Lempicki <lempicki@psych.umass.edu>
Message-ID: <35061271.36E9@psych.umass.edu>
Source record: 150862

Yaseu FT-736R; 2m, 440, 6m. With amps for 2m and 440. Desk mike.
Excellent condition. All for $2050. Will not separate modules now.

Yaseu FT-980 HF all mode 10m-160m. Desk mike. Excellent condition
$750

Shipping not included. Selling to raise money for a vehicle project I
am working on...
--
Gerry KA1STZ Robin KA1YJR

3986. 1296 Transverter wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3505F808.177E@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150863

MMT or DEM transverter wanted... 28 or 144 IF ... let me know what you have and a price... 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

3987. Icom 701

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Trowbridge <jbart@bigsky.net>
Message-ID: <3505f0f5.0@news.bigsky.net>
Source record: 150864
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Eric Trowbridge.vcf

Looking for info or better yet a home page some where that I could take a look at this radio.

Otherwise what features does this radio have, I don't know anything about this rig but I have found one for a reasonable price.

Prefer info from some one that currently is using one, but all comments are welcome.

TX

KC7YGH AKA Eric
JBarT@Logcrafter.com

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Eric Trowbridge.vcf]

end

3988. NCX-5 TCVR ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "F. Nadrowski" <lacvert@sk.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <6e4r6k$6j85@dragon.sk.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 150865

HAS ANYONE SEEN ONE FOR SALE LATELY, AND HOW MUCH ARE THEY WORTH ? WOULD LIKE ONE FOR SENTIMENTAL REASONS.

INFO TO: lacvert@sk.sympatico.ca

thanks Fred

3989. re SB200 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ian McCloy <ian_mccloy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <6e4siqsgf1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 150866

I am in need of a meter for my SB-200, if anyone has
one that is in working condition or nows where I can find a replacement
meter. Please let me know, have an amp but can not put it on the air
without some
kind of meter.
Tnx Ian VE7IRA

3990. WTB: Accessories for T-T 580 Delta

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Redfearn <n4elm@ipass.net>
Message-ID: <3505E5B7.E78ABCE1@ipass.net>
Source record: 150867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Need these for a Ten-Ten 580 Delta HF transceiver:

model 285 - 500 Hz CW crystal filter

29.500 Mhz crystal to add 17 Meters.
36.000 Mhz crystal to add 12 Meters.
(crystals are .001% 30T HC-25/U)

Thanks - Dave.
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Email: n4elm@NOJUNKipass.net (Remove NOJUNK to reply)

3991. FS: Maxon GMRS 210+3 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jc <jcleve@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3505FF3A.18D4@ibm.net>
Source record: 150868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS: Maxon GMRS 210+3 ht. 10 ch, 2 watts on battery, 5 watts
on 12vdc. Built in CTCSS, scan, hi/low power etc. Excellent condition.
Includes battery, charger, ant, 12vdc power cord, both manuals, in
original box. $100 shipped.

Also, I have two Realistic PRS-100's, made by Maxon. 2, ch 1 watt
ht for gmrs. Both include recharable ni-cad battery, charger,
ant. Original box with all documentation. Each in excellent
condition. $45 seperate or $80 for the pair, I pay shipping.

E-mail jcleve@ibm.net

Jon C. <kb4txw>

3992. Looking for older 2-m rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rodney Isom <rodneyi@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6e50tc$42p@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150869

I'm looking for an older (= inexpensive) 2-meter moble rig to use as a packet / base station. Probably won't buy until next month sometime, but anyone who has one they'd like to get rid of please e-mail me.

Rodney Isom
rodneyi@mindspring.com
Birmingham, AL

3993. Re: FS Tek Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Wolke <kc2bog@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e51lf$jbs@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150870

JOON KYONG wrote:
>
> HI All
> I have a for sale
> TEK 475 scope 200MHz $ 350.00 plus shipping
> TEK 465B " 150MHz $ 350.00 with DM 44 plus shipping
> TEK 465 " 150MHz $ 330.00 without DM44 plus shipping
> TEK 465M " 100MHz $ 245.00plus shipping
> Good working codition and without Probes
> 714-778-5151
> Thanks
> Joon
Joon,
To the best of my knowledge, the 465 and 465B are 100MHz, not 150MHz
scopes.
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Alan Wolke, KC2BOG
"i usta cuDn't speL enjinere, noW i ar wuN"

3994. Re: HP & Tektronics Test Equipment Reference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Wolke <kc2bog@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e51p8$jbs@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150871

Denis Sharon wrote:
>
> Can anyone help me locate reference sopurces to identify various HP and
> Tektronics test equipment, mostly older units. I am interested in acquiring
> several items but I need to find out the details of the numerous models
> that were produced over the last 20-30 years that are often advertised
> here.
>
> Please repond via e-mail to DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net
>
> Thanks
>
> --
> Denis Sharon WA2NBU Ridgefield, CT

Denis,
Sometimes the best source of some of this information is with the used
equipment dealers catalogs. Folks like Tucker, Naptech, Test Equity,
etc.
--
Alan Wolke, KC2BOG
"i usta cuDn't speL enjinere, noW i ar wuN"

3995. Re: Can the Tektronix TDS 210 replace an analog scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Wolke <kc2bog@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e51ge$jbs@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150872
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dave,

The answer to your question (above) is a qualified "it depends". The TDS210 is a real nice little scope. It does have sufficient sampling rate to not use equivalent time sampling. In fact, there is no way to make it do anything but "real-time" sampling (unlike the higher end Tek digital realtime scopes which allow you to choose between these sampling modes). You do still have to watch out for aliasing at lower sweep rates, since sample points between display points are decimated, unless you choose "peak detect" mode.

One thing that will be different between the 2215 and the 210 is the re-arm time. Analog scopes have a MUCH faster re-arm time (minimum time between triggered sweeps) than DSO's. The display on the 210 is an LCD, and doesn't have the viewing angle of the analog, and the contrast adjustment is done in steps (not vernier). However, it is very crisp and clear.

The added features that you get with the DSO in terms of automatic measurements, computer interface/control, etc. etc., may outweigh some of the little gotchas with a DSO.

The module that you mention includes FFT, addition measurement options, and GPIB, and serial and parallel ports (may be mistaken on the the other port types besides GPIB). Whether or not it is worth it entirely depends on whether or not you need these features. As for ease of interface and waveform transfer, I can't help you there. I haven't had need to interface this model to an ATS.

Tektronix is really good at providing demo units if you are serious about buying. I'd suggest looking into getting a loaner for a few days and put it through its paces. IMHO, Tek makes great stuff, and the scope is useful for what it is, and you can't beat the size (unless you look at the handhelds).

Dave Martindale wrote:
>
> For many years, I have had a Tektronix 2215 60 MHz analog scope. It
> was my first "real" scope, replacing a Heathkit that was not much better
> than a toy. It has served me well over the years.
>
> But I've been eyeing the TDS 210 since it came out a year and a half
> ago. It seems like it does everything that the 2215 does, and considerably
> more. It's also a quarter the size of the 2215, so it will fit on my
> desk where it will be available for use, rather than stashed in a closet

> to be brought out only when no other instrument will tell me what is
> going on. It has plenty of sampling rate for its bandwidth, so it seems
> that it will never revert to "equivalent time" digital sampling.
>
> So, my question: If I buy a TDS 210, can I get rid of my analog scope
> entirely? Or are there still some things that analog does better?
> (The 2215 is pure analog - no cursors, no character generator for
> on-screen readout, no voltmeter. All measuring is done with the graticule
> and the calibrated B sweep delay knob).
>
> Also, how hard is it to get waveform data out of the scope via the serial
> port on the communications module? I know Tek sells software for this,
> but I also see a programmer's manual listed. Is is practical to read
> out the waveform data using self-written code, say on a Unix machine?
>
> Finally, I see Tek has announced the TDS2MM "measurement module". This
> has the same three interfaces to the outside world as the communications
> module, but also adds FFT analysis and a few other automatic measurements.
> I can't find any detailed information on it on the Web, and the local
> Tek distributor doesn't have the module so I can't just go there and
> read the manual. Does anyone have this module? Does it work well?
> (It's $500 US, so it's a lot of money).
>
> Dave

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Alan Wolke, KC2BOG
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3996. Re: FT-920 Yaesu H.F.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <billc@rust.net>
Message-ID: <6e52h4$811$1@news10.ispnews.com>
Source record: 150873
Cross-posted to: mi.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

These items have been sold.

Bill Crocker

>Yaesu FT-920 H.F. Transceiver
>Yaesu SP-8 Matching Speaker
>MFJ-4035MV Regulated DC Power Supply

3997. Cushcraft ARX-450B tuning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew W. Steger" <n3ntj@erie.net>
Message-ID: <35060A7B.DE90AC16@erie.net>
Source record: 150874

Hello all..
I have a question concerning the tuning of a Cushcraft ARX-450B (440 ringo ranger). I have one constructed and am trying to tune it for repeater use (@ 444.0 MHz). Using some new Belden 9913, good silver teflon connectors, and a Bird Wattmeter (along with a GE 100W UHF Amp), I am trying to determine why my tuning procedure seems to not work. With an output of about 50~65W, and sticking a 300W MFJ dummy load at the end of the coax (L=30'), I get results that I'd suspect..less than about 1W reverse (for a good SWR of less than 1.2:1) across the bandwidth of about 438~450MHz.
When I put inline the antenna which is not close to any metal objects, I am able to measure forward and reverse power and document it in a table. As I keep track of reflected power, I can see a fairly low reverse power @ 438MHz of about 1~2W and calculate SWR.
The ARX-450B seems to have only two methods of tuning. First, there is the tuning stub about 1.5 ft below the top. This short act as a shunt between the top and bottom of the antenna. Sliding this shunt in and out in small increments is how I started to tune the antenna.
After I noticed that I wasn't getting far, I started to also adjust the length of the piece of antenna which is hose clamped at the piece's bottom. Loosening this hose clamp, allows the peice to be moved up and down (effectively shortening and lengthening the antenna).
As I see a low SWR near 438MHz, I shorten the antenna and can see a low SWR appear @ 450MHz.
If I slip the length of the antenna back longer slightly to about where I'd expect 444 MHz to be, I can calculate only about 1.5:1.

Formula: SWR = [1 + ((ref/forward)E+1/2)]/[1-((ref/forward)E+1/2)]

Note: the "E+1/2" means that the parenthesis is raised to the 1/2 power or in other words, it's square root is taken.
Also, I have a Micronta dual band SWR/Power meter which is not exact but is close. My calculations using the forward and reverse power readings from the Bird Wattmeter and the readings from the Micronta SWR/Power meter are very close.

Since I am able to obtain a next to nil reflected power with my dummy load, I am believing that my feedline (which is pretty new) is ok. Putting the meter near my amp and then running my longer feedline to the antenna or putting the meter between the long feedline run and the antenna, I get about the same results.

If anyone can help, please email me: n3ntj@erie.net

Tnx es 73 de Matthew Steger

3998. KENWOOD TS-430S SOLD!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Eckert <jpeckert@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6e51qc$ki4@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Thanks to all that responded

Jon

3999. ARX-450B tuning (con't)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew W. Steger" <n3ntj@erie.net>
Message-ID: <35060E47.62A6143D@erie.net>
Source record: 150876

Also... if I were to graphically show the SWR curves, it would somehow look like an inverted McDonalds golden arches...with 438MHz and 450MHz at minimum and @ 444 MHz up on the middle rise..

Does that help at all? :-)

73 de N3NTJ

4000. Re: IC-735 trap door wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Musselman <chris96@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3506170C.195399BF@concentric.net>
Source record: 150877

You can get it from Icom for a few bucks. They also sell the power plug
that fits the 735 (and most other Japanese HF rigs).

Frank Krozel wrote:
>
> I need a trap door for the 735. Frank KG9H
>
>

4001. Re: WANTED. SCA FM subcarrier receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Musselman <chris96@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35061573.D9CF9C4B@concentric.net>
Source record: 150878

Ramsey Electronics makes a kit for SCA, I believe. It is actually not
that hard to build your own-with an LM565 PLL chip, a few R/C filter
parts and an output transistor. I used to build them to receive ON TV
audio in Chicago about 15-20 years ago.

GREFAR wrote:
>
> I'd like to purchase tune 88-108 MHz FM subcarrier receiver for 67, 92 kHz
> subchannels with audio output signal.
> Grefar@aol.com

4002. Re: Band Scope For IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1003982025310001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150879

Since the BS-8 already comes tuned for 8.8 MHz, it might move with only a crystal change. I wonder if anyone has already done this.

73, Dick

In article <3505E210.18E9@cyberramp.net>, Jim McGhee <jmcghee@cyberramp.net> wrote:

>Hi all,
>I have the instructions to convert between a BS-8 and a BS-5. This
>might be usefull to figure out how to move either one to the 9Mhz of the
>751.
>I also have a new BS-5 for sale.
>
>Jim
>
>Dick Flanagan wrote:
>>
>> Has anyone configured a band scope ("panadapter," not just transmit
>> monitor) to work with the IC-751A? I love my Kenwood SM-220 and would like
>> a similar capability with my IC-751A.
>>
>> I am not a good enough engineer to design such a unit, but I can probably
>> follow directions if someone else has done the hard part. :)
>>
>> Thanks for any help or ideas.
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

4003. need advice: Tempo One "sticky" relay, poor S-meter response on 10m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernest Stracener <ernest@itis.com>
Message-ID: <35062146.176770E5@itis.com>
Source record: 150880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

IF YOU REPLY TO THIS MESSAGE, PLEASE RESPOND DIRECTLY TO ME AT ernest@itis.com

I've got a Henry Radio Tempo One SSB Transceiver, also known as a Yaesu FT-201 with a couple of problems & I'm looking for any good advice on how to best fix the problem (other than shelling out megabucks for a new rig). This is a 1970's vintage tube-type transceiver. Any helpful replies will be greatly appreciated....please reply directly to me at ernest@itis.com.....I'm not very astute when it comes to electronics (but I'm learning more with each problem faced), so please bear with me as I attempt to describe the problem.

1. I'm having an intermittent transmit problem that appears to be caused by a sticky relay or something that keeps the relay from properly closing. When the microphone is keyed and everything works, I hear the three relays closing in synch. When the microphone is keyed and everything doesn't work, I hear a relay close, but the 2 others do not close, occasionally, they will close after a second or two. I've watched the relays while this happens and the trouble seems to be with the "middle" relay...occassionally I'll hear a very faint hiss as the relay tries to close...not a sizzle, no smoke, just a faint, short duration hiss--sometimes the relay will close, sometimes not. I'm wondering if hitting the relay with a shot of contact cleaner might fix whatever is causing it to be sticky or whether I'm focusing on the wrong things here. The relay that seems to be the troublesome one has AE3218 DC12V stamped on it.

2. I'm having a perplexing problem on only the 10m portion of the radio...the S-meter doesn't deflect at all--even on fairly strong signals. On 80m, the meter looks like it is a living thing of its own, showing every heart-beat of the person on the other end (an exaggeration, but perfect operation on 80). The radio had been previously recrystalled by the former owner somewhere in the past to have CB where 10m was supposed to be. I've replaced the crystal and have done a realignment of the RF amplifier per the procedures in the manual and that did help the overall receive level, but the S-meter still does nothing on 10m. Everything else seems to be working fine...so far. I've recently made my first DX contacts & have had a number of really great QSOs with some folks on the east coast as well as locally, so I'm sure that the rest of the rig is functioning (at least most of the time).

Any helpful replies will be greatly appreciated. PLEASE RESPOND DIRECTLY TO ME AT ernest@itis.com

73,
Ernest Stracener, KB9RBZ

4004. FS: Kenwood TH-22ATH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.A." <cadezigns@juno.com>
Message-ID: <3505CED3.871AA04@juno.com>
Source record: 150881

Hello,
I have a Kenwood TH-22AT(H) this the High Power version. I have
the radio, manuals, original boxes, and desktop charger. The batt is
the 5 watt veersion. I am asking $175.00 or your very best offer.
E-mail me if you are interested.

(cadezigns@juno.com)
Thanks for your time
Chris

4005. Re: ts-870 Help!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Worthlin <qrm@uswest.com>
Message-ID: <6e5anq$i7c@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150882

<<<Can anyone help me unlock out-put potential of this unit?

I'm not sure what you mean, but here is one mod for the unit. 73

TS870.mod
Here is your chance to prove how adept you are at microsurgery.
This mod will enable the TS-870S to transmit on MARS, CAP and other
frequencies.
1. REMOVE TOP AND BOTTOM COVERS.
2. REMOVE THE TOP SCREW FROM EACH SIDE OF THE FRONT PANEL
ASSEMBLY.
3. CAREFULLY ROTATE THE FRONT PANEL FORWARD TO GAIN ACCESS TO THE
CONTROL BOARD(X53-3560-11 A/4). THIS BOARD IS MOUNTED VERTICALLY
AGAINST THE BODY OF THE TRANSCEIVER. IT IS NOT THE BOARD THAT
IS MOUNTED IN THE FRONT PANEL ASSEMBLY.
4. LOCATE AND REMOVE RESISTOR R244 FROM THE CONTROL BOARD. R244 is below
IC12 ROM and above IC23. There are two chip resistors, one on
top of the other -carefully remove or break the top one..it is easily
fractured -that's R244.
5. REASSEMBLE AND THEN PERFORM THE CPU RESET BY HOLDING THE A=B
BUTTON DEPRESSED AS POWER IS TURNED ON.

4006. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <p0edAEAbTaB1EwiX@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150883
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

David,

I have to throw in my 2c, I mean 2penneth worth as I have a close
working colleague that has witnessed a GEET processor in operation.
May I make a suggestion. As you're in the country of origin of the GEET,
may I suggest you take your blinkers off, dial-up the GEET.com web-site,
get yourself along to the next open display/lecture in a town near you
and simply observe.
Let's just say I'm intending to order a new Z28 Camaro later in the year
when the retrofitted 350 V8's have been fully sorted and will be
bringing this car back to England via the GEET site in Utah.
A damn long way to drive for something that does'nt work especially as
I'm buying the car in DA.
Tell you what I'll do, to help you off with the blinkers' If after a
personal demonstration you're not totally convinced of the GEET's
ability to live up to the manufacturers claims, and yours, I'll
personally send you $1000.

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e-mail as above.

There you are, take it, or leave your blinkers on.

(((73)))

Phil G4ZOW/M
>Lets get something straight .... water has NO POTENTIAL CHEMICAL ENERGY. Please
>note chemical. If it had potential chemical energy, rivers would explode on
>contact with a miserable cigarette some bridge crosser happened to toss out the
>window of car, or at least flare up. Its also guaranteed that steam in nuclear
>plants or coal installations would ignite in explosions as yet unrivaled. Sure
>there are things that react with water, buts it because the potential lies
>within
>the other chemical, not water! Water is about as stable as you can get for
>generically available chemicals. Many like to point to Chernobyl about how water
>will burn. But they miss the simple fact that the core was so hot, that enough

>energy was available to destructively breakdown water molecules. This in turn
>led
>to hydrogen and oxygen, which upon cooling to a few thousand degrees, ignited
>and
>burned. So it took alot more energy to break it down than it provided on
>recombination.
>
>If you dilute gasoline with water, you have only increased the amount of the
>"mixture" necessary to move the car, cause water DOES NOT EVER BURN. Its nuclear
>potential is out of the question in a car motor, and largely out of question as
>of
>yet even in nuclear physics. Thats even if a modern fuel injected car would run
>at
>all with water, since water sticks together and doesn't dissolve well in
>gasoline,
>it will most likely be the only thing coming down an injector for several
>seconds,
>if one is lucky and fuel comes down at least two or more injectors of other
>cylinders, maybe the engine will run. You can increase moisture content in
>alcohol
>fuels or fuels with alcohol content, but it only reduces power, once again
>requiring either more fuel or that you live with less power.
>
>I guess you view "Chain Reaction"'s energy source as a possible modern energy
>source. Get REAL! Where do you get this stuff???? I guess I'll never know.
>
>David Pearce - KF4MOK
>dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu
>

4007. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6e2d6h$62c@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Icom makes great UHF AND VHF equipment, but fall WAY short in the HF department. Hense the reason KENWOOD and YEASU have a 3 and 4 to 1 in sales on HF gear.

Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com> wrote in article <Pine.GSO.3.96.980309182338.13948B-100000@randomc.com>...
> that's just like kenwood, every time you have a problem with there product
> they don't seem to have parts, get an icom, and through that kenwood
> junk away. i had a kenwood ts 440 once, and i sure was glad to see that
> one go. i am blind, and like icoms service, and there synthesizers.
>
>
> random access internet shell account
> standerd disclaimers apply.
> e-mail dana@randomc.com
>
>

4008. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6e2d0t$62c@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150897
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

wow, another brainless wonder who likes to stick his hand where it don't belong....OH WOW !!!!! GEEPERS...LOOK AT ME. I GET MORE THEN 120 WATTS ON MY RADIO....AND I CAN TALK ON CB TOO.....
sure seems like useless waste of time. If I were in the market for a TS-50, I sure wouldn't buy it from someone who makes modifications, (and brags about it too).

Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net> wrote in article <3504F251.5D56@virgin.net>...
> > The TS50 is also very easy to modify for full HF TX capability, and if
> > using a manual ATU can also be tweaked to deliver much more than 100W on
> > SSB.
>
> > Nathan
>
> Thanks for your helpful comments Nathan. Not sure what you mean by
> full HF TX capability, I assume it already provides 100W on all the
> bands I'm licensed to use. For the time being I'm also quite happy
> with 100W.
>
> I do have a manual ATU myself (SEM Z-Match) but it would have been
> nice to have been able to utilise the Auto-ATU with a coax-fed
> balanced antenna like (say) the G5RV.
>
> Graham Galbraith M0ADR (UK)
>
> (remove no.spam. to reply via email)
>

4009. Re: Yaesu 50RD Extended RX/TX Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: myself <zvanseez@jax-inter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4bd7$849ee6a0$cac162cf@jimbenja>
Source record: 150898

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to reply by e-mail remove the first and last letter "z"

Ralph Forsythe <ralph@hemi.com> wrote in article
<6dpgba$cku@news.hemi.com>...
> I am considering (very seriously) the purchase of a 50RD. One of the
reasons
> is that transmit frequencies can be modified to go to (as much as i've
seen)
> 120MHz on up, including MARS/CAP and a lot more. My question is, can the

> transmit go lower by just a few MHz? I am a pilot and the ability to
transmit
> from, oh say 117MHz up would save me from needing to buy another portable

> radio. I have seen the benefits of having a second battery-powered
aviation HT
> in the plane, and it seems like this would be awesome if I could use the
50RD
> for that as well as working ham while air-mobile. (Especially since a
good
> Icom aviation transceiver runs about $350-$400!)
>
> Thanks and 73's
> Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO
> ralph@contact-paging.com
>
>
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4010. Re: Yaesu 50RD Extended RX/TX Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: myself <zvanseez@jax-inter.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4bd7$b5b17640$cac162cf@jimbenja>
Source record: 150899

the ft-50 will only transmit fm. aircraft is am. sorry, no way .never
happen.
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to reply by e-mail remove the first and last letter "z"

Ralph Forsythe <ralph@hemi.com> wrote in article
<6dpgba$cku@news.hemi.com>...
> I am considering (very seriously) the purchase of a 50RD. One of the
reasons
> is that transmit frequencies can be modified to go to (as much as i've
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> transmit go lower by just a few MHz? I am a pilot and the ability to
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> from, oh say 117MHz up would save me from needing to buy another portable

> radio. I have seen the benefits of having a second battery-powered
aviation HT
> in the plane, and it seems like this would be awesome if I could use the
50RD
> for that as well as working ham while air-mobile. (Especially since a
good
> Icom aviation transceiver runs about $350-$400!)
>
> Thanks and 73's
> Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO
> ralph@contact-paging.com
>
>

4011. Yaesu FT-207R Mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tahoefranz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310051901.AAA12143@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150900

I know it's an old one. Was wondering if there are any mods for this thing.

Thanks in advance.

Franz in Tahoe
Tahoefranz@aol.com

4012. Re: AM Transmitter from 540 to 1710kHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jon@halls.com
Message-ID: <3504cbc2.172399417@news.cstone.net>
Source record: 150901

On 10 Mar 1998 03:43:31 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:

>Just saw this ad posted on a swap site. Have I missed a change in the law,
>is there actually a legal use for such a device?
>Has the broadcast band been opened up for low level unlicensed
>broadcasters? 73, DavidC AA1FA
>
>Al Ortiz...Worcester..Ma..USA..Monday, March 09, 1998
>Subject: Wanted - AM Transmitter
>Listing (#10.0309)
>Wanted - AM Transmitter tunable from 540 to 1710kHz, for broadcasting up to
>10 miles in diameter.
>Please E-Mail with Description, Price, Terms, ETC.
>E-MAIL alortiz@compuserve.com

NO! Except for carrier current at colleges and 100mW with a 10'
antenna. Also, larger college campuses CAN legally radiate an open
air signal on AM SO LONG AS THE SIGNAL IS ATTENUATED to legal field
intensities (in part 73) in areas that are off of the campus. There
are probably a few RARE schools that have very large campuses that may
radiate a few Watts 'open air' legally w/o a license.

Best Wishes,

Jon Hall
WB4MMV

4013. Re: FS: MFJ 1270B TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrerlewe@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6e2je3$ji7$1@techsrv1.tech>
Source record: 150902
Cross-posted to:
mtu.forsale,mtu.computer.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Still have the following for sale:

Joseph (jrerlewe@mtu.edu) wrote:
:
: The Husky Amateur Radio Club is offering for sale 1 (one)
: MFJ 1270B TNC-2. This TNC allows operation of both HF and VHF packet at
: 300baud and 1200baud.
:
: Items included:
: -power connector with molded attached cable (new)
: -Manual.
: -Fast-Start guide.
: -Box
:
: We are asking $60, OR BEST OFFER, for the unit. It is in fine working
: order and has served us well for years. The only reason we are selling it
: is that the 1270B has an internal delay in KISS mode only. So if you are
: the SYSOP of a BBS that runs on your computer, it may be a slow TNC for
: you. In normal packet operation it works fine. Only in the KISS mode does
: it have this delay.
:
: If you are interested, Please reply via email to jrerlewe@mtu.edu
: or call (906)-487-4151 and ask for me, Joe.
:
: Thanks, 73,
: Joe N8OUZ
: --
: Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
: http://radiolink.net/n8ouz
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Joseph R. Erlewein, N8OUZ
http://radiolink.net/n8ouz

4014. WTB: TSU8 decode board for KW TM733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbest@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6e2joj$90h@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150903

Still looking for the TSU8 decode board for my Kenwood TM733.

Contact
jbest@worldnet.att.net

4015. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6e2lfgfri2@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 150904
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-03-09 nrgrebel@hotmail.com said:
nr>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
nr>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
nr>In article <34FA34BC.78A8@eos.ncsu.edu>,
nr>dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu wrote:
nr>> And I quote from the GEET page:
nr>> "... some of the mixtures were done with mixtures with as much as
nr>>80% water."
nr>> I wonder if anyone will ever realize that as much energy as is
nr>>derived from burning hydrogen and oxygen, it takes even more to
nr>>separate it. There never will be any magical way to do it with
nr>>minute amounts of power, or you would be tripping up physics as
nr>we know it. >
nr>David,
nr>Perhaps you don't understand how the GEET works. It is not using
nr>electrolysis to split the water and use it. You simply run it in
nr>the tank like gasoline. Even if the mileage would go down, (it
nr>should actually increase) it would still be acceptable as water is
nr>still essentially free. -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in
nr>Internet Discussion ==----- http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering
nr>spam-free web-based newsreading

David - don't bother - you won't win. We physicists have been wrong
since Ptolemy.

Bill
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Laudator temporis acti: 'Me puero...'

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

4016. Re: FS Kenwood Station Monitor SM220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim McGhee <jmcghee@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <3504E26C.406F@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 150905

Hi,
I have a BS-5 if you're interested.

Jim

W8IRQ wrote:
>
> hi: which panadaptor do you have, bs8, or bs5? also, what condx
> is it in?
> tnx nick
>
> w8irq@juno.com

4017. MFJ-9406

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BK <bk42047@swt.edu>
Message-ID: <3504DE86.E251ED9E@swt.edu>
Source record: 150906
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I am new to the world of ham radio, just got my tech license 3 weeks ago, and was wondering if anyone could provide me with some information about the mfj-9406 six meter radio. Is this a good radio for the price? ($249) How does it perform? Is there any known problems with it? I am very inexperienced, is this a good radio for a beginner on six? I have also thought about the tentec 2m to 6m transverter. Would this be a better option? I have only an fm 2m rig, so I would only be able to use 6 fm. Does this tranverter allow repeater operation? with correct offsets and sub audible tones? What about an antenna? My neighborhood doesn't allow radio towers, but I could put a small pole in the air, like those used for tv antennas. What would be best in this situation? a 6m loop? A small light weight beam on a tv rotator like the mfj-1762 6m beam? A dipole? Thank you in advance for any information.

73's

Brian KD5GDV (EL29)

4018. MFJ-9406

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BK <bk42047@swt.edu>
Message-ID: <3504DEB6.A9A9BDBC@swt.edu>
Source record: 150907
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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Brian KD5GDV (EL29)

4019. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron N6AHA <ronc@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4bf0$ac57a060$68e7c9d0@ron1>
Source record: 150908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good! Now we know where to send the FCC on their next raid!

radman <rcgoodman@mindspring.com> wrote in article
<3501ea54.392913@news.mindspring.com>...
> thay are available at http://www.mindspring.com/~worldwave
>

4020. Problem w/ FT8500 Remote Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiEpLCqt.Dt7@netcom.com>
Source record: 150909

I have an FT-8500 with the remote kit. If I don't use the remote kit and attach the control head directly to the radio, everything works fine. If I use the remote kit cable, everything works *EXCEPT* pressing the knob on the control face. The initial press will power the radio on, but then any additional presses will key up the transmitter (yes, very odd!).

When the control head is directly on the radio, a momentary press will toggle the main band, and a longer press will power off the radio.

I tested the remote cable, and none of the pins are shorted and each connection works fine (but has 2-3 ohms of resistance).

Does anyone have any ideas?

Stephen

p.s. This problem occurs with both the FS-10 Smart Controller and MH-39 DTMF microphone. I used the ADMS S/W to program the radio. I have not tried resetting the radio.

4021. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <li4CVDAYRPB1Ew2U@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150910
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <6e2d0t$62c@newsops.execpc.com>, gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
writes

<snip bit about modified TS-50>

>wow, another brainless wonder who likes to stick his hand where it don't
>belong....

Wow another "radio amateur" who beleives that black boxes shouldn't be
modified. Listen jerk, if the guy wants to modify his gear to make it do
what he wants, thats more to do with amateur radio than simply buying it
and using it to rag chew!

>OH WOW !!!!! GEEPERS...LOOK AT ME. I GET MORE THEN 120 WATTS ON
>MY RADIO....AND I CAN TALK ON CB TOO......

Why on earth do you assume that he wants to use it on CB? Maybe he uses
it as a tuneable IF (look it up) for transverting to another band.

>sure seems like useless waste of time. If I were in the market for a TS-50,
>I sure wouldn't buy it from someone who makes modifications, (and brags
>about it too).

Yeah right, and I wouldn't care less as long as the mod was documented
and done properly.!

Regards

--
paul G8IZR

4022. FS Icom 481H 440 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Teacher@inetone.net
Message-ID: <6e364v$93b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150911

Like new. Used very little and never mobile. Non-Smoker. Box, manual, mike.
$400 +shipping
73
Mike KG8NV

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4023. Kenwood TH-26e

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avatar <l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980310094520.13716B-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 150912

I'm looking for the manual and/or specifications of this handheld or
someone who has one and can tell me more about it.

I'm willing to pay for the copies and mail.

73

---------- [Avatar] --- l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt ------------------
Electronics & Telecomunications - IST - Portugal
http://camoes.rnl.ist.utl.pt/~amlm CB:Buraco Negro (27.085MHz)
-------- Gestor da mailing list de anedotas em portugues ---------

4024. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <3505809E.5033@virgin.net>
Source record: 150913
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

&NM7U wrote:
> > One man's fault is another man's feature. Consider that if you're using an
> external antenna tuner or tunable mobile antenna, you might want to be able to
> easily get a carrier to
> tune on. This "fault" provides that "feature". If you're using CW, insert
> a key.

Indeed, my original query wondered whether this was in fact supposed to
be happening, but the answer is no, you can get a carrier in CW mode by
pressing PTT if there is no key inserted. As you rightly say the same
could be achieved on this radio just by switching to CW, but the
problem is that merely selecting a memory which has CW programmed as the
mode causes the radio to go into TX, a bit dangerous.

Graham Galbraith M0ADR.

(remove no.spam. to reply via email).

4025. Re: Ham Radio For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stockton <david_stockton@hp.com>
Message-ID: <3505204A.2F86@hp.com>
Source record: 150914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,alt.radio.uk

Jim Dunnett wrote:
>
> <david_stockton@hp.com> wrote:
> > Dick knows that I keep my riding hats and sticks in the back of my
> >car, so I'd better reassure him that I won't take your suggestion too
> >literally.
> > > Cheers
> > > David (as a Dunfermline resident I liked the
> > > Carnegie quotation...)
>
> One of those horsey types eh? I have an aunt living in
> Dunfermline - Wedderburn Street.

Founder member of the local riding club..

At the G-QRP October get-together one year, on the Friday setup day, the usual bunch went out for a pub lunch. Dick and Sheldon were in the back of my Discovery, and spotted a couple of riding sticks. Let's just say that there was a bit of a wind-up as a result, but I managed to divert it into shep jokes..

Cheers
David GM4ZNX

4026. FS 2 meter mobiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4c1d$8ab7b620$23f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 150915

i have the following 2 meter mobiles for sale:::

Radio Shack HTX 212 45 watt mobile,with the following..
box, manual, mic,mobile bracket
price 175.00 shipped

Radio Shack HTX 242 latest model, with the following
mic ,manual.....no mounting bracket
price 175.00 shipped

both units in very good condition..never mobile

monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

4027. FS: AEA PK-232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4c1d$b504dfc0$23f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 150916

i have a nice pk232 multimode tnc with manual
price 90.00 shipped

monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

4028. Re: looking 4 your old neglected 2M cw/ssb rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Simmons <kk5rh@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35053A3A.AE0E6E3C@flash.net>
Source record: 150917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have a KLM Multi 2700 it works, have copy of manual & schematics. $225
Ken Simmons K5UHF (ex kk5rh)

Jason Baack wrote:

> Greetings all,
> looking for that ole 2 meter ssb /cw rig that you have up on that shelf in the
> closet.. or maybe under the bench in a old box.
>
> Working or near working condition is ok.
> Low output power is ok.
> Analog display is ok.
> Transverters are ok as well.
>
> Crap is NOT ok.
>
> tell me what you have.
>
> Jason n1rwy
> fn54no
> baack@maine.edu

4029. WTB: FT-757GXII Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <6e3eq7$sa@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150918

I am looking for an original or copy of the service manual for the Yaesu
FT-757GX II (note the 'II' model not the original GX).

73,
Robert, N2JTX
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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
****

4030. WTB. DRAKE R4245 RECEIVER,& YAESU QTR-24D WORLD CLOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: joseph@comcen.com.au
Message-ID: <joseph-1003982349280001@modem013.ts522.comcen.com.au>
Source record: 150919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,

Buyer is interested in the Drake R4245 Receiver. Must be in very good condition. Any information on the whereabouts of this radio would be appreciated. Please e-mail any information. Thanks.

Also interested in the Yaesu QTR-24D Analogue type world clock of the mid-80's. Must be in mint condition.

Also WTB, book from TAB by Cornell Drentea, 1982."RADIO COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVERS." Please e-mail. Thanks

4031. ??PRC10??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Canalini <al.cana@iol.it>
Message-ID: <6e3fei$30d@mikasa.iol.it>
Source record: 150920
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

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ITALIANO ----------
Possiedo 2 vecchi RTX militari (credo siano PRC10). Sono circa della
grandezza di un CB e sono a valvole. Qualcuno riesce a darmi qualche altra
infomazione su di essi (schema elettrico, alimentazione, gamma di
ricezione-trasmissione ecc.) Gradirei anche sapere se, in Italia, c'e'
qualcuno a cui posso rivolgermi per ulteriori informazioni.
Grazie
IK4PKL Alessandro
E-Mail
al.cana@iol.it
al.cana@usa.net

ENGLISH ----------
I have 2 old military RTX (PRC10 i think). They are around of the greatness
of a CB and inside there are some valves. Is anybody able to give me any
other information of them (electric scheme, power supply requirements, range
of RX-TX etc.)? I would appreciate also know if, in Italy, there are anybody
to which I could turn me for further information.
Thank you
IK4PKL Alessandro
E-Mail
al.cana@iol.it
al.cana@usa.net

4032. SONY ICF2010: replacing front-end FET 2SK152

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: glv@idirect.com
Message-ID: <350545c8.2071882@meganews.idirect.com>
Source record: 150921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

I am looking for the BEST or BETTER substitute for the 2SK152 FET in the front-end of my SONY ICF 2010 shortwave radio. It must be low-noise and broadband (.1 to 30 MHz).

From the SONY ICF2010 FAQ file:

"Transistor Q303 in the front-end of the Sony ICF-2010 is easily damaged by static electricity."

"The popular MPF-102 transistor, available at Radio Shack, is a suitable replacement, as are several other N channel JFETs (Sony used a 2SK152, not widely available, and rather pricey, in the U.S.A.)"

4033. Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980310091638.18731D-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 150922

Hmmmm, I wonder.... Just WHAT does this have to do with radio?

Tech@DP.NET

On Mon, 9 Mar 1998, it was written:

> Date: Mon, 09 Mar 1998 11:08:10 PST
> From: connie
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440
>
> I saw you looking up
> my daughter's skirt you
> dirty fucking bastard!!
> What did you think you were doing beating your filthy FFUCKKING
> COCK like that,you're disgusting,just for that
> you piece of shit fucking slave,we are going to piss on
> your cock and since you like watching her change her tampon so much
> maybe will shove it up your ass!! I think we should
> FUCK the ever living shit out of you,you son-of-a-bitch!
> We're gonna suck the FFUCCKING Sperm from your Sac!!
> Call us at home Anytime!! 1-664-410-4440
> Cum to my site to see our pix!!
> Ladies are also welcome for erotic conversation!!
> http://www.webspawner.com/users/starr
>
> If you're not in Iowa
> ld rates may apply
> We'd like to hear from anyone from other countries!!
> Must be 18

4034. Best phone interconnect/autopatch?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lab Assistant1 <labasst1@prism1.gatech1.edu1>
Message-ID: <350561B0.5EDC@prism1.gatech1.edu1>
Source record: 150923

I am looking for recommendations for a personal simplex phone
autopatch/interconnects. The only two I can find are the CES 4700VP
and the CSI CS-900. What can you tell me about them and are their other
compariable products out there? The CSI costs about twice as much as
the CES model, is there a good reason for that?
please reply to:
gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove one's)
73
Eddie, KS4TY

4035. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <350551AF.726F148C@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150924
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> David,
> Perhaps you don't understand how the GEET works. It is not using electrolysis
> to split the water and use it. You simply run it in the tank like gasoline.
> Even if the mileage would go down, (it should actually increase) it would
> still be acceptable as water is still essentially free.

How the heck???????????

NOT!!!!!!!!!

Lets get something straight .... water has NO POTENTIAL CHEMICAL ENERGY. Please note chemical. If it had potential chemical energy, rivers would explode on contact with a miserable cigarette some bridge crosser happened to toss out the window of car, or at least flare up. Its also guaranteed that steam in nuclear plants or coal installations would ignite in explosions as yet unrivaled. Sure there are things that react with water, buts it because the potential lies within the other chemical, not water! Water is about as stable as you can get for generically available chemicals. Many like to point to Chernobyl about how water will burn. But they miss the simple fact that the core was so hot, that enough energy was available to destructively breakdown water molecules. This in turn led to hydrogen and oxygen, which upon cooling to a few thousand degrees, ignited and burned. So it took alot more energy to break it down than it provided on recombination.

If you dilute gasoline with water, you have only increased the amount of the "mixture" necessary to move the car, cause water DOES NOT EVER BURN. Its nuclear potential is out of the question in a car motor, and largely out of question as of yet even in nuclear physics. Thats even if a modern fuel injected car would run at all with water, since water sticks together and doesn't dissolve well in gasoline, it will most likely be the only thing coming down an injector for several seconds, if one is lucky and fuel comes down at least two or more injectors of other cylinders, maybe the engine will run. You can increase moisture content in alcohol fuels or fuels with alcohol content, but it only reduces power, once again requiring either more fuel or that you live with less power.

I guess you view "Chain Reaction"'s energy source as a possible modern energy source. Get REAL! Where do you get this stuff???? I guess I'll never know.

David Pearce - KF4MOK
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

4036. 1962 and 1963 Radio Shack Catalogues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <3505685b.5294339@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Nice Radio Shack Catalogues for 1962 and 1963. Seven Stores
in 1962 and nine stores in 1963. Watch 'em grow, these folks are on
the move!! Everything from motor scooters to musical instruments to

ham gear. $25 each plus postage.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

4037. WTB: dead Azden PCS-4000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bea and Marvin Jones <jonz@rmi._nospam_.net>
Message-ID: <6e3tiriic2@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 150926

I'm looking for a dead Azden PCS-4000 to attempt
to get parts to put mine back in operation.
Reply via email to limit the clutter in the ng.
Note the anti-spam hack in the address.

tnx es 73
Jonesy W3DHJ

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SK

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Marvin Jones jonz<AT>rmi.net
Gunnison, Colorado

4038. Re: MFJ-9406

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LHS <LHSudduth@att.net>
Message-ID: <6e3u75$p6v@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150927
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I've had no experience with the MFJ-9406 but understand that it is a pretty good radio considering the price. I have had experience with the Ten-Tec 2m-6m transverter and can say that is is VERY good. I built the kit version that cost $95 and would say that the assembled version at $165 has to be a bargain. Advantages: operates any mode that your 2 meter radio operates. Disadvantages: operates any mode that your 2 meter radio operates - if your 2m is fm only then you get fm only out of the transverter, and for 6m you really want sideband capabilities. I am using my transverter with an all mode Yaesu 2 meter (FT-290RII) and it works like a champ. If you should buy the transverter you MUST keep one thing in mind: KEEP THE INPUT POWER TO THE TRANSVERTER AT 5 WATTS OR LESS, otherwise you can damage the transverter.

Overall, I am very satisfied with the Ten-Tec transverter and would recommend it to someone that wanted to get a taste of 6 meters but had only 2 meter equipment and needed to spend as little money as possible to get on 6.

73 Lawernce K5LHS

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73's

Brian KD5GDV (EL29)

4039. Re: MFJ-9406

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LHS <LHSudduth@att.net>
Message-ID: <6e3uti$s3k@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150928
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I failed to address your other points.

(1) use of the transverter with repeaters is no problem. Set your offsets on 2 meters to the 6 meter offset rather than the common 600k 2 meter offset. Pl tones go through just like on 2 meters. If your 6 meter repeater needs a 110.9 tone, just set your 2 meter rig for a 110.9 tone or whatever is required.
(2) antennas - I have a AEA 6 meter loop that I use and it works good, but it is horizontally polarized, and thus works best for sideband (sideband antennas normally are horizontal, fm are vertically polarized). Don't know about MFJ antenna but would have no reason to think that it would not be a good antenna, but again, if you are on fm you should mount it vertical, ssb go horizontal. Also, if you are fm only you might try a 6 meter J-pole that you can buy commercially or make one yourself.

73 Lawrence K5LHS
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73's

Brian KD5GDV (EL29)

4040. Need schematic for Gemtronics radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lilrob@liltech.com
Message-ID: <35058804.4878464@news.connectnet.com>
Source record: 150929

Hello.

I need a schematic/user's manual for the Gem Marine Products
"Gemtronics" marine band radio Model GT-25.

I appreciate any help!

--Lillian.
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Lillian Roberts--Technical Writing
http://www.liltech.com

4041. Manual and Schematic for VHF Engineering repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: CDMARTIN@ARTSU1.uwaterloo.ca
Message-ID: <6e3t2g$d6k_001@watstar.uwaterloo.ca>
Source record: 150930

I am looking for the manuals and schematics for the following repeater.

VHF Engineering
Model# RPT432
Serial# 198

VHF Engineering is/was a Div. of Brownian Electronic Corp.

4042. FORSALE/TRADE TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Daniel Bell KC4OXP" <kc4oxp@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6e412q$1o3$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 150931
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,atl.forsale,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Thank to those that have already replied. I have now lowered the price of the NEW TS-570D. I will sell the TS-570D for $1,085.00 + Shipping OR will TRADE for a ICOM IC-756 plus some $$ too boot. If you are interested email me at kc4oxp@flash.net The TS-570D is NEW as of March 07, 1998 FULL ONE YEAR WARRANTY!

73 Daniel KC4OXP

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J. Daniel Bell, Jr. KC4OXP
$13.95/Month* Internet Service
Independent FlashNet Distributor
http://www.flash.net/~kc4oxp/index.html
*One Year PrePaid @ $167.40 Other Plans Available!

4043. maggiorie repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980310134857.9346A-100000@klingon>
Source record: 150932

Hey guys, do any of you have a maggiorie repeater model r1 on the air. I am looking for opinions mainly for a friend of mine who is thinking about one. He is thinking about it quite seriously. Any input would be appreciated. Tnx and 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

4044. FS Kenwood 4100a dual bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310194001.OAA24516@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150933

Kenwood 4100a dual bander.needs kenwood mike and bracket.includes manual.
excellent condition.$225. kb2vx Rob qin2@aol.com

4045. Quantum ham battery FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310194401.OAA29062@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150934

Quantum ham battery.no accesories.$20 kb2vx Rob qin@aol.com 516 486 1861

4046. AOR communications receiver #2002

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310194701.OAA25357@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150935

AOR communications receiver #2002. no manual.25-550 and 800-1300Mhz $60
kb2vx qin2@aol.com 516 486 1861.

4047. Kenwood ts-440 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310195101.OAA25892@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150936

Kenwood ts-440s ,mike,manual,excellent condition $600. kb2vx qin2@aol.com
Rob 516 486 1861.

4048. FS Kenwood ts-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310195301.OAA00413@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150937

Kenwood ts-50 mike manual mike bracket box very good condition $675.kb2vx
qin2@aol.com Rob 516 486 1861

4049. Re: maggiorie repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6e45kg$903@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 150938

In article <Pine.SUN.3.96.980310134857.9346A-100000@klingon>, jbarton@ici.net says...
>
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>one. He is thinking about it quite seriously. Any input would be
>appreciated. Tnx and 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

No experience with that particular model, but one local club that I used to be a member of has a Maggiore Mi-Pro Mark II controller on their old GE Mastr-II repeater, and it has given YEARS of trouble-free service and is still in use as a hot backup machine. Excellent performance and high reliability. It's a simple controller without all of the voice crap and other bells 'n whistles, but it does the important jobs, like staying on the air when the new-fangled computer whiz-bang machines are down!

Dean, K5DH

4050. Re: Help!! Need info on TS-820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: K2RXY <k2rxy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e46uh$24l@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Bob,
The TUN mode puts out about 20W on my TS-820S. You use it when you first tune up to set the ALC level. (Switch to TUN, meter to ALC, peak it with DRIVE, then switch to IP and dip PLATE...still in TUN. Switch to CW, meter in IP, dip PLATE, meter to RF, max with LOAD, back to IP, dip...repeat LOAD and PLATE as required for maximum smoke.)

While in TUN, you can adjust any antenna tuner you have in-line for min. SWR. You can also use the TUN mode for plotting SWR curves for your antennae. Otherwise, it's only there for peaking the ALC level. (NOTE: You may have to back off on the carrier level if the ALC goes off scale high, which it may do on 40m or 75m; otherwise, mid-scale seems to be adequate.)

Hope that helps. (BTW, the Kenwood site has all the service bulletins for the 820, some of which you may find useful...especially if your digital display goes haywire when operating on 10 meters!)

73 DE K2RXY/7
George

Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com> wrote in article
<3502B09F.9EED1B5D@erols.com>...
> I have a Kenwood TS-820S with EXTREMELY low
> output in the TUN mode. Everything else is working at
> specs. I get full out put in CW and SSB.
>
> How do I adjust the TUN mode?
>
> Where is the adjustment?
>
> I can't find a service manual, it is out of print and Kenwood
> apparently either doesn't have one, or is not willing to copy
> the one thay have as they used to offer.
>
> I need to use this TUN mode to initially tune my amplifier
> so that I don't blow something up or scortch it.
>
> Bob Bethman
> N0DGN/4
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> --+
> | Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 |
> +--+

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> | Bob Bethman \\\|/// " The absence of a danger |
> | N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // signal does *NOT* mean |
> | rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) that everything is OK " |
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4051. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@nospam.itl.net>
Message-ID: <3506080B.69C544CA@nospam.itl.net>
Source record: 150940
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Graham Galbraith wrote:

> Since you've obviously done the job before yourself can I ask if
> there is any 'trick' method for getting at the board on which the
> socket is mounted, as I had a preliminary look at it tonight and
> it is buried three deep inside the rear heatsink, it looks a real
> nightmare job to get at.
>

Yes it is a little B...d to get at, better contact ur local Kenwood
dealer who will replace the skt and supply you with the CORRECT 3.5mm
plug.

> Secondly, the socket looks unusually complex with a second set of
> contacts in it (according to the diagram) and I doubt that I can
> just buy one off the shelf, so where do you get them from,

Ur local Kenwood dealer

>
> What exactly is the 'wrong' jack plug to plug in? Surely all 3.5mm
> jack plugs are physically very similar? I would hate to replace
> the socket only to wreck it again.

similar! but not the same, there are several variations. agn ur local
Kenwood dealer will have the correct one.
Geoff GJ4ICD:

4052. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@nospam.itl.net>
Message-ID: <35060C1D.E16B11EE@nospam.itl.net>
Source record: 150941
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

paul wrote:

>
> <snip bit about modified TS-50>
>
> Yeah right, and I wouldn't care less as long as the mod was documented
> and done properly.!
>
> Regards
>
> --
> paul G8IZR

Well! by increasing the power to the level quoted earlier in the thread
the IP's will be CRAP, you will have a big, wide, crap, signal.The radio
is designed to run at 100 w pep, not 120 or 150 even if the PA devices
will produce this power level.
As for wideband tx there is no need to do this to use the radio as an
IF, modify the Transverter to have an IF already available on the Radio!
Modifying the radio for w/b tx can cause serious problems like
confiscation by the R.A, (check Radio Active Magazine, March 1998)
Finally, for those smart A.....d guys out there who have modified their
radio's for W/B TX just think! In several cases that I have seen the
bandpass filter network will not stand 100w on the wrong frequency,
either the filter network burns up, or in the case of Icom Radio's the
PA's blow, and that will cost you dearly!
My answer is don't even THINK about it.

4053. Cavities needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: RDK <rdk@a.crl.com>
Message-ID: <3505A3A9.6B44@a.crl.com>
Source record: 150942

our radio club is putting up another repeater on 2 meters. we are in need of cavities. new or used. please contact rdk@a.crl.com if you have information. Thanks in advance.... were located in Northern California.

73

4054. FS: DG-5 digital readout for TS-520 - $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35059FA9.39E8@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150943

VG condition. +COD from Boston or can arrange meeting.

Steve Ross, N1IBS

4055. FS:Yaesu FT-767gx with 2 & 6 meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e44ng$7mt$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150944

Ex. cond. FT-767gx. Has the 2 & 6 meter boards, matching SP-767 speaker with filters, MD-1a desk mic, FRB-757 relay box, and both the service & owners manual.Price is $1400.00 FIRM + shipping.

For more info,call me at (530)241-0843

73's
Stan KF6IKC

4056. IC706 Control Program Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <3504D96E.BAC5CE4A@voicenet.com>
Source record: 150981

I have been attempting to use the IC706 Control Program authored by John Hansen WA0PTV and can not get it to talk to the IC 706. I am using the MFJ 5383I level convertor connected to Com 1 on my Toshiba Tecra 720 CDT running Win95 and have tried evry combination of port speed and address setting for the IC706 MKII that I can think of without sucess.

Has anyone tried this program and have you had sucess with it? It looks like a terrific program, allowing you to set modes and memories from the keyboard and then down load them to the rig. I just wish I coulkd get it to play for me.

The author mentions a file called ICOM.ZIP that allows some freedom to choose port settings has anyone seen this file? I have tried to contact the author but have been unsucessful.

Joe K3JV

4057. Re: Info requested: TenTec 1253 9-band shortwave receiver kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310011600.UAA26743@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150982

I'm interested in it too. Unfortunately right now Ten Tec is back ordered 3 weeks on them. Please tell us your experience with this kit.

73,
K-K

4058. FS Kenwood TS711 all mode 2 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <3504DA9D.834D8AD3@voicenet.com>
Source record: 150983

I have a Kenwood TS 711 for sale in great condition. If your looking
for a all mode 2 meter base radio for a satelite work this will do the
trick. I will sell rig with manual for $500.00 and will consider an
offer.
Contact me via e-mail at: jvilardo@voicenet.com or phone day time at
610-429-1514 night time at 610-429-1297.

Joe Vilardo
K3JV

4059. Wavetek Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e24k7$p76@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150984

Hi All
I have a for sale Wavetek signal generator
Good working codition
Model : 3000-200
Frequency : 1 - 520 MHz, .001%
$ 450.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

4060. FS Kenwood Station Monitor SM220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <3504DB72.430A9B39@voicenet.com>
Source record: 150985

I have a Kenwood Station Monitor model SM220 with Pan adapter for viewing received spectrum for sale. It is in excellent condition and will sell to the first offer over $250.00 I will pay shipping via federal express upon receipt of money order or bank check.

Joe
K3JV

4061. looking 4 your old neglected 2M cw/ssb rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <6e26lm$1ggm$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 150986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Greetings all,
looking for that ole 2 meter ssb /cw rig that you have up on that shelf in the closet.. or maybe under the bench in a old box.

Working or near working condition is ok.
Low output power is ok.
Analog display is ok.
Transverters are ok as well.

Crap is NOT ok.

tell me what you have.

Jason n1rwy
fn54no
baack@maine.edu

4062. Can anyone help with strange MCX1000 problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ifr@dlcwest.com
Message-ID: <350695ac.201794836@news.dlcwest.com>
Source record: 150987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

When I try to read the codeplug, the software reports "Busy Line Locked". RIB and other software work ok on the other radios. I've tried another cable, AND another RIB with same results, along with 3 different versions of software. AARGHHHH !!! Is it possible to jumper this line internally, off the mic connector, to cause this problem?

73 de Garnet, VE5ARC

Webmaster: Moose Jaw Amateur Radio Club - Chartered 1921
http://www.dlcwest.com/~ifr/
73 de ifr@dlcwest.com

4063. Re: FS Kenwood Station Monitor SM220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: w8irq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310024900.VAA10300@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150988

hi: which panadaptor do you have, bs8, or bs5? also, what condx
is it in?
tnx nick

w8irq@juno.com

4064. [WANT] DOS/Windows 95/NT s/w for Yaesu FIF-232C and FT-900/CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott@mit.edu
Message-ID: <6e28p9$78m@senator-bedfellow.MIT.EDU>
Source record: 150989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

As the Subject says, I am looking for any software programs for a DOS, Windows 95, and/or Windows NT system to work with my Yaesu FT-900/CAT and FIF-232C computer interface.

Thanks much in advance.

Scott Ehrlich
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Email: scott@mit.edu

4065. Re: Help: Kenwood TM-731A unstable in HI pwr mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4bd1$d3b2cb40$5e0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 150990

Would you please explain in details ??

73

Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net> wrote in article
<3503F3E2.7C3F@onramp.net>...
> Nelson wrote:
> >
> > I hv similiar problem in my TM-732A. I found that it happen in HI power
> > while the HT is warm up.
> > The power will drop off / on continuesly even you press the PTT without
> > release (i.e. like flashing on/off transmit power). In the rear of the
HT,
> > the cool fan cannot work. but it only work if you change to Medium
power
> > (Thats mean that the cool fan will resume normal after Medium Power
> > transmit a while). Does anyone can help me to solve this problem ?
> >
> > david lee <ddlee@neosoft.com> wrote in article
> > <6dvlrt$7lq$1@uuneo.neosoft.com>...
> > > My TM-731A locks into an unstable condition (draws excessive
> > > current, parasitics heard on separate receiver, etc) when mic
> > > keys the 2meter high power side. Mic off switch becomes
> > > inoperable and can only shut off by turning off power. Works
> > > great on low power and on 440. Anyone have any ideas? (Service
> > > mod for the cap already made).
> > >
> > > --
> > > David D. Lee, AB5AX ddlee@neosoft.com
> > > Houston, Tx
> > > "Take 2 aspirin and call me at Turtle Island..."
> > >
> > >
> > >
>
> You either have;
> 1. A diode that needs resoldering.
> 2. A final module going out.
> --
> Clif @ AVVid
> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid
>

4066. WTB: FT 990 or TS 850s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Swanson <k7btw@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e2cm4$7th@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150991

Looking for FT-990 or TS-850s. Must be within 150 miles of Seattle as I
won't buy sight unseen.
Dick k7btw

4067. WTB - Motorola XTS-3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980310034400.WAA25264@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150992

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WTB - Motorola XTS-3000
E mail - ligosa@aol.com
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4068. AM Transmitter from 540 to 1710kHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4bd6$5b964060$728a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150993

Just saw this ad posted on a swap site. Have I missed a change in the law,
is there actually a legal use for such a device?
Has the broadcast band been opened up for low level unlicensed
broadcasters? 73, DavidC AA1FA

Al Ortiz...Worcester..Ma..USA..Monday, March 09, 1998
Subject: Wanted - AM Transmitter
Listing (#10.0309)
Wanted - AM Transmitter tunable from 540 to 1710kHz, for broadcasting up to
10 miles in diameter.
Please E-Mail with Description, Price, Terms, ETC.
E-MAIL alortiz@compuserve.com

4069. Re: I need ADI AT-600 mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Izac W. Vandermey" <bvdmey@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3506E6C0.5F73@wco.com>
Source record: 150746

John Schmitz wrote:
>
> Can someone point me towards the mods for the ADI-Premier AT-600 radio?
>
> Thanks
>
> John
Check out the folowing site:
http://members.aol.com/adimods/at600.html

Good Luck

4070. F.S. Yaesu Speaker SP-5 $90.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311193600.OAA19235@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150747

Yaesu SP-5 Speaker w/filters
Has scratches on right side back.Face of spk. Excell.
$90.+ Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

4071. F.S.Yaesu Spk.Landliner SP-101PB $45.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311194401.OAA20193@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150748

Yaesu SP-101PB Very Clean
$45.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

4072. Help with GE UHF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cj <cj@boi.hp.com>
Message-ID: <3506EDD0.4BB1@boi.hp.com>
Source record: 150749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I posted a request a while back about a GE UHF rig, I've found out a bit more info, so maybe someone can point me in the right direction as to how to mod it for ham use.

- It doesn't appear to have a model name, such as MastrII or whatever.
- It has a seperate control head from the main box, with 2 digit LED displays, 3 of them, push-buttons for volume, squelch, channel select, scanning and adding/deleting channels from the scan.
- The combination number is N3UU2N040ZB
- It appears to have been made around 1982, by the date codes on the chips
- It's microprocessor controlled, synthesized freq. control
- It has a nice diagram of the unit on the inside of the top cover with the label "UHF SYN TOP COVER", info on test connectors and various alignment adjustments

I'd like to get it running and, if it can do full duplex, set up a UHF repeater. If it can't work as a repeater, it'll probably make a decent UHF mobile or base unit.

So, if anyone can help me figure this beast out, I'd really appreciate it!

Thanks in advance,
-cj


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|cj@boi.hp.com | KD6AEG |
|=======================================================================|
|Hewlett-Packard | Give a man a beer |
|Enterprise Storage Solutions Div.| and he'll waste an hour |
|11413 Chinden Blvd. M/S 831 | Teach him to brew |
|Boise, ID 83714 | and he'll waste the rest of his life.|
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4073. F.S. Yaesu VFO FV-102DM $285.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311201900.PAA29119@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150750

Yaesu VFO FV-102 DM
Has a Few marks Front is Excell. w/manual
$285.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

4074. F.S.Yaesu AM/FM Broad for FT-102 $105.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311202500.PAA29923@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150751

Yaesu AM/FM Broad for FT-102 WORKS
$105.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

4075. Yaesu 847 How much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6e6m1e$prq@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 150752

The 847 has been released in some counties but not here in the USA.

Anyone have some info on the price it is selling for?

Any info on how well the HF is working?

4076. WTB: Heath Kit QRP rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wr3on@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311203001.PAA26830@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150753

I'm looking for one of the old Heath Kit CW QRP rigs. The rig as I remember
it covered the CW portion of all the HF bands available at the time (no WARC).
Anyway I think the model number is HW-8 (?????).

I'm in the market if someone has one to sell.

thanks,
WR3ON
Ron patton
wr3on@aol.com

4077. Swan 250 S'Meter + Service Bulletin online.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <3506F670.68564763@pactitle.com>
Source record: 150754

Hello everyone,

I have the origional S'Meter mods and Service Bulletin for the Swan 250
on my web page in case you have been looking for it.

Check back from time to time, I'll try to get other info on there as
well.

http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

73....
Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/

"Keep'em glowing"

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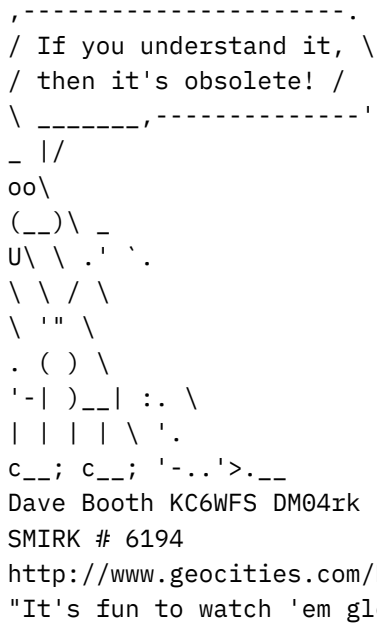

Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk
SMIRK # 6194
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860
"It's fun to watch 'em glow!"

4078. WTB SB-200 FRONT PANEL METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ian McCloy <ian_mccloy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <6e6th3$i7c$1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 150755

I am in desparte need for a meter for my SB_200
if one is out there that works please let me know. or where I can buy one.
Harbach Electronics carries only the meters for SB-220.
Tnx Ian VE7IRA

4079. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3506F3E6.8BA6C9D5@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150756
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Philip de Cadenet wrote:

> David,
>
> I have to throw in my 2c, I mean 2penneth worth as I have a close
> working colleague that has witnessed a GEET processor in operation.
> May I make a suggestion. As you're in the country of origin of the GEET,
> may I suggest you take your blinkers off, dial-up the GEET.com web-site,
> get yourself along to the next open display/lecture in a town near you
> and simply observe.
> Let's just say I'm intending to order a new Z28 Camaro later in the year
> when the retrofitted 350 V8's have been fully sorted and will be
> bringing this car back to England via the GEET site in Utah.

I tell you what, you ruin your car, then. And when your finished and trully running with GEET I'll drag race you down the road of your choice, with a 231 Camaro. And if its GEET, I guarantee myself a victory. You said????? If you beat me, your running gasoline like you should. If you loose, then I'll know your running GEET.

Later,

David Pearce
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

>

4080. SPONSORS ARE REQUEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: carlos.mascarenas@uca.es
Message-ID: <6e6eph$b0c$5@erika.cica.es>
Source record: 150757

Dear Sirs:
I am in contact with you one another tim to propose to your firm to be one of the sponsors of the Cadiz University Radioclub.

Any aid will be welcome if it is possible we prefer HF radioham sets than money.

Our aim is to constitute the radioclub at Merchant Marine School to introduce the radiolife at the merchant marine radio and bridge Officers and other members of the university community.

I expect to be at the air in four months.

Coul your firm help us?.

Kind regards.

Carlos

Prof. Dr. D. Carlos Mascareï¿½as y Pï¿½rez-Iï¿½igo

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Call Sign: EA7GWJ

THE QUICK BROWN FOX JUMPS OVER THE LAZY DOG. 0123456789. QRV AR PSE K

4081. Re: Marine/VHF Antenna Question..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6e5ah1$ko5@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 150758

JHulet <jhulet@aol.com> wrote:
>Hello,
>
>I was wondering....I have a sailboat that I would like to mount "one" vertical
>antenna on the top of the mast. What I would like to do is mount a 2m vertical
>antenna on the top of the mast and use an antenna switch in the boat to use the
>antenna for my Marine VHF radio and 2 Meter... Does anyone have any experience
>with using a 2m vertical with a Marine Radio?

Hi Jason - I think for safety's sake, you should consider using a marine band antenna. When you someday have to grab the mic and call for the Coast Guard, you don't want anything to hinder your comms (such as a high SWR). If your 2M rig (operating 10 MHz lower than your marine radio) doesn't like operating into the marine band antenna, consider mounting a 2M antenna on say, the transom of your boat.

Safe sailing!
Jeff KH2PZ (sailing the Hawaiian Islands in a Montgomery 15)

4082. Re: WTB: Heath Kit QRP rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6e6vlk$9fi@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 150759

In article <19980311203001.PAA26830@ladder02.news.aol.com>, wr3on@aol.com says...
>
>I'm looking for one of the old Heath Kit CW QRP rigs. The rig as I remember
>it covered the CW portion of all the HF bands available at the time (no WARC).
>Anyway I think the model number is HW-8 (?????).

Hi Ron,

FYI, there were three Heath QRP rigs:

HW-7: covered 80/40/15 meters
HW-8: covered 80/40/20/15 meters
HW-9: covered 80 - 10 meters including WARC (optional)

The HWA-7-1 was the optional power supply for the HW-7 and -8.
I'm not real familiar with the HW-9 accessories (I've actually
never SEEN and HW-9 in person).

All of these had direct-conversion receivers and ran on 12 vdc.
I've owned several each of the HW-7 and -8 over the years.

73,
Dean, K5DH

4083. Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6e71uq$p2s$4@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 150760

Ohh.... pardon me. I thought a Mother & Daughter wanted Phoenixs (GE Phoenix radios), not Phonesex.

Steve

4084. HTX-202 Modifikation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Veit <christian.veit@netway.at>
Message-ID: <6e728o$8if$1@news.netway.at>
Source record: 150761

Does anyone know wether it is possible to modify the RX/TX Range of the
HX-202?
And if it is possible could tell me how?
Thanks a lot in advance

4085. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3507074E.79AF634B@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150762
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> That's correct. It is also true that piston engined aircraft have used water
> injectors for years to increase power and range. The water is not used as a
> fuel, of course. It's certainly not an octane booster. Still, for whatever
> reason, a fine mist of water enhances the action of the fuel/air mix in
> large piston engines. (I've never heard of it being used on small
> engines.)
>

Here's what it does (I've owned a turbo and know the tricks), it cools the air entering the engine, therefore the computer or human hand tuner can run a more aggressive timing profile, higher boost, and more fuel. But, as you say, its a fine mist, not GEET. Many RV's have such systems installed just to reduce detonation during hard climbs.

> A few years ago, my brother added a water injector system to his hotrod (65
> Dodge van) , and noted a slight difference in how the vehicle ran at high
> speed. At lower RPMs, not much difference was noticed. Eventually, he
> decided that it was more trouble than it was worth (he kept forgetting to
> fill the little water container) so he yanked the system out again.
>
> I understand that this is not exactly "on topic". It's just a side-note I
> thought I'd throw in.

Being also a person from the part of the country where the best thing on a Saturday night is a truck pull (I really do not enjoy professional sports at all, except NASCAR, NHRA) or a mudfest somewhere deep in the woods, I have quite a bit of knowledge of how tractors used in tractor pulls work. The deisel SuperTractor class, unlimited of course, injects water at the end of the track to cool the cylinders and pistons, or even with normal watercooling, the engine would just melt.

But none of these applications mentioned as of yet are equivalent to what GEETS claims, which is power from displacing fuel from a mixture and replacing it with water.

David - KF4MOK (required radio related include)

4086. Re: How do yo make a Yaesu FT-1000D xmit out of band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <350711F5.4BE4@ccnet.com>
Source record: 150763

Where do you want it tro transmit at?

Terry Neal wrote:
>
> I have a late model Yaesu FT-1000D and wud like to mod it for out of
> band. Can you give or lead me to the info?.....tmneal@netcom.com

4087. Re: How do yo make a Yaesu FT-1000D xmit out of band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35071202.765C@ccnet.com>
Source record: 150764

Where do you want it to transmit at?

Terry Neal wrote:
>
> I have a late model Yaesu FT-1000D and wud like to mod it for out of
> band. Can you give or lead me to the info?.....tmneal@netcom.com

4088. IC751A,SP3 SPKR,PS30P/S $800.SHIPPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: luther wayne newby <kj4gy@icx.net>
Message-ID: <35071ACB.2A28@icx.net>
Source record: 150765

ICOM 751A LIKE NEW I PURCHASED IT NEW,SP3 SPKR,PS30P/SWITH METER SIDE ON
P/S HAS SCRATCH ON IT.
kj4gy@icx.net

4089. Re: How do yo make a Yaesu FT-1000D xmit out of band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <35071D2C.31BD@stc.net>
Source record: 150766

go to http://www.qrz.com/mods

look fot the one listed for the ft-990/ft-1000

T E I X E I R A wrote:
>
> Where do you want it to transmit at?
>
> Terry Neal wrote:
> >
> > I have a late model Yaesu FT-1000D and wud like to mod it for out of
> > band. Can you give or lead me to the info?.....tmneal@netcom.com

--
73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

4090. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6e764t$2i5@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 150767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In rec.radio.amateur.equipment Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
: >
: >That station is still on the air in California. The FCC can not shut it
: >down as a Judge is looking into the fact that the FCC does not issue
: >licenses for stations under 100watts, and therefore limits the airwaves
: >to only the very rich.

: Which is an absurd position. 100 watts is only 2 cents an hour, or $14.40
: a month. That's a mighty peculiar notion of "very rich".

It only costs "2 cents an hour" to run a 100 watt ratio station!?!?

I don't think so.... First, that is RF power not electrical power. Second,
there are things like *equipment* (some of which is *mandatory*)

--
Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

4091. Re: Cherokee CBS-500 & Realistic TRC-495 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony C. Cash" <tonycash@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e780p$hc0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Mods are here: http://members.aol.com/cbmods/eagle.htm
73 de Tony

Carl Hodder wrote:

> I am looking for any mods for the Cherokee CBS-500
> and Realistic TRC-495. Also, Is the TRC-495 a
> CBS-500 without the frequency counter?
>
> They both look the same beside the frequency display.
>
> If you don't know of a mod for this radio, could you email me
> any sites with CB mods.

4092. Collins Linear Amplifier - FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gar Won Ko <garwonko@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uL1ykpUT9GA.210@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150769

Collins Model 30L-1 Linear Amplifier FOR SALE. Winged emblem and original manual. Very good condition and wired for 220 VAC. Output power is 1200 Watts PEP. $650 plus shipping and handling charges.

garwonko@msn.com

Dr. Gar Ko
Wichita, Kansas

4093. HF Signal Generator - FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gar Won Ko <garwonko@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OZEI2pUT9GA.314@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150770

Hewlett-Packard Model 606A, VLF/LF/MF/HF/VHF (50 KHz to 65 MHz) Signal Generator FOR SALE. Output: -110 to +20 dBm (1 microvolt to 3 Volts) into 50 ohms. Manual Included. Very good condition. $325 plus shipping charges and packaging material costs.

Dr. Gar Ko
garwonko@msn.com
Wichita, Kansas USA

4094. Vacuum Tube Test Set - FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gar Won Ko <garwonko@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e$CIxqUT9GA.163@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150771

Sencore Model MU-150 "Continental" Mutual Conductance Vacuum Tube Analyzer, Serial Number 5556130M, constructed in attache' style case. The Continental will perform the full load emission test, the high sensitivity grid leakage test, the stethoscopic shorts test, and also will test a tube for true dynamic mutual conductance (Gm). The Continental also provides for checking tube life expectancy during the emission or the Gm test. In excellent condition, the manual and tube setup booklet is included. $250 plus shipping charges and packaging material costs.

Dr. Gar Ko
garwonko@msn.com
Wichita, Kansas USA

4095. Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Packard <jpackard@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <6e79p2$7qq$1@news.netusa1.net>
Source record: 150772

i have a yaesu mobile radio. i am a police officer, and am wondering if it is possible to convert my radio to transmit as well as receive our police bands. if you can help please e-mail jpackard@netusa1.net

4096. IC-207 Mike question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. Calvete (KA2OMQ)" <calvete@rpa.net>
Message-ID: <35072D40.6B0@rpa.net>
Source record: 150773

Has anyone used a computer style RJ45 cable to extend the microphone
cable? $54 seems a bit steep for one with the ICOM label

Thanks

-Tom
calvete@rpa.net

4097. SOLD: TH-28A & Astron RS-20A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Lyon <kj5xf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e7cgk$cg2@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150774

Greetings,
Thanks for all of the inquiries, but I have
sold both the TH28A and the Astron RS-20A
power supply....

Regards,
Tony Lyon (KJ5XF)

4098. Re: WTB: Heath Kit QRP rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e7b41$2ji$1@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150775

I still have my hw8 with matching ps and matching heathkit keyer and
paddle combo Still fun to use ,
73 de ac5ez

4099. WTB: Kenwood TS430S parts-rig or repairable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwbran1@uswest.com
Message-ID: <6e7i79$h5c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150776

Greetings,

WTB: KENWOOD TS430S Parts-Rig or repairable rig.
If you have such an animal,
Please reply to mwbran1@uswest.com or you
may call me at the # below...

Tnx and 73 de KA0PWW

Mike Brandt
Minneapolis, Mn. 55430
612-588-3468

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4100. Re: Need Schematic for MFJ-9020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <kilroy@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <35073ED3.FDA69257@fuse.net>
Source record: 150777

Write, call, or email MFJ Enterprizes. They will be glad to send you
the owner's book which includes the schematics.

Cliff Kotchka wrote:
>
> I am looking for a schematic to a recent, ie manufactured in the last year or
> two, MFJ-9020. I have one of the originals and understand that some changes
> have been made to the receiver section of these radios as well as all the
> monobanders in the last couple of years. Thanks.
>
> Cliff WA9YXG
> Riverside, Illinois

4101. Re: Help with GE UHF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: blueis <blueis@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6e7fbg$kd4$1@newsfep4.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 150778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

cj wrote in message <3506EDD0.4BB1@boi.hp.com>...
>I posted a request a while back about a GE UHF rig, I've found out a
>bit more info, so maybe someone can point me in the right direction as
>to how to mod it for ham use.

cj -- many years ago I worked for a GESS GE Service Station. We had ALL the manuals, service bulletins, etc. I suggest you contact a GESS and ask them. Unless GE changed their nomenclature system, the number you found *is* the model number: N3UU2... That number tells it all: 1st letter - model (Mastr II, Mastr Pro, etc); 2nd digit - i don't remember; etc, etc

I jumped over to the web quickly and did a search for GE mobile radio. Got a number of hits. You might want to start/try there.

Good luck

Gary
K3 Good Buddy

4102. Re: Need Schematic for MFJ-9020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <3507406E.2A8C@stc.net>
Source record: 150779

Try;
http://www.mfjenterprises.com they have most of the manuls online you
can print out.

Bob

kilroy wrote:
>
> Write, call, or email MFJ Enterprizes. They will be glad to send you
> the owner's book which includes the schematics.
>
> Cliff Kotchka wrote:
> >
> > I am looking for a schematic to a recent, ie manufactured in the last year or
> > two, MFJ-9020. I have one of the originals and understand that some changes
> > have been made to the receiver section of these radios as well as all the
> > monobanders in the last couple of years. Thanks.
> >
> > Cliff WA9YXG
> > Riverside, Illinois

--
73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

4103. Re: WTB: Heath Kit QRP rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: markem@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6e7fbh$g90@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 150780

In article <6e6vlk$9fi@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, k5dh@rtis.ray.com (Mustang Maniac!) wrote:
> ...
>HW-9: covered 80 - 10 meters including WARC (optional)
> ...
>All of these had direct-conversion receivers and ran on 12 vdc.

I believe the HW-9 was (is?) a single conversion superhet...

Mark AA7TA

4104. Re: How do yo make a Yaesu FT-1000D xmit out of band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <postmaster@fbi.gov>
Message-ID: <6e7grvppd1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 150781

Mail Yaesu a copy of your ham ticket and your MARS/CAP endorsement, and
they'll send you the mod sheet for free...

73,

Dan K Nelson

Terry Neal wrote in message <35061985.1253542@enews.newsguy.com>...
>I have a late model Yaesu FT-1000D and wud like to mod it for out of
>band. Can you give or lead me to the info?.....tmneal@netcom.com

4105. F.S. mixers,rf transformers etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod <pratch@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350739B4.923792C3@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150782

Huge Bargain!!

I work for a northern California company that is selling their surplus parts.

These parts include mixers, power splitters, rf transformers, filters, attenuators, amplifiers.

All parts 100% tested.

Surface mount, through hole and connectorized.

Email me at pratch@pacbell.net for details and a complete list of the parts.

4106. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <35074BBC.E0D07AAB@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150783
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

More GEET:

I read their page fully and all the so called "testimonials". It reads like a comic book. The stupid antics they pulled, etc. (yeah right) and in addition to that, none of the engines were tested under load. I can assure you they would have stalled it with the simple application of a clutch, in particular with regards to the 350CID Chevrolet motor and its accompanying Camaro body and transmission. How come no dyno test? Very few make these claims without dyno readings to back it up. If the observers had known anything at all about engines they would have requested exactly those specs. A modern computer controlled, sequentially fuel injected push valve engine can run without a noticeablely smelly exhaust after warm up. So what? Even funnier than all of that, was the complete lack of control systems for the fuel processor. I couldn't stand it any longer .....

The next funny thing is the control system for the GEET device. No electronics were mentioned, no connection to the throttle assembly, as described anyhow. That means one of two things, when the engine suddenly demands a large amount of power, it will lean out, stalling and perhaps detonating to the point of engine destruction, or two, the fuel processor will take minutes to adjust, and by that time the motor will have spewed tons of sorry old HC's out the exhaust.

On to something with content applicable to the group:

Anyone played with the Part 15 SS equipment available commercially? What kind of pricing are we talking here? I live in the city, and am a apartment dweller, which also applys equally as well to my fellow networkers, so foghorn desgins just aren't gonna work for us. Spread spect. will be the key until I move out to the country side. Prices, companies, experiences are welcomed.

Excuse me while I laugh till I cry about GEET's fuel processor,

Pearce
http://www.geet.com - have a laugh, free, on the net!

4107. ---best nude club to use your ht in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <pltd@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6e7j86$70a@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150784

The ultimate nude bar in NJ that allows hams to use their HTs and other radio equipment is:

www.angelfire.com/biz/vipclub

4108. Is Icom introducing a Newer scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6e7p57$p14$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I noticed in the March QST that the Icom R-10 has a $100
rebate. Usually this means that they are getting ready
to introduce a newer product. Has anyone heard anything?

4109. FS: Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rskeeter <rskeeter@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <350770c0.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 150786

I have the following manuals for sale. $1.00 each plus postage.

1 FT-709R Operating Manual (Yaesu)
2 Standard C628A Deluxe Twin-Bander
3 Icom IC-02A/AT/E 144MHz FM Transceiver
4 Swan Model 1200-X Installation Operation and Maintenace Manual

Scanners

1 Radio Shack PRO-51 Owner's Manual
2 Regency MX7000
3 Regency MX5000

rskeeter@qnet.com

4110. Re: IC706 Control Program Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <3506F124.7F41@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 150787

Joseph A Vilardo wrote:
>
> I have been attempting to use the IC706 Control Program authored by John
> Hansen WA0PTV and can not get it to talk to the IC 706. I am using the
> MFJ 5383I level convertor connected to Com 1 on my Toshiba Tecra 720 CDT
> running Win95 and have tried evry combination of port speed and address
> setting for the IC706 MKII that I can think of without sucess.
>
> Has anyone tried this program and have you had sucess with it? It looks
> like a terrific program, allowing you to set modes and memories from the
> keyboard and then down load them to the rig. I just wish I coulkd get it
> to play for me.
>
> The author mentions a file called ICOM.ZIP that allows some freedom to
> choose port settings has anyone seen this file? I have tried to contact
> the author but have been unsucessful.
>
> Joe K3JV

I wrote that program when the only 706 available was the original. When
Icom came out with the 706 Mk II they changed the radio's address (why?
I don't know!). Anyway, if you change your radio's address to 48H, it
should work. On my pre MK-II you do this by holding down the lock
button
while turning it on to access the menu. While you are at it, check to
make sure the buad rate is either 19200 or auto.

Let me know if you have further problems.

John Hansen, W2FS (ex-WA0PTV)

4111. VX-1 spring belt clips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <35077F26.CF8D9429@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 150788

[No readable article body recovered]

4112. Re: FT 990 or TS 850s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. Covey" <scott@scottcovey.com>
Message-ID: <6e7v8psde1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 150789

What is your email address? You can contact me if you are still interested,
I have excellent condition 990 DC with external Yaesu speaker (106 I think),
tech manual, and misc. Scott@scottcovey.com

Richard Swanson wrote in message <6e2cm4$7th@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Looking for FT-990 or TS-850s. Must be within 150 miles of Seattle as I
>won't buy sight unseen.
>Dick k7btw

4113. Re: VX-1 spring belt clips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Headrick <bobh@proaxis.com>
Message-ID: <350780A7.372421FA@proaxis.com>
Source record: 150790

Robert -

Don't you think that after 10 postings that both people interested in
this have already bought them? How about giving us a break.

- Bob

> Dashoff wrote:
>
> ----------
> ----------
> VX-1r Premium Quality Spring Action Belt Clips
> ----------
>
> To all that have been looking for the ultimate belt clip for the great
>
> little VX-1. As you know Yaesu over all did a great job on the slick
> VX-1 micro ht. But to be expected there were a few simple design
> flaws
> that slipped through the cracks. One that really bugged me was that
> cheap little strip of plastic they called a belt clip. There's no
> doubt
> this has detracted from the over all quality of the radio. I know
> guys
> that tie strings to their belt loops in fear that the little radio
> will
> unknowingly slip off. This new clip has a firm, quality spring and
> two
> 90` bends at the tip for added security. It won't come off unless you
>
> want it to.
>
> Here is a web site where you may view a VX-1 with the clip installed:
>
> http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/beltclp.htm
>
> I have for sale commercial quality spring action belt clips for the
> VX-1
> micro ht's. They have a factory fit look and are very durable.
>
> $12.50 plus $1.50 shipping.
>
> please email me for ordering information
>
>

>
> Bob....... KN6GA

4114. Alinco DJ-S11, first comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35078B4B.698F@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150791

Well, HRO started selling the Alinco DJ-S11 (2M HT) for $88 and I've
been thinking about getting one for some time, so I purchased one
the other day. I've had very good results from the DJ-S41 (440 MHz)
version radio, so I decided to give the 2M version a try.

Keep in mind that the HT puts out only about 1/3 of a watt, so it
isn't going to reach those distant repeaters from a bad location.
However, with a clear shot at a close repeater, it comes in with
strong. It's small size and light weight make it ideal to slip in
my pocket. Next time my company sends me out of town on a business
trip, I'll take this radio along. (Even if I can't reach some of
the distant repeaters, it'll be fun just to listen.)

The radio takes 3 AA batteries. I like to use the Ray-O-Vac renewal
batteries, but in a pinch, I can use any standard AA batteries.

Setting up the radio was very easy, the radio doesn't have a ton of
complex features to worry about. In fact, there's no key pad for
the touch tones, but after all, this is an $88 HT.

So far, I'm very happy with the unit. I'll post an update in a few
weeks after I get a chnace to play with the unit some more.

73,
Bob (KF6JHG)

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

4115. ALINCO DJ-S41T (DJ-S11) HOW TO BOOKLET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35078E1D.1DD@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150792

I hope that other hams using the DJ-S41T or the DJ-S11 will
find this information useful.

73,
Bob (KF6JHG)
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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

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THE ALINCO DJ-S41T HOW TO BOOKLET:
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The instruction paper for the Alinco DJ-S41T is somewhat
limited and cryptic. What follows is an outline of how to
use/select the different features found on this unit. The
source for this paper comes from my "playing" with the unit,
the 1 page Alinco instruction paper, and an excellent WEB
page created by Bill Ricker (N1VUX).

http://world.std.com/~wdr/alinco.html

Bill's WEB page is both a review and a cross-linked
instruction manual.

Buttons are labeled in quotes as follows: "BUTTON"
If it's a shifted feature of a button, like press "F" and
"BUTTON(SHIFTED-FUNCTION)", the shifted name is placed in
left/right brackets.

You'll notice that I've broken the functions into 3 parts:
OPTION SETTINGS, FREQUENCY SELECTION, and GENERAL FUNCTIONS.

OPTION SETTINGS: are those settings that stay that way even
after a power off/on cycle. Functions listed in 'Option
settings' do NOT affect the frequency selection process.

FREQUENCY SELECTION: settings are those settings that affect
the transmit or receive frequencies.

GENERAL FUNCTIONS: are those items that don't fall into the
first 2 groups.

Some of these instructions may work with the Alinco DJ-S11T;
however not everything will operate in the same way.

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OPTION SETTINGS:
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CHOSE A 1,750 Hz OR A RINGING CALL TONE:
Hold the "CALL" button and turn on the power.
This is a toggle function.

KEEP THE LAMP ON ALL THE TIME:
Hold the "LAMP" button and turn on the power.
You can press "LAMP" to shut the light off, but when this
feature is active, the auto shut-off of the light
won't happen.

KEY LOCK/UNLOCK:
Hold the "F" button and press the "MONI" button.
This is a toggle function.

SELECT LOW POWER/'HIGH' POWER MODE:
Hold "PTT" and press "SCAN(SHIFT)".
The word LOW will appear in the upper right corner of the
LCD when in low power mode.

SET THE AUTO POWER OFF MODE:
Hold the "F" button and press "LAMP(APO)".
Use the "UP"/"DOWN" buttons to select the time in minutes
or off (no auto power off).
Press "PTT" to save.

TURN ON/OFF THE KEY PRESS BEEP:
Hold the "MONI" button and turn on the power.

TURN OFF THE COURTESY BEEP (TONE):
Hold the "DOWN" button and turn on the power.

TURN ON THE COURTESY BEEP (TONE):
Hold the "UP" button and turn on the power.

VFO/CHANNEL FREQUENCY LOCK-OUT MODE, ON/OFF:
Hold the "V/M" button and turn on the power.
I use this mode to keep my sons from accidentally
selecting the VFO mode and picking an odd frequency.

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FREQUENCY SELECTION:
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CHANGE FREQUENCY/MEMORY:
Press the "UP" / "DOWN" buttons.

FASTER FREQUENCY SELECTION IN VFO MODE:
Taping the "F" button will enable you to change the
amount of the frequency that is changed. Depending
on the number of times you press "F", this could
increase to MHz steps or 100kHz steps.
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JUMP FROM (VFO or MEMORY) TO THE 'CALL' MEMORY OR BACK:
Press the "CALL" button.

REVERSE THE INPUT/OUTPUT FREQUENCIES:
Hold the "F" button and press "SCAN(SHIFT)".
Release the "F" button and hold down the "MONI" button.
Pressing "PTT" button will bring the unit back to the
normal state.

SCAN THROUGH MEMORY/VFO:
Press the "SCAN" button.
Use the "UP" or "DOWN" buttons to stop the scan.
You may also scan by holding the "UP" / "DOWN" button for
about 1 second.

SELECT BETWEEN THE MEMORY AND THE VFO:
Press the "V/M" button.

SELECT THE FREQUENCY SELECTION STEP SIZE:
Hold the "F" button and press the "UP(STEP)" key.
Use the "UP"/"DOWN" buttons to select the amount.
Press "PTT" or "V/M" to exit this selection mode.

SELECT THE TRANSMIT/RECEIVE OFFSET:
Hold the "F" button and press "SCAN(SHIFT)".
Once selected, release the "F" button.
Use the "UP"/"DOWN" buttons to change the amount.
You may press the "SCAN" button to select '+','-', or
no offset.
If using a Memory Channel, you MUST save this setting
in order to keep it. (See WRITE A FREQUENCY below.)

WRITE A FREQUENCY AND SETTINGS TO A MEMORY SLOT:
Hold the "F" button and press the "V/M(MW)" button.
Release the "F" button and use the "UP"/"DOWN" buttons to
select the memory number.
Press the "V/M" button to store it there. (Do NOT hold
in the "F" button when you do this.)

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GENERAL FUNCTIONS:
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ERASE A MEMORY SETTING:
Hold the "F" button and press the "V/M(MW)" button.
Release the "F" button and use the "UP"/"DOWN" buttons to
select the memory number.
Hold the "F" button and press the "V/M" button to erase
that memory.

RESET THE UNIT:
Press and hold the "F" button and turn on the unit.

SELECT CTCSS (PL) TONE & CTCSS TONE ON/OFF:
Hold the "F" button and press "Down(Tone)".
Use the "UP"/"DOWN" buttons to select the tone.
Hold the "F" button and press "Down(Tone)" to select PL
tone ON or OFF. ("T" appears when it's on.)
Press "PTT" or "V/M" to exit the tone selection mode.

SEND A CALL TONE:
Press "PTT" and the "UP" button or
Press "PTT" and the "DOWN" button

SET THE ALARM:
Hold down the "F" button and press "CALL(BELL)".
(I can't figure this feature out, all it does is flash
the bell icon on the LCD when a signal is received.)

TRANSMIT:
Press the "PTT" button.
See OPTION SETTINGS for selecting the power level.

TURN ON THE LAMP FOR A FEW SECONDS:
Press the "LAMP" button.

UN-MUTE SQUELCH:
Press the "MONI" button.

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4116. Re: Astron vs Switching power supply?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: BRUCE@UMDD.UMD.EDU
Message-ID: <BRUCE-ya02408000R1103982358560001@news.wam.umd.edu>
Source record: 150793

In article <34FEA307.5E38@ix.netcom.com>, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

> Tom Nicastri wrote:
> >
> > I need a 20 amp continuous PS. I have seen these "switching supplys" which
> > are much smaller and are found in many radios with internal power supplys.
> >
> > Is there much of a difference between the new switching electronic
> > jogbbies and the old Transformer type like the Astron RS-35?
> >
> > The Alinco DM-340MVT also looked good. 30amps continuous. Does it hold up?
> >
> > Thanks
> > =TOM=
> > tnic@idt.net
>
> The Alinco has 30 MVs Ripple ves the Astron that has 5 mv Peak to Peak.
> Also, MFJ appears to be selling a Power Supply that looks like the
> Alinco. If you don't need the light weight ,Small Power supply I would
> buy the Astron (Super Rugged,Reliable). All Astron makes is Power supply
> stuff so I think got it right by now. If you need small lightweight
> then go for the Switching. I have found Switching power supplys to not
> be as reliable as the Large Transformer type units. Also, the regulation
> or "ripple" isn't as good plus they generate noise on your radio.
> Astron Claims their switching works great for Even HF radios.
> 73's Steve NS1R

Astron make a line of switchers as well. I have a SS-30M at home and it
works very nicely. It is fairly small (around the size of a RS-12) and
only weighs 5 pounds. As for reliability, I haven't had mine long enough
to tell, but I suspect it will do fine. I have had problems with switchers
in computer disk drives, but I suspect that this is mostly due to them being
made cheaply. I work in computers and have seen quite a few of them die,
however I have also seen well-built switching power supplies in mainframes
last over 10 years. I'm hoping that Astron does as well with their
switchers as they do with their "analog" supplies.

Bruce

4117. no ham HF comms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: gws@n8emr.nitetech.com
Message-ID: <6e51r3$el9$1@usenet42.supernews.com>
Source record: 150796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I wasn't sure how to answer a question that I was ask recently. Anyone want to help me out with this one?

Q: Is there any non amateur HF communications license available?

They are looking for point to point and point to multi point Long range communications system. Portable, mobile and fix station operation. HF only no satellites. Need multi freq coverage for US communications day and night. Dont need 100% reliable at all times but daily or several times a day comms for status and supply request. SSB a must, RTTY would be a plus.

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Gary W. Sanders gws@n8emr.nitetech.com
packet: N8EMR @ W8CQK Voice: 614-895-2552 (eves/weekends)
Everyone is entitled to be stupid, but some abuse the privilege."
This address may *not* be used for unsolicited mailings.

4118. FS: pro 43 (Reduced)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311041300.XAA25406@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150797

FS: pro 43 (Reduced)
I have one. Full cell moded w/design EQ custom leather case. box, charger,
Nicads.
Just reduced to $250

ligosa@aol.com

4119. Re: MFJ-9406

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmk~~arse#@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35060bda.1683259@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150798
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 00:32:41 -0600, BK <bk42047@swt.edu> wrote:

>I am new to the world of ham radio, just got my tech license 3 weeks
>ago, and was wondering if anyone could provide me with some information
>about the mfj-9406 six meter radio. Is this a good radio for the price?
>($249) How does it perform? Is there any known problems with it? I am
>very inexperienced, is this a good radio for a beginner on six? I have
>also thought about the tentec 2m to 6m transverter. Would this be a
>better option? I have only an fm 2m rig, so I would only be able to use
>6 fm. Does this tranverter allow repeater operation? with correct
>offsets and sub audible tones? What about an antenna? My neighborhood
>doesn't allow radio towers, but I could put a small pole in the air,
>like those used for tv antennas. What would be best in this situation?
>a 6m loop? A small light weight beam on a tv rotator like the mfj-1762
>6m beam? A dipole? Thank you in advance for any information.
>
>73's
>
>Brian KD5GDV (EL29)
>
>
Brian,
For the money, it is not a bad deal. I used that rig to start out in 6M; with only a wire dipole mounted below the peaks of the house it allowed for QSO's from southern California to Colorado and Texas, New Mexico and even an Alabama station. The radio does tend to drift a bit, and it has no RIT - though it has 'fine tuning' instead. A very basic radio you basically just plug it in and turn the dial, the receive is quite good; have compared it side-by-side with a Kenwood TS-60s and the MFJ could hear everything the Kenwood could (but the Kenwood was easier to tune, did not drift and you have a few 'gizmos' to help pull a signal out if need be). It is SSB ONLY; no FM and it only covers the 50.0 - 50.3 CW and SSB sub-band (well, a portion of it anyway) so unless you have a lot of locals on 6M SSB (Texas seems to have a lot of 6M operators) there may be a lot of time between QSO's, but when the band is good you will find it fairly easy to cover most states from your location. All in all not a bad way to get on 6M ssb; look around at some swap meets for a used one or check out one of the swap groups.

Hope this helps,

73,
Howard
KE6MAK

4120. WTD: CX7A PS info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Leishman <leishman@michcom.com>
Message-ID: <3505D972.B89E200B@michcom.com>
Source record: 150799

I just acquired a cx7a, but the manual is for a cx7. There is no display
and a few components are over heating (smoking) in the PS. I need the
new cx7a info. Does
anyone know a source of info? Thanks Jack k8xx

4121. Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@abcnycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <35061c15.50645221@news>
Source record: 150800

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 09:22:45 -0500, tech <tech@dp.net> wrote:

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>Hmmmm, I wonder.... Just WHAT does this have to do with radio?
>
>
>Tech@DP.NET
>
>On Mon, 9 Mar 1998, it was written:
>
>> Date: Mon, 09 Mar 1998 11:08:10 PST
>> From: connie
>> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
>> Subject: Mother&Daughter
<disgusting stuff snipped>

Well, Tech, it was pretty dumb of you to repost the whole message
again. You're doing their dirty work for them.
--

Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
abc from my address.

4122. Marine/VHF Antenna Question..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311053100.AAA08168@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150801

Hello,

I was wondering....I have a sailboat that I would like to mount "one" vertical antenna on the top of the mast. What I would like to do is mount a 2m vertical antenna on the top of the mast and use an antenna switch in the boat to use the antenna for my Marine VHF radio and 2 Meter... Does anyone have any experience with using a 2m vertical with a Marine Radio?

Thanks,

Jason Hulet

4123. FS: ICOM IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350621D5.1645E7FB@erols.com>
Source record: 150802

7 month old ICOM IC-756. 6 Meter & HF both 100 watts
Radio have 15 hrs on it. Non smoker, no optional filters.
Original Box and Manual.

SM-6 base mic

Price 1,575 plus shipping.

Steve

4124. ts-870 Help!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmay442@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311054501.AAA06189@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150803

Can anyone help me unlock out-put potential of this unit?

4125. AUDIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony D. Schneider" <Daveschneider@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e59ro$9du@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150804

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for sale DAP 310 COMPLETE
DAVE 914 657 6158
$150
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4126. /\/\ot. MRTI PHONE PATCH F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka <ilonka00@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6e5abj$anu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Like new MRTI 1000 phone patch (L1340) for sale. Internally very clean (a 10), minor scratches on top cover; otherwise blemish free. Want $450 which includes COD freight to continental US.

4127. fs:MFJ259 SWR analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311073401.CAA21733@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150806

have mfj259 swr analyzer in very good condition for 175.oo

K2JY@aol.com

4128. Fluke multimeter for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgutter@iglou.com
Message-ID: <Epn7rw.GuH@iglou.com>
Source record: 150807

I am selling a Fluke 73 series II digital multimeter.

It includes test leads, yellow holster, and manual.

This meter is brand new, it has never been used!
The plastic scratch guard is still on the display window!

I will pay shipping UPS ground if you are in the U.S.A.!

price = $95.00

email if interested.

Mike

4129. WANTED 1.2Ghz transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre-Paul RAOULT <myard-raoult@asi.fr>
Message-ID: <350652AA.5BD5@asi.fr>
Source record: 150808

I'm looking for a 1,2Ghz transceiver to buy. Thank's to make offer
F1JMN (Lyon - FRANCE)

4130. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <Mr.Hanky@Pooh.com>
Message-ID: <35065137.68DD@Pooh.com>
Source record: 150809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ron N6AHA wrote:
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> Good! Now we know where to send the FCC on their next raid!
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> radman <rcgoodman@mindspring.com> wrote in article
> <3501ea54.392913@news.mindspring.com>...
> > thay are available at http://www.mindspring.com/~worldwave
> >
The FCC doesn't license anything under 200 watts in the FM broadcast band. I remember seeing somewhere a low power station taking the FCC to court over it. I could be wrong, but, I think there is a loop hole here .

4131. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Willis <"M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <35065012.A95819A4@rl.ac.uk>
Source record: 150810
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Geoff wrote:

> Graham Galbraith wrote:
>
> > Since you've obviously done the job before yourself can I ask if
> > there is any 'trick' method for getting at the board on which the
> > socket is mounted, as I had a preliminary look at it tonight and
> > it is buried three deep inside the rear heatsink, it looks a real
> > nightmare job to get at.
> >

Wy not just turn off the vox ?

4132. OFFER VHF RADIOES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ronald Coupe <rcoupe@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#A70h4MT9GA.326@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150811

THE BELOW ITEMS WERE PURCHASED FOR A CONTRACT IN
RUSSIA AND THE JOB HAS BEEN CANCELED. THESE ITEMS ARE SURPLUS
TO OUR NEEDS AND WE ARE ACCEPTING REASONABLE OFFERS.
ALL MATERIAL IS NEW AND PACKAGED IN ORIGINAL CONTAINERS ETC.
NEW MIDLAND RADIO EQUIPMENT
1-VHF 100 WATT MIDLAND REPEATER
2- VHF 100 WATT MIDLAND BASE VEHICLE STATION
4-AC/DC POWER SUPPLY UNITS FOR BASE/VEHICLE STATION
45-VHF 100 WATT MIDLAND VEHICLE STATIONS (RADIOS)
45- VEHICLE ANTENNA KITS
1-SET OF CONNECTIONS FOR REPEATER ANTENNA
250 FT 7/8" FOAM AND COPPER HELEAX TRANSMISSION
CABLE FOR REPEATER STATION.
1- ANTENNA REPEATER STATION.
7-6DB GAIN ANTENNAS FOR BASE STATION

Details
a. Astron Booster Model RS 50 A 4 ea
b. Midland Mobile Radio Model 70-1395B (45 ea)
c. Midland Syntech Base Station Model 70-3051 (1 ea)
d. Mobius Electronics Omni Broadband Antenna 5ea
e. 7/8" Heliax Cable 50 ft
f. LDFS w/o connector kit 1ea
g. Short Whip antenna 41 ea
h. Spares, connectors, install parts 1 bx

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4133. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Galbraith <no.spam.graham.galbraith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <3506C883.9BE@virgin.net>
Source record: 150812
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Mike Willis wrote:
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> > > nightmare job to get at.
> > >
>
> Wy not just turn off the vox ?

Call me strange, but I would prefer the radio to work 'as
advertised', so I would rather fix the fault.

Regards, Graham, M0ADR
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4134. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com>
Message-ID: <350671FE.48E6@mgrhealy.com>
Source record: 150813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Chris wrote:
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> Ron N6AHA wrote:
> >
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> court over it. I could be wrong, but, I think there is a loop hole here
> .

That station is still on the air in California. The FCC can not shut it down as a Judge is looking into the fact that the FCC does not issue licenses for stations under 100watts, and therefore limits the airwaves to only the very rich.

4135. ic706 mark 2 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <35067B62.ADEA6518@freeway.net>
Source record: 150814

as anyone noticed with the 706 mk 2 on fm ,what the old am guys used to call downward
modulation? that is having 100 watts output then speaking into the microphone and watching the output power drop to as low as 75 watts depending on voice peaks. just
wonder if this is a quirk or if my rig needs to be returned to icom
tks kcubilo@freeway.net

4136. 6 meter amp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Barnett <lbarnett@claimsware.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4cf5$b3e268a0$133a88d1@c238.globalvision.net>
Source record: 150815
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have a new Mirage A-1015G for sale. This was a Christmas gift, but I am now upgrading my 6 meter radio and don't need the amp. As new condition in box. Non-smoker. Amp has been hooked up and tested. Asking $300 plus shipping.

Please rely to: lbarnett@claimsware.com

73,

Lee, KJ4BF

4137. WTD: Transformer, Panels, Enclosures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1bug@mint.net
Message-ID: <35068a5a.13635186@news.mint.net>
Source record: 150816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

HELP ?!
We still need a few items to complete the new repeater for Piscataquis County, Maine (if you've ever been here you know we're one of the few places on Earth that still need a repeater! :)

Looking for:

16 to 20v, 20+ amp transformer with 115v primary.

Rack panels, 5.25" to 10.5", what have you got?

Enclosures, one 4x4x15" or larger, one 7x10x13 or larger.

20 feet of RG-214

If you have any of this stuff, please Email, and include condition of the item(s) and asking price. Thanks.

Paul N1BUG
n1bug@mint.net

4138. WTB: Tribander, Rohn25 (S. New Eng.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1QVE <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <35068B57.D4088B62@connix.com>
Source record: 150817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi & thx for reading.
Looking for a used tribander (TH3, TH3JR, or similar) as well as some
Rohn25 sections including a top. I'm in NW CT and will travel around
lower N.E./tri-state area.
Thanks
Harry
N1QVE

4139. Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980311084648.26739E-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 150818

In a prior post regarding this SMUT, I had accidentally reposted the whole thing. That was not my intention. I sincerely and deeply apologize for that happening. I didn't realize I had done it till someone pointed it out in a private reply.

It's no wonder our kids aren't safe. Not even on a so called CLEAN News Group. This crap is going toooo far. ISPs, get your acts together. Ban these filth mongers. Is a profit more important than providing a clean environment for ALL of us to use and enjoy?

I'm all for Freedom of the Press and Speech, but have you no decency when it comes to KIDS????????

Flame me if you want... I'm sure I'm not alone in theses thoughts.

Lou

Tech@DP.NET

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998, tech wrote:

> Date: Tue, 10 Mar 1998 09:22:45 -0500
> From: tech <tech@dp.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440
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> Hmmmm, I wonder.... Just WHAT does this have to do with radio?
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>
> Tech@DP.NET

4140. Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980311085930.26739F-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 150819

See my other recent post. It wasn't done intentionally. I did and do
sincerely and deeply apologize for that act.

> >> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> >> Subject: Mother&Daughter
> <disgusting stuff snipped>
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> Well, Tech, it was pretty dumb of you to repost the whole message
> again. You're doing their dirty work for them.
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>
> Larry Gamache N2YMJ
>
> To reply, remove the
> abc from my address.
>
>

Lou

Tech@DP.NET

4141. Drake microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Frederick M. Furland" <furland@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3506a15b.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 150820

I picked up a TR-3 with a hand held mike. There's no identification on the mike beyond the Drake logo. The mike doesn't work, so I need to rewire it (the wires inside the mike look like they were all clipped).

The switch inside the mike is a six lug switch with the name Standpole on it.

Any help on which wires connect with which lug?

Thanks,
Fred, KG0FT

4142. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3506a2c9.4499261@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 05:14:06 -0600, "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com> wrote:
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>down as a Judge is looking into the fact that the FCC does not issue
>licenses for stations under 100watts, and therefore limits the airwaves
>to only the very rich.

Which is an absurd position. 100 watts is only 2 cents an hour, or $14.40
a month. That's a mighty peculiar notion of "very rich".

But in fact the FCC doesn't license anything less than a Class A station
anymore. That's 3 kW, and that costs about 60 cents an hour, or $432 a
month. That's still not what I'd call "very rich", but it is a bit heavy for a
casual hobbyist. And indeed that's the intent, to keep the casual hobbyist
from frivolously tying up broadcast frequencies.

Of course broadcast licenses aren't the issue here. Rather the issue
is Type Acceptance (or Part 15 Certification), which the equipment
being touted is unlikely to meet. It is illegal to market a device for use
in the broadcast band which doesn't meet one or the other of those
criteria.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4143. Re: TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD5CAS**SPAMHATER**@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <3506a6b0.3463588@news.iamerica.net>
Source record: 150822

On Mon, 09 Mar 1998 01:04:38 -0500, Keith Braithwaite
<keithb1@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Need a copy of the service manual for the Kennwood TS-430S.

Keith,

I have one that I will copy and mail to you. Large schematics, etc.
$15 plus postage.

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4144. Re: IC-706mk2 keying amp problem and spike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3506a5f8.5314619@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150823

On 8 Mar 1998 13:21:17 GMT, "Rudy Marcelletti" <rudym@net-link.net> wrote:

>In the Jan QST review of then 706mk2 a "missing first dot" problem was
>described and the review also stated that the mk2 was unable to key an
>external amp relay. Does anyone else experience this problem?

It can key an amp if the amp can be keyed by a TTL low (IE sink to ground
of no more than 16 mA). The usual practice is to use an external keying
transistor or a small reed relay to buffer between the TTL level out of the
radio and the switch current needed by a particular amp.

>What about problems experienced with the so called "power spike" referred
>to in the review. Evidently the mk2 gives out a spike at 100 watts before
>the AGC reins it in to the set level. The article states that this spike
>could damage some amps (which ones? it does not say) or trip protection
>mechanisms in others (the SGC?). Does this occur if using the PTT and ALC
>lines from the rig to the amp.

Practically all radios do this if you drive them heavily and then depend on ALC to
reduce drive to less than their rated output. This is due to the time constant of
the ALC circuits. The solution to this problem is simple. *Don't do that*. Use an
amp which requires 100 watts drive, or use a pad to reduce drive to the maximum
the amp wants to see. Then you can't overdrive it, and you can disconnect ALC
and forget that it exists.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4145. Need Schematic for MFJ-9020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cliffkot@interaccess.com
Message-ID: <cliffkot.270.0007746D@interaccess.com>
Source record: 150824

I am looking for a schematic to a recent, ie manufactured in the last year or two, MFJ-9020. I have one of the originals and understand that some changes have been made to the receiver section of these radios as well as all the monobanders in the last couple of years. Thanks.

Cliff WA9YXG
Riverside, Illinois

4146. Question: DJ-180T frequency problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: anc@newstar-tech.com
Message-ID: <6e6g02$m2s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150825

Hi.

I have a DJ-180T hand-held from Alinco. It has been working fine for last 5 years but suddenly it displays strange things. This radio is supposed to receive from 130MHz to 174MHz, but it only covers ham band only for both receive and transmit.

I even tried to reset the memory, but it does not work.

Should I send it to Alinco service? This radio is only worth about $100 these days, and I don't to spend too much for this one.

Any comment will be appreciated.

Thanks.

Christopher An
VE3UVT
anc@newstar-tech.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4147. ***SO CAL SWAP MEET THIS WEEKEND*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: LONNIE <NT6BLONNIE@EARTHLINK.NET>
Message-ID: <3506B022.F6E5A21D@EARTHLINK.NET>
Source record: 150826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

saturday.....March 14, 1998
Its the second Saturday of the month, coming up this Saturday. Fontana
Swap Meet at A.B Miller High School, 6821 Oleander Ave., Fontana, Calif.

Take the 10, San Bernardino Freeway east to Citrus
Ave, North to Baseline, turn right to Oleander and north (Left) to the
School.

Pomona Freeway Eastbound to the 15 Freeway, North to the San Bernardino
Freeway then follow the directions above.

Time: around 6 AM to 11 AM.

This event is sponsored by the Inland Empire Amateur Radio Club.

Last month and the month prior was a "Rain Out", so this Saturday, with
the closure of De Vry Swap Meet...should be a sell out!!! Bring your
"Goodies", See you there..

Lonnie (NT6B)

4148. Re: Problem with HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1ist@netcom.com
Message-ID: <n1istEpnvCC.Ctw@netcom.com>
Source record: 150827

In article <35043441.17996568@news.sprynet.com> kc8hgs@sprynet.com (Joe Bradley) writes:
- My brother has an HTX-202. It recently failed to power up with the
-battery pack, but works fine when attatched to the dc power supply. We
-checked the battery pack...it is ok. We tried the alkaline battery
-pack and had the same result.

Looking at the schematic, I'd assume D5 (a 1N5819), the diode that isolates
the battery from the 12V DC input on top. It's on the RF PCB right below
the DC input jack.
/mike
--
\|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@netcom.com \|/
-*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc === -*-
/|\ or send "info barc-list" to listserv@majordomonetcom.com /|\

4149. FS: Two RCA 45 Used Tubes with Readings-No Luck of the Draw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6e6am8$3q7$3@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 150828

Two RCA #45 used tubes for sale with my actual TV-7D/U's readings/ratings for each tube--which high volume dealers don't have the time economically to provide.

Some Tube dealers will charge obviously less for these 45 "used tubes," but often you get what you pay for. I've seen prices of $30 to $40 range for example. BUT--It's the luck of the draw if you get a strong one or weak one that meets minimum standards. With these two RCA 45 tubes you know exactly their readings.

These two RCA 45 tubes were evaluated on a calibrated TV-7D/U tester in excellent shape (Please understand your readings can vary obviously).

I have had this experience of buying from big name honest dealers and getting weak pulls as well as good pulls. Again, luck of the draw for a cheaper price.

Have rated and priced the following two tubes accordingly:

Tube 1: RCA 45

TV-7D/U's Minimum Acceptable Value = 47

" Actual Reading for tube 1 = 78

Asking price $45.00 or B/O plus shipping. This tests approximately like a new tube in my opinion!!!

Tube 2: RCA 45

TV-7D/U's Minimum Acceptable Value = 47

" Actual Reading for tube 1 = 65

Asking price $35.00 or B/O plus shipping. This is a strong used tube in my opinion.

International buyer welcome.

Thank you.

4150. Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph_nos@nospam.hemi.com
Message-ID: <6e6d72$h63@news.hemi.com>
Source record: 150829

In my opinion the owners of the newsgroups should be blocking this material from even being submitted. There are certain NG's out there just for this stuff, and if i wanted to see it I would go there. Tech to answer your original question "what does this have to do with amateur radio", the answer is, nothing.

- Ralph Forsythe, KC0CSO

In article <Pine.BSI.3.95.980311084648.26739E-100000@home.dp.net>, tech@dp.net says...
>
>
>It's no wonder our kids aren't safe. Not even on a so called CLEAN News
>Group. This crap is going toooo far. ISPs, get your acts together. Ban
>these filth mongers. Is a profit more important than providing a clean
>environment for ALL of us to use and enjoy?
>
>I'm all for Freedom of the Press and Speech, but have you no decency when
>it comes to KIDS????????
>
>Flame me if you want... I'm sure I'm not alone in theses thoughts.

4151. Re: Is A Quad Conversion Receiver Better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3506b849.10004656@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150830

On 11 Mar 1998 03:15:08 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>I just read the posting below ona swap site and I thought I'd ask the
>experts here, is a quad-conversion receiver really "better" than triple?
>Is it more sensitive? Is it more selective? Is it noisier (perhaps due to
>pll)? What are the pros and cons of going beyond triple conversion?
>
>I am in weak location (200ft above sea level, surrounded by 350-400foot
>hills, inland) so I am always looking for a slight edge. I am currently
>running a Kenwood 440SAT. Would the IC-730 provide a significant receive
>advantage, or should I get a TS-830s?
>
>"I have an Icom IC-730 HF rig for sale. This is a solid state older unit
>and is in good condition. It has 80-10 meters with the WARC bands. This
>unit has the quad-conversion reciever so you KNOW that it will be
>SENSITIVE!!"

That's just BS, David. I posted about this recently. The weak link in
nearly any superhet is the mixer. The fewer mixers you have in the
receiver, the better. If single conversion will get you the image response
and selectivity you need, then that's what you want. If you must go to
double conversion to get both the image response and selectivity you
need, then you reluctantly do it. If you must go to an extreme like
triple conversion, then you'd better have a good reason because the
performance cost is starting to become high. (About the only excuse
is so that you can easily implement IF shift.) A quad conversion
radio speaks volumes about the ineptness of its design.

In summary, multiple conversions are always undesirable, but sometimes
you have to do it to meet image response and selectivity goals. You pay
a price due to the inevitable extra distortion products introduced by the
extra mixers, however, so you should only accept multiple conversions
reluctantly as a last resort. It is not something you should proudly proclaim
as a feature. That's a huckster scam the hypemeisters may try to pull on
you, but if you understand the fundamentals of receiver design, you'll
know you're being jerked around.

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4152. FS: Yaesu FT-470 Dual-Band Handheld and Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David Q. Gaddis" <gaddis@icx.net>
Message-ID: <3506BB08.7FB3@icx.net>
Source record: 150831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale used Yaesu FT-470 Dual-Band Handheld and Accessories.

Heavily used 2M/70CM HT, works great, case scratched, all functions
work, serviced in early '97,
full 5W output on both bands, not modified, receives out of band on 2M.

Sold ONLY as package. No splitting. Bought used early '95.

PACKAGE
Yaesu FT-470 Dual Band Transceiver,
FNB-11 600ma 12VDC Nicad Battery, new insert '97, case solid but rough
looking,
FNB-12 500ma 12VDC Nicad Battery,
FNB-17 600ma 7.2VDC Nicad Battery,
PA-6 DC Car Adapter/Charger,
NC-29 3 hour Drop In Nicad Charger,
NC-18B Overnight Nicad Battery Charger,
Leather Case for HT and FNB-17 Battery,
User Manual,
Service Manual,
Original Box (for HT),
Assorted replacement parts (knobs, screws, battery latch, etc),
Comet CH-72H Dual Band Antenna

Cost: $300 + shipping, offers welcomed.
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Contact:
David Q. Gaddis, KE4KPC
5600 Green Valley Drive
Knoxville, TN 37914
(423) 482-3000 Day
(423) 637-2173 Night after 6:00PM EST
gaddis@icx.net

4153. FS:***Yaesu FT-767 with 2 & 6 meters***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6e6d0mtk1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150832

Ex.con. FT-767gx with the SP-767 spearker,MD-1 desk mic,FRB-757 relay box,and both the service and owners manual.Has gen.coveage mod. Price is $1450.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

4154. Re: beacon question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6e4la5$7o8@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 150833

In article <3501FD17.2854@inreach.com>, Bill <whagen@inreach.com> wrote:
>for people running beacons, 10 meter band etc,
>what kind of control, computer, software, etc are you using to get the
>CW message to be repetative?

The most simple and reliable "keyer" would be a motor-driven wheel;
use a nib to remove pieces around the circumference so that only
the code characters remain - these then open and close a lever-switch.

We used such code wheels for our coastal aid-to-navigation radio
beacons.

Jeff KH2PZ (formerly of the US Coast Guard)

4155. Re: Marine/VHF Antenna Question..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Hackney <aln`@any.net>
Message-ID: <3506C4F1.6C43@any.net>
Source record: 150834

JHulet wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I was wondering....I have a sailboat that I would like to mount "one" vertical
> antenna on the top of the mast. What I would like to do is mount a 2m vertical
> antenna on the top of the mast and use an antenna switch in the boat to use the
> antenna for my Marine VHF radio and 2 Meter... Does anyone have any experience
> with using a 2m vertical with a Marine Radio?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Jason Hulet
I use a 2mtr whip on my runabout for ham and marine . Never put a meter
on it , but it seems to do the job . My antenna is 1/4 wave using the
water as it's ground plane . I do not know how this will work on a sail
boat as the height above water is much higher !
aln@any.net
KE4OOI

4156. Re: FS: DG-5 digital readout for TS-520 - $125 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3506C267.3C2B@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150835

Steven Ross wrote:
>
> VG condition. +COD from Boston or can arrange meeting.
>
> Steve Ross, N1IBS

4157. Re: BC 9000 Mod's ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.G. Buysrogge" <c.g.buysrogge@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <6e6ghbbda1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 150836
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

HEATHER J PANTIN heeft geschreven in bericht
<6e5543$5cla$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>
>Look at http://home1.swipnet.se/~w-15926/ubc9000xlt
Kees

4158. FS:Antennas..Moving Must Sell!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Riccio <kc6rik@deltanet.com>
Message-ID: <6e6gsfege1@news01.deltanet.com>
Source record: 150837

Cushcraft 13b2 2m Beam $75.00
Cushcraft a50-5s 6m 5 ele beam $75.00
Mosley PRO 57A 5 band 7 ele beam $350.00
Diamond x-500n 2/440 vert. $140.00

MAKE OFFERS!!!

Leave near Los Angeles all pick up only.....Email or call I am Moving can't use in new house.
kc6rik@deltanet.com or 626-333-6629

73's Rick

4159. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan" <lysdexia@evansville.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980311111810.11469F-100000@world.evansville.net>
Source record: 150838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998, Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> Which is an absurd position. 100 watts is only 2 cents an hour, or $14.40
> a month. That's a mighty peculiar notion of "very rich".

What Mr. Dunnifer et. al. are talking about are the ungodly filing
and crushing licensing fees. The actuall transmitters for such a station
could be made FCC compliant for _well_ under $1,000!

>
> But in fact the FCC doesn't license anything less than a Class A station
> anymore. That's 3 kW, and that costs about 60 cents an hour, or $432 a
> month. That's still not what I'd call "very rich", but it is a bit heavy for a
> casual hobbyist. And indeed that's the intent, to keep the casual hobbyist
> from frivolously tying up broadcast frequencies.
>

That sir, is sooooo much horse poop. Are you being serious here? Am I
missing a joke? ;-) Run over to the FCC homepage right quick and see just
how much it costs to _file_ for broadcast bandwith! Krikey! At least two
Kilobucks just to file! Yow!

When you add in lawyers fees and engineering reports *whew*.

The gist of the two petitions recently filed with the FCC (and by the way,
recieving serious consideration, despite their flaws...) is that
type-certified low-power stations should be allowed. I know of at least
two very law-abiding clean-signal-anal hams in my town who are frothing at
the mouth for the suggested rules in these petitions to be put into part
15!

You should check these petitions out. They are on the FCC homepage in
.pdf format. They make for interesting reading!

> Of course broadcast licenses aren't the issue here. Rather the issue
> is Type Acceptance (or Part 15 Certification), which the equipment
> being touted is unlikely to meet. It is illegal to market a device for use
> in the broadcast band which doesn't meet one or the other of those
> criteria.
>

But not illegal to build your own. Just *probably* Illegal to use it. ;-)

There are several court cases pending about the FCC's jurisdiction on
INTRAstate broadcasting. Wheeee!

> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
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As a side note...

I seriously covet your job. Every time I see one of those Rube-Goldberg
robots on tv, opening and closing car doors till the hinges glow red....
Man! Breaking cheesey consumer goods with hydraulic presses and getting paid
for it! I'll bet you come home from work relaxed! ;-)

>
>

"Free your mind and your ass will follow."

-George Clinton

Http://www.evansville.net/~lysdexia

4160. Altair 8800 - Please Help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: RWood54741@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6e6jkd$n8k@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I purchased an Altair 8800 and it has been upgraded and the original MITS boards were replaced. I would really like to put it back to original and would pay a respectable price for the MITS circuit cards. If you have any and would like to sell them please email me at <rwood54741@worldnet.att.net>.

Thanks for your help,

Bob

4161. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <6e5uau$f9v@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150840
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

David L Pearce wrote in message <350551AF.726F148C@eos.ncsu.edu>...

>Lets get something straight .... water has NO POTENTIAL CHEMICAL ENERGY.
Please
>note chemical. If it had potential chemical energy, rivers would explode on
>snip<

That's correct. It is also true that piston engined aircraft have used water injectors for years to increase power and range. The water is not used as a fuel, of course. It's certainly not an octane booster. Still, for whatever reason, a fine mist of water enhances the action of the fuel/air mix in large piston engines. (I've never heard of it being used on small engines.)

A few years ago, my brother added a water injector system to his hotrod (65 Dodge van) , and noted a slight difference in how the vehicle ran at high speed. At lower RPMs, not much difference was noticed. Eventually, he decided that it was more trouble than it was worth (he kept forgetting to fill the little water container) so he yanked the system out again.

I understand that this is not exactly "on topic". It's just a side-note I thought I'd throw in.

73 DE Charles, N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM

http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

4162. WTB IC-502 or IC-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jvp@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3505fcd8.71688@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150841

e-mail information to n4jvp@ix.netcom.com

4163. How do yo make a Yaesu FT-1000D xmit out of band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmneal@netcom.com
Message-ID: <35061985.1253542@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150842

I have a late model Yaesu FT-1000D and wud like to mod it for out of band. Can you give or lead me to the info?.....tmneal@netcom.com

4164. ic 775 does it need any modufy ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ik8iuu@amsat.org
Message-ID: <3507951c.1318734@news.tin.it>
Source record: 150843

i've a ic 775dsp bought in 1996.
doest it need any modify ???
73's
Saluti,
Claudio Rivieccio

4165. VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam C <sman@redshift.com>
Message-ID: <6e6n8fdad1@usenet52.supernews.com>
Source record: 150844

I am getting my licence in a couple weeks, but saw some great deals on 2-meter HTs in my area, that I have to get now because, being in college and having a family, I am on a strict budget :-) The only problem is I don't know which one to get:-(

My 2 choices are a UHF FM HT with a freq coverage btwn 425-449.995 RX and TX. Then there is a VHF FM with a freq coverage btwn 144-147.995 both RX and TX. Please anyone have any advice? I live in the California bay area, if that would help.

Also, is it against the law for me to just turn it on and listen, so I can pick up the right way to talk over the air, so when I get my licence I don't look, I mean sound, like a complete idiot.

Thanks in advance,
Future ham'er Sam C

4166. F.S.Drake Ser/Manual/Mike7077

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311192800.OAA18155@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150845

Drake TR-7 Service Manual
Hard Cover Binder Like New Cond.
$55. + Shp.
Drake Desk Mike Vox-PTT High Impedance (Clean)
7077 Black $55.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

4167. W.T.B. DRAKE R4245 RECEIVER,& YAESU QTR-24D WORLD CLOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: joseph@comcen.com.au
Message-ID: <joseph-1103980001570001@modem013.ts522.comcen.com.au>
Source record: 150884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Buyer is interested in the Drake R4245 Receiver. Must be in very good condition. Any information on the whereabouts of this radio would be appreciated. Please e-mail any information. Thanks.

Also interested in the Yaesu QTR-24D Analogue type world clock of the mid-80's. Must be in mint condition.

Also WTB, book from TAB by Cornell Drentea, 1982."RADIO COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVERS." Please e-mail. Thanks

4168. FT101B Driver & Final amp Tubes????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: palladinme@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311001301.TAA08023@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150885

Need source for 12BY7A Driver & 2- 6JS6C
Final Amp tubes...
Any suppliers greatly appreciated.
Thank you.
PalladinMe

4169. WTB:*** TV7 military Tube Tester ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: moonshot22@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311002700.TAA10326@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150886

I want one in good working order. email me with price.
thanks--Ron

4170. Timewave DSP-59Y Sold !! Thanks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980311010101.UAA20300@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150887

Sold thanks...

4171. Alinco DJ-F4 - wideband RX expansion please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy lake <TAKE.THIS.OFF.lakeaa@boat.NO.SPAM.bt.com>
Message-ID: <3505E43C.4681@boat.NO.SPAM.bt.com>
Source record: 150888

Has anyone got the wideband RX expansion mod for this rig please?
I know it's a "keyboard only" one - but I can't find it anywhere...

Thanks - Andy

4172. Re: Which Should I keep. 735 or 745?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3505ef2f.87601027@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150889

On Mon, 09 Mar 1998 04:32:51 GMT, NoSpam_km5mz@qsl.net (Kip Chatterson) wrote:
>I own both of these rigs currently.
>I am wondering which one to keep.
>I need to sell one of them but am not sure which.
>I love the size of the 735 and the look.
>I prefer the NB in the 745 as well as the if shift.
>
>Which receiver has better performance?
>Problems noted with each? Fixes?

The receiver in the IC-735 is much better than the one in
the IC-745. The IC-745 is prone to overload and susceptable
to problems with adjacent channel signals due to excess
phase noise in its synthesizer.

Since you have both, try them side by side on 75m at night.
You'l immediately see why you'll want to keep the 735 in
preference to the 745.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4173. duplexer:uhf f/s f/t

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL GOSS <renal@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <3505F10C.9C658C10@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 150890

I have a SINCLAIR RADIO LABS model V450-204SA rack mount duplexer for sale or trade for ham gear. $100 value to me. Swap toward a duplexer that will tune at 444 / 449 mhz.
This duplexer only gives me -58 / -59 db at 444 /449. Size: 3"h x 17"w x 8"d. Protrudes approx 5" from front of rack unit
Can tune to your ham (or ?) freqs. AL K2SPO
Rochester, NY

4174. Re: Help : Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <3505f793.2708240@news.total.net>
Source record: 150891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/at600.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/at600.htm
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/at600.htm

On 10 Mar 1998 14:10:35 GMT, yrac@aol.com (Yrac) wrote:

>>Hi, can anyone help with the modification of a HTX-204. It is currently
>>North American specification but is required for use in the U.K. Does
>>anyone know of a modification to change the 440MHz - 450MHz to 430MHz -
>>440MHz? Or is there a modification for wideband transmit? The radio came
>>without a manual so any information will be gratefully received.
>>Regards, Adrian, G1KEA
>>
>
>Adrian:
>Try this site:
> http://members.aol.com/adimods/at600.htms
>
>The info you are looking for is at the very bottom of the page. I would
>appreciate it if you let me know how this works. I have not tried it, nor have
>I confirmed that the buttons listed are the same on the Radio Shack unit as on
>the ADI. Write me and let me know.
>
>Yrac@aol.com

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

4175. Old color CRT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmcarman@jps.net
Message-ID: <3505f968.31325704@news.jps.net>
Source record: 150892

Looking for an old color CRT, type 18VAMP22 or 18VBDP22. It's a 90 degree triad gun type with blue on bottom. Goes in my Heathkit 18 inch set. Like to keep the set going but CRT's are hard to find now. The set is almost a collectors item.

James Carman, K6ARR
te: 530 885 9335
email:jmcarman@jps.net
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James M. Carman, K6ARR
Email: jmcarman@jps.net
Tel: 530 885 9335

4176. FS Tek Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e4ttm$fkl@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150893

HI All
I have a for sale
TEK 475 scope 200MHz $ 350.00 plus shipping
TEK 465M " 100MHz $ 245.00plus shipping
Good working codition and without Probes
714-778-5151
Thanks

4177. 4Sale ICOM XCVRS (Ontario Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: William.Montgomery@cciw.ca
Message-ID: <William.Montgomery-1003982130400001@bishivappp1.cciw.ca>
Source record: 150894

*** For Sale ***

ICOM IC-751 - All HF Band Transciever with General Coverage Receiver

o 100 Watt 100% Duty Cycle Transmitter
o 105 dB Dynamic Range
o Dual VFO and 32 Memories
o All Modes Built-In USB, LSB, AM, FM, CW, RTTY
o FL-63 & FL53A 250 Hx narrow CW and RTTY filters installed
o EX309 Computer Interface Included
o Mint Condition with All Manuals (Clean, Original Packaging, non-smoker)
o ICOM SM6 Desk Microphone
o Icom Factory Service Manual

$1200 CDN

.....

ICOM IC-271H - 100 Watt 2 Meter All Mode Base Station

o 100% Duty Cycle Transmitter
o All Modes Built-In USB, LSB, FM, CW
o Dual VFO and 32 Memories
o 100 Watts Output Continuously Adjustable
o IC-HM12 Up/Down Hand Microphone
o Mint Condition with All Manuals (Clean, non-smoker)

$900 CDN

VE3EC
Located in Burlington, Ontario
(905) 681-0509 after 7:00 PM
email William.Montgomery@cciw.ca

4178. Is A Quad Conversion Receiver Better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4c9b$8e43ece0$558a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150895

I just read the posting below ona swap site and I thought I'd ask the experts here, is a quad-conversion receiver really "better" than triple? Is it more sensitive? Is it more selective? Is it noisier (perhaps due to pll)? What are the pros and cons of going beyond triple conversion?

I am in weak location (200ft above sea level, surrounded by 350-400foot hills, inland) so I am always looking for a slight edge. I am currently running a Kenwood 440SAT. Would the IC-730 provide a significant receive advantage, or should I get a TS-830s?

"I have an Icom IC-730 HF rig for sale. This is a solid state older unit and is in good condition. It has 80-10 meters with the WARC bands. This unit has the quad-conversion reciever so you KNOW that it will be SENSITIVE!!"

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THANKS & 73, DavidC AA1FA

4179. F/S MSF5000 REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark homayouni <homayou@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3508AD59.EAF02886@ibm.net>
Source record: 150548

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msf5000 repeater/uhf /110 watt/working condition.
$3500.00 for more information please call 770-772-6779
or e-mail.thanks.
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4180. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3508A93E.936D7BD2@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150549
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> Sensible advice, if followed with EXPERIMENTAL investigation.
> I have read this whole off-topic thread, because it would make a hell of a
> power-boost for field day and the more serious scenarios that we train for,
> but in reading this thread, I have seen NOT ONE SENSIBLE answer
> outside your post.
>

Read the www.geet.com "testimonial". You can tell its a fluke. But thanks for the incompetent insult anyway. Gary even brought you the math, I guess because of the 100HZ music transmitter type mindset, you can easily imagine whatever you want. I'll even offer to run the simulation on my machine of your radio, as long as you draw the circuit and compile it into a netnode list, along with all needed models of devices (standard of course).

>All the other answers I have read sound like the stuff I got when I said I had
>made a radio that had transmitted music on a 100 Hz bandspread.

Another good one. Ever heard of the Fourier Transform? Try it sometime. Reread my offer.

> It sounds also like the injunction argument that broke Lee DeForest.
> You may remember reading about him. He claimed to have invented
> a thing (he called it an AUDION) which could amplify audio.
>

In his case, no one understood the physics at the time, and even more than that, the "established base" wasn't open to anything even logically presented because at the time, the best place to be was on a board or academic position. Comfortably I may add. How else could you explain the overlooking of real proof that audio amplification provides?

On the other hand, the fuel processor is a thing much different. There isn't a lick of proof whatsoever. The proof presented so far has been here say by a visit to a "installation", then a grand excuse of why the car so equipped couldn't make it to the demo, and measurements taken from equipment that was neither tested for calibration, accuracy, or tampering. And further, enough tests were not performed. Get real, no dyno test. The control system for this device is non-existant. How does it adapt to the engine needs, tell me? And finally, after failing proof tests of validity by measurement, it fails the laws of physics miserably. Maybe physics could be rewritten if all the true proof tests were passed, but it couldn't even do that. So there, I am thinking, you are accepting an opinion of an uninformed and ill equipped observer, and for some reasons the same instincts that for some reason tell you that you can build an AM radio that transmits music in 100HZ bandwidth or less take over and prevent you from thinking by giving you a headache.

Now, please, trully start thinking!

> The court agreed with the arguments by the supposed authorities of the day,
> who hadn't assayed the subject, but had just read it and decided it didn't work.
>

Engineering is engineering. The guy is either creating a nuclear reaction or its bogus. You can't extract more chemical energy where there is none, and a fine mist of water would never increase engine effecieny greatly, it only modifys the temperature of the intake air flow, therefore modifying possible timing curves and boost delivery curves on turbo motors, and even further down the line, allows more fuel to be injected into the engine. Its detonation elimination effect is about the only true effeciency improvement that it garners, because with less det., you can run more agressive timing, improving the use of your fuel.

> We call the Audion tube (valve) a Triode, today.
> All CRT tubes on TVs and PCs are descended from the man who was ordered
> by the court to stop selling AUDION bottles.
>
> You sound like you are trying to join the few who do think, and I commend
> you for it.
>

I'm sorry, but that guy has not thought a bit, nor has the president of GEET, nor has the guy who built the thing, except for turning a profit from people who aren't engineers. And finally, neither have you. I don't deny that inventors can come up with some impressive stuff, but the fuel processor is not one of them. And looking at your homepage, you have alot of bogus stuff also. If your idea is so impressive about the pulse engine, try it on a supercomputer. I'm sure someone can throw away the money for you to try it, if your proposal was well worded. Heck time is so cheap now, it really doesn't have to be That reasonable. These simulations are completely impartial, applying only the laws of physics that seem to apply to every other thing on the planet. Would you maintain that there is a better laws of physics? Then that could be tested too. Establish them, program a new simulator, then simulate your engine. Then plug in a real everyday engine. The fact that the real engine no longer runs should prove enough to you.

David Pearce - KF4MOK
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

4181. Re: Icom 706 MII & Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rtm@netgate.net
Message-ID: <rtm-ya02408000R1203982013100001@nntp.netgate.net>
Source record: 150550

In article <19980312060901.BAA10359@ladder03.news.aol.com>, fmd100@aol.com (FMD 100) wrote:

> I am thinking of buying the 706 MII for a company car and would, therefore, need
> to use a fairly low profile antenna. My guess is that most of the smaller HF
> mobile antennas out there have fairly narrow bandwidth. At this point, I'm trying
> to determine if the radio/antenna combination I'm considering would require the
> purchase of Icom's matching antenna tuner at an additional $500+. Are most of
> those out there using the 706/706 MII using an antenna tuner? Are there any
> fairly low profile antennas out there which have wide enough bandwidth on 10,
> 15 and 20 meters so as not to require the antenna tuner?
>
> de Fred (N9LUR)

Many single band HF mobile antennas (hamsticks - around $20) will work OK in a small portion of the band. If you want a tuner, I'd ignore the Icom and get the SGC 231 - it covers 1.8 to 60 MHz, and works very well with the 706. That's the pair I have in my jeep - the 706 Mk II and the SGC 231. I can work most bands using the 20m hamstick, switching to other antennas when I want better performance.

(better than what, I hear the hue and cry - any mobile antenna is a compromise, especially at low frequencies. you need a GOOD ground, which for me meant ground straps on doors, hood, rear hatch, etc. about the best mobile antenna you can get is a screwdriver - the performance is superb, and they are very large and very ugly.)

73-

bob martin k6rtm

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Bob Martin K6RTM * rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net

4182. FOR SALE: Clean Kenwood TS-820S with CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3508B2DC.7E6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale a very clean Kenwood TS-820S HF transceiver with
the optional CW filter installed.. No microphone, but does have
a copy of users' manual included.

$350, located in Southern California

Steve-WA6GSD

4183. Here is a mod for cellular reception with Icom IC-W32A!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6eabs0$jf8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150552

Hi guys
I thought you might like to hear about this. Without getting into your radio and hacking it, you can do interesting stuff with a standard IC-W32A. Here is how to do it:

Press BAND and SQUELCH while pushing POWER ON and keep pressing these 2 keys for at least 5 seconds. Here is the receive range you get on the 2 parts of the display. You alternate between the ranges bypressing the BAND button.

Right side of the display:

Band one : 10 NOAA weather channels.
Band two : 108.000 to 135.995.
Band three : 136.000 to 199.995.
Band four : 435.000 to 454.995.

Now the fun stuff is on the left part of the display, you get 4 bands but the interesting one is the fourth one, here goes.

Left side of the display:

Band one : 136.000 to 199.995.
Band two : 300.000 to 399.995.
Band three : 400.000 to 599.995.
Band four : 600.000 to 824.000.
849.000 to 869.000.
899.000 to 999.995.

If you look at band four, you notice the gaps in the 800 range, that's where cellular is. But I found out by listening that the 600.000 to 824.000 part is in fact the missing part of the 800 band. This means that 624.000 to 649.000 is in fact 824.000 to 849.000 and 669.000 to 699.000 is in fact 869.000 to 899.000. I have heard lots of cellular conversations on that band and reception is full quieting, which means it is not image frequencies but the real thing. I found that out by accident, I was just listening to that band when I heard cell phones everywhere. What I don't know is what the 700.000 to 824.000 part gives you. Hope you like this discovery. It sure beats hacking into your radio with a microscope. Have fun.

73 de Mike.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4184. Re: FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3508BDF4.64E8@onramp.net>
Source record: 150553

Jordan Arndt wrote:
>
> have the following items on E-bay... Inluding some tubes ,R-390 Parts
> VHF Pre-amp and other
> stuff...:
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7879476
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7607849
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7728823
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> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7730379
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> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7799975
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> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7800230
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> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7839074
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7840924
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8094667
>
> This includes COLLINS R-390 Parts, Tubes for Collins tubes for
> National,Hallicrafters Motorola test unit and a HEATH CPO... sorry for
> the Bandwidth I need more room... 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

Contrary to your beliefs, that is not FOR SALE, it is up for bid...
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

4185. Wtb: Hickok Tube Tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan B. Seyboldt" <clairopt@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3508BA8C.C484C477@earthlink.net>
Source record: 150554

Hello to all,

I am looking for a Hickok KS-15750-L1 Tube Tester in good shape.

Tnx Alan K7OPT

4186. ft-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aleksandar Maric <amaric@uss.net>
Message-ID: <35086E3B.65F98258@uss.net>
Source record: 150555

I am considering the purchase of Yaesu ft-920 and I would appreciate any feedback related to this rig, good sides, bad sides, performance on hf and especislly 50 MHz. How is automatic antenna tuner performing? Beside ctcss encoder does it also have ctcss decoder for 10 and 6 meter? How is it performing on repeaters?

Thanks to everybody,
Alex (amaric@uss.net)

4187. Re: MFJ morse code tutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ea232$3gn$2@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

K2JY wrote:
>
> have mfj morse code tutor for 55.oo like new hardly used includes shipping
>
> K2JY@aol.com

Guys, buy this. I have one and it is great!! Has all the advantages
of tapes (convenient to carry) and software code programs (flexible).

Besides, this seems to be a good price.

4188. Re: MFJ morse code tutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3508D4BC.284F@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

K2JY wrote:
> >
> > have mfj morse code tutor for 55.oo like new hardly used includes shipping
> >
> > K2JY@aol.com

> Guys, buy this. I have one and it is great!! Has all the advantages
> of tapes (convenient to carry) and software code programs (flexible).
>
> Besides, this seems to be a good price.

I also own the MFJ Pocket Morse Code Tutor and it's VERY flexable.
I can set all sorts of things on it to help me practice. The most
important feature is the user selected character set. It provides
random characters for the set of characters I select. This allows
me to pick the "problem" characters and work on them.

Currently there are 3 different models of this Tutor. The prices
are: $40, $60, & $80. Also there's an older model of this Tutor.
If you're going to purchase the Tutor, make sure you know which
model you're getting. Better yet, Buy the top of the line unit
with the LCD for $80. It has some great and useful features that
the lower models don't have.

Bob
KF6JHG
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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

4189. Re: FT-50R mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6eao65$14e$1@usenet50.supernews.com>
Source record: 150558

Ron Kerlin wrote in message <3500bb0c.0@newsread.cioe.com>...

>On versions later than ver102 of the software, you will receive a "corrupt
>file" if you try to edit or open a file that you have uploaded from your
>radio. I would only do the hardware mods.
>73 de Ron/kb9lsh

I have version 1.05 and have not noticed this. I have uploaded files to
edit. You loose your comments though.

Mark KF7JA

4190. Re: Foreign Licensing question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ea1o9$3gn$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150559

jordan@santanet.com wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the rules and regulations for using amateur radios in Saudi
> Arabia or Kuwait?? Being in the Air Force, I may get deployed there and I
> was wanting to take my radios with me and use them. Just trying to get my
> ducks in a row before I go over there. I need to know the licensing
> requirements, and any restrictions that may apply.
>
> Thanks,
> Paul Jordan
> KL0AN
>

Saudi is VERY restrictive. I believe that there are only four
licensed stations, with three belonging to members of the Royal
family. HZ1AB is at the Dharan Air Base. It is available to
members of the military and certain foreigners. I took my upgrade
exam via them. Very nice station with a huge rombic.

73s...N9NWO/DA4NWO

4191. Telewave Wattmeter 44A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35089E04.93D9C22E@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 150560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Telewave Watt meter Model 44A. The condition of the meter is
excellent.It comes with uhf connectors installed. The frequency range is
from 20 mhz to 1000 mhz, from 5 watt range to 500 watt range. I do not
have the manual for this unit.
The first 250.00 takes it.
Please e-mail if you are interested.
Thanks for reading this.
Mike

4192. Re: HTX-202 Modifikation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: C Hatton Humphrey <kc5sig@redriverok.com>
Message-ID: <3508009F.5AB8@redriverok.com>
Source record: 150598

Christian Veit wrote:
>
> Does anyone know wether it is possible to modify the RX/TX Range of the
> HX-202?
> And if it is possible could tell me how?
> Thanks a lot in advance

Christian, the HTX-202 was built as a rig to have as few problems with
RFI as possible. The PLL is designed only to output on the 2M band.
There are no true modifications for this radio, except one to operate a
9600 packet, and even that one entails modifying the case slightly.

The 202 is not designed to handle the out of band frequencies in any way
shape or form. Sorry

Hatton
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~~~~~~
Hatton Humphrey Southeastern Oklahoma State University
hatton@null.net
~~~~~~
Very funny Mr. Scott... Now beam my clothes down too!

4193. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: C Hatton Humphrey <kc5sig@redriverok.com>
Message-ID: <35080110.2DF7@redriverok.com>
Source record: 150599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve Weaver wrote:
>
> I have a HTX-212 with a weak microphone. You basically need to yell into
> it to be heard at normal levels. Does anybody know if there are any pots
> that can be tweaked on the main board to help remedy this?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Steve
> KB8RDI

You might want to contact Radio Shack Technical Support at
1-800-THE-SHAC for your answer on that one. Might be a case of a
problem in your audio circuit or somehting wrong with the actual mic

Hatton
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~~~~~~
Hatton Humphrey Southeastern Oklahoma State University
hatton@null.net
~~~~~~
Very funny Mr. Scott... Now beam my clothes down too!

4194. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3507fca3.40835428@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 04:20:19 GMT, inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts) wrote:
>>But in fact the FCC doesn't license anything less than a Class A station
>>anymore. That's 3 kW, and that costs about 60 cents an hour, or $432 a
>>month. That's still not what I'd call "very rich", but it is a bit heavy for a
>>casual hobbyist. And indeed that's the intent, to keep the casual hobbyist
>>from frivolously tying up broadcast frequencies.
>
>Yes, but is that taking into account $100,000 for an antenna or renting tower
>space, buying a transmitter ($30,000), buying a control board, cart machines,
>microphones, cables, soldering equipment, blank tapes, renting satellite
>equipment, Marti STLs, transmitter monitoring equipment, modulation monitors,
>headphones, log books, staff salaries, etc.?
>
>Seems to me there is a lot more to a radio station than "$432 a month."

Most of that is capital budget, not operating budget. The tower and transmitter are nearly the only capital items unique to broadcast. The rest would be required if you were just a disco DJ with no broadcast aspirations. And you can amortize capital budget items over their expected lifetimes. That's at least 20 years for transmitter and tower. For a Class A, you aren't looking at a $100,000 tower or a $30,000 transmitter anyway. You're looking at a $10,000 tower and a $5,000 transmitter.

Staff salaries exist for any small business with employees. If you were running an auto body shop, you'd have those too. Consumables are also part of any small business operation. Radio is generally a *small business*. It is not the province of the "very rich". That's absurd. Most radio stations are mom and pop operations.

Most of the people on this thread seem to look at this as a *hobby*, and broadcasting *as a hobby* would be rather expensive. But as a small business, it is not expensive. Most stations net a comfortable living for their owners, just as a hair saloon or an auto body shop might. The level of investment required isn't much different than to open a coin laundry.

What seems lacking here is *perspective*. Consider that a McDonalds franchise costs $1,000,000. That would put up one mighty fine radio broadcast facility, considerably better than 99% of the Class A stations in existence. You can actually get a Class A on the air for under $20,000 if you don't mind buying some used equipment. That amortizes out to a little over $1,000 a year on your operating budget. That's *well* below your power bill for the year. And both together total to less than the

poverty line in the US. Saying broadcast is the province of the "very rich" is nonsense.

The vast majority of broadcasters are mom and pop operations. But they *are* businesses, not really much different from a hair saloon or an auto body shop. They are how middle class people earn their living. Broadcasting isn't a hobbyist playground, it is a serious business that keeps the kids fed and clothed.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4195. FS Sony 7600G $130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Goldblatt <ka1dpw@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6e91nl$g3v$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 150601

Sony ICF-7600G w/sony AC adapter, manual, case, reel-antenna, like-new. $130.

David Goldblatt <ka1dpw@erols.com>

4196. Re: beacon question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35080368.42569155@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150602

On 11 Mar 1998 00:19:17 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>In article <3501FD17.2854@inreach.com>, Bill <whagen@inreach.com> wrote:
>>for people running beacons, 10 meter band etc,
>>what kind of control, computer, software, etc are you using to get the
>>CW message to be repetative?
>
>The most simple and reliable "keyer" would be a motor-driven wheel;
>use a nib to remove pieces around the circumference so that only
>the code characters remain - these then open and close a lever-switch.
>
>We used such code wheels for our coastal aid-to-navigation radio
>beacons.

That is simple, but it is a Rube Goldberg mechanism with moving parts that wear and fail. A better approach is a PIC processor and a keying transistor. Total cost under $10, and solid state so there is nothing to wear out. ($35 if you use a Basic Stamp to ease programming effort.) This can implement all your timers and handle ID chores as well as any other message you want to beacon.

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4197. Re: Astron vs Switching power supply?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6e92ja$msc@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 150603

I first bought a behemoth Astron with transformers. It made my computer screen gitter. I swapped ot for the Astron switching 35 amp (25 cont) with meters. Seems to be working fine. Love those meters. No computer gitters.

4198. Re: IC-207 Mike question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6e93fdmop1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 150604

In article <35072D40.6B0@rpa.net>,
"T. Calvete (KA2OMQ)" <calvete@rpa.net> wrote:
>Has anyone used a computer style RJ45 cable to extend the microphone
>cable? $54 seems a bit steep for one with the ICOM label
>
>Thanks
>
>-Tom
>calvete@rpa.net

---------- I have been told that any comparable cable/jack is O.K. No need to pay the ICOM price.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

4199. Re: Anyone Know the Mod for the ICOM T-8A, that opens up 220 and 900 TX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <350811DB.E6B26415@pactitle.com>
Source record: 150605

Andy Zorca wrote:

Hello Andy.. Did you find out.. I have a gif that shows which D54.

let me know if you have seen this mod or want the gif.

>

What other mods have you seen for this radio..

73..
Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk

> Thanks!
>
> Andy

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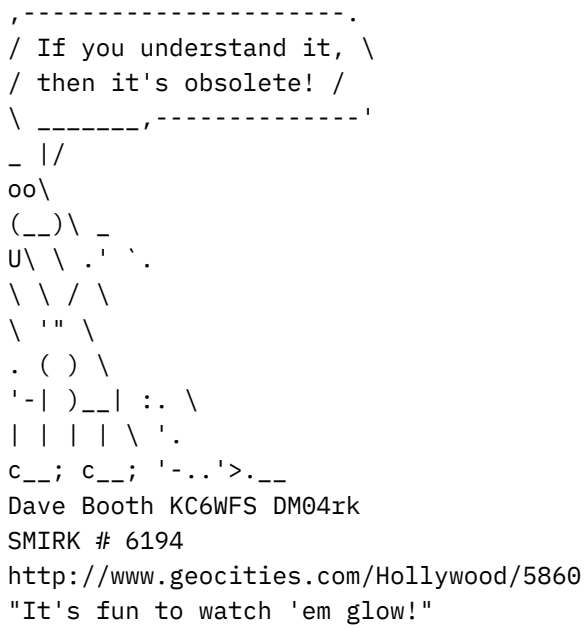

Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk
SMIRK # 6194
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860
"It's fun to watch 'em glow!"

4200. Descramblers and Signal Meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312171501.MAA28306@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150606

Speech Inversion can be descrambled utilizing a balanced
modulator/demodulator circuit.
We manufacture a Frequency Inversion Descrambler in wired and tested and
kit form as well as Signal meter's for Scanners. Our Descrambler is
tunable from 2400 to 4700 Hz.

CTP Descramblers
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

4201. ONE OF A KIND 781 ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: BILL SALERNO <W2ONV@WORLDNET.ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <6e95np$5ca@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150607

FS ICOM 781 EXCELLENT TO NEW HAS 3.3 KC 2.8 KC AND 2.4 KC FOR SSB...
WELCOME ON THE AIR SOUND TEST......THE BEST AUDIO AND REC ON TODAYS
MARKET..........BILL SALERNO/////////$3900 A REAL BARGAIN !!!!!!!!!!
w2onv@worldnet.att.net fax (201) 368-2460 phone (201) 368-3655

4202. Foreign Licensing question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jordan@santanet.com
Message-ID: <6e96rcnbk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150608

Does anyone know the rules and regulations for using amateur radios in Saudi Arabia or Kuwait?? Being in the Air Force, I may get deployed there and I was wanting to take my radios with me and use them. Just trying to get my ducks in a row before I go over there. I need to know the licensing requirements, and any restrictions that may apply.

Thanks,
Paul Jordan
KL0AN

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4203. I sell Dummy Load

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6e96p5$sod@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 150609
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I sell 5 Dummy Load Spinner BN527766, 400 Ws 4Ghz, new, with special connectors (used male), to the price of 600DM. For Other information you write to this address.

llinus@frael.it

4204. I sell Big Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6e96pj$sod@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 150610
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Collins 208U10:
It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
Power: 3Kw carrying fixed, 10 Kw pep, tone cw 10 Kw.
Consumptions: with tone cw 22.5 nominal Kws, factor of power 0.98 .
Input power 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
Inclusive of exciter Redifon EK203N or Harris 131
Aplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe 4CX10000D
Dimensions: Height 175 cm, Depth 70 cm, Width 108 cm, Weight 760 Kg
Autotunig.

Siemens:
It doesn't originate from a ship, in fact it was of a terrestrial station.
Power: Telegraphy power on A1,F1,F4 and F6 = 5 Kw
RF troppower on A3A, A3j and A3B = 10Kw
Carrier by A2 and A3 =2.5 Kw
Input power: 380/440 volts, three phases + neutral
Inclusive of filter of the air, exciter Siemens.
Amplifier to Pipes: Final 1 pipe RS2010 Siemens
Dimensions: Heigt 160 cm, Width 150 cm, Deep 60 cm, Weight 1500 Kg
Autotunig.

4205. Re: Ross Distributing Price for 847 - $2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <3507F06C.A4BF8D29@fredonia.edu>
Source record: 150611

hershman wrote:

>$1700 to $1600 USA price. NOT $2000

I do hope you are correct. I was rather surprised to see the $2000 price
on the Ross page... Maybe they figure they'd be happy to take $2000 from
anyone for this on the theory that it will surely be less. Check out:

http://www.rossdist.com/ya.pri

Anyway, have you heard anything about the specifications for the radio
other than what's in the ads? In particular, I'm wondering if there will

be a wide enough FM filter (20-30 Khz) to support high speed digital
satellite use. In order to do this with the 736 we all had to tear out
our
12.5 KHz wide filters and install new ones.

I gather from what I've heard that there is no transverter port? Do you
know how many antenna connectors the radio will have? I notice the
ads say it includes low noise preamps for 2 meters and 70 cm. Have there

been any data published on the noise figure for these? Also is there
any information available about the physical dimensions of the radio?

Sorry to bother you about this sort of stuff, but historically you seem
to
have much better advance information than anyone else.

Thanks!

John, W2FS

4206. SGC 2020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tanger@gualala.Cadence.COM
Message-ID: <6e97im$f0d$1@news.cadence.com>
Source record: 150612

Has anyone had an opportunity to try one? Any opinions?

Tony WA6LZH

4207. FS: ICOM 781

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: BILL SALERNO <W2ONV@WORLDNET.ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <6e97vv$5ca@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150613

ONE OF A KIND TRANS. THAT HAS ALL......SOUND--CW (SWEET) AND A REAL
RECEIVER THAT GET RID OF THAT SIDE INT.MUST SEE OR HEAR TO REALLY
APPRECIATE THIS UNUSUAL RADIO...HAS 3.3KC 2.8KC 2.4KC FILTERS FOR SSB
AND CW AS LOW AS YOU WANT OR HI AS YOU WANT.......NOTHING IN TODAYS
MARKET WILL TOUCH IT....UNIT MODIFIED BY ME WITH ICOM PARTS AND THEIR
NOTICE.....AS SUCH........
>>>>>>>>w2onv@worldnet.att.net fax (201) 368-2460 phone (201)
368-3655<<<

>>>>>>>>>>>>LISTEN MORNINGS 14178.OO 6 TO 9 AM <<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

4208. Tower: U.S.towers motorized unused FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312183500.NAA08081@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150614

My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and received a U.S. Towers 70 foot
fully motorized crank up tubular tower.It includes the indoor control box to raise and lower the
tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.He payed $6000+shipping.His wife would
take $4000 . You can call me at 516 486 1861. We are in New York on Long Island. KB2VX Rob.
qin2@aol.com. thanks I have original receipt with model #s and all.

4209. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1203980952390001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <01bd4d6a$60fb5c80$f552bec7@home>, "Steve Weaver"
<StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com> wrote:

>I have a HTX-212 with a weak microphone. You basically need to yell into
>it to be heard at normal levels. Does anybody know if there are any pots
>that can be tweaked on the main board to help remedy this?

The RS speaker mic is notorious for that problem. Either use the mic built
into the front of the radio or buy one of the ICOM speaker mics that will
also fit that radio.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

4210. FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <35083A64.2C60@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150616

have the following items on E-bay... Inluding some tubes ,R-390 Parts
VHF Pre-amp and other
stuff...:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7879476

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7607849

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7728823

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7730379

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7799975

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7800230

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7839074

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7840924

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8094667

This includes COLLINS R-390 Parts, Tubes for Collins tubes for
National,Hallicrafters Motorola test unit and a HEATH CPO... sorry for
the Bandwidth I need more room... 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

4211. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35081c51.48947151@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150617
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Tue, 10 Mar 1998 20:38:51 +0000, Philip de Cadenet
<philip@two-way.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>David,
>
>I have to throw in my 2c, I mean 2penneth worth as I have a close
>working colleague that has witnessed a GEET processor in operation.
>May I make a suggestion. As you're in the country of origin of the GEET,
>may I suggest you take your blinkers off, dial-up the GEET.com web-site,
>get yourself along to the next open display/lecture in a town near you
>and simply observe.
>Let's just say I'm intending to order a new Z28 Camaro later in the year
>when the retrofitted 350 V8's have been fully sorted and will be
>bringing this car back to England via the GEET site in Utah.
>A damn long way to drive for something that does'nt work especially as
>I'm buying the car in DA.
>Tell you what I'll do, to help you off with the blinkers' If after a
>personal demonstration you're not totally convinced of the GEET's
>ability to live up to the manufacturers claims, and yours, I'll
>personally send you $1000.

Hey, I want in on this deal. I can always use a fast $1000.

The stock factory 350 Chevy small block (1998 Z-28 spec)
achieves a brake thermal efficiency of 38.4% by actual test
cell measurement (SAE measure). Brake thermal efficiency
is the ratio of shaft output energy on a dyno brake to the energy
contained in its fuel (18,000 BTU per pound).

The absolute Carnot cycle limit efficiency for this engine
(assuming no breathing restrictions or mechanical losses
or combustion inefficiencies, which are, of course, impossible
to achieve in practice) is 57.4%. This is the engine's so-called
Air Standard Efficiency. So the stock engine delivers 67% of
the theoretically possible efficiency in converting its fuel's
energy to shaft output energy. And so any claim that efficiency
can be improved more than 33% is bogus on its face.

If the GEET device could actually do what it claims, IE improve
the brake thermal efficiency of the small block Chevy engine by
300%. The engine's brake thermal efficiency would be 201% of
the theoretically possible Carnot cycle limit, thus violating the
basic laws of themodynamics. And it would represent 115.2% of
the total input energy contained in the fuel, which would make it
an over-unity perpetual motion machine.

Since I have faith in the laws of thermodynamics, and I believe
a perpetual motion machine is impossible, I have no doubt that
I can collect an easy $1,000 here.

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4212. Re: ICOM IS JUNK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.980312142018.26112C-100000@klingon>
Source record: 150618

Hey there, i have also found Icom rigs to come out on top. I have had Kenwood and quite frankly their receivers just can't hack it. I have an Icom HT, a repeater, and an HF rig. I have 2 kenwood mobiles, and 1 HF rig. I think everything from here on out will be an Icom and their service from what i hear is great. Also with Icom when you call their technical support they are right there to help you with any problem. 73 de Jed.n1jbc.

4213. Re: Can the Tektronix TDS 210 replace an analog scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Frazel <david.frazel@tek.com>
Message-ID: <35083CE3.7EA@tek.com>
Source record: 150619
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Dave:

For the most part, digital scopes will do everything analog scopes will....plus a lot more as you and other respondees have noted.

There are cetrtain types of signals that really challenge a DSO however - primarily amplitude modulated RF carriers. In a nutshell, if you run the timebase slow enough to view the modulation envelope, you may end up undersampling the carrier - resulting in an aliased display. Peak detect acquisition mode helps, but the peak detect circuit employed in the TDS200 series isn't 100% efficient and so, can still result in aliasing.

Best regards,

Dave

Dave Martindale wrote:>
>
> So, my question: If I buy a TDS 210, can I get rid of my analog scope
> entirely? Or are there still some things that analog does better?
>

4214. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350840FB.4A738F32@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150620

On the "Waters and Stanton Web Page" (British Ham Dealer) they said another Manufacturer other than Icom is comming out with a IC-706 type of radio this summer. My guess is it is Yaesu but it could be Kenwood also....ADI ????
73's NS1R

Pete McGreevy wrote:

> > The FT-736 will be replaced by the FT-847. THe FT-900CAT will also be
> > replaced by the FT-847. The FT-900AT used to cost around $1300. Now the
> > Price is down to $1200 and they give you the Collins SSBfilter, 500HZ CW
> > Filter, plus the separation kit for free. It is a decent value. I am
> > hoping perhaps another $100 dicount in 2-3 months on the last ones in
> > stock. The FT-847 may cost as little as $1600 but also has 6/2/440/DSP.
> > 73's NS1R Steve
>
> Personally the 847 cannot replace the 900. They are two totally
> different radios. I am surprised that Yaesu is not coming out with an
> updated 900, perhaps something with DSP and a few IF filters, and perhaps
> dual passband tuning like the old 757 had. It would be a pity if they
> didn't replace it with something similar. Furthermore, it would seem to
> me that, if they don't replace it, Yaesu just rolled over to the 706,
> which is its only competition. The 847 is too large, unfiltered in the
> IF stages on SSB (to my knowledge), does not have an internal tuner
> (which greatly facilitates operation, especially mobile, but I'd like to
> see what that new antenna they have will do...and if you can change bands
> remotely), and does not have a removable faceplate (although they might
> do an 8000/8100 disappearing act trick...8000, what 8000 :)
> Hey, has anyone tried to sling a radio as large as an 847 (and let's face
> it folks, it ain't big, but it ain't small) from the passenger side dash
> of, say, an Integra, or a Civic..... I hope your girlfriend has short
> legs...)
>
> ANYWAYS, that's my opinion....
>
> Pete -- KA2YDY
>
> PS- After a life of being a Yeasu only operator..... My Kingdom for an
> IC-746...

4215. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbickel@iquest.net
Message-ID: <35083f03.28841500@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 150621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Only the obscenely rich can afford to sell Big Macs.

4216. FS 400 feet 1 5/8" Andrews feedline with connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <35082d48.14742661@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150622
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Have 400 feet of Andrews 1 5/8" feedline WITH CONNECTORS for
sale. On wooden spool so it can be easily shipped via motor freight.
This piece of feedline cost over $5,000 new with connectors. Will
sell for $2,000 or trade for other gear. Just removed from service.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT

4217. 400 feet Andrews 7/8" Hardline with connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <35082ec1.15119657@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150623
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The local 2 way guru just called me and he has just removed a
400 foot piece of Andrews 7/8" hardline from a tower that
is being taken down. The coax is in super condition and is WITH
CONNECTORS on each end. With connectors this is about a
$3,000 piece of hardline. Price is $800 and it is on a wooden spool
so it can be shipped via motor freight.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT

Lubbock, Texas

4218. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3508410A.3E1EA142@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150624
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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> can be improved more than 33% is bogus on its face.
>

The Chevy 350 is an even nicer motor than I always played it up to be ... as you know I don't doubt your numbers at all, however, where in the world do you get the effeciency numbers? I have a few other motors to look up. This would have been useful for my posts.

Pearce - KF4MOK

4219. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@jimdee.0spam.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <35083b29.3379155@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 150625
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 06:00:03 -0600, "Charles Brabham"
<n5pvl@texoma.net> wrote:

>
>David L Pearce wrote in message <350551AF.726F148C@eos.ncsu.edu>...
>
>>Lets get something straight .... water has NO POTENTIAL CHEMICAL ENERGY.
>Please
>>note chemical. If it had potential chemical energy, rivers would explode on
>>snip<
>
>That's correct. It is also true that piston engined aircraft have used water
>injectors for years to increase power and range. The water is not used as a
>fuel, of course. It's certainly not an octane booster.

And water-methanol injection in turboprops to boost
performance when taking off from high-altitude
airfields.

--
- Jim, g4rga | A man who dies rich dies
olympus@jimdee.pres tel.co.uk | disgraced.
g 4rga@aol.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | -- Andrew Carnegie.
| 1835 - 1919
Rallies info: www2.prestel.co.uk/jimdee

4220. Artificial ground experiences??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sven Wijk <knr810a@tninet.se>
Message-ID: <35084B9F.19B594D@tninet.se>
Source record: 150626

My shack is one the second floor and I have problems getting a good RF ground. Thus I'm considering to buy an artficial ground unit like MFJ-931.

Does anybody have experience of MFJ-931 or similar constructions? Is it worth the money?

Sven, SM5PXK

4221. FS 70' motorized U.S.Towers unused

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312213300.QAA02769@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150627

My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and received a U.S. Towers 70 foot
fully motorized crank up tubular tower.It includes the indoor control box to raise and lower the
tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.He payed $6000+shipping.His wife would
take $4000 . You can call me at 516 486 1861. We are in New York on Long Island. KB2VX Rob.
qin2@aol.com. thanks I have original receipt and paperwork

4222. Re: Can the Tektronix TDS 210 replace an analog scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6e9jru$5je@idle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 150628
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dave Frazel <david.frazel@tek.com> writes:
>There are cetrtain types of signals that really challenge a DSO
>however - primarily amplitude modulated RF carriers. In a nutshell, if
>you run the timebase slow enough to view the modulation envelope, you
>may end up undersampling the carrier - resulting in an aliased display.
>Peak detect acquisition mode helps, but the peak detect circuit employed
>in the TDS200 series isn't 100% efficient and so, can still result in
>aliasing.

Thanks for the comment. Looking at amplitude-modulated RF carriers is
one thing I do not expect to be doing with this scope. The problem is
that I can't afford a scope with enough bandwidth to look at the
frequencies I'm able to transmit on (e.g. 144 MHz and up). (Yeah,
I know the TDS210 would work for 6 m, but I don't use it).

Dave

4223. Wanted Drake R4C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: anselmos@worldcom.ch
Message-ID: <anselmos-120398211004@portge26.worldcom.ch>
Source record: 150629

Hi there,
I am looking for the Drake noise blanker R4C. Anyone has one for sale?
Thanks in advance Anselmo, HB9ICK.
Please reply to anselmos@worldcom.ch

4224. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathryn Mataga <cathryn@junglevision.com>
Message-ID: <350863EE.2BF4C28F@junglevision.com>
Source record: 150630

hershman wrote:
> On the "Waters and Stanton Web Page" (British Ham Dealer) they said another
> Manufacturer other than Icom is comming out with a IC-706 type of radio this
> summer. My guess is it is Yaesu but it could be Kenwood also....ADI ????
> 73's NS1R

Makes sense it would be Yaesu -- especially if they're really cutting the
FT-900. I'd think for Kenwood, an IC-706 style radio would replace the
TS-50/60 and I hsven't heard that they're dropping those from anyone.

4225. MOTO AP50???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: TINY2NZ <tiny2nz@mailhost.nospamjorsm.com>
Message-ID: <3508435F.4620AE4D@mailhost.nospamjorsm.com>
Source record: 150631
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Has anybody out there ever heard of a Motorola Radius AP 50 portable???
Is it any good??? any info could help
thanks
Bryan W9ZRO
tiny2nz@jorsm.com

4226. fs:Heathkit HW100 and power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312231001.SAA18961@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150632

I have a heathkit hw100 and hp23a power supply for sale,both in good working condition.hw100 has all new tubes.asking 145.oo which includes shipping

thanks,
K2jy@aol.com

4227. WTB - HDVL coils

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4zo@sccoast.net
Message-ID: <35086d33.41526553@news.sccoast.net>
Source record: 150633

I need the 80 and 40 meter HDVL coils.
thanks,
Gus
n4zo@sccoast.net

4228. WTB- Cabbage chopper cap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4zo@sccoast.net
Message-ID: <35086cbc.41407490@news.sccoast.net>
Source record: 150634

I would like to find a B&W variable cap. It is a two section affair
and about 300 per section.
thanks
Gus
n4zo@sccoast.net

4229. Tower In Many Languages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4e0f$f5cef920$458a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thought many, especially the DX,ers, might enjoy having this info! 73,
DavidC AA1FA

Tower:

czech: Ve^z^
english: Tower
french: Tour
german: der Turm
greek: pi'rgos
hawaiian: `ale`o
hebrew: Migdal
hungarian: Torony
italian: Torre
japanese: Tawaa, Tou
mandarin: ta<sup>v</sup
spanish: Torre

Accents are represented by ' (acute) ` (grave) " (umlaut), ^ (circumflex),
and * (ring)

You can hear all the translations spoken at:
http://www.travlang.com/wordofday/190.html

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4230. High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEpqC29.1ps@netcom.com>
Source record: 150636

Picked up a tektronix high voltage o-scope probe a while back - it has provision to be filled with a dielectric liquid/gas/vapor stuff to increase it's HV capability (10kv without, 25kv or so with the stuff).

What is this stuff?

Can you get it anymore, or is it CFC and not available?

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

4231. new ft50r mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmayer7309@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312234900.SAA25999@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150637

Does anyone have the mods for the new ft50r.I have done the mars/cap mod with success.But unable to have the freeband mod. I am using the adms 1D software program. Any suggestions?

pm7309@a.o.l

4232. Re: Can the Tektronix TDS 210 replace an analog scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <3508637C.3B23@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 150638
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dave Martindale wrote:
>
> Dave Frazel <david.frazel@tek.com> writes:
> >There are cetrtain types of signals that really challenge a DSO
> >however - primarily amplitude modulated RF carriers. In a nutshell, if
> >you run the timebase slow enough to view the modulation envelope, you
> >may end up undersampling the carrier - resulting in an aliased display.
> >Peak detect acquisition mode helps, but the peak detect circuit employed
> >in the TDS200 series isn't 100% efficient and so, can still result in
> >aliasing.
>
> Thanks for the comment. Looking at amplitude-modulated RF carriers is
> one thing I do not expect to be doing with this scope. The problem is
> that I can't afford a scope with enough bandwidth to look at the
> frequencies I'm able to transmit on (e.g. 144 MHz and up). (Yeah,
> I know the TDS210 would work for 6 m, but I don't use it).
>
> Dave

Tektronix 454 = $200-$250 in reasonable condition, with usable coverage
well past the 2m band.

No digital storage on the 454, but then you almost certainly don't need
digital storage. Find a 454 for $200 and a 25 MHz 434 analog-storage
scope for another $200, and you will rarely run into a problem you can't
tackle with one or the other.

-- jm

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

4233. FS: Icom SM6 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1SWR <fleet@mbl.edu>
Message-ID: <35086FB2.5AD2@mbl.edu>
Source record: 150639

I have a exc. cond. SM6, no scratches etc., will ship for 65.00

4234. Re: Yaesu 847 How much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@Prodigy.Net>
Message-ID: <35088403.4ABD@Prodigy.Net>
Source record: 150640

Tom Nicastri wrote:
>
> The 847 has been released in some counties but not here in the USA.
>
> Anyone have some info on the price it is selling for?
>
> Any info on how well the HF is working?
HRO is quoting $1899.95 today. Delivery maybe by the end of March.

4235. Re: Icom 706 MII & Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Clarke <mic@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <yw13egnl81v.fsf@hpfimic.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 150641

fmd100@aol.com (FMD 100) writes:

> I am thinking of buying the 706 MII for a company car and would, therefore,
> need
> to use a fairly low profile antenna. My guess is that most of the smaller HF
> mobile antennas out there have fairly narrow bandwidth. At this point, I'm
> trying
> to determine if the radio/antenna combination I'm considering would require the
> purchase of Icom's matching antenna tuner at an additional $500+. Are most of
> those out there using the 706/706 MII using an antenna tuner? Are there any
> fairly low profile antennas out there which have wide enough bandwidth on 10,
> 15 and 20 meters so as not to require the antenna tuner?
>
> de Fred (N9LUR)

How about a 9' CB whip (resonant on 11m, < US$25.00 at Radio Shack) on
a bumper mount (Radio Shack again), and an MFJ mobile tuner (about
US$100) to allow you to tune the cheap whip on 6, 10, 12, and 15, at
least.

Marc Illsley Clarke, KB0YDL, KB0YDL@N0MPI.#NECO.CO.USA.NOAM
marcclarke@unforgettable.com
(Representing solely myself, I am emphatically NOT a representative of
any employer, club, group, church, league, organization, or government!)

4236. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <3508876B.318E@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 150642

Ready folks, Pete's pickls on what Yaesu is going to replace the 900 with...

1-same chassis as the 757/890/900

2-160-440, definitely...it IS a mobile, after all...

3-DSP in the AF section, ala 920 and 847

4-kiss your manual noch filter goodbye :(

5-IF shift will stay

6-slots for 2 filters, one a Collins (a tighter one than the 2.75kc one, but still "mainstream barn door wide.... I'll pput money on 2.5kc), and one for CW, 500kc)

7-ALL the controls on the faceplate come off when you remove the faceplate, including gmic gain and RF power (which might be replaced with a "toggleable" setting based on a menu.

8-internal tuner, optional at first (cause this rig won't be cheap), standard in 2-3 years.

AND THERE YA HAVE IT. I will be accepting bet money on any or all of these 8 possibilities.... any takers???

Pete -- KA2YDY

4237. Re: High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Waller" <dkw@caspers.net>
Message-ID: <eUv2cCiT9GA.326@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150643

David Feldman wrote in message ...
>Picked up a tektronix high voltage o-scope probe a while back - it has
>provision to be filled with a dielectric liquid/gas/vapor stuff to
>increase it's HV capability (10kv without, 25kv or so with the stuff).
>
>What is this stuff?
>
>Can you get it anymore, or is it CFC and not available?
>
>73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

Dry Sulfur Hexaflouride. You can get it from Matheson; available in
everything from lecture bottles to 1A cylinders.

D. K. Waller [former Tek CRT Engineer]
KC7ZCA

4238. Re: Alinco DJ-580 Lithium Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony C. Cash" <tonycash@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ea7rp$p73@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150644

I think he's talking about the memory backup battery inside the radio and not
the battery that runs the radio.
73 de Tony, KD4K

Walt Mlynko wrote:

> What makes you think this is lithium instead of nicad? I have
> 4 that are dead and they are all labeled nicad. I just bought
> a new one($40) at hro.
> Walt
>
> RDK wrote:
> >
> > Hi I have a Alinco DJ-580 handheld vhf/uhf radio. and I believe the
> > Litium battery needs to be replaced, Has anyone any tips on replaceing
> > this battery? Thanks in advance and you may e/mail me at rdk@a.crl.com
> >
> > 73s

4239. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Rosenberg-Watt <philip@dim.com>
Message-ID: <6ea8ecggb1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 150645
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Sorry for jumping in on this thread, but I was hoping to read something on the subject in the "subject" line. It's funny how conversations evolve. Don't bother responding to this message. Maybe somebody should rename the thread before we cycle back onto topic.

:-)

KC0BVU

4240. FS ICOM 730 MUST SELL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason <n0vfi@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <3508AD5B.3131@geocities.com>
Source record: 150646

I have an Icom 730 in good condition with the WARC bands. Original mic and manuals. 80-10 meters..

$375 or best reasonable offer...

n0vfi@geocities.com

4241. FS: HV DIODES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e7fse$a38@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150696

Have 1.0A, 3.0A, and 6.0A at 1200 piv at .15, .25, and .50 each
contact <Joe.7hc@juno.com>

4242. FS: HV DIODES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e7fte$5p6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150697

Have 1.0A, 3.0A, and 6.0A at 1200 piv at .15, .25, and .50 each
contact <Joe.7hc@juno.com>

4243. FS YEASU FT 5100 DUAL BAND MOBILE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwantenna@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312020701.VAA28840@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150698

for sale yeasu dual band mobile. complete with all manuals accesories etc.
very fine condition. has mars conversion.
asking 375.00 plus shipping.

RICH.

4244. Kenwood TM-261A for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <dVHN.42$xe5.576730@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 150699

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Kenwood TM-261A 2 meters mobile radio
for
sale. It covers 118-174 in receive and 136-174 on transmit. Comes with all
original accessories and boxing. Still on warranty for at least 11 months.
Selling because I bought a dual band. Will ship it insured to your door for
$200. U.S. Please reply by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

4245. Icom IC-T2A ht for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <hWHN.43$xe5.577299@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 150700

Hi there
Brand new Icom IC-T2A HT for sale. Comes with 8 rechargeable
nicads,
instruction manual and original box. Has been used only a few times. I have
bought a dual band. Will ship insured to your door for $100. U.S. Reply by
email.
73 VE2CJW
Michel Morin
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

4246. WTB Yaesu FT 415 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: miracleaud@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312025400.VAA04697@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150701

My wife just got her ticket and I'm looking for another 415 to match the one I've already got. Nothing fancy needed, just functional. Email me at miracleaud@aol.com

Thanks
John WB6JKQ
Where are we going and why am I in this handbasket?

4247. Re: Need Schematic for MFJ-9020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JAMES O'HERN <johern01@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d61$99739fe0$e2ddafce@default>
Source record: 150702

Cliff...all you need to do is call MFJ. They will send you the manual and schematic for FREE. I have requested this support from them on a few occasions and they have always been very helpful (even if you don't own the equipment). You can also probably download the manual portion from their website, but not the schematic.

GL -- Jim

Cliff Kotchka <cliffkot@interaccess.com> wrote in article <cliffkot.270.0007746D@interaccess.com>...
> I am looking for a schematic to a recent, ie manufactured in the last year or
> two, MFJ-9020. I have one of the originals and understand that some changes
> have been made to the receiver section of these radios as well as all the

> monobanders in the last couple of years. Thanks.
>
> Cliff WA9YXG
> Riverside, Illinois
>

4248. Re: Marine/VHF Antenna Question..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: davew@cruzio.com
Message-ID: <6e7gic$9lr@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150703

In article <19980311053100.AAA08168@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
jhulet@aol.com (JHulet) wrote:
>Hello,
>
>I was wondering....I have a sailboat that I would like to mount "one"
vertical
>antenna on the top of the mast. What I would like to do is mount a 2m
vertical
>antenna on the top of the mast and use an antenna switch in the boat to use
the
>antenna for my Marine VHF radio and 2 Meter... Does anyone have any
experience
>with using a 2m vertical with a Marine Radio?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Jason Hulet

The frequencies are close enough that it is not a problem. I recommend a very good quality antenna of 3db gain and running RG8 coax between the switch and antenna. I have 2m and marine VHF antennas that I interchange at my QTH without a problem.

Dave

David Wells KD6TO (KD6 Teletype Operator)
FCC GROL with Radar and GMDSS Maintainers License
NMEA Certified
INTERNET: davew@cruzio.com
OPINIONS EXPRESSED ARE MY PERSONAL ONES AND
DO NOT REPRESENT THOSE OF MY EMPLOYER

4249. Tek 2213A oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e7lf8$int@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150704

Hi All
I have a for sale.
Tek 2213A oscilloscope 60MHz
Good working and mint condition.
$ 550.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

4250. HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Weaver <StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d6a$60fb5c80$f552bec7@home>
Source record: 150705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a HTX-212 with a weak microphone. You basically need to yell into it to be heard at normal levels. Does anybody know if there are any pots that can be tweaked on the main board to help remedy this?

Thanks,

Steve
KB8RDI

4251. ADMS protocol for Yaesu radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <6e7n65$u8q$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 150706

Does anyone have information on a source for the programming specs for ADMS. I am interested in programming my FT-11R with my
PalmPilot and my Windows CE computer. I would like to write the software to do this. ANy info on an interface would help as
well? Is this a standard RS232-TTL interface?

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Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4252. Re: beacon question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <whagen@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <3507630A.6902@inreach.com>
Source record: 150707

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <3501FD17.2854@inreach.com>, Bill <whagen@inreach.com> wrote:
> >for people running beacons, 10 meter band etc,
> >what kind of control, computer, software, etc are you using to get the
> >CW message to be repetative?
>
> The most simple and reliable "keyer" would be a motor-driven wheel;
> use a nib to remove pieces around the circumference so that only
> the code characters remain - these then open and close a lever-switch.
>
> We used such code wheels for our coastal aid-to-navigation radio
> beacons.
>
> Jeff KH2PZ (formerly of the US Coast Guard)
How simple! What a great idea.

4253. wtb: Manuals & Schematics Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d6f$088cdd80$5d8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Since I couldn't sell it for decent money I traded my IC-707 for a whole bunch of stuff, some without manuals or schematics ... help!

For These Items I Need a Manual and Schematic:

Yaesu FT-7
Astron VS-35M
MFJ-962B
Icom IC-27A (need manual only)
Regency BTL-301 6m Transceiver
Regency HR-2B 2m Transceiver
Robyn DG-30 CB (a classic!)
Turner Expander 500 mic.
Data Precision Multimeter

Reasonable copy and postage as agreed in advance.
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

4254. TS-440S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyb@bright.net
Message-ID: <350754e1.5129658@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150709

For Sale,

Kenwood TS-440s

With Box, Manuals, CW Filter, And Microphone
Rock solid rig!

Asking $700.00 obo

Plesae E-mail to

jeffreyb@bright.net

73's

Jeffrey Bumgardner
AA9FD

4255. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <351361d4.6559571@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 150710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>But in fact the FCC doesn't license anything less than a Class A station
>anymore. That's 3 kW, and that costs about 60 cents an hour, or $432 a
>month. That's still not what I'd call "very rich", but it is a bit heavy for a
>casual hobbyist. And indeed that's the intent, to keep the casual hobbyist
>from frivolously tying up broadcast frequencies.

Yes, but is that taking into account $100,000 for an antenna or renting tower space, buying a transmitter ($30,000), buying a control board, cart machines, microphones, cables, soldering equipment, blank tapes, renting satellite equipment, Marti STLs, transmitter monitoring equipment, modulation monitors, headphones, log books, staff salaries, etc.?

Seems to me there is a lot more to a radio station than "$432 a month."

4256. TS 130S and SB 200 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Payne" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6e7rr5qef1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150711

Anyone know how to hook a Kenwood TS 130S to a Heathkit SB 200 Amp?
Thanks Mark WA4E.

4257. Need advice on Kenwood TS-430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kyle Washington <spamspamkoolkid@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4d78$3ca06200$1df210d1@duncan>
Source record: 150712

I have a lead on a Kenwood TS-430. The person selling it sent me the
following description via e-mail:

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It is 100 watts output, has a fm board installed for 10 meters fm, which is
allways extra, cw filter and i think not sure a ssb filter. comes with a
hand mike regular not knwd but works good and copy of manual and mobile
cord. It is 10 through 160 meters. the rig works very well and i use it
every day . has a few scratches on the case but it looks good."
++++++

I am looking to get into HF, and need advice from fellow Hams here. What
do you think of this model??

Thanks,

kyle

koolkid@mindspring.com, KF4JAE Amateur Radio

4258. Ross Distributing Price for 847 - $2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <35074055.7C68@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 150713

Hi Folks,

I noticed tonight that Ross Distributing is now listing a price
for the FT 847. They claim a list price of $2299 and their price
is $2000. I haven't talked to them, but I wonder if this is real
or speculation. The word on the street was that it was being
sold in Canada for the equivilent of $1850 US. I'm not planning
to buy until Dayton anyway, but does anyone have any other pricing
info? This is the first US price I've seen.

John, W2FS

4259. Icom 706 MII & Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: fmd100@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312060901.BAA10359@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150714

I am thinking of buying the 706 MII for a company car and would, therefore, need
to use a fairly low profile antenna. My guess is that most of the smaller HF mobile antennas out there have fairly narrow bandwidth. At this point, I'm trying
to determine if the radio/antenna combination I'm considering would require the purchase of Icom's matching antenna tuner at an additional $500+. Are most of those out there using the 706/706 MII using an antenna tuner? Are there any fairly low profile antennas out there which have wide enough bandwidth on 10, 15 and 20 meters so as not to require the antenna tuner?

de Fred (N9LUR)

4260. Re: HTX-202 Modifikation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@abcnycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <35087b76.58586890@news>
Source record: 150715

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 23:12:48 +0100, "Christian Veit"
<christian.veit@netway.at> wrote:

>Does anyone know wether it is possible to modify the RX/TX Range of the
>HX-202?

It's not.

>And if it is possible could tell me how?

No.
--

Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
abc from my address.

4261. WTB IFR-500A S/M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: donaldt@ipars.sds.com
Message-ID: <889684414.355801@wagasa.cts.com>
Source record: 150716

LOOKING FOR A IFR-500A SER/MON OR POSS 1200S
DONALT@SDS.COM

4262. MFJ morse code tutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312072001.CAA17561@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150717

have mfj morse code tutor for 55.oo like new hardly used includes shipping

K2JY@aol.com

4263. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6e841b$9p2$6@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 150718
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-03-11 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
dl>misc:24231 rec.radio.amateur.equipment:66421 rec.radio More GEET: I
dl>read their page fully and all the so called "testimonials". It
snip
dl>experiences are welcomed. Excuse me while I laugh till I cry about
dl>GEET's fuel processor, Pearce http://www.geet.com - have a laugh,
dl>free, on the net!

Did anyone do any informed and qualified research on those magnets round
the fuel pipe (at ?60)?

I read the instructions. IF you followed the instructions you would get
better mileage WITHOUT any magnets nor anything else. Assuming most
people drive uneconomically, which all males under 45 in Edinburgh do
for a start.

Hard to believe, but Scots (and maybe others) pay good money on fuel to
heat their brake linings, whilst keeping their place in the commuter
hatch.

Bill
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Capax imperii - nisi imperasset

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

4264. WTB: FT-1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Smith <wa6ydi.telis@telis.org>
Message-ID: <35079C6C.6DF120DA@telis.org>
Source record: 150719
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ni6g@amsat.org

I'm looking for an FT-1000D. The radio needs to be in pristene
condition.

Thanks,

Dave / WA6YDI
209 263-5140 (W)
209 432-0290 (H)

4265. Need instructions for Kenwood TH-26e

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avatar <l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980312094136.32639A-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 150720

I'm looking for the manual and/or specifications of this handheld or
someone who has one and can tell me more about it.

I'm willing to pay for the copies and mail.

73

---------- [Avatar] --- l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt ------------------
Electronics & Telecomunications - IST - Portugal
http://camoes.rnl.ist.utl.pt/~amlm CB:Buraco Negro (27.085MHz)
-------- Gestor da mailing list de anedotas em portugues ---------

4266. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com>
Message-ID: <3507ADCF.7782@mgrhealy.com>
Source record: 150721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Coffman wrote:
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> On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 05:14:06 -0600, "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com> wrote:
> >Chris wrote:
> >>
> >> Ron N6AHA wrote:
> >> >
> >> > Good! Now we know where to send the FCC on their next raid!
> >> >
> >> > radman <rcgoodman@mindspring.com> wrote in article
> >> > <3501ea54.392913@news.mindspring.com>...
> >> > > thay are available at http://www.mindspring.com/~worldwave
> >> > >
> >> The FCC doesn't license anything under 200 watts in the FM broadcast
> >> band. I remember seeing somewhere a low power station taking the FCC to
> >> court over it. I could be wrong, but, I think there is a loop hole here
> >> .
> >>
> >That station is still on the air in California. The FCC can not shut it
> >down as a Judge is looking into the fact that the FCC does not issue
> >licenses for stations under 100watts, and therefore limits the airwaves
> >to only the very rich.
>
> Which is an absurd position. 100 watts is only 2 cents an hour, or $14.40
> a month. That's a mighty peculiar notion of "very rich".

We aren't talking about the cost of electricity to run a transmitter!
We are talking about setting up a licensed station which requires
expensive FCC type accepted transmitters and equipment, etc. Also,
there are only so many places and restrictions to where they will ALLOW
you to set up an antenna at that power or higher which brings yet more
expense. How can you think that setting up and running a broadcast
station (with the FCC requirements for operating a 100 watt station)
would only cost $14.40 a month?!

Your example of a radio station is a transmitter sitting by itself (with
no board, CD players, or any other tape machines, etc) in a building
that has free rent and no property tax (possibly a church?) and no
program content going through it.
But even then, you didn't pay the licensing fees, etc, so your station
would not be on the air, in which case it would cost you $zero as the
transmitter would not be using any electricity.

4267. FS: VOICE ACTIVATED HEADSET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4da8$bc525a00$afdc2dc7@default>
Source record: 150722

SEARS VOICE ACTIVATED HEADSET, complete with power amplifier, adjustable padded head band with 2" speaker and adjustable boom swivel voice activated 500 ohm microphone...complete with all cords...
Power amplifier has LED Modulation indicator and additional standard microphone receptacle...Manufactured for Sears 60000 series CB Radio...works great ham gear..
NEW, in origional box w/manual ....$35.00, shipping within the USA is included

Dwight Raddatz,WA9EUN
PO Box 86
Ridgway, Co 81432-0086
970-626-5111

4268. FS:Grundig Yachtboy 400 - $90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e8koa$j4f@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS:Grundig Yachtboy 400 -
In very good condition. Has original box, SWL antenna, and book.
$90 shipped CONUS
Ernie
N2OJQ
ROswell, GA

4269. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3507DDD2.92CFACC1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150724

I'm waiting to see if Yaesu will give any more goodies to get rid of the few
FT-900CAT
in stock!!!

R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak wrote:

> This from the Yaesu reflector
>
> Hello Jack,
>
> The info you heard second hand about most Yaesu HF radio's being
> discontinued is totally false. Let me set the record straight.
>
> The FT-1000/D will be around another 3-4 years.
> The FT-1000MP will be marketed for a long time.
> The FT-920 is only 1 year old, so this also has many years left.
> The FT-900/CAT is due to go away in May/June of this year.
> The FT-840 has many years to be marketed.
> The FT-736R will probably go away later this year, But remember this
> radio has been on the market for over 10 years.
>
> Last but not least... The exciting new FT-847 will start shipping in the
> U.S. in early March.
>
> Best Regards and 73's,
>
> Kevin Karamanos
> Director of Sales and Marketing
> YAESU USA

4270. Re: Yaesu 847 How much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3507DE6C.CA6E9CA2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150725

Price will start at $1700 USA but may drop in six months with coupons
and discounts etc.One contact said the price will start at $1600 but I
think he is mistaken.

Tom Nicastri wrote:

> The 847 has been released in some counties but not here in the USA.
>
> Anyone have some info on the price it is selling for?
>
> Any info on how well the HF is working?

4271. Re: Ross Distributing Price for 847 - $2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3507DEB9.8EA6C9B1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150726

$1700 to $1600 USA price. NOT $2000

John Hansen wrote:

> Hi Folks,
>
> I noticed tonight that Ross Distributing is now listing a price
> for the FT 847. They claim a list price of $2299 and their price
> is $2000. I haven't talked to them, but I wonder if this is real
> or speculation. The word on the street was that it was being
> sold in Canada for the equivilent of $1850 US. I'm not planning
> to buy until Dayton anyway, but does anyone have any other pricing
> info? This is the first US price I've seen.
>
> John, W2FS

4272. Re: Is Icom introducing a Newer scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <3507dfe2.11961474@news-s02.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 150727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 23:32:48 -0800, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:

>I noticed in the March QST that the Icom R-10 has a $100
>rebate. Usually this means that they are getting ready
>to introduce a newer product. Has anyone heard anything?

The R10 is a relatively new radio. No replacement in the shadows.

The rebate was to blow out stock for the end of the fiscal year at the end of March. There are $$$ advantages to having a low inventory when you end/start fiscal years.

ICOM also is trying to pump sales figures for various reasons. They have been leaning on dealers pretty hard to keep numbers up and make quotas.

On April 1st, ICOM receiver prices will go up 5% across the board. Some of the coupons and other specials may be extended. Not sure. If you want something ICOM and can afford it now, it would be good to pick it up before the end of March.

Regards ..... Steve

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tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
****

4273. Icom IC-207H TX/RX Mod Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f71adae16a7d8e19896b9@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 150728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does anyone have the proper modification for the expanded rx/tx for the IC-207H. I have found several, but they conflict. It would appear that cutting D115 expands the rx. One article mentions cutting D118 and D117 for tx. Another mentions also cutting resistor W14???
Would someone please clarify the proper procedure -- preferably via e-mail.
Thanks, Bob (VA3RH)
--
banker1NOSPAM@idirect.com
remove the NOSPAM from e-mail address

4274. Re: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! 1-664-410-4440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980312085425.3880F-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 150729

> Ohh.... pardon me. I thought a Mother & Daughter wanted Phoenixs (GE
> Phoenix radios), not Phonesex.
>
> Steve

Anything is possible. Perhaps it was a case of misspelling. I DOUBT IT!

Lou

Tech@DP.NET

4275. FS: Garmin GPS 40 for $50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Jessup <kevin.jessup@mail.mei.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4dc1$20ac1fa0$6fb3ba97@jessup2>
Source record: 150730

Garmin GPS 40 for $50....

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8132835

4276. Re: Kenwood TS-50, Feature or fault?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Morrow <mmorrow@companet.net>
Message-ID: <3507F13E.52AF@companet.net>
Source record: 150731
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Graham, the TS-50S should NOT transmit when in CW mode unless:

(1) A key is inserted and depressed, OR
(2) A key is NOT inserted, but the MIC PTT is pressed.

The CW key jack actually has two sets of contacts which are closed when the key IS NOT inserted. Both sets of contacts open when a key IS inserted. When the key is closed, one of the circuits that was broken when the key was inserted is closed for the time that the key is depressed. The other set of contacts stays open all the time that a key is inserted.

I *THINK* that the set of contacts that stays open all the time when the key IS inserted is used to inhibit the unit from transmitting when in CW mode if the key IS NOT inserted. This would be necessary, since the first set of contacts I mentioned above are normally closed when a key is not inserted, which would make the unit transmit if there was not some sort of inhibit circuit present.

I think you must have an open circuit somewhere in the second set of contacts that is used to inhibit transmit when the key is not inserted. It would be my guess that the contacts within the jack assembly are most likely. Try spraying some contact cleaner and repeatedly insert and remove a key plug to "wipe" the contacts. If that doesn't work, unplug and clean connectors CN103 on the FINAL unit and CN16 on the RX-TX unit. The keying circuit passes through these connectors.

The TS-50S is a great little rig, even if it's already been out for five years. I like it better then the competing ICOM and ALINCO rigs.

I'd be interested in knowing how you correct the CW keying problem.

73....Mike / KK5F

4277. Re: Icom 706 MII & Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3507F361.87B94505@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150732

I have the tuner; most do not.

I'd be very surprised if you needed it on 10/15/20; you can just restrict yourself to a smaller section of the band (e.g., 200 kHz) if need be.

Phil

4278. Re: Alinco DJ-580 Lithium Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walt Mlynko <waltm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e8sbp$jhq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150733

What makes you think this is lithium instead of nicad? I have
4 that are dead and they are all labeled nicad. I just bought
a new one($40) at hro.
Walt

RDK wrote:
>
> Hi I have a Alinco DJ-580 handheld vhf/uhf radio. and I believe the
> Litium battery needs to be replaced, Has anyone any tips on replaceing
> this battery? Thanks in advance and you may e/mail me at rdk@a.crl.com
>
> 73s

4279. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3507ea5f.36159372@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 03:41:35 -0600, "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>> On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 05:14:06 -0600, "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com> wrote:
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>program content going through it.
> But even then, you didn't pay the licensing fees, etc, so your station
>would not be on the air, in which case it would cost you $zero as the
>transmitter would not be using any electricity.

All of the ancillary equipment is required whether you broadcast or
not, IE you could operate a closed system or be a disco DJ without
need of a license, but you'd still need a board, microphones, playback
equipment, etc. Staffing costs are also the same whether you run a
closed system or a broadcast system. So I don't include them in the
incremental cost of becoming an over the air broadcaster. (But the
equipment and staffing costs are very similar to those of *any* other
small business. One doesn't need to be "very rich" to open a mom
and pop store, and that's what most radio stations are.)

The only cost increments to become a broadcaster rather than a disco
DJ are the capital cost of transmitter and tower, the annual license fee,
plus the operating expense for electricity, Since you can amotize transmitter
and tower costs over 20 years, for such a small station, that is a negligible
part of your annual expense. License fees are waived for non-commercial

operations, so your major annual expense to go broadcast is the power bill for the transmitter. If you want to go commercial, the only change is that a license fee is charged, and that's as little as $200 annually, or a maximum of $2,000, depending on your potential audience size. A low power station would generally fall at the lower end of the fee schedule.

Now as I noted, a Class A station is the smallest station the FCC will license. There is a one time fee of $195 to get a construction permit. I won't include that in your annual operating expenses. Your power bill is about $432 a month, or $5184 a year. Add to that the $200 license fee and you're at $5384 a year to become a radio broadcaster. Amortization of transmitter and tower will add roughly $1,000 a year to that, so for $6,384 per year, you too could take your non-broadcast operation to the airwaves as a commercial broadcaster. That is below the US *poverty line*. It is not the province of the "very rich".

Most radio stations are *small businesses*, not very different in their capital and expense requirements from any other small business. They aren't the province of the "very rich". That's simply absurd. And the judge's ruling that it does limit radio broadcasting to the "very rich" is thus also absurd.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4280. FS Attenutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e8tkv$ra7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150735

Hi All
I have for sale ATTENUATOR.
Good working codition.
I have two stock . $ 150.00 / EA Plus UPS
" TENULINE COAXIAL ATTENUTOR "
* Attenuation : 30DB
* Model : 8323
* Watts : 100
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

4281. Re: VX-1 spring belt clips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3507F7CB.485883B4@hevanet.com>
Source record: 150736

Dashoff wrote:

> ----------
> ----------
> VX-1r Premium Quality Spring Action Belt Clips
> ----------
>
> To all that have been looking for the ultimate belt clip for the great
>
> little VX-1. As you know Yaesu over all did a great job on the slick
> VX-1 micro ht. But to be expected there were a few simple design
> flaws
> that slipped through the cracks. One that really bugged me was that
> cheap little strip of plastic they called a belt clip. There's no
> doubt
> this has detracted from the over all quality of the radio. I know
> guys
> that tie strings to their belt loops in fear that the little radio
> will
> unknowingly slip off. This new clip has a firm, quality spring and
> two
> 90` bends at the tip for added security. It won't come off unless you
>
> want it to.
>
> Here is a web site where you may view a VX-1 with the clip installed:
>
> http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/beltclp.htm
>
> I have for sale commercial quality spring action belt clips for the
> VX-1
> micro ht's. They have a factory fit look and are very durable.
>
> $12.50 plus $1.50 shipping.
>
> please email me for ordering information
>
>
>
> Bob....... KN6GA

I'm interested in the beltclip. Previous promise to send picture was
ignored.
Webpage doesn't seem to be there. How does one get the promised pix?
tnx, miker

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Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

4282. WTB: A inexpensive Repeater Controler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Ward <bward@rrcc.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd4dc8$25633ae0$500d70cc@default.rrcc.mb.ca>
Source record: 150737

I am looking for an inexpensive repeater controler to use on my 6 Meter Repeater. It only has to have Time Out Timer and CW ID. But will look at others. I do not want a kit, nor do I want information about kits. I have looked into these. If you have what I require for sale, please email me with the information.

Thanks,

Brian Ward
VE4RBL

bward@rrcc.mb.ca* ########## to reply to me remove the *
from the
########## end of my email address.

4283. Re: Alinco DJ-580 Lithium Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3507FA88.A1C19AEB@hevanet.com>
Source record: 150738

Walt Mlynko wrote:

> What makes you think this is lithium instead of nicad? I have
> 4 that are dead and they are all labeled nicad. I just bought
> a new one($40) at hro.
> Walt
>
> RDK wrote:
> >
> > Hi I have a Alinco DJ-580 handheld vhf/uhf radio. and I believe the
> > Litium battery needs to be replaced, Has anyone any tips on replaceing
> > this battery? Thanks in advance and you may e/mail me at rdk@a.crl.com
> >
> > 73s

I can't speak for the original poster, but the thing that makes me think that
it has
a lithium battery is that the service manual calls it a lithium battery.
Part number UP0215B (BR1225-1VF).
The manual is very sketchy. Looks like it's soldered onto the IF unit.

If you paid $40 for one, you paid too much. :-)
+
miker

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Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

4284. FS Attenutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e8u83$ra7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150739

Hi All
I have for sale ATTENUATOR.
Good working codition.
I have two stock . $ 150.00 / EA Plus UPS
" TENULINE COAXIAL ATTENUTOR "
* Attenuation : 30DB
* Model : 8323
* Watts : 100
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

4285. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3507f716.39414163@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150740
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 11:35:41 -0600, "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan"
<lysdexia@evansville.net> wrote:
>On Wed, 11 Mar 1998, Gary Coffman wrote:
>>
>> Which is an absurd position. 100 watts is only 2 cents an hour, or $14.40
>> a month. That's a mighty peculiar notion of "very rich".
>
>What Mr. Dunnifer et. al. are talking about are the ungodly filing
>and crushing licensing fees. The actuall transmitters for such a station
>could be made FCC compliant for _well_ under $1,000!

Well, a small station has a $195 construction permit fee and a $200
annual license fee. That certainly doesn't seem "crushing".

>> But in fact the FCC doesn't license anything less than a Class A station
>> anymore. That's 3 kW, and that costs about 60 cents an hour, or $432 a
>> month. That's still not what I'd call "very rich", but it is a bit heavy for a
>> casual hobbyist. And indeed that's the intent, to keep the casual hobbyist
>> from frivolously tying up broadcast frequencies.
>>
>
>That sir, is sooooo much horse poop. Are you being serious here? Am I
>missing a joke? ;-) Run over to the FCC homepage right quick and see just
>how much it costs to _file_ for broadcast bandwith! Krikey! At least two
>Kilobucks just to file! Yow!
>
>When you add in lawyers fees and engineering reports *whew*.

You only incur those sorts of costs if you are moving to amend the
table of allocations for your community. If you file for a channel that
is already in the table of allocations (and there are a number of them
for which there is no currently operating station), you incur only a
$195 fee. For example, if you want a Class A in Covington Georgia,
there's an open allocation there waiting for you.

The vast majority of radio stations are *small businesses*. They are
little different in their expense and revenue streams from any other
small business, like a hair saloon or an auto body repair shop. They
definitely are *not* only the province of the "very rich". That's simply
absurd. Only major stations in major markets start to approach the
sort of level of investment of a McDonalds franchise ($1,000,000)
or of a family owned department store. And even that isn't what I'd
call the province of the "very rich". (The very rich own Walmart, or
a certain software company in Redmond Washington.)

If your business plan is sane enough to convince the bank to back you in opening a coin laundry, then you could also open a small market radio station. The levels of investment required are similar. Now if you're going to tell me that puts you in the league of the "very rich", your idea of rich differs considerably from mine.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4286. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3507fb63.40515987@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 11 Mar 1998 23:18:53 GMT, Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net> wrote:
>In rec.radio.amateur.equipment Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>: >
>: >That station is still on the air in California. The FCC can not shut it
>: >down as a Judge is looking into the fact that the FCC does not issue
>: >licenses for stations under 100watts, and therefore limits the airwaves
>: >to only the very rich.
>
>: Which is an absurd position. 100 watts is only 2 cents an hour, or $14.40
>: a month. That's a mighty peculiar notion of "very rich".
>
>It only costs "2 cents an hour" to run a 100 watt ratio station!?!?

Yep, that's about right.

>I don't think so.... First, that is RF power not electrical power.

Yeah, I figured 50% efficiency in the transmitter.

>Second,
>there are things like *equipment* (some of which is *mandatory*)

That's capital budget, not operating expense. About the only thing
that is still mandatory, aside from the transmitter itself, is an EAS
receiver. That, like the transmitter, is a capital item and can be
amortized over a 20 year period. That's only pennies a month in
the operating budget.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
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4287. FS Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e8uj3$28t@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150742

Hi All
I have a for sale Wavetek signal generator
Good working codition
Model : 3000-200
Frequency : 1 - 520 MHz, .001%
$ 450.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

4288. FS Tek 465M Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6e8upj$36i@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150743

Hi All
I have for sale TEK 100MHz scope Model 465M
Good Working Condition.(without probe)
Price:$ 245.00 Plus UPS
714-778-5151
Thanks.

4289. FS:Sams TSM, CB, AR, MHF books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: vintel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980312152800.KAA15258@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150744

CB - 6, 18, 51, 89 $6.00ea. 103, 130, 165, 238, 242, 254 $4.00ea

TSM - 1 $15.00. 54, 56, 57, 58, 69, 70 $7.00ea. 121 $5.00

AR - 19, 20, 28, 30, 31, 32, 35, 38, 80 $6.00ea

MHF - 54, 127, 146 $4.00ea

Inquiries & orders to vintel@aol.com
John E. Kendall PO Box 436 Fallston, Md 21047

4290. Tektronix T932A scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Lewis <ab5ck@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6e8v2q$da2$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 150745

I have just purchased a used Tektronix T932A oscilloscope. I now need the service and/or operating manuals. If you have one you would like to sell, please email me direct.

Thanks!!

Tom Lewis - AB5CK

4291. Re: VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6e7brp$n8r$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 150794

You can listen all you want until you get your license - just can't talk.

I don't know about your area, but where I live the bulk of the activity is on 2 meters. Also, people are less likely to come back to a general call on 440 than 2 meters. SO - bottom line - I would get the 2 meter HT.

Ken

Sam C wrote in message <6e6n8fdad1@usenet52.supernews.com>...
>I am getting my licence in a couple weeks, but saw some great deals on
>2-meter HTs in my area, that I have to get now because, being in college
and
>having a family, I am on a strict budget :-) The only problem is I don't
>know which one to get:-(
>
>My 2 choices are a UHF FM HT with a freq coverage btwn 425-449.995 RX and
>TX. Then there is a VHF FM with a freq coverage btwn 144-147.995 both RX
and
>TX. Please anyone have any advice? I live in the California bay area, if
>that would help.
>
>Also, is it against the law for me to just turn it on and listen, so I can
>pick up the right way to talk over the air, so when I get my licence I
don't
>look, I mean sound, like a complete idiot.
>
>Thanks in advance,
>Future ham'er Sam C
>
>
>

4292. WTB: Wave Guides

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4d57$08ff8960$9ddc2dc7@default>
Source record: 150795

Want to buy small sections of EW 42, 24GHZ wave guides, with or without flanges...Cross section
is 1/4" x 1/2", W9ZIH, Ron Stefanskie, 17913 Willertt Rd., Malta, Il 60150 815-825-2526

4293. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.R. Triever" <grtriever@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35099A62.15913DC7@usa.net>
Source record: 150498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ptcarter@ingr.com wrote:
>
> Hello-
> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
> MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
> frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
> repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
> belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
> that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. --snip--

(edited for space)

Paul,

Unless you're determined to build one, why not try to find a used VHF
pager somewhere in that band and recrystal it to the freq you need. A
lot of times, you can pick up a used pager for $15.00 to $20.00, and a
crystal should cost somewhere between $15.00 and $30.00 max.

Good Luck!

4294. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3509A688.1035DEC9@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150499
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Philip de Cadenet wrote:

> Hi Lou,
> I tried dialling up your homepage to no avail, I'll try again.
> You, and any other interested, read that as open minded, parties may
> want to check out possibly the best of the independant GEET sites @:
> www.friend.ly.net/GEET/
> There's a fair bit of interesting reading so I suggest you download and
> read offline. Click on the 'Famous inventions' link as well, this really
> backs up what Lou has just pointed out about every uninformed persons
> knocking the poor inventor without bothering to do their own independant
> research.

Another Geet page to back up someone else's Geet page? I'm convinced now! (heh.)

Pearce

4295. Re: Tower In Many Languages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BA <bobadams@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4ecc$6f5cf5a0$8d0d5093@badams.dhs.state.tx.us>
Source record: 150500
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Crawl back into the hole you came out of!
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Cutie Boy <cute@radiotelephone.net.ham> wrote in article
<3508a6d5.4787659@news.total.net>...
> maybe you don't have to know these if you know CW !!!!! (and so
> what...)
>
> On 12 Mar 1998 23:40:54 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>
> >Thought many, especially the DX,ers, might enjoy having this info! 73,
> >DavidC AA1FA
> >
> >
> >Tower:
> >
> > czech: Ve^z^
> > english: Tower
> > french: Tour
> > german: der Turm
> > greek: pi'rgos
> > hawaiian: `ale`o
> > hebrew: Migdal
> > hungarian: Torony
> > italian: Torre
> > japanese: Tawaa, Tou
> > mandarin: ta<sup>v</sup
> > spanish: Torre
> >
> >Accents are represented by ' (acute) ` (grave) " (umlaut), ^
(circumflex),
> >and * (ring)
> >
> >You can hear all the translations spoken at:
> > http://www.travlang.com/wordofday/190.html
> >
> >Copyright 1997,1998 travlang and Michael C. Martin.
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> http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533;
McGill)
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> Visit this excellent site
> why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
> http://www.nocode.org
> License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/
> _____
> ***Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.***
> ***Please remove "ham" to reply.***
>
> ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non
sollicit&#65533;s!!
>

4296. Re: IC 765 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <3509AD96.D2B@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 150501

Michael Negron wrote:
>
> Wow. Thanks for response Pete. You must be some type of SUPER ham! :)
>
> Thanks for info. Now I know EVERYTHING about it... everything except HOW
> MUCH your pal wants for his and... WHAT'S THIS ABOUT POWER SUPPLY
> PROBLEMS???
>
> Mike W2VOS

I think he wants 12-1400, I called him 3 times, no answer, no machine.
He doesn't come on the rig much. I'll find out more about te power
supply problem from John.

I stopped by Paul's.... your TV set is fixed and ready.

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4297. Kenwood HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4uaj@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <n4uaj-1303981740200001@user-37kba1r.dialup.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150502

Hi all..I have a friend with a Kenwood TH215 and his digital display is wiped out..His question is if the ht is worth repairing and if so how much would it cost and a good place to send it.
Thanks and 73
Bill

4298. mfj259 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <3509B42E.6C189A77@freeway.net>
Source record: 150503

mfj259 with grid dip coils for sale little use excellant to mint condx
$175
contact kcubilo@freeway.net

4299. aea cablemate fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <3509B493.BE03FE9C@freeway.net>
Source record: 150504

aea cablemate analyst for sale used once to locate a break in
underground cable
mint condx with software and serial cable $250 contact
kcubilo@freeway.net

4300. ADMS 1C Software Needed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ricardo Gon&#65533;alves <rgoncalv@esoterica.pt>
Message-ID: <3509AF20.D9917EF8@esoterica.pt>
Source record: 150505

Hello !!!
I have ADMS 1D Software (version 1.07) for FT-50R, but I need an early release like 1.04 or 1.05, please if you have it send it by Email !!! (I can send mine too, if you want !).

Ricardo Goni¿½alves
CT2GVJ
Email: rgoncalv@aranae.pt

4301. HAMFEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: guido@mail.icongrp.com
Message-ID: <3509b519.3651936@news.icongrp.com>
Source record: 150506

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LAKE COUNTY (Indiana) ARC HAMFEST AND COMPUTER SHOW
==================================================
June 21, 1998 at the Lake County, Indiana, fairgrounds,
Crown Point, Indiana (3 Miles West of I-65)

Doors open at 8:00 am (6:00 am for vendors).
Vendors can drive in to setup but vehicles
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Admission: $5.00, tickets available at the door.
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++Totally indoors

Talk in on 147.000 repeater (PL 131.8)
or simplex on 146.520

Contact Mal, W9MAL (219)769-3925 for details.
w9mal@cris.com
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4302. AMECO Converters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Steinke <artjez@webspun.com>
Message-ID: <3509AA59.DE2E6D29@webspun.com>
Source record: 150507

I have two AMECO converters that I do not know what equipment they were made for.
one is a plug in 2 meter converter and the second is a plug in 6 meter converter.

If anyone knows what these two converters were meant for, olease let me know.

Art WB9JKZ

4303. FT-847 Features

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len <umina@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <6ecdi6jvc1@decius.ultra.net>
Source record: 150508

Does anyone know if the FT-847 can crossband from HF to 450 Mhz? I am wondering if I can use it remotely from the backyard for HF SSB qso's with my walkie.

/Len
K1LU

4304. Cushcraft R-7 Vertical $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <3509a7b4.23908183@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Cushcraft R-7 vertical in excellent condition. Repacked in
the original box so it can be shipped via UPS. Will sell for $200
plus UPS.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

4305. 6BE6 master carton for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <3509a9c3.24435369@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a unopened mater carton of brand new in the unopened
pack containing 100 tubes model 6BE6. Will sell for $100 plus ups

Bryan Edwards W5KFT

4306. Re: Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: captal123@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313231601.SAA14011@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150511

>Does anyone know where I can find the 4-pole 3.5 mm mic/speaker-plug for
>Yaesu FT50R? An e-mail would be appreciated!

Its's sold as an mic adaptor with a dual receptacle on the end.
YAESU part # is CT-44 available at most ham stores.

Al K2DYH

4307. FS DX-100 & HQ170

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: imok1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313232100.SAA14155@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150512

I have for sale a DX-100 and HQ-170. These items were purchased and I have not had time to get to them, so I hope someone can use them.

DX-100 - Good shape, original cabinet repainted, but no extra holes. It looks like there are two non original knobs and one no original togle switch, no extra holes in the panel. Electrically untested as had no time to bring it up on a variac...
$125 - prefer chicago area deal as 100# +
HQ-170
It plays.... A couple on non original knobs, no extra holes in cabinet or panel. no clock. The chassis has a little bite so would need some minor TLC.
$160 - plus shipping from 60067.

Thanks
Mark
KB9LIO

4308. Re: AT-11 auto tuner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Lane - N3RNY <slane@sgi.net>
Message-ID: <F7jO.286$r73.2112465@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 150513

Benjamin-

I've been using an AT-11 that I built for about a year now. Very rugged and reliable. Nice people to deal with also. I highly recommend the AT-11.

Earlier models (mine included) have a slight problem with a birdie in the 10m band, although there is a fix for this. I just haven't gotten around to getting the upgrade. The kit was fun to build also, but they woill sell you an assembled model as well.

Steve Lane
N3RNY

Benjamin Blavat wrote in message <350c8b19.23412732@news.icanect.net>...
>Is the AT-11 by LDG Electronics too good to be true? Seems to have a
>lot more range than other auto tuners, from Yaesu, Icom and SGC? And
>its a lot cheaper! Anybody?
>73's,
>Benjamin Blavat, KF4KJF

4309. FS: SB-200 KW Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkinsley@raex.com
Message-ID: <6eciq1$b9b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150514

Posting this for a friend:

Heathkit SB-200 Amp
No scratches or Dents
10 thru 80M
1200 Watts SSB
1000 Watts CW
Uses two inexpensive 572B or T-160L in parallel
Operates on 120 or 240vac
Manual included
35 lbs.

$300 + shipping obo

Posting this for a friend:

Respond to:
jkinsley@raex.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4310. FS: REALISTIC PRO-39 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyrus Chiu <cychiu@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <35091A68.D6B2B6A0@superlink.net>
Source record: 150515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

REALISTIC PRO-39 SCANNER

200 Channel Direct Entry
Rubber Duck Antenna (BNC)
Ni-Cad Battery
Wall Charger
Factory Freq Range: 30-54, 108-136.975, 137-174
380-512, 806-823.9375,
851-868.9375, 896-960
Cellular Restore

$180.00 (Shipping included) or Best Offer

cychiu@superlink.net

4311. Re: FT-847 Features

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathryn Mataga <cathryn@junglevision.com>
Message-ID: <3509C8C2.92C3AC8B@junglevision.com>
Source record: 150516

Good idea. I don't know. Kenwood has a gadget that sounds like
it does what you want. But I don't know anyone who's bought one
yet.

Len wrote:
>
> Does anyone know if the FT-847 can crossband from HF to 450 Mhz? I am
> wondering if I can use it remotely from the backyard for HF SSB qso's with
> my walkie.
>
> /Len
> K1LU

4312. Re: Mobile HF Ant Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6echlt$785@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150517

Mark L. Payne wrote:
>
> What is the BEST mobile ant for HF. Cost is not a factor. I want the
> best. Thanks Mark WA4E

Probably the two best are the screwdriver (motorized coil)
and the bugcatcher. Bigger is better, especially in 40 and 80
meters. I use the hustler, but it is useless on 80M.

Richard, KA0DXM

4313. Re: Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3509CA80.CAE94F55@hevanet.com>
Source record: 150518

CAPTAL123 wrote:

> >Does anyone know where I can find the 4-pole 3.5 mm mic/speaker-plug for
> >Yaesu FT50R? An e-mail would be appreciated!
>
> Its's sold as an mic adaptor with a dual receptacle on the end.
> YAESU part # is CT-44 available at most ham stores.
>
> Al K2DYH

I too, would like to find a source for the connector...not the overpriced adapter...the connector.
tnx, miker

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Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

4314. FS: Rat Tail Antenna for 440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyrus Chiu <cychiu@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <3509222D.C8A2EC44@superlink.net>
Source record: 150519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.family

Standard Model#: CAT401

Flexible Antenna (Rat Tail)
Tx Max 5W
Condition: New (Untrimmed)
Can be tune to 380-520Mhz
Trimming Chart included
Overall length 9.5"
BNC Connector
$20.00 or best offer

4315. Re: Yaesu 847 Price $ 1,899.95

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: DWELTY@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ecj1a$buj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150520

hershman wrote:
>
> Good Job !!! I also saw the price on the Associated Radio Web page plus
> a price of
> $ 1799 for the IC-746. Expect the price to come down $100 to $200 like
> all other radios out there after 6 months.
> 73's Steve Ns1R
>
> KILO5JOE wrote:
>
> > I just had an email message from the hamstore that the Yaesu 847
> > is going to be $ 1,899.95, will be shipping the last week in March.
> > no price on the tuner as yet..
> > K5JOE

RT Systems HTTP://WWW.RTSARS.COM/ shows both radios in stock

73

4316. Re: Mobile HF Ant Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3509CFC9.80E5B3@hevanet.com>
Source record: 150521

Richard A. Ferguson wrote:

> Mark L. Payne wrote:
> >
> > What is the BEST mobile ant for HF. Cost is not a factor. I want the
> > best. Thanks Mark WA4E
>
> Probably the two best are the screwdriver (motorized coil)
> and the bugcatcher. Bigger is better, especially in 40 and 80
> meters. I use the hustler, but it is useless on 80M.
>
> Richard, KA0DXM

If cost were not a factor, I'd get one of those really tall construction
cranes, put big beams on top
and hire someone to put it up/down for me...:-)

But seriously...It depends on where you drive. I solved my antenna
problem by putting up a 440 repeater
with remote base. Now I get more HF range than I could ever get with a
mobile antenna.
I do have a screwdriver on the motorhome since I drive it out of range of
the remote.
miker

--
Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

4317. Help with Dentron Super Tuner Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: steven.e.huss@tek.com
Message-ID: <steven.e.huss.171.01DAEEFF@tek.com>
Source record: 150522

Hi Folks,

Does anyone have a Dentron Super Tuner Plus that I can compare notes with. I have a question about the balun. There's a discrepancy between the schematic and how it's actually wired. I
can E-mail the details to those who respond or give you a call.

Thanks,

Steve

4318. Re: Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <nospam.steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <6eck60$hg0$1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 150523

Get the CT-27 Cloning cable. Cut it in half and you have two mic connectors. Should be about $9US.

^^

73 de N3WUU
nospam.steves@clark.net
Remove "nospam" from address to reply

Anders Stigö wrote in message <350A1640.6C0C@swipnet.se>...
>Does anyone know where I can find the 4-pole 3.5 mm mic/speaker-plug for
>Yaesu FT50R? An e-mail would be appreciated!
>73 de SM6WLH Anders
>stigo@swipnet.se

4319. FS:PRO2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Rosee <hrosee@connect.net>
Message-ID: <3509FF39.FF180E82@connect.net>
Source record: 150524

I have a very nice Realistic Pro2006 scanner, 800 unblocked.
Looks and works like new.
With original box and manual.
First $250 shipped.

Call Harold at 972-907-1019(home)
972-766-7606(work)
or email

4320. Yaesu FT 8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B. Simonin" <bsimonin@nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6ecrut$j99@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 150525

I recently purchased a new Yaesu FT8500. Price dropped from $599 last July to $399 at HRO this month. Had been looking at the FT8100R but could not justify the higher price. Anyone with experience on the FT8500? Have gotten excellent reports on my transmissions so far.

KD5AEY

4321. Re: VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <ed#zouvT9GA.234@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150526

Get a 2 meter radio (144-148), and yes, you can listen to ANYTHING on the
air except cell phone signals.

Bob wrote in message <35090B41.265B6680@triax.com>...
>Get the two meter. Many many more repeaters every where on two meters.
>
>Sam C wrote:
>
>> I am getting my licence in a couple weeks, but saw some great deals on
>> 2-meter HTs in my area, that I have to get now because, being in college
and
>> having a family, I am on a strict budget :-) The only problem is I don't
>> know which one to get:-(
>>
>> My 2 choices are a UHF FM HT with a freq coverage btwn 425-449.995 RX and
>> TX. Then there is a VHF FM with a freq coverage btwn 144-147.995 both RX
and
>> TX. Please anyone have any advice? I live in the California bay area, if
>> that would help.
>>
>> Also, is it against the law for me to just turn it on and listen, so I
can
>> pick up the right way to talk over the air, so when I get my licence I
don't
>> look, I mean sound, like a complete idiot.
>>
>> Thanks in advance,
>> Future ham'er Sam C
>
>
>

4322. Re: mfj morse code tutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ed04shgb1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

K2JY wrote:
>
> sold

Hope you did not mind me putting my 2 cents in there. I just thought that people needed reminding how good this product is.

BTW, which model was it. I have the one with the LCD. Our ham club got a deal if bought so many, the price was $69 each (don't ask who we got that thru, I do not remember).

4323. FS: Optoelectronics Xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lbirch@cadvision.com
Message-ID: <350A137D.77D9@cadvision.com>
Source record: 150528

For Sale: Optoelectronics Xplorer with accessories plus rd800 rubber
duck
and bhp high pass filter. Cellular range unblocked. In Canada but can
ship to US. US$700 firm.

4324. TELREX ROTATORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Suter <jsuter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ed12a$pr9$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150529

I am looking for someone who has some knowledge of Telrex rotators. These units have not been manufactured for some years, but had a reputation as a very rugged unit. I have an opportunity to purchase two of these rotators in a used tower deal located in another state and would like to know more about them. Tnx, Jay, W$QDC

4325. TM-241-A for parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: daustin@kalnet.net
Message-ID: <6ectdo$qj3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150530

anyone have a Kenwood TM-241-A 2 meter mobile for parts

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4326. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Martin <rvrm@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350A1D67.9B946790@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 20:02:23 GMT, jbickel@iquest.net (Jake Bickel) wrote:
> >Only the obscenely rich can afford to sell Big Macs.
>
> No, just someone with a good credit record with his bank. You've obviously
> never operated a business. The idea is to do it with *someone else's money*.
> No one puts up $1,000,000 of their own cash to get a McDonalds franchise.
> That's stupid. You borrow the money based on your business plan, and
> pay it off out of operating revenues. Your take home after expenses the
> first several years may put you near the poverty line. If you *had* a million
> dollars, you could let it draw interest and make a bigger income without
> having to work 120 hours a week. Selling Big Macs is a way to (eventually)
> become moderately well off, but you don't have to be rich to start.
>
> It amazes me that people can actually finish high school in this country
> without a grasp of business economics.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

Do you work at Radio Shack?????

4327. Re: A inexpensive Repeater Controler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rich M." <right@home.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4e35$b5e10c60$9eefd8c0@default>
Source record: 150532

Check out the following web site. MCC and NHRC are the cheapest and both work good.

http://www.shol.com/kuggie/ttid.htm#Repeater Controllers

Brian Ward <bward@rrcc.mb.ca> wrote in article <01bd4dc8$25633ae0$500d70cc@default.rrcc.mb.ca>...
> I am looking for an inexpensive repeater controler to use on my 6 Meter
> Repeater. It only has to have Time Out Timer and CW ID

4328. ht1000 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: spo150@vdot.net
Message-ID: <01bd4eb5$5b9ffa60$44fe14ce@fpd>
Source record: 150533

Anyone know where to get some ht1000 software??

4329. [Fwd: [Fwd: DX-World Guide 1998 by DJ9ZB]]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: FUNK-TELEGRAMM@t-online.DE
Message-ID: <3508F2F6.6C10@t-online.de>
Source record: 150534

Message-ID: <3508ED7E.192B@t-online.de>
Date: Fri, 13 Mar 1998 09:25:34 +0100
From: "J. KRAFT" <FUNK-TELEGRAMM@t-online.de>
Reply-To: FUNK-TELEGRAMM@t-online.de
Organization: FUNK-TELEGRAMM
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold [de]C-DT (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
To: arrlcad@tapr.org, barc-list@netcom.com, barc-races@netcom.com
Subject: [Fwd: DX-World Guide 1998 by DJ9ZB]
Content-Type: message/rfc822
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 8bit
Content-Disposition: inline

Message-ID: <34D2D8D0.20C@t-online.de>
Date: Sat, 31 Jan 1998 08:54:56 +0100
From: "J. KRAFT" <FUNK-TELEGRAMM@t-online.de>
Reply-To: FUNK-TELEGRAMM@t-online.de
Organization: FUNK-TELEGRAMM
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01 DTC (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
To: bull-fwd@ucsd.edu
Subject: DX-World Guide 1998 by DJ9ZB
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-8859-1; name="DX1.txt"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 8bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="DX1.txt"

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DL8HCZ, Joe Kraft, Gruetzmuehlenweg 23, D-22339 Hamburg, Germany

For any further questions: FUNK-TELEGRAMM@t-online.de

Many greetings from Hamburg de Joe, DL8HCZ

4330. UHF Repeater For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsartori@paxton.IShub.COM
Message-ID: <504A093501102600@c2smtp.ishub.com>
Source record: 150535

Motorola Micor UHF repeater 75 watt. 4 foot cabinet.
Link Club Controller with rack mount enclosure
LDG Voter Kit with rack mount enclosure
6 cavity Phelps Dodge duplexer
3 mobile micor radios for remotes
1 GE Mastr II 100 watt mobile converted by Versatel?

All for 1500.00

System is on the air now in Southern Maryland, 443.700+. Has some of the best repeat audio on the air today.

Joe Sartori
WB3IUT
(W)703-321-7600 x208
(H)301-843-5831
email : jsartori@radix.net

4331. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V98 #286

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: AA9DX@aol.COM
Message-ID: <b21df6eb.3508a7d1@aol.com>
Source record: 150536

In a message dated 98-03-11 00:49:38 EST, you write:

<< Subject: Mother&Daughter want Phonesex! >>

Must be No-coders.

4332. Need Schematic for Drake SSR-1 RCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Frost <frost@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd4e7d$9f5888e0$ac86b3cf@frost.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 150537

Hello there and thanks for reading this. I have an old Drake SSR-1
Receiver and would love to find a schematic for it. I would appreciate any
and all help in locating one. Please email
frost@nbnet.nb.ca
73...Steve (VE9SF)

4333. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6ec3rr$29q@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 150538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998, Dick Flanagan wrote:
> <StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com> wrote:

>>I have a HTX-212 with a weak microphone. You basically need to yell into

> The RS speaker mic is notorious for that problem. Either use the mic built
> into the front of the radio or buy one of the ICOM speaker mics that will
> also fit that radio.

Hi Dick - I just bought one of these radios at the unbeliveable
close-out price of $69.95. There is no built-in mic (it's not
an HT). But my question is, how does one decrease the low-power
(10W) setting? That's way too much for my needs (10th floor
apartment within view of the Diamond Head rptr). I've scanned
the schematic looking for a variable pot near the final stage
that would adjust say, the B+ going to the final, but nothing found.
Support@tandy.com was of no help ("Users are not allowed to make
any modifications to FCC certified equipment" or words to those effect).

Jeff KH2PZ / KH6

4334. HT stolen. Buy IC-T7A, FT-50RD or THG71A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Harris <mharris@mcs.net>
Message-ID: <3509722C.1433@mcs.net>
Source record: 150561

My Icom T7A was stolen from work along with the cig lighter cord, 3 antennas (including my AEA 2m Hotrod, which I cannot replace), mike, battery case and a roll-up J-pole.

As I will be starting from scratch again (if they had just taken the radio, I would buy another IC-T7A) I would like to hear suggestions.

Icom IC-T7A
Yaesu FT-50RD
Kenwood THG71A

Are the three models I am considering.

Any fans or cheerleaders for these models?

Thanks!
Mark
N9SRT

4335. Anyone user FT50 for WX Sat RX? (WFM mode)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Harris <mharris@mcs.net>
Message-ID: <350986C1.46EF@mcs.net>
Source record: 150562

As the FT50 advertises a Wide FM mode, I would like to know if

A> the mode is independently selectable

B> If anyone has successfully used it for the polar orbiting
weather satellite reception? I have the software and computer,
but I need to buy a radio with WFM capabilities, specifically
with an IF bandwidth of about 50KHz.

Anyone have any experience?

Thanks in advance,

Mark Harris
N9SRT

4336. FS/ SERIOUSLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4e15$adc21760$59d666ce@ki4xz>
Source record: 150563

FOR SALE=
1- KENWOOD TS-820 HF TRANSCIEVER WITH BUILT IN POWER SUPPLY. CAN BE USED BASE OR MOBILE. WILL WORK ON 110V, 220V OR 13.8V DC. ALL SOLID STATE EXCEPT FOR TWO 6146B FINALS AND ONE 12BY7A DRIVER ALL BRAND NEW. INCLUDES MICROPHONE, MANUAL AND TWO NEW 6146B FINALS IN BOXES. PLATE POWER INPUT= 200W. FOR SSB ON 110V OR 220V.

2- KENWOOD COMPANION AT-200 ANTENNA TUNER WITH BUILT IN SWR/WATT METERS. INCLUDES MANUAL.

ALL ABOVE LOOKS GOOD AND WORKS GOOD. SYSTEM IS HOOKED UP AND CAN BE DEMONSTRATED IN PUNTA GORDA, FLORIDA

TOTAL PRICE FOR ABOVE= $495.00

PAUL LONDON 941-637-0179 ki4xz@peganet.com ki4xz@kf4hfr

4337. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdcole@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35087c31.89694425@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 15:46:05 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 04:20:19 GMT, inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts) wrote:
>>>But in fact the FCC doesn't license anything less than a Class A station
>>>anymore. That's 3 kW, and that costs about 60 cents an hour, or $432 a
>>>month. That's still not what I'd call "very rich", but it is a bit heavy for a
>>>casual hobbyist. And indeed that's the intent, to keep the casual hobbyist
>>>from frivolously tying up broadcast frequencies.
>>
>>Yes, but is that taking into account $100,000 for an antenna or renting tower
>>space, buying a transmitter ($30,000), buying a control board, cart machines,
>>microphones, cables, soldering equipment, blank tapes, renting satellite
>>equipment, Marti STLs, transmitter monitoring equipment, modulation monitors,
>>headphones, log books, staff salaries, etc.?
>>
>>Seems to me there is a lot more to a radio station than "$432 a month."
>
>Most of that is capital budget, not operating budget. The tower and
>transmitter are nearly the only capital items unique to broadcast. The
>rest would be required if you were just a disco DJ with no broadcast
>aspirations. And you can amortize capital budget items over their
>expected lifetimes. That's at least 20 years for transmitter and tower.
>For a Class A, you aren't looking at a $100,000 tower or a $30,000
>transmitter anyway. You're looking at a $10,000 tower and a $5,000
>transmitter.

You have not purchased a tanasmitter lately. The last one was $14750
and that was a cheep import, the one I wanted was $27500 just too much
for a start up station.

Oh and what's a Cart Machine ? We do have those things any more...

Ron

4338. Re: Yaesu 847 How much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313005500.TAA08188@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150565

Advanced Specialties (Yeasu Dlr in NJ 1-800-926-9426) is quoting $1879
delivered price w/in 2-4 weeks

4339. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <350e48a0.22081711@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 150566
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>David,
>
>I have to throw in my 2c, I mean 2penneth worth as I have a close
>working colleague that has witnessed a GEET processor in operation.
>May I make a suggestion. As you're in the country of origin of the GEET,
>may I suggest you take your blinkers off, dial-up the GEET.com web-site,
>get yourself along to the next open display/lecture in a town near you
>and simply observe.

Sensible advice, if followed with EXPERIMENTAL investigation.
I have read this whole off-topic thread, because it would make a hell of a
power-boost for field day and the more serious scenarios that we train for,
but in reading this thread, I have seen NOT ONE SENSIBLE answer
outside your post.

All the other answers I have read sound like the stuff I got when I said I had
made a radio that had transmitted music on a 100 Hz bandspread.

It sounds also like the injunction argument that broke Lee DeForest.
You may remember reading about him. He claimed to have invented
a thing (he called it an AUDION) which could amplify audio.

The court agreed with the arguments by the supposed authorities of the day,
who hadn't assayed the subject, but had just read it and decided it didn't work.

We call the Audion tube (valve) a Triode, today.
All CRT tubes on TVs and PCs are descended from the man who was ordered
by the court to stop selling AUDION bottles.

You sound like you are trying to join the few who do think, and I commend
you for it.

Me, I always get a headache when I try to think.

That may be why I can't sell my inventions. See my URL.

Good luck

Lou H.
http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/6578/index.html
Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical of the Breed)
Looking for both around

Tulsa OK, USA

4340. Wavetek Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ea3cs$kmr@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150567

Hi All
I have a for sale Wavetek signal generator
Good working codition
Model : 3000-200
Frequency : 1 - 520 MHz, .001%
$ 395.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

4341. Tower FS U.S.towers motorized crank up never used

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313021700.VAA22808@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150568

Tower For Sale
My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and received a
U.S. Towers 70 foot
fully motorized crank up tubular tower.It includes the indoor control box
to raise and lower the
tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.He payed
$6000+shipping.His wife would
take $4000 . You can call me at 516 486 1861. We are in New York on Long
Island. KB2VX Rob.
qin2@aol.com. thanks

4342. FOR SALE 14.4 fax-data modem made by zoom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: calvary@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313024101.VAA27171@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150569

Have in box with papers and software 14.4 modem for data-fax. includes fax software for dos or windows. 25.00 shipped to you. contact me at n5ixe@aol.com. thanks
Roco D. Campbell

4343. wanted-freq counter or digital readout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: calvary@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313024301.VAA28073@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150570

I need a freq counter or readout for my old tempo one. must be working and cheap. I aint got no money !! contact n5ixe@aol.com
Roco D. Campbell

4344. modem sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: calvary@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313025201.VAA29147@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150571

my 28.8 data fax modem has been sold. n5ixe@aol.com
Roco D. Campbell

4345. Re: Tower In Many Languages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <3508a6d5.4787659@news.total.net>
Source record: 150572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

maybe you don't have to know these if you know CW !!!!! (and so
what...)

On 12 Mar 1998 23:40:54 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:

>Thought many, especially the DX,ers, might enjoy having this info! 73,
>DavidC AA1FA
>
>
>Tower:
>
> czech: Ve^z^
> english: Tower
> french: Tour
> german: der Turm
> greek: pi'rgos
> hawaiian: `ale`o
> hebrew: Migdal
> hungarian: Torony
> italian: Torre
> japanese: Tawaa, Tou
> mandarin: ta<sup>v</sup
> spanish: Torre
>
>Accents are represented by ' (acute) ` (grave) " (umlaut), ^ (circumflex),
>and * (ring)
>
>You can hear all the translations spoken at:
> http://www.travlang.com/wordofday/190.html
>
>Copyright 1997,1998 travlang and Michael C. Martin.

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
&#65533;tudient @ Informatique et Math&#65533;matiques d'Universit&#65533; McGill
Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
C&#65533;: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:

http://www.nocode.org
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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

4346. FS: HRO-500 (NIB)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4e30$2cc756a0$3506a3cd@bwallace.cts.com>
Source record: 150573

FOR SALE

Brand New In The Box (NIB)

National HRO-500 Receiver
http://www.io.com/~nielw/nat_tour/hro500.htm

Solid State

- 5KHz - 30MHz in 60 Bands
- 37 Transistors
- Double Conversion Superhet (4.75MHz and 230KHz)
- 16.5" X 12.75" footprint

- Price without options:
- $1295 (1965 list)
- $3000 (1977 invoice)

My Price is $1375

Ben Wallace

bwallace@sd.cts.com

4347. Yaesu 847 Price $ 1,899.95

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313041600.XAA15191@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150574

I just had an email message from the hamstore that the Yaesu 847
is going to be $ 1,899.95, will be shipping the last week in March.
no price on the tuner as yet..
K5JOE

4348. Bendix King LPH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Clemis <larry@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3509E016.1613@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 150575

Can some please tell me what Bendix King's 'Code Guard' is and Digital
Code Guard? My Manual has long since gone with the wind.

Morgan Chenier
mchenier@kamloops.env.gov.bc.ca
or
m_chenier@cariboo.bc.ca

4349. Kenwood TM-261A for sale brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <Dr2O.93$xe5.1420006@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 150576

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Kenwood TM-261A 2 meters mobile radio
for sale. It covers 118-174 in receive and 136-174 on transmit. Comes with
all
original accessories and boxing. Still on warranty for at least 11 months.
Selling because I bought a dual band. Will ship it insured to your door for
$200. U.S. Please reply by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

4350. HELP/HELP/HELP/HELP//158.200,ANTENNAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tommy@AOL.COM
Message-ID: <3509b261.47803744@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150577

I have business band radios, I need help to find out if a
beam could be converted to work my channel. I have
talked to the local shop & it's real costly, and they
have no experience! I now have a omni base antenna
but I would like to boost my signal.
thanks
Luigi97@earthlink.net

4351. FS: HP-432B Power Meter/Other T&M Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: brahn@erinet.com
Message-ID: <6eae91$m7e@eri.erinet.com>
Source record: 150578

POWER METER

HP 432B 10 MHz to 18 GHz Good Condition $65.00

FREQUENCY COUNTER PLUG-INS

HP 5253A 100 MHz to 500 MHz Good Condition $30.00
HP 5253B 50 MHz to 500 MHz Good Condition $45.00
HP 5254A 300 MHz to 3.0 GHz Good Condition $45.00
HP 5254C 150 MHz to 3.0 GHz Good Condition $55.00

SWEEP GENERATORS AND PLUG-INS

Alfred 652CK-S5 1.7 GHz to 4.2 GHz Good Condition $45.00

VOLTMETERS

PRD 1600B VTVM Good Condition $20.00
ME30/F .001 to 300VAC Good Condition $40.00

PLOTTERS

HI DMP-29 Multi-Pen Plotter Good Condition $75.00
Apple 410 Four Pen Plotter Good Condition $45.00

STRIP CHART RECORDER AMPLIFIER PLUG-INS

HP 17501A Amplifier Plug-in Condition Unknown $25.00
HP 17501A OPT -01 Amplifier Plug-in Condition Unknown $25.00
Honeywell 1883MPD Visicorder Amp Plug-in Condition Unknown $ 7.00
HP 8805B OPT-007 Carrier Amp Plug-in Condition Unknown $35.00

PRINTERS

Digitec 6610MP Condition Unknown $10.00
Syntest SP-400 40 column thermal Condition Unknown $15.00

MISC

HP 98624A HP-IB Interface Card NEW $35.00
MTS 440.91 Ramp Generator Condition Unknown $20.00
Plug-inwith manual &
remote test box
HP 1928A 125 MHz Fan-Out Amp Good Condition $15.00
Panametrics 3000 Hygrometer Like New $20.00

Pictures of the items along with specs are available on my web page at

http://www.qsl.net/wb9anq/
or
http://members.tripod.com/~wb9anq/

All units are complete and in good physical condition. Electrical condition as stated above.
Manuals are not included unless otherwise stated. Shipping, unless otherwise stated, is NOT included in the price.

Bruce, WB9ANQ

4352. WTB: Service Manuel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4e3c$675a0900$490148ca@nelson>
Source record: 150579

Anybody know how can I get the Service Manuel for following Rigs:

Kenwood:
TH79A
TM-V7A

Icom:
IC-706 (NOT IC-706 Mark II)
IC-746
IC-756

Yaesu:
FT-51R
VX-1R

Standard:
C5600D
C150
C520 (or C528)

4353. Re: Help with GE UHF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3508ce6a.81077033@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 13:02:24 -0700, cj <cj@boi.hp.com> wrote:
>I posted a request a while back about a GE UHF rig, I've found out a
>bit more info, so maybe someone can point me in the right direction as
>to how to mod it for ham use.
>
>- It doesn't appear to have a model name, such as MastrII or whatever.
>- It has a seperate control head from the main box, with 2 digit LED
> displays, 3 of them, push-buttons for volume, squelch, channel select,
> scanning and adding/deleting channels from the scan.
>- The combination number is N3UU2N040ZB

You have a Syntor. The combo number tells all, but unfortunately I
don't have my cheat sheet which decodes it handy here. Order a
manual for the radio (the manuals are still available), and it will
tell all.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4354. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3508cac1.80139816@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 20:02:23 GMT, jbickel@iquest.net (Jake Bickel) wrote:
>Only the obscenely rich can afford to sell Big Macs.

No, just someone with a good credit record with his bank. You've obviously never operated a business. The idea is to do it with *someone else's money*. No one puts up $1,000,000 of their own cash to get a McDonalds franchise. That's stupid. You borrow the money based on your business plan, and pay it off out of operating revenues. Your take home after expenses the first several years may put you near the poverty line. If you *had* a million dollars, you could let it draw interest and make a bigger income without having to work 120 hours a week. Selling Big Macs is a way to (eventually) become moderately well off, but you don't have to be rich to start.

It amazes me that people can actually finish high school in this country without a grasp of business economics.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4355. IC 765 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2vos@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eajds$6h2$1@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150582

Can anyone tell me the specs on the Icom IC 765 (output power, filter options, etc...)

Thanks.

Mike W2VOS

4356. For Sale: GE Mast II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big_Red_One@Juno.com
Message-ID: <3508c1ca.10715149@news.bright.net>
Source record: 150583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,oh.forsale,us.forsale.misc,us.forsale.d,misc.misc,us.misc

For Sale

GE Master II radios 144 to 160 Mhz.

Some have PL encode/decode 100.0/146.2

50 Watt transmit .5 uv or better receive. (ALL WILL BE CHECKED BEFORE

THEY LEAVE HERE THERE WILL BE NO DUDS).

Some may come tuned in the ham band as I have done this to a few to make

shure they work well there.

Currently on Goverment frequencies but tune to 2 meter ham verry easy.

Each package contains:

One radio.

One control cable.

One control head 8 channel.

One microphone.

One speaker.

One transmit/One recive ICOM without crystals.

One PL incode/decode board and hook switch as available.

If you buy 5 or more (limit 25 as that is all I have) you

will receive a compleat service manual.

The cost is 75 dollars plus shipping FIRM!

Crystals can be installed for one frequency tx/rx for 40 dollars.

You are responsible for any additional ICOMs and crystals as there

are not enough to do more. If you order the one channel installed

you must wait 4 to 6 weeks for me to order the crystals from my supplier

and them to ship them to me. The time can be shorter but the

supplier raises the price to me and I to you.

If you want to order your own crystals and install them your self

you can order them for 10 dollars each (20 dollars a pair 1 tx / 1 rx)

from:

Hy-Q International

1438 Cox Ave.

Erlanger KY. 41018

606-283-5000

COD or money orders only no credit.

DO NOT buy JAN or BOMAR crystals as they are shipped off frequency

and usualy fail within 6 months.

Any repeater mods you want are up to you to do.

All orders and shipping are to be handled through Rich KA8CMK at Big_Red_One@Juno.com

way he want's to do it.

Thank you for your time

Wayne L. Anderson

ka8hhw@ibm.net

4357. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3508d670.83131179@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150584
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 15:09:46 -0500, David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
wrote:
>> Hey, I want in on this deal. I can always use a fast $1000.
>>
>> The stock factory 350 Chevy small block (1998 Z-28 spec)
>> achieves a brake thermal efficiency of 38.4% by actual test
>> cell measurement (SAE measure). Brake thermal efficiency
>> is the ratio of shaft output energy on a dyno brake to the energy
>> contained in its fuel (18,000 BTU per pound).
>>
>> The absolute Carnot cycle limit efficiency for this engine
>> (assuming no breathing restrictions or mechanical losses
>> or combustion inefficiencies, which are, of course, impossible
>> to achieve in practice) is 57.4%. This is the engine's so-called
>> Air Standard Efficiency. So the stock engine delivers 67% of
>> the theoretically possible efficiency in converting its fuel's
>> energy to shaft output energy. And so any claim that efficiency
>> can be improved more than 33% is bogus on its face.
>
>The Chevy 350 is an even nicer motor than I always played it up to be ... as
>you know I don't doubt your numbers at all, however, where in the world do
>you get the effeciency numbers? I have a few other motors to look up. This
>would have been useful for my posts.

The Z-28 numbers come from actual measurements in a test cell (dyno).
We were baselining the engine for a showroom stock class car. Air
Standard Efficiency can be calculated using formulas in "The Design
and Tuning of Competition Engines" by Philip H. Smith. The energy
content of fuels can be obtained from the CRC Handbook of Chemistry
and Physics. Drag calculation formulas are in the Bosch Automotive
Handbook (which also has the fuels data, and Cd numbers for a cross
section of vehicle bodies).

The Otto cycle engine powered auto has been around for a century. It is
a mature technology. There is plenty of engineering data available for it.
Unfortunately, wild claims like those being made by GEET have also been
around for nearly a century. And they have remained claims, because they
are not based on reality. They are either outright fraudulent scams, or the
work of some enthusiastic amateur inventor who doesn't understand
thermodynamics or how to do careful quantitative measurements.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |

Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4358. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com>
Message-ID: <3508E649.650A@mgrhealy.com>
Source record: 150585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 03:41:35 -0600, "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com> wrote:
> >Gary Coffman wrote:
> >> On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 05:14:06 -0600, "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com> wrote:
> >> >Chris wrote:
> >> >That station is still on the air in California. The FCC can not shut it
> >> >down as a Judge is looking into the fact that the FCC does not issue
> >> >licenses for stations under 100watts, and therefore limits the airwaves
> >> >to only the very rich.
> >>
> >> Which is an absurd position. 100 watts is only 2 cents an hour, or $14.40
> >> a month. That's a mighty peculiar notion of "very rich".
> >
> >We aren't talking about the cost of electricity to run a transmitter!
> >We are talking about setting up a licensed station which requires
> >expensive FCC type accepted transmitters and equipment, etc. Also,
> >there are only so many places and restrictions to where they will ALLOW
> >you to set up an antenna at that power or higher which brings yet more
> >expense. How can you think that setting up and running a broadcast
> >station (with the FCC requirements for operating a 100 watt station)
> >would only cost $14.40 a month?!
> >
> >Your example of a radio station is a transmitter sitting by itself (with
> >no board, CD players, or any other tape machines, etc) in a building
> >that has free rent and no property tax (possibly a church?) and no
> >program content going through it.
> > But even then, you didn't pay the licensing fees, etc, so your station
> >would not be on the air, in which case it would cost you $zero as the
> >transmitter would not be using any electricity.
>
> All of the ancillary equipment is required whether you broadcast or
> not, IE you could operate a closed system or be a disco DJ without
> need of a license, but you'd still need a board, microphones, playback
> equipment, etc. Staffing costs are also the same whether you run a
> closed system or a broadcast system. So I don't include them in the
> incremental cost of becoming an over the air broadcaster. (But the
> equipment and staffing costs are very similar to those of *any* other
> small business. One doesn't need to be "very rich" to open a mom
> and pop store, and that's what most radio stations are.)
>
> The only cost increments to become a broadcaster rather than a disco
> DJ are the capital cost of transmitter and tower, the annual license fee,

> plus the operating expense for electricity, Since you can amotize transmitter
> and tower costs over 20 years, for such a small station, that is a negligible
> part of your annual expense. License fees are waived for non-commercial
> operations, so your major annual expense to go broadcast is the power
> bill for the transmitter. If you want to go commercial, the only change is that
> a license fee is charged, and that's as little as $200 annually, or a maximum
> of $2,000, depending on your potential audience size. A low power station
> would generally fall at the lower end of the fee schedule.
>
> Now as I noted, a Class A station is the smallest station the FCC will license.
> There is a one time fee of $195 to get a construction permit. I won't include
> that in your annual operating expenses. Your power bill is about $432 a month,
> or $5184 a year. Add to that the $200 license fee and you're at $5384 a year to
> become a radio broadcaster. Amortization of transmitter and tower will add
> roughly $1,000 a year to that, so for $6,384 per year, you too could take your
> non-broadcast operation to the airwaves as a commercial broadcaster. That
> is below the US *poverty line*. It is not the province of the "very rich".
>
> Most radio stations are *small businesses*, not very different in their capital
> and expense requirements from any other small business. They aren't the
> province of the "very rich". That's simply absurd. And the judge's ruling that
> it does limit radio broadcasting to the "very rich" is thus also absurd.
>

Even if it DID cost the same as a small business (which it does not) if
everybody could afford to start a small business, then no one one be an
employee of another company. Everyone would have thier own company.
Truth is, it is very expensive to buy, and even more difficult to start
a new station at the current requirements. However, starting a small 1
to 10 watt station in your home would be as inexpensive as starting up a
Ham radio station. The fact that even a Judge realizes this and is
not letting the FCC shut down that California "Pirate" shows that there
is obviously some logic to this.

4359. Re: Artificial ground experiences??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stuart, G0SLX" <g0slx@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6eapqnqsf1@morse.news.easynet.net>
Source record: 150586

Sven Wijk wrote in message <35084B9F.19B594D@tninet.se>...
>My shack is one the second floor and I have problems getting a good
>RF ground. Thus I'm considering to buy an artficial ground unit like
>MFJ-931.
>
>Does anybody have experience of MFJ-931 or similar constructions?
>Is it worth the money?
>
>Sven, SM5PXK

Hi Sven,
I've had the MFJ-931 for approx 18 months now, and I think it's a
good
investment. My shack is also on the second floor and although I could get
a wire to a ground stake, I still had problems with stray RF around the
shack.

The problems have almost disappeared since I started using the
Artificial ground unit! I can even use 20M without TVI :-)

73 DE Stuart, G0SLX

4360. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com>
Message-ID: <3508E807.B72@mgrhealy.com>
Source record: 150587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Coffman wrote:
> You only incur those sorts of costs if you are moving to amend the
> table of allocations for your community. If you file for a channel that
> is already in the table of allocations (and there are a number of them
> for which there is no currently operating station), you incur only a
> $195 fee. For example, if you want a Class A in Covington Georgia,
> there's an open allocation there waiting for you.
>
> The vast majority of radio stations are *small businesses*. They are
> little different in their expense and revenue streams from any other
> small business, like a hair saloon or an auto body repair shop. They
> definitely are *not* only the province of the "very rich". That's simply
> absurd.

There is no limit to the amount of hair salons or auto repair shops that can be set up in any area, but at a high transmitting power that takes up a channel frequency for many miles, it limits how many stations can be set up in any location. There can be NO NEW stations set up in my area and many others, so I would have to pay millions for one of the existing licenses! If however, small 1 or 5 watt stations could be set up in the 88.1 to 91.9 band, there would be space for a lot more micro stations that could be started for little money.

4361. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@mgrhealy.com>
Message-ID: <3508E8D1.3662@mgrhealy.com>
Source record: 150588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>
> Oh and what's a Cart Machine ? We do have those things any more...
>
> Ron

Many stations have given up the cart machine and gone with Mini Disc or computers.

4362. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan" <lysdexia@evansville.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980313014502.3804D-100000@world.evansville.net>
Source record: 150589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998, Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> It amazes me that people can actually finish high school in this country
> without a grasp of business economics.

You obviously didn't have "new math" taught at your high school! ;-)
I have been running and subsisting on my own bidness for five years now,
it has given me fantastic sarcasm sheilding.

I believe you are oversimplifying. I will admit that I have not started
a radio station- yet. However, the research I have been doing (consisting
mainly of picking the brains of a successful station owner in my area and
scoping the FCC website) have given me a different set of numbers
entirely. Larger ones. Perhaps a few years in the business would give me a
different perspective, but right now the filing costs seem more than a
little prohibitive.

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> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>
>

"Free your mind and your ass will follow."

-George Clinton

Http://www.evansville.net/~lysdexia

4363. Henry 2K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BROWNBUZZER@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eb200$73p$1@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150590

Looking for a Henry 2K to buyfor parts.

BROWNBUZZER@webtv.net

4364. ask informations abouts yeasu FTS-12 ctcss unit for yeasu ft-23/33/73

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Olivier Guerin <oguerin@sybase.com>
Message-ID: <3509188B.F530DA7E@sybase.com>
Source record: 150591

hello,

I'm looking for informations/diagram abouts the chips used on the yeasu
FTS-12 ctcss
unit for Yeasu ft-23/33/73 to add on my radio

thanks in advance

best regards.

olivier(F1UOT)

oguerin@sybase.com

4365. Re: VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <35090B41.265B6680@triax.com>
Source record: 150592

Get the two meter. Many many more repeaters every where on two meters.

Sam C wrote:

> I am getting my licence in a couple weeks, but saw some great deals on
> 2-meter HTs in my area, that I have to get now because, being in college and
> having a family, I am on a strict budget :-) The only problem is I don't
> know which one to get:-(
>
> My 2 choices are a UHF FM HT with a freq coverage btwn 425-449.995 RX and
> TX. Then there is a VHF FM with a freq coverage btwn 144-147.995 both RX and
> TX. Please anyone have any advice? I live in the California bay area, if
> that would help.
>
> Also, is it against the law for me to just turn it on and listen, so I can
> pick up the right way to talk over the air, so when I get my licence I don't
> look, I mean sound, like a complete idiot.
>
> Thanks in advance,
> Future ham'er Sam C

4366. Re: new ft50r mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <ciebert@triax.com>
Message-ID: <35091257.4FA40433@triax.com>
Source record: 150593

Go to http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

PMayer7309 wrote:

> Does anyone have the mods for the new ft50r.I have done the mars/cap mod with
> success.But unable to have the freeband mod. I am using the adms 1D software
> program. Any suggestions?
>
> pm7309@a.o.l

4367. Wanted for parts KENWOOD 7625

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: marwynn@phoenix.net
Message-ID: <O3aO.560$WL.328524@typhoon.texas.net>
Source record: 150594

The Clear Lake Amatuer Radio Club is in need of a Kenwood 7625 2 meter radio for parts. Our finals or shot in our 7625. We use this radio on packet as a worm hole to the internet. If you have a old 7625 not in use please contact me.

marwynn@phoenic.net
WB5PWG@clarc.org

Look at CLARC's Web Page WWW.CLARC.ORG

4368. WTB: Collins 51J4 or R-388A; Collins KWM1 or R-390A OR SIMILAR COLLINS MODEL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6ebaj0$e5p$4@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 150595

WANTED: Collins 51J4 or R-388A; Collins KWM1 or R-390A
OR SIMILAR COLLINS OR MILITARY UNIT

Wish to pay a fair price for a unit in good physical &
operational condition with original meters &/or covers with
standard accessories. Will consider other Collins unit or
military versions with similar specs for same application as
well.

Email with details.

Have Hewlett Packard Laser Jet II printer could swap as
well. Can provide details on HPLJII if you're interested.
This is one of HP's most desirable/dependable printers and
least expensive to operate. Supported by Windows 95 as
well.

Thanks

4369. Re: Need advice on Kenwood TS-430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon <moos318@in-motion.net>
Message-ID: <35095B20.5321@in-motion.net>
Source record: 150596

Kyle Washington wrote:
>
> I have a lead on a Kenwood TS-430. The person selling it sent me the
> following description via e-mail:
>
> ++++++
> It is 100 watts output, has a fm board installed for 10 meters fm, which is
> allways extra, cw filter and i think not sure a ssb filter. comes with a
> hand mike regular not knwd but works good and copy of manual and mobile
> cord. It is 10 through 160 meters. the rig works very well and i use it
> every day . has a few scratches on the case but it looks good."
> ++++++
>
> I am looking to get into HF, and need advice from fellow Hams here. What
> do you think of this model??
>
> Thanks,
>
> kyle
>
> koolkid@mindspring.com, KF4JAE Amateur Radio
Kyle-
not a bad rig to start out with if the price isn't too bad. I've had
good results with mine, both on ssb and cw. Easy to learn, compact
size. Seen them at hamfests anywhere from 425 to 600, depending
on condition.
Good Luck
Leon KG9KH

4370. FS:Grundig Yachtboy 400 - $90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ebbq7$pm6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS:Grundig Yachtboy 400 -
In very good condition. Has original box, SWL antenna, and book.
$90 shipped CONUS prepaid
Ernie
N2OJQ
ROswell, GA

4371. FS:Kenwood PS-53 22.5 Amp Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ebbue$q4c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale
Kenwood PS-53 heavy duty 22.5 Amp power supply in good condx with orig box.
This matches the 450/690 but will work with others.
$150 shipped CONUS prepaid.
Ernie
N2OJQ
Roswell GA

4372. WTB: Kenwood TM-731 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: marwynn@phoenix.net
Message-ID: <TvaO.569$WL.336415@typhoon.texas.net>
Source record: 150648

I am in need of a Kenwood TM-731 Microphone. Please E-Mail me if you have one that you don't need.

Thanks in Advance

WB5PWG@clarc.org

4373. Re: Foreign Licensing question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35093987.72AB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150649

jordan@santanet.com wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the rules and regulations for using amateur radios in Saudi
> Arabia or Kuwait?? Being in the Air Force, I may get deployed there and I
> was wanting to take my radios with me and use them. Just trying to get my
> ducks in a row before I go over there. I need to know the licensing
> requirements, and any restrictions that may apply.
>
> Thanks,
> Paul Jordan
> KL0AN

Good Morning Paul -- see URL:
http://www.clinet.fi/~jukka/license.html
For Information on licensing abroad for radio
amateurs by OH2MCN

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 70 PAGES AND 2000 LINKS
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

4374. Re: Yaesu 847 Price $ 1,899.95

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35093B40.EFE15B34@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150650

Good Job !!! I also saw the price on the Associated Radio Web page plus
a price of
$ 1799 for the IC-746. Expect the price to come down $100 to $200 like
all other radios out there after 6 months.
73's Steve Ns1R

KILO5JOE wrote:

> I just had an email message from the hamstore that the Yaesu 847
> is going to be $ 1,899.95, will be shipping the last week in March.
> no price on the tuner as yet..
> K5JOE

4375. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <35093AAC.867EA5A5@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150651
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> The Z-28 numbers come from actual measurements in a test cell (dyno).

This is the number I was looking for. To be sure, I haven't seen this number in any publication I normally read, basically cause I'm not an mech eng., but a comp. eng. and have no idea what the big magazines of that world are.

Thanks,

David Pearce - KF4MOK
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

4376. Re: IC 765 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <350941A6.BB4@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 150652

Here ya go... straight from the horses mouth:

de.KA2YDY

IC-765

This information is taken directly off of the ICOM IC-765 brochure.

IC-765 SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL

Frequency Coverage:
Receive: 0.10000 ~ 30.00000 MHz
guaranteed range 500 kHz ~ 30 MHz
Transmit:
160-m band 1.8 ~ 2.0 MHz
80-m band 3.5 ~ 4.0 MHz
40-m band 7.0 ~ 7.3 MHz
30-m band 10.1 ~ 10.15 MHz
20-m band 14.0 ~ 14.35 MHz
17-m band 18.068 ~ 18.168 MHz
15-m band 21.0 ~ 21.45 MHz
12-m band 24.89 ~ 24.99 MHz
10-m band 28.0 ~ 29.7 MHz
Modes: SSB(A3J), CW(A1), AM(A3), FM(F3), RTTY(F1)
Number of memory channels: 99 plus P1 and P2
Antenna impedance: 50 ohms (unbalanced)
Usable Temperature Range: -10ï¿½C to +60ï¿½C; +14ï¿½F to +140ï¿½F
Frequency stability: Less than ï¿½200 Hz from 1 min. to 60 min. after
power ON. After that, the rate of stablity change is
less than ï¿½30 Hz/hr at +25ï¿½C; +77ï¿½F. Temperature fluctations (0ï¿½C to
+50ï¿½C; +32ï¿½F to +122ï¿½F) less than ï¿½350 Hz.
Power Supply Requirement: 100 ~ 117 V AC (U.S.A. version); 220 ~ 240
V AC (Australia,Europe,France versions)
Power consumption:
Transmit: 250 VA (at minimun output); 650 VA (at maximum output)
Receive: squelched (1.3 VA); at maximum audio output (80 VA)
Dimensions: 424(W) x 150(H) x 390(D) mm, 16.7(W) x 5.9(H) x 15.4(D)
in (projections not included)
Weight: 17.5 kg; 38.6 lb.

Transmitter

Output power:
SSB, CW, FM: 10 to 100 W continuously adjustable
AM: 10 to 40 W continuously adjustable

Modulation system:
SSB: balanced modulation
AM: low power modulation
FM: variable reactance frequency modulation
Maximum frequency deviation: ï¿½5 kHz (FM)
Spurious emissions: More than 60 dB below peak output power
Carrier supression: More than 40 dB below peak output power
Unwanted sideband: More than 55 dB below peak output power (at 1000
Hz AF input)
Microphone impedance: 600 ohms
DTX variable range: ï¿½9.99 kHz

Receiver

Receive system: Quadruple-conversion superheterodyne
(SSB,CW,AM,RTTY); Triple-conversion superheterdyne
(FM)
Intermediate frequencies:
Mode
1st
2nd
3rd
4th
SSB
69.0115 MHz
9.0115 MHz
455 kHz
9.0115
CW,RTTY
69.0106 MHz
9.0106 MHz
455 kHz
9.0106
AM
69.0100 MHz
9.0100 MHz
455 kHz
9.0100 MHz
FM
69.0100 MHz
9.0100 MHz
455 kHz

Sensitivity (preamp ON):
SSB, CW, RTTY (for 10 dB S/N):
0.1 ~ 0.5 MHz Less than 0.7 ï¿½V
0.5 ~ 1.8 MHz Less than 1.0 ï¿½V
1.8 ~ 30.0 MHz Less than 0.15 ï¿½V
AM (for 10 dB S/N, narrow filter selected):
0.1 ~ 0.5 MHz Less than 4.4 ï¿½V
0.5 ~ 1.8 MHz Less than 6.3 ï¿½V

1.6 ~ 30.0 MHz Less than 1.0 ï¿½V
FM (for 12 dB SINAD):
28 ~ 30 MHz Less than 0.3 ï¿½V
Selectivity:
SSB: More than 2.2 kHz/-6 dB; Less than 4.2 kHz/-60 dB
CW (narrow), RTTY (narrow): More than 500 kHz/-6 dB; Less than 1 kHz/-60 dB
AM: More than 6 kHz/-6 dB ; Less than 18 kHz/-50 dB
FM: More than 15 kHz/-6 dB ; Less than 30 kHz/-50 dB
Audio output power: More than 2.6 W with an 8 ohm load at 10% distortion
Audio output impedance: 8 ohms
RIT variable range: ï¿½9.99 kHz

Antenna Tuner

Input impedance: 50 ohms unbalanced
Output matching range (when tuner switch is ON): 16.7 ~150 ohms (unbalanced)
Waiting time for band changing: Less than 3 seconds
Auto tuning accuracy: VSWR 1.2:1 or less

IC-765 OPTIONS

IC-4KL 1 kW HF LINEAR AMPLIFIER: An advanced new all-solid-state amplifier equipped with a fully automatic
antenna tuner.
CR-282 HIGH STABILITY CRYSTAL UNIT: Contains a temperature-compensating oven heater and crystal unit for improved frequency stability. (ï¿½100 Hz, -10ï¿½C ~ +60ï¿½C; -14ï¿½F ~ +140ï¿½F)
CT-16 SATELLITE INTERFACE UNIT: Easy tuning for instant satellite communications using an Icom transceiver.
CT-17 CI-V LEVEL CONVERTER: For remote transceiver control using a personal computer. Equipped with an
RS-232C output port.
EX-627 AUTOMATIC ANTENNA SELECTOR: Allows connection of up to 9 separate antennas to the IC-765.
The most suitable antenna is automatically selected from up to 7 antennas when the operating band is changed in the
IC-765. Manual selection is also possible.
FL-53A CW NARROW FILTER (455 kHz, 250 Hz/-6 dB)
FL-101 CW NARROW FILTER (9.0106 MHz, 250 Hz/-6 dB) These filters have good shape factors and provide
you with better CW reception when band conditions are crowded.
FL-102 AM FILTER (9.0100 MHz, 6 kHz/-6 dB) This filter has good shape factor and provides you with clearer
broadcast reception.
MB-19 RACK MOUNTING HANDLES: Transceiver mounting handles for a 19-inch mounting rack.
SM-6 DESKTOP MICROPHONE: Easy to use desktop microphone for base

station operation.
SM-8 DESKTOP MICROPHONE: UP/DOWN switches included. Can be connected to 2 Icom transceivers.
SM-20 DESKTOP MICROPHONE: High-quality microphone with a heavy, stable base. Equipped with a low-frequency cut capability.
HM-36 HAND MICROPHONE: Includes UP/DOWN switches for scanning.
SP-20 EXTERNAL SPEAKER WITH AUDIO FILTERS: High performance speaker including 4 audio filters for greater sound quality. Style and size are matched with the IC-765 (8 ohms/5 W)
UT-30 PROGRAMMABLE TONE ENCODER UNIT: Subaudible tone encoder for accessing a 29 MHz FM repeater. All programmed tones are available.
UT-36 VOICE SYNTHESIZER UNIT: A clear, electronically generated voice announces the displayed frequency in English or Japanese.

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4377. Shack Cleaning Sale - Revised Post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Marsh <nickwb4sqi@wwd.net>
Message-ID: <35094419.134C@wwd.net>
Source record: 150653
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I moved some of my junque but still have some more. You know you need this:

Icom CM35 commercial charger for large batteries (BP7, BP8, etc.) same as the BC35 charger. OK condition, no manual, $50 shipped to lower 48.

W&W Mastercharger, same as above for Icom batteries, has interchangable charging cups for other batteries. VGC, $60 shipped to lower 48.

BP8 Super battery from W&W, new condition, $45 shipped to lower 48.

Iomega 125/250 external tape drive with software, manual and tape. $35 shipped to lower 48.

IBM PC Jr. keyboard, new-in-box, $15 shipped to lower 48.

Universal Data Systems modems, 1200/2400 with documents, make offer + shipping.

Midland UHF handheld, 16 channels, PL encode/decode, 5 watt, new condition with 13.2v 1000mah battery, manual, service manual, no charger. $200 + shipping

Thats all follks. Will swap for other first class junque.

I need 16mb nonparity simms (2), Pentium CPU up to p166, EIDE harddrive,

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4378. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1ffqaIARMRC1Ewrg@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150654
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi Lou,
I'm doing a little homework befor I come back with some hopefully, non-
flammable info!
>Sensible advice, if followed with EXPERIMENTAL investigation.
>I have read this whole off-topic thread, because it would make a hell of a
>power-boost
No one mentioned anything about a power boost, just a very noticeable
reduction in emissions and a corresponding increase in economy. that's
not to say there is no increase in power output.
> for field day and the more serious scenarios that we train for,
>but in reading this thread, I have seen NOT ONE SENSIBLE answer
>outside your post.
Thankyou, I take that as a complement. Words, ARE cheap.
>All the other answers I have read sound like the stuff I got when I said I had
>made a radio that had transmitted music on a 100 Hz bandspread.
>
>It sounds also like the injunction argument that broke Lee DeForest.
>You may remember reading about him. He claimed to have invented
>a thing (he called it an AUDION) which could amplify audio.
>
>The court agreed with the arguments by the supposed authorities of the day,
>who hadn't assayed the subject, but had just read it and decided it didn't
>work.
>
>We call the Audion tube (valve) a Triode, today.
>All CRT tubes on TVs and PCs are descended from the man who was ordered
>by the court to stop selling AUDION bottles.
>
>You sound like you are trying to join the few who do think, and I commend
>you for it.
>
>Me, I always get a headache when I try to think.
>
>That may be why I can't sell my inventions. See my URL.
>
>Good luck
>
>Lou H.
>http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/6578/index.html
>Prolific inventor,
>Lousy Salesman,
>Incompetent businessman.
>(Typical of the Breed)

>Looking for both around
>Tulsa OK, USA
I'll go check it out.
PS. Gary, I made my 1000 buck offer in good faith to only one person and if you flash back you'll see that it was on the condition he go see a GEET processor in operation with his own eyes fitted to a internal combustion engine, one of the GEET 5kw generators will also be included in the offer, and yes, I'll let you put a full 5kw load on it then connect it up to the dyno.
Go see it in the flesh, then come back and make us laugh.

Phil G4ZOW

PS. I'll leave with a nice anecdote:
When cold fusion can produce_reproduceable_ results seen by many researchers, then it will be accepted, just like plate tectonics and the existance of meteors.
But not until then.

Don't think I'll be spending 1000 dollars this week.

4379. WTB: SP 430 & HF vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kmortensen@magenta-research.com
Message-ID: <6ebnu8$2b3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150655

I am looking for a Kenwood SP430 speaker to match my TS440. Also looking for an inexpensive multiband HF vertical in good condition. Please stae price and condition.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4380. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <3509473d.65825542@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 150656

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998 17:10:03 -0800, Pete McGreevy
<PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET> wrote:

>Ready folks, Pete's pickls on what Yaesu is going to replace the 900
>with...
>
>1-same chassis as the 757/890/900

If it were to be a copycat competition to the IC-706, then the chassis
should be smaller than any of the above.

>2-160-440, definitely...it IS a mobile, after all...

Still not including 220MHz? If the 947 includes 70MHz TX/RX for
British band plan, why leave it out?

>3-DSP in the AF section, ala 920 and 847

I hope it's not an add-on like the IC-706 MKII

>4-kiss your manual noch filter goodbye :(

Amen!

>5-IF shift will stay

Amen!

>6-slots for 2 filters, one a Collins (a tighter one than the 2.75kc one,
>but still "mainstream barn door wide.... I'll pput money on 2.5kc), and
>one for CW, 500kc)

500kc CW? I'll place my first bet if it is not a type. Hi hi.

2.5kc on SSB is __VERY WIDE__, but this trade off makes the signal
sounding good! Can't count on AF DSP because, like my FT-920, the
2.4kc SSB suffers from AGC pumping quite a bit when the condition is
bad. 2.1kc is more resonable for mobiles that use vertical most of
the time.

>7-ALL the controls on the faceplate come off when you remove the
>faceplate, including gmic gain and RF power (which might be replaced with
>a "toggleable" setting based on a menu.

The only logical way to handle a mobile rig is have the ENTIRE
faceplate be taken off. Putting MIC gain in the menu is a good pick
(only if you use the same mic all the time), but I have a problem with
RF gain in the menu. It might be acceptable to use the automatic
antenna tuner, but what about tuning up your linear amp?

I think that a lesson can be taken from the TS-570. A multi-function knob to control SQL, RF gain, MIC gain, AF gain, IF shift, NR, and etc. Toggling through these functions via a single button, with CW announcement. This can make the control really shines during mobile.

>8-internal tuner, optional at first (cause this rig won't be cheap),
>standard in 2-3 years.

ICOM is pretty good at lowering their price when facing competitions. If the copycat wants to take off like the IC-706MKII did in the first place, it must prove itself to provide better value to justify the increased in price on customers.

>AND THERE YA HAVE IT. I will be accepting bet money on any or all of
>these 8 possibilities.... any takers???
>
>Pete -- KA2YDY

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

4381. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <35095cbe.8143775@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 150657
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>The Otto cycle engine powered auto has been around for a century. It is
>a mature technology. There is plenty of engineering data available for it.
>Unfortunately, wild claims like those being made by GEET have also been
>around for nearly a century. And they have remained claims, because they
>are not based on reality. They are either outright fraudulent scams, or the
>work of some enthusiastic amateur inventor who doesn't understand
>thermodynamics or how to do careful quantitative measurements.
>
Or they might fall into the category of the FISH (sp?) carburetor. Many of the
people who tried to get one back when had their orders returned by the USPO
marked "fraudlent". My father got such a reply.

The brother-in-law of Fireball Roberts worked in a machine shop in Fla, and
would show anyone that wanted to see it, how he had a Fish and an Offie carbs
on his car.

He said Fireball had had 2 fishes on his racer but they were stolen, so he came
and traded SuperChristian an Offie for one of his.
I learned of this from when I said that the "suppressed invention" myths were
just that. I offered the Fish Carb as an example. The overweight guy at a
machine said that the existed and told the story.
I asked another guy if the fat bou knew what he was talking about.
"He should," was the reply, "he's Fireball Robert's Brother-In-Law."
The man said he had seen the Fish carbs in the Bonneville that the Bro-in-Law
drove.

But we all know that hose suppression stories are just myths.
Read a history of Brig Gen David Sarnoff, who was as bad a robber baron as
any that ever fortified a hill in medieval Europe.

The Fish Carb can be found in the Patent Office doc's.
It's a boiloff tech.

The HEI, or High Energy Ignition, I think i've already said on this thread, was
another thing like GEET when it came out. Now you buy a new car, and it is
there already. The HEI was being sold in fairs and carnivals, For God's Sake,
to try to recover the money the guy had in patenting it.

Back to GEET: People, try to keep an open mind. Investigate for yourself.

Almost every breakthrough in history had been Poo-Poo-ed by people who
later said they were some of the first to recognize the wonderful new thing.

Read the history of OTTO, who started the whole thing. Same story.
Read the stuff at my URL. Same-oh, Same-oh.

Sheesh.

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4382. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <350a5cd5.8167053@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 150658
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:

>> Sensible advice, if followed with EXPERIMENTAL investigation.
>> I have read this whole off-topic thread, because it would make a hell of a
>> power-boost for field day and the more serious scenarios that we train for,
>> but in reading this thread, I have seen NOT ONE SENSIBLE answer
>> outside your post.
>>
>
>Read the www.geet.com "testimonial". You can tell its a fluke. But thanks for the
>incompetent insult anyway. Gary even brought you the math, I guess because of the
>100HZ music transmitter type mindset, you can easily imagine whatever you want.
>I'll even offer to run the simulation on my machine of your radio, as long as you
>draw the circuit and compile it into a netnode list, along with all needed models
>of devices (standard of course).

WILD ! ! HOW CAN I PASS UP SUCH A GENEROUS OFFER ? ?
Easily. If I put years into something, I want something out of it.
My ego does not require your approval, but if you want to come to Tulsa and
work on it with me, after signing suitable protective documents and then
help me get the financing to build and patent and prove and sue the sox offa
the thieves, then,
COME ON ! !

One of the hallmarks of any prolific inventor is paranoia. It is a result of
bitter experience. I have had several inventions stolen from me.

I got better sense now.

>>All the other answers I have read sound like the stuff I got when I said I had
>>made a radio that had transmitted music on a 100 Hz bandspread.
>
>Another good one. Ever heard of the Fourier Transform? Try it sometime. Reread my
>offer.

FFT is a wonderful thing if you have the numbers to plug in, but if the numbers
don't exist yet, where they gonna come from? Experimental Data, thet's where.

"Oh, that use scientific fact, and what the elegant word,
"Against unmitigated event that actually occurred?"
I built one. It worked. Then I tried to tell it to radio club, and was told it
can't be.
I had to sell the parts when I went broke, about '78, for rent money.
Lotsa inventors are like me. Sad, that.
>

>> It sounds also like the injunction argument that broke Lee DeForest.
>> You may remember reading about him. He claimed to have invented
>> a thing (he called it an AUDION) which could amplify audio.
>>
>
>In his case, no one understood the physics at the time, and even more than that,
>the "established base" wasn't open to anything even logically presented because at
>the time, the best place to be was on a board or academic position. Comfortably I
>may add. How else could you explain the overlooking of real proof that audio
>amplification provides?

MY POINT EXACTLY.
>
>On the other hand, the fuel processor is a thing much different. There isn't a lick
>of proof whatsoever. The proof presented so far has been here say by a visit to a
>"installation", then a grand excuse of why the car so equipped couldn't make it to
>the demo, and measurements taken from equipment that was neither tested for
>calibration, accuracy, or tampering. And further, enough tests were not performed.
>Get real, no dyno test. The control system for this device is non-existant. How
>does it adapt to the engine needs, tell me? And finally, after failing proof tests
>of validity by measurement, it fails the laws of physics miserably. Maybe physics
>could be rewritten if all the true proof tests were passed, but it couldn't even do
>that. So there, I am thinking, you are accepting an opinion of an uninformed and
>ill equipped observer, and for some reasons the same instincts that for some reason
>tell you that you can build an AM radio that transmits music in 100HZ bandwidth or
>less take over and prevent you from thinking by giving you a headache.
>
>Now, please, trully start thinking!

I'll try, I really will. I promise, even if it gives me a headache, like it
always does. Meantime, you might like to look up Fred Teal's brother, Gene, who
is a lot like me, but he did his thing with rejetting a carb, so lean you
wouldn't think it would run, and took it to ffairs and all he got was people
trying to steal it from him. There is an annual inventors fair, in some place
like Lenora or Lenexa Kansas, way out west of the state. He was there several
years running. His brother Fred has/had a farm in that area, why I mentioned
him. You might find him on the net, even.
>
>> The court agreed with the arguments by the supposed authorities of the day,
>> who hadn't assayed the subject, but had just read it and decided it didn't work.
>>
>
>Engineering is engineering. The guy is either creating a nuclear reaction or its
>bogus. You can't extract more chemical energy where there is none, and a fine mist
>of water would never increase engine effecieny greatly, it only modifys the
>temperature of the intake air flow, therefore modifying possible timing curves and
>boost delivery curves on turbo motors, and even further down the line, allows more
>fuel to be injected into the engine. Its detonation elimination effect is about the
>only true effeciency improvement that it garners, because with less det., you can
>run more agressive timing, improving the use of your fuel.

It might also modify EGT, with results you haven't mentioned uet.
One of us needs to think, one of us really do, I swear.
>
>> We call the Audion tube (valve) a Triode, today.
>> All CRT tubes on TVs and PCs are descended from the man who was ordered
>> by the court to stop selling AUDION bottles.
>>
>> You sound like you are trying to join the few who do think, and I commend
>> you for it.
>>
>
>I'm sorry, but that guy has not thought a bit, nor has the president of GEET, nor
>has the guy who built the thing, except for turning a profit from people who aren't
>engineers. And finally, neither have you. I don't deny that inventors can come up
>with some impressive stuff, but the fuel processor is not one of them. And looking
>at your homepage, you have alot of bogus stuff also. If your idea is so impressive
>about the pulse engine, try it on a supercomputer.

BETTER YET, TRY IT IN A WELDING SHOP.

>I'm sure someone can throw away
>the money for you to try it, if your proposal was well worded. Heck time is so
>cheap now, it really doesn't have to be That reasonable. These simulations are
>completely impartial, applying only the laws of physics that seem to apply to every
>other thing on the planet. Would you maintain that there is a better laws of
>physics? Then that could be tested too. Establish them, program a new simulator,
>then simulate your engine. Then plug in a real everyday engine. The fact that the
>real engine no longer runs should prove enough to you.
>
>David Pearce - KF4MOK
>dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

Then laws of fizzix is revised all the time. Sheesh.
Inventors are doing stuff all the time, which later gets first derided and then
applauded by authorities.

Hell, man, I have enuff computers around here to run failure predictions on,
but all that means to an inventor is that there ain't enuff math in the model.
That don't need a Cray. It needs math the Cray ain't got neether, by gar.

I am reminded of the thing a sailor kinfolk told my mom, for her to put in the
book she never finished. They had a huge thump on deck once during WW2,
and huge thumps tehn were very suspect, so lotsa people including the captain,
went running to see. The boat was in harbor at the time.

There were potatoes all over teh deck.
There had been an argument whether one could dive off the masthaed,
and they decided to do it scientifically first, and throw the sack of potatoes.

The captain said that would happen to anyone who tried it. He called for the
sailor who thought it up, and was told the man was being fished out of
the water even at that time, because he didn't believe in that scientific stuff.

Bogus, like many other things, is in the mind of the Bogee.
The assay test beats theeeries every time.
Sheesh.

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4383. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.91.980313103554.9969A-100000@sirajul.sh-gpl.ti.com>
Source record: 150659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 12 Mar 1998, Dick Flanagan wrote:

> In article <01bd4d6a$60fb5c80$f552bec7@home>, "Steve Weaver"
> <StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com> wrote:
>
> >I have a HTX-212 with a weak microphone. You basically need to yell into
> >it to be heard at normal levels. Does anybody know if there are any pots
> >that can be tweaked on the main board to help remedy this?
>
> The RS speaker mic is notorious for that problem. Either use the mic built
> into the front of the radio or buy one of the ICOM speaker mics that will
> also fit that radio.
>
> 73, Dick
> --
> Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
> Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/
>
>
Sorry, but the HTX-212 is a 'mobile' rig. The HTX-202/404 are handhelds.

Don Levstik WD5JBC
e-mail: d-levstik@ti.com

4384. Re: IC 765 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2vos@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ebmas$7p9$1@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150660

Wow. Thanks for response Pete. You must be some type of SUPER ham! :)

Thanks for info. Now I know EVERYTHING about it... everything except HOW MUCH your pal wants for his and... WHAT'S THIS ABOUT POWER SUPPLY PROBLEMS???

Mike W2VOS

4385. ---- FS: YAESU VX1R best offer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <pltd@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6ebpr5$2ku@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150661

Best offer

Mike

pltd@yahoo.com

4386. ---- FS: YAESU VX1R best offer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <pltd@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6ebpsn$2r0@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150662

New condition in box

full modification

Mike

pltd@yahoo.com

4387. batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred rhoda <fred.rhoda@cros.net>
Message-ID: <6ebq38$9bp$1@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 150663

Need infformation for any outlets for batteries for: RC usage and for Hand held radios. Any and all help is appreaticed on this matter. Thanks for reading this message. Please reply to : fred.rhoda@cros.net or kf8wp@cros.net . Again, thanks. Fred.

4388. Yikes! - Alinco credit card radios...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rexstout@ptld.uswest.net
Message-ID: <rexstout-ya02408000R1303980924490001@news.ptld.uswest.net>
Source record: 150664

Fry's in Wilsonville, OR had both models when I was down there yesterday, and it caught me by suprise... Those are SMALL! The 2m version had a working battery in it, so I turned it on. OK, I can sort of figure out the controls. It starts scanning and I get to the freq for a local repeater(146.96 which is around Portland). After waiting a while, the squelch breaks. Unfortunatley, these little radios have no room for a speaker, so I can't tell how well the signal is coming in or what the audio quality is like :-(But my Pro-60 can barely hear that repeater from about the same location using the rubber ducky antenna from my TH-205, so it can't be all that bad considering the incredibly small antenna. Something I noticed is the appearant lack of volume and squelch controls, although they must have been somewhere. IIRC, these radios have an output of 300mW or so, so they definitley won't do a lot, but they look like fun. Has anyone had a chance to try these little things out? I'd love to hear any comments about them.

| http://members.tripod.com/~jrollins/index.html - Computers |
| http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Lair/1681/ - Star Trek |
| OrHam@qth.net list admin Call sign coming soon! |

4389. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: qwasty@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ebvbf$g61$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150665
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In article <6ea8ecggb1@quasar.dimensional.com>,
"Philip Rosenberg-Watt" <philip@dim.com> wrote:
>
> Sorry for jumping in on this thread, but I was hoping to read something on
> the subject in the "subject" line. It's funny how conversations evolve.
> Don't bother responding to this message. Maybe somebody should rename the
> thread before we cycle back onto topic.
>
> :-)
>
> KC0BVU
>
>

to be true to the topic, is it commonly done? (ftp, http, telnet, etc via
packet)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4390. Re: VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35090EEA.85559BA3@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 150666

For a little bit more you can get a dual bander, you may run into cross band links that go to 6 or 10 meter fm which will enable you to talk thousands of miles on these bands. Since remote bases are only allowed on 220 MHZ and above the 440 band is popular for 6 meter and 10 meter fm remote bases, and yes even if you do not have 10 meter fm privileges you can work it through a remote base on a band you are licensed to operate on.

Mike WB8VLC

4391. FS - Bids open GE 40Ch/CB Handheld Pair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <mkparamedic@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ebsa5$ce0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150667

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4392. Re: FYI-YAESU TO DISCONTINUE FT-900/CAT &FT-736R RIGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6ebsoibaa1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 150668

Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET> wrote:
> Ready folks, Pete's pickls on what Yaesu is going to replace the 900
> with...
[...]
> 6-slots for 2 filters, one a Collins (a tighter one than the 2.75kc one,
> but still "mainstream barn door wide.... I'll pput money on 2.5kc), and
> one for CW, 500kc)
^^
Geez, don't ya think Yaesu can do a little better than that? :-)
(duck)

Sorry, couldn't resist. I'll go back to lurking...

> AND THERE YA HAVE IT. I will be accepting bet money on any or all of
> these 8 possibilities.... any takers???

> Pete -- KA2YDY

--
Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

4393. Re: MOTO AP50???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <350911D2.6C8994B3@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 150669
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yes it is a fully programmable from the keypad version, IE just like your ham ht, unfortunately the radio can only be set for one CTCSS tone at a time IE it is not programmable by memory, although you can program any of the usual CTCSS tones the radio does not remember the tone by memory channels it only remembers a global tone that applies to all aspects of the radio IE it must be changed by the user if you use different tones for different freq's. The CP50 however is fully programmable from the keypad and this includes the CTCSS tones IE you have the same capability as your standard ham HT.

Mike May
WB8VLC

4394. Re: Help with GE UHF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa7uj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313183600.NAA03180@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150670

Don't listen to this guy. A Syntor is a Motorola model and you have a GE Delta S. Good radios I have some on low band but no experience with the uhf model although I am sure it will easily tune to ham band like all other GEs I have over 30 Mastr 2s on repeaters and links and love them!

John

aa7uj@aol.com

4395. WTB: Kenwood 7930 or 7950 for PARTS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6ebuhp$c90$2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 150671

Hello,

I'm looking for an old Kenwood 7930 or 7950 for PARTS!
Do you have one sitting around collecting dust you'd
sell me? Send email to sandy@sandy.com or call.

Thanks.

--sandy
sandy@sandy.com
408-257-5383

4396. FS: Kenwood R-2000 w/vhf

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerald franks <w4rf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ebuuj$s53@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150672

Kenwood R-2000 with internal VHF converter (118-174 Mhz), copy of the
receiver manual included. It has a few scratches on the case but the front
panel is very clean and the receiver works great.
$315 shipped in continental US.
Jerry Franks W4RF
Nashville, TN
615-646-8518 between 5 and 10 PM CST

4397. FS: Kenwood TS-440S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerald franks <w4rf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ebv64$t8l@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150673

Kenwood TS-440S with internal auto-tuner, YK-88S filter, DC power cord,
manual, and non-Kenwood hand mike.
Rig looks good, works good, no problems.
$560 shipped continental US.
Jerry Franks W4RF
Nashville, TN
615-646-8518 between 5 and 10 PM CST

4398. WTB: ICOM PS-30 power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6ebv6ecui2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 150674

Hello,

I'd like to buy an ICOM PS-30 power supply in
excellent-mint condition. Do you have one you'd
like to sell? Please send email with price and condition.

Thanks,

--sandy
sandy@sandy.com
408-257-5383

4399. Mobile HF Ant Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Payne" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ebe1k$8uo$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 150675

What is the BEST mobile ant for HF. Cost is not a factor. I want the best. Thanks Mark WA4E

4400. F.S. HyGain TX2 Tailtwister $400.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313190300.OAA06377@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150676

Hy Gain TX2 Tailtwister Rotor & Control Box Extra Heavy Duty.W/Manual
20 sq.ft.windload when mounted in-tower. 138 ball bearings.
like New Cond. Reconditioned.
$400.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

4401. FS: Sams, less than $1.00ea- ORIGINALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: vintel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313190300.OAA06402@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150677

Folders available from the following Sams Photofacts sets priced at
$4.00 per folder + $1.00 S&H in the USA.

These are ORIGINALS, not copies.

Whole sets available at $9.00 + $3.00 postage in the USA
(A folder pertains to 1 radio, a set contains 10 to 25 folders, which
= well under $1.00 per folder)

50 or more SETS ordered at 1 time to one address $4.00 + S&H..
(Sams in sets number 1 through 60 are available as folders only, not
as whole sets}

Index available $2.00 + $3.00 postage.

Inquiries & orders to vintel@aol.com

Folders available from the following Sams Photofact sets:
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1077, 1096,1099,1107,1108,1113,1115,1136,1152,1156,
1157,1158, 1160, 1165,1166,1172,1179,1187, 1193, 1217,
1218,1223, 1232, 1334, 1359, 1410, 1434, 1509, 1914.

** Sams sets 1 through 10 are available in a binder @ $75.00 for
all 10 sets + shipping **

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Inquiries & orders to vintel@aol.com
John E. Kendall PO Box 436 Fallston, Md 21047

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my new
www site at
http://members.aol.com/vintel/ve.com

4402. FS: Lowe PR-150 Preselector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Neuman <cneuman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4eb0$a8f549a0$6b66d6ce@cneuman.ix.netcom.c0m>
Source record: 150678

New condition Lowe PR-150 Preselector / pre-amp

$ 150.00

Chris

4403. TOWER FS 70' U.S. Towers fully motorized crank up tubular

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313191401.OAA07708@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150679

My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and received a U.S. Towers 70 foot
fully motorized crank up tubular tower.It includes the indoor control box to raise and lower the
tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.He payed $6000+shipping.His wife would
take $4000 . You can call me at 516 486 1861. We are in New York on Long Island. KB2VX Rob.
qin2@aol.com. thanks I have all paperwork and receipt

4404. Re: batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35091583.83C4D05@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 150680

Recently Price Costco had some 1100 mAh double A (A) NiCads , 4 per pack with a 4 unit charger for ~$14 dollars, I have had excellent luck soldering these together in an Alinco and Azden pack.

Mike WB8VLC

4405. Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ptcarter@ingr.com
Message-ID: <6ec4p1$mc6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello-
I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240 MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter, and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.

Thanks,

Paul Carter KF4JIR

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4406. AT-11 auto tuner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4KJF@qsl.net
Message-ID: <350c8b19.23412732@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 150682

Is the AT-11 by LDG Electronics too good to be true? Seems to have a lot more range than other auto tuners, from Yaesu, Icom and SGC? And its a lot cheaper! Anybody?
73's,
Benjamin Blavat, KF4KJF

4407. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <35098CA9.F01DA3AA@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150683
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> WILD ! ! HOW CAN I PASS UP SUCH A GENEROUS OFFER ? ?
> Easily. If I put years into something, I want something out of it.
> My ego does not require your approval, but if you want to come to Tulsa and
> work on it with me, after signing suitable protective documents and then
> help me get the financing to build and patent and prove and sue the sox offa
> the thieves, then,
> COME ON ! !
>
> One of the hallmarks of any prolific inventor is paranoia. It is a result of
> bitter experience. I have had several inventions stolen from me.
>

You sound like also like to play yourself up alot. Figures ....

> I got better sense now.
>

I'll sign a non-disclosure, if it is reviewed as proper by a lawyer. Then I'll mail you the thing back, and you can send me the node list,etc. and I'll run it in spice.

> >>All the other answers I have read sound like the stuff I got when I said I had
> >>made a radio that had transmitted music on a 100 Hz bandspread.
> >
> >Another good one. Ever heard of the Fourier Transform? Try it sometime. Reread my
> >offer.
>
> FFT is a wonderful thing if you have the numbers to plug in, but if the numbers
> don't exist yet, where they gonna come from? Experimental Data, thet's where.

It gets better, I see. No, you see, the Fourier Transform predicts exactly what happens in a circuit on a frequency chart. You feed in the numbers and the function your circuit performs, and out comes the frequencies that will exist in the output.

I'll sign a non-disclosure agreement and simulate it, for free. We have a deal? Theoretical designs even have a much greater chance of working in a electrical simulator than real life. So I'm giving you the benefit of the doubt.

> MY POINT EXACTLY.

But there is no proof of geet. I don't plan to rehash that again. Just read my previous post.

> I'll try, I really will. I promise, even if it gives me a headache, like it
> always does. Meantime, you might like to look up Fred Teal's brother, Gene, who
> is a lot like me, but he did his thing with rejetting a carb, so lean you
> wouldn't think it would run, and took it to ffairs and all he got was people

> trying to steal it from him. There is an annual inventors fair, in some place
> like Lenora or Lenexa Kansas, way out west of the state. He was there several
> years running. His brother Fred has/had a farm in that area, why I mentioned
> him. You might find him on the net, even.
>

But it wasn't any sort of magic. It was still a carb. A fuel injection system can be programmed to run a car at the very edge, probably alot leaner than your friends carb, but what would be the point? No power equals no use, and thats exactly what you get when running lean.

> >
> >> The court agreed with the arguments by the supposed authorities of the day,
> >> who hadn't assayed the subject, but had just read it and decided it didn't work.
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> >Engineering is engineering. The guy is either creating a nuclear reaction or its
> >bogus. You can't extract more chemical energy where there is none, and a fine mist
> >of water would never increase engine effecieny greatly, it only modifys the
> >temperature of the intake air flow, therefore modifying possible timing curves and
> >boost delivery curves on turbo motors, and even further down the line, allows more
> >fuel to be injected into the engine. Its detonation elimination effect is about the
> >only true effeciency improvement that it garners, because with less det., you can
> >run more agressive timing, improving the use of your fuel.
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> It might also modify EGT, with results you haven't mentioned uet.
> One of us needs to think, one of us really do, I swear.

A motor can't run water because it improves gas exit or entry of the engine. There is the energy content factor, that you seem to overlook. What about otto cycle maximum effeciency presented by Gary? Even if you had external pumps sucking the gas from the engine, it couldn't achieve the effeciency noted by GEET engineers. Plus, anything that draws power from exhaust will inherently stall the gas flow more. Even turbos, wonderful devices they are, increase backpressure within the exhaust system. Exhaust tuning is limited to certain engine speeds, but again, it doesn't give a engine liscense to burn water.

> BETTER YET, TRY IT IN A WELDING SHOP.

Well, we are waiting ..... just make sure it fits in a standard mount so it can be hauled off an analyzed in a real test environment environment. Make everyone sign non-disclosure agreements. I am not ridiculing pulse jets, just your design.

> Then laws of fizzix is revised all the time. Sheesh.
> Inventors are doing stuff all the time, which later gets first derided and then
> applauded by authorities.
>
> Hell, man, I have enuff computers around here to run failure predictions on,
> but all that means to an inventor is that there ain't enuff math in the model.
> That don't need a Cray. It needs math the Cray ain't got neether, by gar.

I take it you have never seen a modern parallel computer running a modern fluid dynamics procedure. Its pretty dang accurate, actually. Modern engines that run in real life, run in these simulations, and nowadays, simulations are what the real life devices are based on. IF you rewrite the laws of physics after finding your engine works, in real life, then the previous engine designs should also work in the simulation. I think computers have changed alot since you purchased your last.

Later,

Pearce - KF4MOK
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

4408. Info on Telerex rotators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Suter <jsuter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ec42b$t57$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150684

Info on Telerex rotators wantes. Are they any GOOD?

4409. TS-440S Problem/FIXED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bull66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313202401.PAA17013@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150685

Thanks to all of the hams that replied to my question about my distorted audio problem. The Kenwood bulletin board on their website helped me fix the problem, which was covered in a earlier service bulletin (shorted/leaky diode in bandpass section). If anyone else has a problem with a Kenwood radio, even back to models in the '70's, check out the website, it may help - Thanks again - - -

4410. Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anders Stigö <stigo@swipnet.se>
Message-ID: <350A1640.6C0C@swipnet.se>
Source record: 150686

Does anyone know where I can find the 4-pole 3.5 mm mic/speaker-plug for
Yaesu FT50R? An e-mail would be appreciated!
73 de SM6WLH Anders
stigo@swipnet.se

4411. WTB: FREQUENCY COUNTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5yqc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313203600.PAA18834@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150687

I am looking for a decent frequency counter. e-mail me with descriptions

4412. COLLINS 32S1 Transmitter F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6ec211$1te@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 150688

Reply by phone I do not have email a friend is posting this for me.
John N2JI Phone (914)-969-4676 (Yonkers NY).

Collins 32S1 Transmitter for sale

100 watt transmitter 10 meters thru 80 meters.
All tubes in good condition.

(Spare tubes available but not included).

Includes Collins 516F2 Power supply

Will sell as individual items BUT must sell the Transmitter first!

Transmitter $350 Power Supply $175 Both $500 (FIRM).

Reply by phone I do not have email a friend is posting this for me.

John N2JI Phone (914)-969-4676 (Yonkers NY).

4413. Collins 32S1 Transmitter FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6ec3b9$ql7@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 150689

I am posting this ad for a friend. Please contact him if you are
intrested.

Call John (N2JI) at 914-969-4676 in Yonkers NY.

COLLINS 32S1 Transmitter and Collins 516F2 Power supply $500
Both are in excellent shape and work fine.

Transmitter puts out 100 watts on 10 meters thru 80 meters.

Spare tubes available but not included.

Will sell both for $500 (firm)
Will sell S231 Transmitter for $300 but must sell 516F2 first.
Will sell 516F2 Power supply for $175.

Please call John N2JI at 914-969-4676 (located in Yonkers NY)

4414. FS: 1940'S LEED'S & NORTHRUP NULL VOLT TEST SET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5yqc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313204300.PAA19219@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150690

this is an excellent condition 3 piece null volt test set. it contains:
galvanometer, power supply, and voltage divider
this was made for the us army camp evans signal laborotory.
all are in the original wooden case. and the felt that holds the equipment in
place is all perfect. for those of you familiar with this stuff this is quite
a find
e-mail me if interested.

4415. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <dHagMRAEiZC1Ewv0@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150691
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi Lou,
I tried dialling up your homepage to no avail, I'll try again.
You, and any other interested, read that as open minded, parties may
want to check out possibly the best of the independant GEET sites @:
www.friend.ly.net/GEET/
There's a fair bit of interesting reading so I suggest you download and
read offline. Click on the 'Famous inventions' link as well, this really
backs up what Lou has just pointed out about every uninformed persons
knocking the poor inventor without bothering to do their own independant
research.
>>The Otto cycle engine powered auto has been around for a century. It is
>>a mature technology. There is plenty of engineering data available for it.
>>Unfortunately, wild claims like those being made by GEET have also been
>>around for nearly a century. And they have remained claims, because they
>>are not based on reality. They are either outright fraudulent scams, or the
>>work of some enthusiastic amateur inventor who doesn't understand
>>thermodynamics or how to do careful quantitative measurements.
I do believe they are talking plasma physics.
>Or they might fall into the category of the FISH (sp?) carburetor. Many of the
> people who tried to get one back when had their orders returned by the USPO
>marked "fraudlent". My father got such a reply.
>
>The brother-in-law of Fireball Roberts worked in a machine shop in Fla, and
>would show anyone that wanted to see it, how he had a Fish and an Offie carbs
>on his car.
>
>He said Fireball had had 2 fishes on his racer but they were stolen, so he came
>and traded SuperChristian an Offie for one of his.
>I learned of this from when I said that the "suppressed invention" myths were
>just that. I offered the Fish Carb as an example. The overweight guy at a
>machine said that the existed and told the story.
>I asked another guy if the fat bou knew what he was talking about.
>"He should," was the reply, "he's Fireball Robert's Brother-In-Law."
>The man said he had seen the Fish carbs in the Bonneville that the Bro-in-Law
>drove.
>
>But we all know that hose suppression stories are just myths.
>Read a history of Brig Gen David Sarnoff, who was as bad a robber baron as
>any that ever fortified a hill in medieval Europe.
>
>The Fish Carb can be found in the Patent Office doc's.
>It's a boiloff tech.
>

>The HEI, or High Energy Ignition, I think i've already said on this thread, was
>another thing like GEET when it came out. Now you buy a new car, and it is
>there already. The HEI was being sold in fairs and carnivals, For God's Sake,
>to try to recover the money the guy had in patenting it.
>
>Back to GEET: People, try to keep an open mind. Investigate for yourself.
>
>Almost every breakthrough in history had been Poo-Poo-ed by people who
>later said they were some of the first to recognize the wonderful new thing.
>
>Read the history of OTTO, who started the whole thing. Same story.
>Read the stuff at my URL. Same-oh, Same-oh.
Phil G4ZOW/M

4416. Re: Help with GE UHF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35099f07.118493137@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 06:14:53 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 13:02:24 -0700, cj <cj@boi.hp.com> wrote:
>>I posted a request a while back about a GE UHF rig, I've found out a
>>bit more info, so maybe someone can point me in the right direction as
>>to how to mod it for ham use.
>>
>>- It doesn't appear to have a model name, such as MastrII or whatever.
>>- It has a seperate control head from the main box, with 2 digit LED
>> displays, 3 of them, push-buttons for volume, squelch, channel select,
>> scanning and adding/deleting channels from the scan.
>>- The combination number is N3UU2N040ZB
>
>You have a Syntor. The combo number tells all, but unfortunately I
>don't have my cheat sheet which decodes it handy here. Order a
>manual for the radio (the manuals are still available), and it will
>tell all.

Argh! You don't have a Syntor, you have a Delta. That's what happens
when posting without my references handy.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4417. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1303981241110001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <Pine.HPP.3.91.980313103554.9969A-100000@sirajul.sh-gpl.ti.com>,
Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com> wrote:

>On Thu, 12 Mar 1998, Dick Flanagan wrote:
>
>> In article <01bd4d6a$60fb5c80$f552bec7@home>, "Steve Weaver"
>> <StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com> wrote:
>>
>> >I have a HTX-212 with a weak microphone. You basically need to yell into
>> >it to be heard at normal levels. Does anybody know if there are any pots
>> >that can be tweaked on the main board to help remedy this?
>>
>> The RS speaker mic is notorious for that problem. Either use the mic built
>> into the front of the radio or buy one of the ICOM speaker mics that will
>> also fit that radio.
>>
>Sorry, but the HTX-212 is a 'mobile' rig. The HTX-202/404 are handhelds.

OOPS! Mea culpa.

Low audio is such a common problem on the 202 w/ speaker mic, with the 212
often exhibiting just the opposite problem, I put my keyboard in gear a bit
too quickly.

Sorry for any confusion.

73, Dick
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

4418. 50.400 AM net in DM04

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <3509A47C.B9863050@pactitle.com>
Source record: 150694

Hello all,

I have started a 50.400 AM net on Friday nights at 19:30 PDT.
It is run from Saugus Ca DM04rk by KC6WFS Dave Booth.

I'll be using a Gonset G-50 to a ARX-6.

If you live in the local area please join in on the net.

Thanks,

Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk

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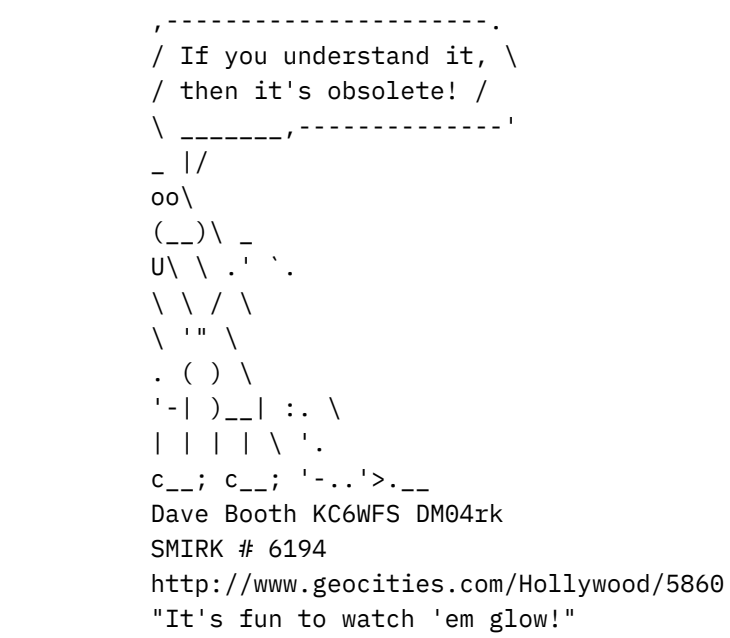

Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk
SMIRK # 6194
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860
"It's fun to watch 'em glow!"

4419. Re: FS: Sams, less than $1.00ea- ORIGINALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: vintel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980313215300.QAA29596@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150695

The URL is http://members.aol.com/vintel/ve.htm
not .com
Sorry
John

4420. FS: Mirage D-15N 420-450 Amplifier (15W) $80

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Tenison <btenison@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6eelee$i43$0@198.79.30.68>
Source record: 150399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have for sale a Mirage D15N 420-450 Amp
It has 15 W out with an input of 0.1-2 Watts in
(actually, can get 18+ watts for more than
2 Watts in with intermittant duty)

Can be used for FM, SSB, Cw and ATV

Used on Packet for 9600 Baud for a short
time.

73/Bruce
btenison@dibbs.net

4421. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eelvm$re9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150400

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FS: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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4422. YAESU 757GX FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <350ADF9C.4F31@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 150401

YAESU 757 $550.00 PLUS SHIPPING
MIKES@NEWULMTEL.NET

4423. WTB: cheap radio for my son

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <350AD409.2AE4@iglou.com>
Source record: 150402

Looking for cheap tube transceiver in the $100 to $150 price range. Heathkit HW-100, HW-101, SB-101....National NCX-5, NCX-200,Hallicrafters FPM-300, Tempo One: grey or black, or Swan XCVR. Or what do you have? Condition can be from a little rough to fair. As long as it'srestorable. I will need a manual and schematic.I have a young son who is learning the code and wants to get his Novicelicense. He wants his own radio.E-mail crslex@iglou.com o r....

Call 502-863-0500 and ask for Mark or leave message and I'll call back.
Thanks.................KB4AEP

4424. WTB: cheap radio for my son

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <350AD4CD.3925@iglou.com>
Source record: 150403

Looking for cheap tube transceiver in the $100 to $150 price range. Heathkit HW-100, HW-101, SB-101....National NCX-5, NCX-200,Hallicrafters FPM-300, Tempo One: grey or black, or Swan XCVR. Or what do you have? Condition can be from a little rough to fair. As long as it'srestorable. I will need a manual and schematic.I have a young son who is learning the code and wants to get his Novicelicense. He wants his own radio.E-mail crslex@iglou.com o r....

Call 502-863-0500 and ask for Mark or leave message and I'll call back.
Thanks.................KB4AEP

4425. Daiwa LA-4150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrice Lavoie <plavoie@infoteck.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <6eeo82$j7i$1@newsbell.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 150404

I would like to know if someone have te service manual or any informations about this amplifier.

4426. FS: Motorola Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: meadowcomm <meadowcomm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4f86$467dbf60$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 150405
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,att.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

I have two chargers for sale:

1) Motorola Overnight Desktop Battery Charger (NTN1174A) with power supply
for sale.

2) Motorola Rapid Charger (NTN1171A) with power supply (2580162R01).

Both have battery spacer for different size batteries. Both in excellent
condition. Best offer takes it.
Will ship UPS.

Sincerely,
Chris
meadowcomm@erols.com

4427. Sony CRF-1 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: landaircom@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314201801.PAA19520@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150406

People who know what it is do not need to explain it $2000.00 no haggling.

4428. FS: Yaesu FT757GXII, 757HD, 757AT, FTV-700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lindsay Collins <lcollins@conknet.com>
Message-ID: <350B1342.A02061F4@conknet.com>
Source record: 150407

For Sale: Yaesu FT-757GXII HF & 2 meter Bundle

Yaesu FT-757GX II HF Transceiver; all mode, solid-state, compact,
ransmits 100 watts on 160 to 10 meter amateur bands (25 watts AM),
0.15 to 30 mHz general coverage receiver; 10 memories, 2 VFOs, split
frequency operation and scanning; hand microphone.

Yaesu FP-757FD Heavy Duty Power Supply and speaker; styling matches
FT-757, 13.5 vdc at 20 amps extended duty (30 min. on/30 min. off).

Yaesu FC-757AT Fully Automatic Antenna Tuner; styling matches
FT-757, automatic band switching controlled by FT-757, manual or
automatic tuning, internal dummy load and SWR/wattmeter, two
switchable antenna jacks.

Yaesu FTV-700 VHF/UHF Transverter with 144 mHz band module provides
all-mode operation on 144 - 148 mHz; styling matches and interfaces
directly with FT-757, transmitter DC power input 20 watts SSB and
CW, 5 watts AM and FM, standard repeater splits.

All pieces are in good, clean working condition. All front panel
are perfect,
transceiver and transverter have minor cabinet abrasions. All
manuals and
original boxes (except for transverter) included.
Smoke free environment.

Price: $1250.00 plus shipping.

Lindsay Collins, K1JY
Box 422
Washington, NH 03280-0422
603/228-9036 (d); 495-3983 (e)
lcollins@conknet.com

4429. Re: ICOM R70 external control - HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rik@vnet.net
Message-ID: <rik-ya02408000R1403981519030001@news.vnet.net>
Source record: 150408

In article <01bd4f25$4cc97fa0$8d521fc4@oxtoby>, "The Oxtobies"
<oxtoby@iafrica.com> wrote:

>I need (fairly urgently) to find out how to use the external frequency
>control, band switching, etc. of the ICOM R70. The manual isn't very
>helpful, simply giving the pin configuration of the ACC socket and talking
>about RT, DB, DBV, etc. signals. I don't know what signals wht receiver
>expects or what I can expect to get from it.
>Any help would be greatly appreceiated.

Programs are available from download sites that will control your rig. Icom
also has a reference manual that gives details of the control scheme.

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Rik Rasmussen Direct Call, Inc. Durham/Raleigh, NC USA
rik@vnet.net visit my homepage at http://users.vnet.net/rik/
AOL Instant Messenger: Rik Rass ICQ#7920695 Amateur Radio: WA4BAN

4430. Tower FS 70' motorized crankup tubular never installed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314204601.PAA24341@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150409

My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and received a U.S. Towers 70 foot
fully motorized crank up tubular tower.It includes the indoor control box to raise and lower the
tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.He payed $6000+shipping.His wife would
take $4000 . You can call me at 516 486 1861. We are in New York on Long Island. KB2VX Rob.
qin2@aol.com. thanks

4431. WTB: HT600 Motorola Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eeqv3$2b2@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150410

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Wanted: Charger for the HT600
Reply E-Mail with price and phone number.
Rich
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4432. FS-McKay-Dymek DR-22 SW radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eepvq$b4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

>Those who know the name know the company's reputation for quality.
>
>For those who are not familiar with the radio, it's a mid-70s hot
>collector's HF receiver. Its the size and shape of a 70s home stereo
>receiver. It has a polish silver front panel with matching knobs,
>and real wood side panels. The radio puts out 2 watts of audio
>through its built-in 4" speaker. Antenna and external speaker
>connections are in the back of the radio, along with a "RCA" jack
>marked 455 IF output.
>
>Its in excellent condition and works like new. I have the manual, but
>sorry no box. No scratches or nicks on the radio. Here is some of
>its features as indicated on the owners manual:
>
>* Continous coverage from 50 khz to 29.7 mhz
>* Solid phase locked digital synthesis tuning
>* High level RF front end for excellent intermodulation rejection and
> sensitivity.
>* Crystal filters in first and second IF amplifiers, and ceraminc
> filter in third IF provide outstanding selectivity.
>* Designed to use with HiFi systems, or as a self contained receiver
>* Receives am, usb, lsb, and cw
>* Switch selectable 4 or 8 khz bandwith
>* 5000 hz audio heterodyne notch filter
>* Built-in (selectable) RF preamplifier and fine tuning control.
>* You do not need an external or active antenna with this radio!
>
>The radio displays frequencies in 5 digits. The far right digit
>(which is three digits to the right of the decimial display) has the
>top 1/4 of that particular digit burn-out. This in no way interferes
>with the operation of the radio. You can still make out the digit.
>
>I would like to sell this fine collectors stereo shortwave for $500 US
>or best offer. I will ship US or world-wide as long as you pay actual
>shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.

4433. New antenna for FT50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: chambers@midwest.net
Message-ID: <350aeeed.2943654@news.midwest.net>
Source record: 150412

I am looking for opinions on a new antenna for my Yaesu FT50RD. The stock antenna does not seem to be all that hot. I have heard good reports on the Comet SMA501. Any others?

Greg - WB9UHR

4434. WTB IC502, FTV-700, modules for FTV-700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jvp@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350be89e.5469674@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Wanted in good working order

ICOM IC-502 - 6 mtr CW/SSB portable
Yeasu FTV-700 - VHF/UHF xvrtr for use with FT-757 w/modules
Modules for FT-700

prefer with all accessories and manuals. e-mail details to
n4jvp@ix.netcom.com

73

4435. ft50r computer software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmayer7309@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314212301.QAA29990@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150414

I am looking for the adms-ic software can anyone help?

pm7309@aol

4436. IC-2340H Low Pwr Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "George T. Pasek Jr." <pasek001@maroon.tc.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <350AF9C5.339C@maroon.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 150415

I don't have a shop manual for my Icom IC-2340H so If you have one could you check it and see if there is a adjustment for the low power (5 watt) setting? I would like to be able to have the low power be 1 watt or less.

Thanks for any help

de George
WD0AKZ

4437. Question on Weston Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: T&T Monroe <monroe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eetq8$877$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150416

I Recently picked up a 2M handie talkie made by Weston. Model SV-16. It doesn't have a charging jack on it anywhere, but does have contacts on the bottom of the battery pack for drop in charger. If anyone can tell me anything about this radio such as where it was made and approximate age and where I might find a drop in charger for it I would be grateful.
73
Tom KF4LFD

4438. FS: Brand new Kenwood TM.261A.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <RWCO.134$%z2.1078982@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 150417

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Kenwood TM-261A 2 meters mobile radio
for
sale. It covers 118-174 in receive and 136-174 on transmit. Comes with all
original accessories and boxing. Still on warranty for at least 11 months.
Selling because I bought a dual band. Will ship it insured to your door for
$200. U.S. Please reply by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

4439. Re: Astron vs Switching power supply?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.96.980314122253.19498C-100000@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 150418

I have an ICOM PS30 switcher. 30 amps. No report of hum on signal,
nor switcher generated noise in the IC751 that its used with. Has
been running fine since 1983. What more can I say.

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**********************************
* jfenn@lava.net *
* Ham KH6JF (since '37) *
* MARS (AARS) ABM6JF (since '40) *
* WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *
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4440. WTB: Motorola 46mhz Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Banks <psgtech@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6eemko$esf@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.lmr-commerical

Need one Motorola Low-band HT (needed for 46 mhz). Looking for a HT or MT 1000.

Jim

562.690.8106

4441. Want

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Farr <ve3aak@vaxxine.com>
Message-ID: <6ef0f8$u78$1@news.vaxxine.com>
Source record: 150420

Wanted a Kenwood AT50 automatic antenna tuner in excellent condition.
Dan
ve3aak@vaxxine.com

4442. bs-8/bs-5 swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6ef0co$5bt$6@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 150421

i would like to swap my bs-8 pan adaptor for a bs-5 ....

email if interested please.

thanks,
Darren.

4443. Re: new ft50r mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jnewgas@zusa.net
Message-ID: <350b0718.15560264@news.ftech.net>
Source record: 150422

On 12 Mar 1998 23:49:58 GMT, pmayer7309@aol.com (PMayer7309) wrote:

>Does anyone have the mods for the new ft50r.I have done the mars/cap mod with
>success.But unable to have the freeband mod. I am using the adms 1D software
>program. Any suggestions?
>
>
>pm7309@a.o.l

It is easier to change the radio by software methods. Have a look at
www.cix.co.uk/~jnewgas/ and download FTZAP from there.

It can alter the RDF files that are used for templates. The changed
RDF file can be used as a temporary template and will alter your
radio. You then must make a new template by the normal methods.

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J Newgas
Please remove the 'z' from domain name in replies.This is there as an anti-spam precaution

4444. AEA CABLEMATE SOLD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <350B1106.43445484@freeway.net>
Source record: 150423

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the aea cablemate tdr listed is now sold thanks to all who replied
73 ken we8w
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4445. Tower motorized crankup tubular FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314233501.SAA21393@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150424

Tower For Sale
My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and received a
U.S. Towers 70 foot
fully motorized crank up tubular tower.It includes the indoor control box
to raise and lower the
tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.He payed
$6000+shipping.His wife would
take $4000 . You can call me at 516 486 1861. We are in New York on Long
Island. KB2VX Rob.
qin2@aol.com. thanks

4446. FS: Kenwood TS-140S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: degan@texoma!net
Message-ID: <350b15df.2373865@news.texoma.net>
Source record: 150425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am selling my Kenwood TS-140S rig. It is in excellent shape; I've only used it approximately 200 hours over the last 8 years. Has original boxes, manuals, etc. Includes hand mike.

$565 - you pay shipping

Email me at: degan@texoma.net

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David Egan degan@texoma!net (change the ! to a .)

4447. Re: IC-2340H Low Pwr Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <eQJNNE7T9GA.300@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150426

Low power settings on all newer ICOM mobile radios are not adjustable. They are fixed as a certain percentage of your full power output. The only way to get the low power to change is to tweak the main APC pot.

Adnan, Icom America

George T. Pasek Jr. wrote in message <350AF9C5.339C@maroon.tc.umn.edu>...
>I don't have a shop manual for my Icom IC-2340H so If you have one could
>you check it and see if there is a adjustment for the low power (5 watt)
>setting? I would like to be able to have the low power be 1 watt or
>less.
>
>Thanks for any help
>
>de George
>WD0AKZ

4448. FS: 6 & 2 meter boards for FT-767gx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ef909abh1@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150427

Have the 6 and 2 meter boards for the Yaesu FT-767gx. Both are in mint con. Price is $300.00 apeice or $550.00 for both + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

4449. FT-51R Internal Soft-Adjustment Questions.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-1403982050380001@207-172-192-166.s39.as3.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 150428

I'm trying to figure out what all the different options for soft
adjustments are?

I have So far figured out:
Band:1-7 :Preset radio bandplan selector.
MOD H:nn :Deviation Adjustment
MOD L:nn :Deviation Adjustment
S-1:nn :S Meter field strength calibration for 1 s unit. <do not
attempt to modify this figure without a calibrated signal source. As this
is not a selection type option, when you press the f key to set it, it
automatically sets itself to whatever the strength of the signal is thats
incoming>
S-FULL:nn :Same as above but for full strength.

SQL TI:nn <varies from radio to radio>,Squelch Tightness, Not sure how to
change this.
AQL TH:nn <varies from radio to radio> Squelch Threshold, Not sure how to
change this one either.
IF NO:(0,1,2,3): Absolutely NO idea what on earth this is.

-Dan
KC2BGZ.

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

4450. Telrex (not Telex) antenna rotators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Suter <jsuter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6efdc7dcr1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 150429

Does anyone have any info about Telrex antenna rotators. They were on the market many years ago and are no longer being manufactured. I have the opportunity to buy two and would like to talk to someone who has seen or used one or has an old Telrex catalog. Tnx, Jay, W4QDC, VA

4451. Re: ht1000 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Harbaugh <n3nri@innernet.net>
Message-ID: <6efb8u$c9t@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150430

Motorola has plenty!!

spo150@vdot.net wrote in message
<01bd4eb5$5b9ffa60$44fe14ce@fpd>...
>Anyone know where to get some ht1000 software??
>

4452. Re: Tower motorized crankup tubular FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350B4A7E.CA6916C6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150431

Qin2,

Your cause is just, even noble.

But I've read the same message 6 times today.

How about once a day, until it is sold?

BTW .. amazing what those things cost new. Most of my friends have bought used towers, and mine is a roof tower. So I did find your msg very informative.

73...Phil

4453. KB8UYZ.COM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <dan@kb8uyz.com>
Message-ID: <6efibi$8sj$2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 150432

March 14, 1998

For amateur radio news and information, check out http://kb8uyz.com.
Here you will find amateur radio news, information, links, downloads,
and much more!

You will also find our new frequencies page, which is located at
http://kb8uyz.com/freqs.htm.

73's
Dan KB8UYZ
dan@kb8uyz.com

4454. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC <jc@aol.com>
Message-ID: <350B48A8.3338@aol.com>
Source record: 150433
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Mike Iverson wrote:
>
> When buying goods from private parties over the net, (or any type
> of long distance transaction where you can't see the goods).
> I'd recommend using an escrow service to act as a third party.
>
> For a small fee, these services hold on to the money while
> the goods change hands. They have the tracking numbers,
> which allows them to monitor the whole process.
>
> I've used a service called "TradeSafe", and was quite satisfied.
> There are also services which are cheaper, and some which allow
> you to pay via credit card, which drastically speeds up the process.

Thanks for passing along that info Mike. I hit their website
http://www.tradesafe.com and got the details. I have been wary of
conducting private purchases/sales online but with a service like
tradesafe the risk is removed ! What other services like tradesafe do
you know of ?

4455. Re: ft50r computer software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan <doblera@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <350B62EB.3D7C@cadvision.com>
Source record: 150434

PMayer7309 wrote:
>
> I am looking for the adms-ic software can anyone help?
>
> pm7309@aol

http://www.rtsars.com/

4456. Re: Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Sullivan <kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350B626D.81A8F774@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150435

WELL YEA , I CAN TIE A BRICK TO A ROPE AND HAVE THE SAME CUMBERSOME OBJECT.....we need a tip,ring,ring,sleeve raw stock plug.... They are out there , we just haven't come across em yet...

73 de Pat KK6pd

4457. Re: New antenna for FT50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Sullivan <kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350B6455.ADB35B16@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150436

Having tried several, stock, the Diamond SRH805, and Diamonds new one
the SRH 519. By all means go for the 519. I really kicks butt!!.
There are sites here in Los ANgeles that I can hit with the 519 the the
stock antenna barely makes it and you can't even hear with the 805.
And it looks nice and is a thin flexable whip on a coil/sma connector.
it looks and performs great. I've had mine for 3 month now, have not had
a reason to put the other two back on.... good luck 73 de Pat KK6PD

4458. Re: IC706 - Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs 144Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <350B0363.5E1D@oak.ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 150437

Nelson wrote:
>
> Anybody know whether this Rig can work on Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs
> 144Mhz ?
>
> Tks
>
> 73

No.

John, W2FS

4459. WTB UHF ASTRO SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350B8218.B44@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150438

I am looking for a uhf motorola uhf astro saber 3.Please on price and condition if you have one for sale.
Lee

4460. WTB: BENCHER YA-1 LOW PASS FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net>
Message-ID: <350b026a.0@198.164.187.20>
Source record: 150439

Please respond with price and condition. Thanks. de Rick, VE9HF.

4461. WTB: KENWOOD YK-88CN-1 and YG-455C-1 FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net>
Message-ID: <350b029d.0@198.164.187.20>
Source record: 150440

Anyone have either of these filters forsale for the 850?

4462. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: au*nospam*@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6eihnr$81l@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150441
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 15 Mar 1998 23:26:15 -0600, "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\"
Shawhan" <lysdexia@evansville.net> wrote:

>
>> >But, I asked my father about this. He says that
>> >water injection was used in aircraft engines
>> >during World War II to increase effective
>> >power output. He says you can find lots of
>> >old (1930s) articles on water injection
>> >in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.
>
>I remember my roomate building one from a Mother Earth News article in the
>`70's on water injectors to help supress detonation in high-compression
>engines using crappy gas. It worked pretty well. It was basic bong tech
>(and thus within the range of the average MEN reader's capabilities! (-:)
>It basically guffed a little water vapor from a resivoir into a vaccuum
>hose. Made my roomate's Belvedere quit dieseling, I must say.
>
>d
I built several of those George. Each one worked quite well. As a
matter of fact I have one out in the garage that I had on my old VW
bus! (Yep good ole "bong technology" :>) It managed to increase
mileage by a few percent and definitely helped "ping". I have spoken
to some of my hippie friends and they believe (in between bongs hits)
that it "cools the charge" and allows the gas to burn slower. Does
that make sense? Seems that if the humidity is higher gasoline burns
better. Since I live here in Oregon, low humidity is not a problem.

au

4463. RE:TELWAVE WATTMETER SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <350AF372.28E0138@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 150442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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THANKS FOR THE REPLIES

4464. RE:TELWAVE WATTMETER SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <350AF34E.682194FB@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 150443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

THANKS FOR THE REPLIES

4465. TELEWAVE WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <350A8576.A2F32A5A@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 150444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Telewave Watt meter Model 44A. Condition is excellent.It comes with UHF connectors installed. The frequency range is from 20 mHz to 1000 mHz from 5 watt scale to 500 watt scale. I do not have the manual nor the box that it came in. I'am asking 250.00. If you are interested please e-mail with your reply.
73's
Mike

4466. KENWOOD TSU-6 DECODER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <350A9544.FDBEEAB4@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 150445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have forsale a TSU-6 .Only used for a short time.
Price 65.00 Shipped anywhere in the U.S.
73's
Mike

4467. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <+Wl44CA6FoC1EwbZ@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150446
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Bill,
>Did anyone do any informed and qualified research on those magnets round
>the fuel pipe (at ï¿½60)?
If you're talking about the Ecoflow then the DTI's own scientists
published the results which showed both a noticeable decrease in harmful
exhaust emissions and a small improvement in fuel economy, I have a copy
of all the dyno tests in my file.
Shame you and the various magazine publishers who've knocked the product
never bothered to ask for your free copy.
You may wish to go check out ; www.friend.ly.net/GEET/
It's a lot more informative and updated more frequently.

Phil G4ZOW

4468. IC706 - Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs 144Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4ef2$0ac867c0$670148ca@nelson>
Source record: 150448

Anybody know whether this Rig can work on Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs 144Mhz ?

Tks

73

4469. Drake TR-7 NB dummy board needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314030200.WAA21574@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150449

Due to circumstances, I find myself in need of the plug-in dummy board that replaces the NB-7 noise blanker in the TR-7. If you are parting out a TR-7 or have one of these, please let me know you asking price including shipping.

Thanks.

Evan

4470. SWAP/FS For Hickok my Unusual Sony Reel to Reel Deck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6ecrmf$8a8$7@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 150450

SONY TC-560 E.S.P. Auto Reverse Reel to Reel Stereo Deck

Unusual Feature--A Full Sized/Featured Deck That Can Be Run Off of
12 Volts D.C. For Auto Use With Adapter (Not Included)

3 speeds 7.25 Inch Reels

Dual Play Selector Forward or Backward in addition to stop, fast
forward and fast reverse

- Noise Suppressor Switch
- Speakers on/off

Control Knobs For:

- Mode
- Base
- Treble
- Left/Right Volume

Selector Buttons For:
- Tape
- Aux
- Tuner
- Phono

Record Controls:

- Dual Level Meters
- Record buttons
- Mic/Aux L/R knobs (two)
- L/R Tuner knob (one)
- L/R Phono knob (one)

Auto Reverse On/Off

Unit from what I can see needs some minor repair/TLC. I do not
service them. It plays fine, however the following needs to be
addressed.

1. The tape digital counter is not working (probably needs new
belt that connects the mechanical digital counter to the
motor/reel mechanism).
2. When the unit is put in reverse the motor is heard, but
nothing happens. This again is probably an adjustment or need
of a belt.
3. One fascia philips type screw is missing from the deck's
cover.

4. The dust cover or case cover if you want to term it that is of the unit is missing.

Asking $75 or best offer, plus shipping and the actual cost of an inexpensive box purchased from the local box supplier (I make no profit on shipping or the box). You see I have a tough time trying to find larger boxes which this unit requires.

Wish consider a tube tester in trade like a Hickok (e.g. model 800, etc.) or military style tube tester.

International buyer welcome.

4471. FS Icom IC 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf8kw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314031600.WAA24735@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150451

Bought a new rig and have a IC 735 for sale. Excellent condition and comes with hand mike, original boxes, and manual. $575.00 + shipping. 616-530-6690

4472. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3509eaa0.137849041@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150452
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 11:05:53 +0000, Philip de Cadenet
<philip@two-way.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>PS. Gary, I made my 1000 buck offer in good faith to only one person and
>if you flash back you'll see that it was on the condition he go see a
>GEET processor in operation with his own eyes fitted to a internal
>combustion engine, one of the GEET 5kw generators will also be included
>in the offer, and yes, I'll let you put a full 5kw load on it then
>connect it up to the dyno.
>Go see it in the flesh, then come back and make us laugh.
>
>Phil G4ZOW

I tell you what, Phil, bring your new Camaro by the shop and we'll
pull the engine and put it on the dyno and do a baseline run to determine
stock brake thermal efficiency. Then go get your GEET processor fitted
and bring it back. We'll pull the engine again and run it on the dyno. If
the brake thermal efficiency is 3 times greater as GEET is claiming,
I'll eat all testing costs. If it isn't, you pay me for all testing costs. And
if you don't trust my testing facility, I can arrange to have it tested at
any of several top NASCAR or NHRA engine builders' facilities instead.

I'm not worried that I'll be eating any testing costs. I'd love to put the
kabosh on these scamsters before they get a chance to bilk more
money out of the gullible public.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4473. RALEIGH NC Hamfest - April 5th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.xx.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <350ffc81.17138584@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 150453

********* "RARSfest 98" *********

RALEIGH HAMFEST and COMPUTER FAIR

NORTH CAROLINA SECTION ARRL CONVENTION

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

NORTH CAROLINA STATE FAIRGROUNDS

3500 attended last year! Giant, all-indoor flea market, plus plenty
of dealers, contests, meetings and forums, prizes, VE Exams, and
the famous "Saturday Night Social."

Location: North Carolina State Fairgrounds, Jim Graham Building.

Follow the Interstate 40 to the I-440 Beltline around
Raleigh. Take exit 3 - Hillsboro St., and go west
one mile to the Fairgrounds.

Talk-in directions on the 146.64 and 147.15 Repeaters.

Date/Time: SUNDAY, April 5, 1998, 8 am to 4 pm.
(Building opens at noon Saturday, and 6 am Sunday
for dealer/vendor setup.)

Admission: Pre-register: $5 (before March 28). Gate: $6.

Flea Market: Table/2 chairs: $10 (5 or more tables: $9 each).
120 Volt AC: $15 per connection.
Drive-In unloading/loading permitted. Bring your
own extension cords and carts. Sorry, no tailgating
in the parking lot. (See address below for
registration.)

Parking: FREE on site!

VE Exams: Exams begin at 11 AM. Bring Picture ID, original
AND photocopy of license and any CSCE's. $6.25.
Contact Vince AA4MY at 919-676-4697 for VE only.

Meetings: ARRL/ARES, NTS, Army and Navy MARS, ATV, QRP,
Packet/APRS, DX.

Bill Moore NC1L, ARRL Century Club Supervisor
will present a DX forum, and provide DXCC
QSL checking.

WOUFF HONG: ARRL members are invited to take part in the
official Royal Order of the Wouff Hong induction
rites, immediately after the Social on Saturday
night. Are you a member of the Order? How will
you be tested?

-- CONTESTS --

Mobile Enter your HF mobile station.
Contest:

Homebrew Enter your homebrew projects.
Contest:

QLF Contest: "QLF" Now try sending with your Left Foot. Yes,
it's an official "left foot" sending contest, with
the largest "straight key" you've ever seen!

QBH Contest: "QBH"??? Now try sending with Both Hips. You'll
have to see, and TRY, this one to believe it. The
biggest set of keyer paddles you've ever seen!
Grass skirts optional, but may affect your chances
of winning (we're not saying which way your chances
may be affected... what shape are your knees in?)

CA$H prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. Not
enough to retire on, but enough to make it worth
your effort. For contest entry information, contact
Rick Merkle KA3PSK at 870-8268, or e-mail him at
ibmrick@aol.com.

General The NC State Fairgrounds hosts a permanent, general-
Flea- merchandise flea-market just outside the hamfest
Market: building. Admission to that flea-market is FREE!

Nearby Blue Ridge Cinema (14 screens, $1.50 tickets) just
Entertainment: down the block. NC Museum of Art just up the
block. Crabtree Valley Mall about 2 miles away.

FOR TICKETS For tickets, tables, etc., make checks payable to
AND TABLES "RARSfest." Include your name, call, address,
and S.A.S.E !! Mail to:

Wilbur Goss WD4RDT
SASE REQUIRED! 4425 Watkins Rd. SASE REQUIRED!
Raleigh, NC 27616

Advance ticket cutoff: March 28.

********** SEE YOU THERE FOR OUR 26TH YEAR *********

4474. Re: VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsirois@stny.lrun.com
Message-ID: <350e00e8.5475385@news-server>
Source record: 150454

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 02:32:34 -0800, Bob <ciebert@triax.com> wrote:

>Get the two meter. Many many more repeaters every where on two meters.

Agreed. Two meters is almost a must-have...

>
>Sam C wrote:
>
>> I am getting my licence in a couple weeks, but saw some great deals on
>> 2-meter HTs in my area, that I have to get now because, being in college and
>> having a family, I am on a strict budget :-) The only problem is I don't
>> know which one to get:-(
>>
>> My 2 choices are a UHF FM HT with a freq coverage btwn 425-449.995 RX and
>> TX. Then there is a VHF FM with a freq coverage btwn 144-147.995 both RX and
>> TX. Please anyone have any advice? I live in the California bay area, if
>> that would help.
>>
>> Also, is it against the law for me to just turn it on and listen, so I can
>> pick up the right way to talk over the air, so when I get my licence I don't
>> look, I mean sound, like a complete idiot.

No license required to listen, just to transmit...

-==*>Ray - KC2DCG<*==-

In the grander scheme of things, the
historical value of what we have done
here is nil. -- proverb

4475. FS-McKay-Dymek DR-22 SW radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ed21q$86n@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

Those who know the name know the company's reputation for quality.

For those who are not familiar with the radio, it's a mid-70s hot collector's HF receiver. Its the size and shape of a 70s home stereo receiver. It has a polish silver front panel with matching knobs, and real wood side panels. The radio puts out 2 watts of audio through its built-in 4" speaker. Antenna and external speaker connections are in the back of the radio, along with a "RCA" jack marked 455 IF output.

Its in excellent condition and works like new. I have the manual, but sorry no box. No scratches or nicks on the radio. Here is some of its features as indicated on the owners manual:

* Continous coverage from 50 khz to 29.7 mhz
* Solid phase locked digital synthesis tuning
* High level RF front end for excellent intermodulation rejection and sensitivity.
* Crystal filters in first and second IF amplifiers, and ceraminc filter in third IF provide outstanding selectivity.
* Designed to use with HiFi systems, or as a self contained receiver
* Receives am, usb, lsb, and cw
* Switch selectable 4 or 8 khz bandwith
* 5000 hz audio heterodyne notch filter
* Built-in (selectable) RF preamplifier and fine tuning control.
* You do not need an external or active antenna with this radio!

The radio displays frequencies in 5 digits. The far right digit (which is three digits to the right of the decimial display) has the top 1/4 of that particular digit burn-out. This in no way interferes with the operation of the radio. You can still make out the digit.

I would like to sell this fine collectors stereo shortwave for $500 US or best offer. I will ship US or world-wide as long as you pay actual shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.

4476. Tower FS. unused 70' motorized crank up tubular

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314050000.AAA12459@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150456

My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and received a U.S. Towers 70 foot
fully motorized crank up tubular tower.It includes the indoor control box to raise and lower the
tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.He payed $6000+shipping.His wife would
take $4000 . You can call me at 516 486 1861. We are in New York on Long Island. KB2VX Rob.
qin2@aol.com. thanks

4477. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3509f3f5.140238688@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150457
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 16:24:25 GMT, aruder@pipeline.com (Lou Hinshaw) wrote:
>David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:
>>Read the www.geet.com "testimonial". You can tell its a fluke. But thanks for the
>>incompetent insult anyway. Gary even brought you the math, I guess because of the
>>100HZ music transmitter type mindset, you can easily imagine whatever you want.
>>I'll even offer to run the simulation on my machine of your radio, as long as you
>>draw the circuit and compile it into a netnode list, along with all needed models
>>of devices (standard of course).
>
>WILD ! ! HOW CAN I PASS UP SUCH A GENEROUS OFFER ? ?
>Easily. If I put years into something, I want something out of it.
>My ego does not require your approval, but if you want to come to Tulsa and
>work on it with me, after signing suitable protective documents and then
>help me get the financing to build and patent and prove and sue the sox offa
>the thieves, then,
>COME ON ! !
>
>One of the hallmarks of any prolific inventor is paranoia. It is a result of
>bitter experience. I have had several inventions stolen from me.

Fascinating, where are they successfully being employed?

I've found that successful inventors generally have large numbers of
products on the market. They aren't paranoid about having an idea stolen
because they seldom have the time to develop them all before the market
niche they fill passes them by. Time to market is the name of the game.
That's why most products are marked "Patent Pending", if anyone bothers
to patent them at all.

OTOH unsuccessful inventor wannabes are almost invariably paranoid.
They think the world is out to steal their ideas. They must be, because
people aren't *buying* their ideas. The unsuccessful inventor never seems
to realize that there's a *reason* why people aren't buying their ideas.

>>>All the other answers I have read sound like the stuff I got when I said I had
>>>made a radio that had transmitted music on a 100 Hz bandspread.
>>
>>Another good one. Ever heard of the Fourier Transform? Try it sometime. Reread my
>>offer.
>
>FFT is a wonderful thing if you have the numbers to plug in, but if the numbers
>don't exist yet, where they gonna come from? Experimental Data, thet's where.

And I have just the spectrum analyzers to gather it, as does any reasonably
equipped radio shop. It is simple enough to prove your claims. You can even

keep your boxes sealed for all I care. All I need is to be able to sample the signal being sent between transmitter and receiver in order to measure its bandwidth. If it is passing full fidelity music in realtime, the bandwidth will be greater than 100 Hz, or the required SNR will be so unreasonably high that it will be of no practical use. Shannon's capacity bound won't be denied.

Shannon's capacity bound is C=B*ln(1+S/N). Transposed to solve for required S/N it is S/N=exp(C/B)-1. Substituting in a bandwidth B of 100 Hz and a required capacity of C=44,000 (Nyquist limit for CD quality music), the required SNR in db is 1911 db. Even if we'll accept speech quality (C=5000) audio, the required SNR for a 100 Hz bandwidth is 434.3 db. That's totally useless, and a far cry from the 19.5 db SNR required for CD quality music in a 10 kHz bandwidth, or the 1.16 db SNR required in a 165 kHz bandwidth. (Of course these are theoretical bests, in practice we can't achieve CD quality with transmission link SNRs that low, and neither can you.)

I expect you've fallen into the same trap that Petit did when he first published his Clover system in 73 Magazine. He claimed a 2 Hz bandwidth. The actual bandwidth is 500 Hz. The problem was his spectrum analyzer didn't catch the sidebands because they were below its noise floor, but not below the noise floor of the Clover receiver in his test setup.

Common spectrum analyzers have a noise floor of -80 dbm to -100 dbm while most receivers have a noise floor of -120 dbm to -140 dbm. So a faulty test setup led him to claim theoretically impossible results. When it was measured more carefully with a signal level that was above the spectrum analyzer noise floor, the truth came out. Clover is good, but it isn't better than theoretically possible good. And neither is anything else, not your music system, and not the GEET processor.

Gary
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Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4478. Re: FT-847 Features

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350A15AE.65E8C394@erols.com>
Source record: 150458

OH!! Boy.

Len wrote:
>
> Does anyone know if the FT-847 can crossband from HF to 450 Mhz? I am
> wondering if I can use it remotely from the backyard for HF SSB qso's with
> my walkie.
>
> /Len
> K1LU

4479. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <350a10cc.147622785@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150459
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 14:44:41 -0500, David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
wrote:
[Lou wrote]
>> Then laws of fizzix is revised all the time. Sheesh.
>> Inventors are doing stuff all the time, which later gets first derided and then
>> applauded by authorities.
>>
>> Hell, man, I have enuff computers around here to run failure predictions on,
>> but all that means to an inventor is that there ain't enuff math in the model.
>> That don't need a Cray. It needs math the Cray ain't got neether, by gar.
>
>I take it you have never seen a modern parallel computer running a modern fluid dynamics
>procedure. Its pretty dang accurate, actually. Modern engines that run in real life, run
>in these simulations, and nowadays, simulations are what the real life devices are based
>on. IF you rewrite the laws of physics after finding your engine works, in real life,
>then the previous engine designs should also work in the simulation.

In fact they have to. Rewriting physical law can't negate any previous
observable. If it does, then your rewrite is incorrect. New theories
can't negate any of the observable results of prior theory. When
Einstein's theory displaced Newton's theory, apples still fall from
apple trees.

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4480. Re: Yaesu FT 8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <ePoO.492$xD2.2279161@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 150460

I purchased mine about a month ago just when the price dropped and love the unit. I also bought the tone board and the separation kit for it and it was the same price as the 8100.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
B. Simonin wrote in message <6ecrut$j99@bubba.NMSU.Edu>...
>I recently purchased a new Yaesu FT8500. Price dropped from $599 last July
>to $399 at HRO this month. Had been looking at the FT8100R but could not
>justify the higher price. Anyone with experience on the FT8500? Have
>gotten excellent reports on my transmissions so far.
>
>KD5AEY
>
>

4481. Re: IC706 - Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs 144Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <350a1fa9.151428852@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150461

On 14 Mar 1998 02:38:06 GMT, "Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
>Anybody know whether this Rig can work on Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs
>144Mhz ?

No. The IC706 can only operate one band at a time.

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4482. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron N6AHA <ronc@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4f10$f02a0a80$5be5c9d0@ron1>
Source record: 150462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Chris <Mr.Hanky@Pooh.com> wrote in article <35065137.68DD@Pooh.com>...
> Ron N6AHA wrote:
> >
> > Good! Now we know where to send the FCC on their next raid!
>
> The FCC doesn't license anything under 200 watts in the FM broadcast
> band. I remember seeing somewhere a low power station taking the FCC to
> court over it. I could be wrong, but, I think there is a loop hole here

They don't license anything under 100 watts (except translators and boosters), but they don't allow anything that is not licensed. It's not a loophole. One of the guys who tried that just got fined $5,000, and an appeals court upheld the fine.

4483. Re: Yikes! - Alinco credit card radios...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmudd@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4f1f$08e44500$6e806ac6@rickmudd>
Source record: 150463

They don't have a squelch control. preset...

John Rollins <rexstout@ptld.uswest.net> wrote in article
<rexstout-ya02408000R1303980924490001@news.ptld.uswest.net>...
> Fry's in Wilsonville, OR had both models when I was down there yesterday,
> and it caught me by suprise... Those are SMALL! The 2m version had a
> working battery in it, so I turned it on. OK, I can sort of figure out
the
> controls. It starts scanning and I get to the freq for a local
> repeater(146.96 which is around Portland). After waiting a while, the
> squelch breaks. Unfortunatley, these little radios have no room for a
> speaker, so I can't tell how well the signal is coming in or what the
audio
> quality is like :-(But my Pro-60 can barely hear that repeater from
about
> the same location using the rubber ducky antenna from my TH-205, so it
> can't be all that bad considering the incredibly small antenna. Something
I
> noticed is the appearant lack of volume and squelch controls, although
they
> must have been somewhere. IIRC, these radios have an output of 300mW or
so,
> so they definitley won't do a lot, but they look like fun. Has anyone had
a
> chance to try these little things out? I'd love to hear any comments
about
> them.
>
> ---
> | http://members.tripod.com/~jrollins/index.html - Computers |
> | http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Lair/1681/ - Star Trek |
> | OrHam@qth.net list admin Call sign coming soon! |
> ---
>

4484. Re: IC706 - Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs 144Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmudd@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4f1f$9c0cb1a0$6e806ac6@rickmudd>
Source record: 150464

yup. Nope it won't do it.

Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<01bd4ef2$0ac867c0$670148ca@nelson>...
> Anybody know whether this Rig can work on Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs
> 144Mhz ?
>
> Tks
>
> 73
>

4485. FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane <duane@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <6eddv9rtj1@news.flinet.com>
Source record: 150465

Hey guys and gals I found a really cool site that sells plaques.
they make it using a copy of your FCC license. Very nice plaques
high quality. you can check it out a link is on my ham radio page.
or go directly there at
http://www.awards-r-us.com/wireless/products.cfm?siteid=3121
or my page at http://www.flinet.com/~duane/ham/ham.html

4486. FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane <duane@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <6edei5sst1@news.flinet.com>
Source record: 150466

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or go directly there at
http://www.awards-r-us.com/wireless/products.cfm?siteid=3121
or my page at http://www.flinet.com/~duane/ham/ham.html

4487. re: need info on a htx-100 rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: reble@nextdim.com
Message-ID: <350a3e6b.51722648@news.nextdim.com>
Source record: 150467

i am looking for any info on how to add fm mode to the htx-100
realistic 10 meter moble rig

steve kc7byp@nextdim.com

4488. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bratcher@pdq.net
Message-ID: <350d3f0a.24283951@news.pdq.net>
Source record: 150468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 14 Mar 1998 06:18:57 GMT, "Ron N6AHA" <ronc@sonic.net> wrote:

>Chris <Mr.Hanky@Pooh.com> wrote in article <35065137.68DD@Pooh.com>...
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>
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>boosters), but they don't allow anything that is not licensed. It's not a
>loophole. One of the guys who tried that just got fined $5,000, and an
>appeals court upheld the fine.

What are the steps in getting a 100w license?
I'm doing my frequency search now and have sent for the application
papers from the FCC.

Will need to know everything involved.

bratcher@pdq.net
Record collector, 8mm, super 8, 16 and 35mm Film collector.
Looking for prerecorded reel to reel tape albums.
I like old radio's too.
Collins, Hallicrafters, National & Hammarlund are my Favorites!

4489. ICOM R70 external control - HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Oxtobies <oxtoby@iafrica.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4f25$4cc97fa0$8d521fc4@oxtoby>
Source record: 150469

I need (fairly urgently) to find out how to use the external frequency control, band switching, etc. of the ICOM R70. The manual isn't very helpful, simply giving the pin configuration of the ACC socket and talking about RT, DB, DBV, etc. signals. I don't know what signals wht receiver expects or what I can expect to get from it.
Any help would be greatly appreceiated.

Thanks,
Oliver Oxtoby

4490. Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <UserID@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350A423B.F1ECFEB9@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150470

1- Nicolet 320 oscilloscope, roll around stand, probes and manual. 7470A Hewlett-Packard Digital High Speed Plotter Looking for KLM KT-34XA Tribander Email- mugoo@pacbell.net Modesto, Calif.

4491. Re: ADMS 1C Software Needed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6edi1iid1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 150471

Ricardo Gon&#65533;alves (rgoncalv@esoterica.pt) wrote:
: Hello !!!
: I have ADMS 1D Software (version 1.07) for FT-50R, but I need an early
: release like 1.04 or 1.05, please if you have it send it by Email !!! (I
: can send mine too, if you want !).

: Ricardo Gon&#65533;alves
: CT2GVJ
: Email: rgoncalv@aranae.pt

A silly question:why do you want 1.05-it does no more than 1.07, and it has at least 1 bug.
If the 800 limits are the problem, then 1.05 is not old enough(I'm not sure about 1.04 though).

4492. Re: Kenwood TV-502S Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6edhihfen1@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 150472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <3503D37D.E9F1576C@abs.net>, Bruce Nolte <brucenol@abs.net> wrote:
>The Kenwood TV-502S has been sold. Thanks to everyone who responded.
>Bruce N3LSY
>if you dont mind me asking .... how much did it sell for please ??

thanks !
Darren.

4493. gp300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "kevin.kelsall" <kevin.kelsall@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <6edlkv$b3f$1@nclient3-gui.server.virgin.net>
Source record: 150473

wanted gp300 vhf must be cheep or swop for (uhf gp300 16ch)
kevin.kelsall@virgin.net

4494. FS Icom IC-2340H 2/440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314115001.GAA12823@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150474

I have a clean Icom IC 2340H 2/440 meter.Very little use on it
$325.00
Dick,KA1KLA

4495. FS:NEW ICOM IC-T8A 2/6/440 HT w/wide receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce A. Langos" <bruce.langos@daytonoh.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <#85h4B0T9GA.202@rpc1284.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 150475

New in the box. This is a 2M,6M, and 440 radio with wide receive also.
Almost as small as the VX-1R.

This unit is new. Will ship anywhere in the US for $295.00 This is anywhere
from $30.00 to $70.00 cheaper that you will find the unit at dealers.

Thanks
Bruce

4496. icom 751

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4uaj@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <n4uaj-1403980719110001@user-38lc64s.dialup.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150476

Anyone ever interface an ICOM751 to a Mac computer? I have a copy of a shareware progam but not sure abt what cabels etc. I need.
Thanks
Bill

4497. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lar01@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <350a6ef4.1508731@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 150477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 14:27:30 -0600, ptcarter@ingr.com wrote:

>Hello-
> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
>MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
>frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
>repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
>belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
>that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news
>archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best
>solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler
>path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
> I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First
>off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because
>occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter,
>and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty
>limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip
>dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need
>one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this
>reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Paul Carter KF4JIR
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

hello Paul
I realise this is not, necessarily, the answer you are looking for,
however, have you considered getting one of those, fairly,
inexpensive, scanners, like those from radio shack, and use it. I
realise this would be more expensive but you would have the
flexibility of what you want plus the ablility to change frequency as
your receiving interests change, eg, a qso on that repeater might
decide to qsy and you would then have the opion, range permiting, to
follow them.
Just a thought.
Larry ve3fxq

4498. WTB: Yaesu headset YH1 and PTT (FT290/690/790)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <350A7685.E95A475F@connix.com>
Source record: 150478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi
Looking for the following items that are no longer made by Yaesu; they were marketed for the FT290/690/790-series of all-modes. Also interested in hearing from someone who recently picked up a new 290/690/790... what does the manual spec for a headset & PTT?

Headset/mic YH-1
PTT SB-10

Thanks
Harry
N1QVE

4499. Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gpewitt@execpc.com
Message-ID: <6ee0pu$gsr@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150479
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Beware of doing business with Ronald Lessa. Rlessa1123@aol.com
On January 8th of this year I sent him $125.00 for a National NC-173.
I got the canceled check back a month later. He acknowledged
receipt of the check and promised to ship and provide a tracking number.
That's the last I ever heard from him. He does not answer e-mail and
I am unable to get a phone number at his alleged address.
After 3 months I can only assume he is a deadbeat and start legal
action.
His address is:
Ron Lessa
4 Seaward Lane
S. Dartmouth, MA 02748

The phone company has no record of him at this address.

4500. FS: Oil Filled Capacitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4r@cetlink.net
Message-ID: <6ee020$23f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150480

Oil Filled Caps: 32uF @ 4500 volts. Size: 3.5" x 4" x 12". Weight: 7 lbs. State-of-the-art units, mfg by G.E., clean, No PCBs, units hipot to 7kv+. Perfect for HV power supplys in home brew amps or for improving weak, weak electrolytic strings. $45 each plus shipping to your door. Quantity discounts for orders over 50.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4501. FS: Icom 730 HF RIG Must SELL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julie Sandstrom <jsandst@eot.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4f4f$90037bc0$9c1069d1@default>
Source record: 150481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have an Icom IC-730 HF rig for sale. This is a solid state older unit and
is in good condition. It has 80-10 meters with the
WARC bands. There is some minor scratching on the sides but the front is
cosmetically beautiful. Functionally it works flawlessly
and comes with the origional microphone and manuals. This unit has the
quad-conversion reciever so you KNOW that it will be
SENSITIVE!! I will also include with the radio a Radio Shack dsp filter! I
am asking $375 for the set.. Please send e-mail to the
address listed below if you have any questions.

n0vfi@geocities.com

4502. Best Prices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin DeFord <Colin@not-some-shmuck.com>
Message-ID: <6ee203ndg1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150482

Hey,
Does anyone know who in the US usually has the best prices on new HAM equipment?
Web sites, phone nukmbers or catalogs are great...
Thanks,
Colin

Colin@not-some-shmuck.com

4503. **FS: Cellular Bag Phone with lots of accessories**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314145801.JAA01348@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150483

Hey there...

I have a Technophone 900 (clone of a Nokia) Transportible Cellular Phone for sale (or trade). Condition is about 5/10, but it works 100%!! Will work on the Analog (standart 800 MHz) system (both A and B carriers). Includes the Transceiver Unit, the Handset (with the cord), the 12 VDC plug (for connecting a ciggarrete ligher cord), original manual (in both Engligh and Spanish), two antennas, one is the "Rubber Duck" type which connects directly to the TNC connecter on the transciever unit, and a "Trunk Mount" mobile antenna, also with the cord and TNC connecter. Plus I also have some "Programming Info" for it. One more thing, the handset of the unit is in a abit or a rough shape (there's a scratch
going through the LCD) but the LCD functions perfictly. (Basicly only the handset is in rough shape, all else is in great shape.) Makes a great "Emergency Cell Phone" beause you can make 911 calls for free. This unit works 100% Asking $25 +
shipping. I am in the Philadelphia, PA area.

73s
N3ZVM

4504. Chat Channel on mIRC (At least give it a try and check it out!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Arthur <deanntx@e-tex.com>
Message-ID: <350AB338.63CEE726@e-tex.com>
Source record: 150484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,pl.rec.radio,in.ham-radio,aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,relcom.radio
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Welcome!

There is a new channel on IRC. It is called #CB_Radio. It is on the undernet servers, so as long as you get on one of the undernet servers you will find it.
I am sending this out to several groups in the NG's, so please, come one come all. It will be a good way for people to chit chat and get to know one another and buy,sell, trade their goods.

If you do not have a program to access IRC, then you can get a copy of mIRC 5.3 on our web page at http://www.e-tex.com/cbcity

I hope to see you there, and have a great weekend

Dean Arthur
CB City Manager

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

4505. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4f59$87c721a0$3506a3cd@bwallace.cts.com>
Source record: 150485
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

I purchased a radio from Ron several months ago. Talked on the phone with
him several times. Received the radio in a nicely packed box and in condx
described. His address is good.

Ben Wallace
WB8HUR -- San Diego

gpewitt@execpc.com wrote in article <6ee0pu$gsr@newsops.execpc.com>...
>
> Beware of doing business with Ronald Lessa. Rlessa1123@aol.com
> On January 8th of this year I sent him $125.00 for a National NC-173.
> I got the canceled check back a month later. He acknowledged
> receipt of the check and promised to ship and provide a tracking number.
> That's the last I ever heard from him. He does not answer e-mail and
> I am unable to get a phone number at his alleged address.
> After 3 months I can only assume he is a deadbeat and start legal
> action.
> His address is:
> Ron Lessa
> 4 Seaward Lane
> S. Dartmouth, MA 02748
>
> The phone company has no record of him at this address.
>
>

4506. Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980314101454.10437B-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 150486

Hi,

Thanks for reading....

I am in need of information for the following.

1. Penetrater Bi-Linear Amateur Amplifier HB 200

2. Heathkit/Bell and Howell Schools Oscilloscope Model Number # 10D-203-3
(Solid State, Triggered Sweep, 5 MHz Bandwidth, Single Trace)

Let me know what you have and the cost for copying/shipping for same and
method of payment accepted.

Thanks again,

Lou

Tech@DP.NET

4507. ts-870 mod needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmay442@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314153601.KAA06141@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150487

Have done mod for wider freq. , now need mod to increase power, came out of box doing 50-75 watts on sw-2100 mtr.

4508. Re: Yikes! - Alinco credit card radios...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wr3on@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314154600.KAA08186@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150488

Hello,

I have both the DJ-C1 (2M) and DJ-C4 (440) units. They both work very well. The units have volume and sql control that are fully adjustable. They have 20 memories. They basically have everything larger rigs have (adjustable splits, tone, all that good stuff).

ron patton (WR3ON)

4509. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ivy@stout.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <slrn6gl8v1.c2.ivy@stout.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 150489
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

When buying goods from private parties over the net, (or any type
of long distance transaction where you can't see the goods).
I'd recommend using an escrow service to act as a third party.

For a small fee, these services hold on to the money while
the goods change hands. They have the tracking numbers,
which allows them to monitor the whole process.

I've used a service called "TradeSafe", and was quite satisfied.
There are also services which are cheaper, and some which allow
you to pay via credit card, which drastically speeds up the process.

Mike

In article <6ee0pu$gsr@newsops.execpc.com>, gpewitt@execpc.com wrote:
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>On January 8th of this year I sent him $125.00 for a National NC-173.
>I got the canceled check back a month later. He acknowledged
>receipt of the check and promised to ship and provide a tracking number.
>That's the last I ever heard from him. He does not answer e-mail and
>I am unable to get a phone number at his alleged address.
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>action.
>His address is:
>Ron Lessa
>4 Seaward Lane
>S. Dartmouth, MA 02748
>
>The phone company has no record of him at this address.
>

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| Michael Iverson (Iverson.8@osu.edu) |
| University Technology Services, the Ohio State University |
| Department of Electrical Engineering, the Ohio State University |
| http://frith.acs.ohio-state.edu/~ivy/ |

4510. FS: ICOM IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350AAA7B.B459662@erols.com>
Source record: 150490

7 month old ICOM IC-756 HF & 6 Meter 100 watt on all bands forsale.
No optional filters, Non smoker. SM-6 base mic.
Original box and manual

Price 1,575 shipped

Steve

4511. FS: Icom 736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD ALBRIGHT <airplus1@ezaccess.net>
Message-ID: <E2FEF4F1D698644A.62B5DBB97B1F122C.CED4C253E3FA71AB@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 150491

Icom 736 HF plus 6 meters. Built in tuner, power supply, keyer etc. 100 watts all bands. This radio is in mint! mint! condition.. Non smoker, never tampered with. Have original box, manual and standard accessories, hand mic etc. $1100.00 Rich KC3QY

4512. WTB- IC-4 not IC-04

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <350AC14B.3237@stc.net>
Source record: 150492

HI All;

A friend of mine is looking for a good (no problems) IC-4 HT.
(Not the
IC-04 model)
It is the one with thumb wheel switches on it. Why he wants one of those
is beyond me. Dust off your stuff and look in the bottom of the pile and
see if you have one of these to sell.
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73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

4513. Kenwood Ts140s WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam the ham <Scotland@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6eefttoli1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 150493

HAS ANYONE GOT A KENWOOD TS 140 S FOR SALE PLEASE
(CASH WAITING)
PLEASE E-MAIL WITH DETAILS (UK ONLY)

Scotland@globalnet.co.uk
Its a present for my freind who was blinded by the
atomic tests on christmas island (Thankyou).....Sam

4514. MFJ259 SOLD!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <350AC232.146E0972@freeway.net>
Source record: 150494

the mfj 259,grid dip coils, and carrycase and other plug are sold thanks
to all that responded to the ad
73 ken we8w

4515. FS: FT-5100 dual band $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314185200.NAA07030@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150495

Yaesu FT-5100 mobile rig for sale:
- dual band 2m/440
- 50w/5W on 2m, 35w/5w on 440
- MH-27 lighted touch tone mic
- Cross band repeat
- V/U, V/V, U/U reception on dual channels
- 9600 baud packet ready
- 94 memories (47 per band)
- Automatic repeater shift
- DTMF paging
- Excellent condition, never mobile
- Mic, mounting bracket, power cord, original box & manual included

$350 shipped

Norm
ae4cz@aol.com

4516. WTB Icom CT-17

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314190401.OAA08216@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150496

must be mint

kh6fhx

4517. Walkies FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony P." <w1abc@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4f7c$81872a60$3f4e8018@tony.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 150497

I have two walkies for sale

ADI AT400 440 walkie like new $140

Yaesu FT-416 2mtr walkie in good shape w/ 3 extra ni-cads $150

Contact Tony e-mail W1ABC@mediaone.net

4518. help need icom ic24at mic connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ijb <wheels@winshop.com.au>
Message-ID: <6ebghs$qi9$1@gnamma.connect.com.au>
Source record: 150539

thanks for reading this message i am after the external mic (that are on the top of the rig) connections for the icom ic24at dual band hand held. Thanks for any assistance.

Ian VK4CIB

4519. Amateur Funk, CB-Funk Packet Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Andr&#65533; V." <Andre.Vesen@Pironet.de>
Message-ID: <01bd4edd$3f8a2940$35b740c2@default>
Source record: 150540
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.networks.cbc,alt.tv.networks.cbc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ENGLISH:
Wow, stunning Website! Info`s about Amateur-Funk, Packet Radio
and CB-Funk. Die Site`s are so good, that the Newsletter No1 in
germany "CB-Funk" has present this Site`s March 1998.

http://www.koeln.netsurf.de/~Andre.Vesen/welcome.html

You are surfing in the USA???

http://www.stommeln.com/andre

GERMAN:
Massenweise Info`s zu Amateur-Funk, Packet Radio sowie CB-Funk
Diese Seiten sind so gut, da&#65533; die Fachzeitschrift Nr.1 "CB-Funk"
diese Seiten in der Ausgabe M&#65533;rz 1998 vorgestellt hat.

http://www.koeln.netsurf.de/~Andre.Vesen/welcome.html

Sie surfen von den USA aus ???
So gehts schneller:

http://www.stommeln.com/andre

4520. mfj morse code tutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314000100.TAA20863@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150541

sold

4521. Re: AT-11 auto tuner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3509b6b9.124560168@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150542

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 19:40:56 GMT, KF4KJF@qsl.net (Benjamin Blavat) wrote:
>Is the AT-11 by LDG Electronics too good to be true? Seems to have a
>lot more range than other auto tuners, from Yaesu, Icom and SGC? And
>its a lot cheaper! Anybody?
>73's,
>Benjamin Blavat, KF4KJF

I've got one. It is cheaper than other tuners because it's a kit (Ok there's a W&T version available now). And it is cheaper because it can only handle 100 watts (though that's generally enough). It is basically an L network which is reversable under firmware control. Tuning is in discrete steps by relay. It often can't achieve a *perfect* match, but it can generally get down below 2:1 which is usually all you need. And its tuning range isn't *that* wide. There are load impedances that will cause it to spit and spark. Still, it is a pretty good tuner for what it is, and that's basically a line flattener. If you don't ask too much from it, it can deliver.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4522. GE MASTR part needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsimon@erols.com
Message-ID: <6ecms3$92d$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 150543

If anyone can help me with the following it would be greatly appreciated.

I'm looking for a special driver transistor produced by General Electric for Q4 on the Transmit strip of a GE MASTR Imperial mobile UHF radio produced in the late '60's to early '70's. The component is a stud or flange mounted (not sure but I believe it is a stud mounted one) common-emitter operated broad band driver amplifier. The whole transmitter assembly is called a wide spaced transmitter and labeled KT-16-A. The GE part number is 19A129283P3.

Thanks for your help!

Jerry
jsimon@erols.com
n3hvc@qsl.net

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4523. Yaesu FT 1000, & 990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314015000.UAA09833@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150544

I have a Yaesu FT 1000 in mint condidion for sale $ 2,300.00 I pay shipping
I also have a FT-990 Yaesu DC modle for $ 1,200.00 I pay shipping
K5JOE
kilo5joe@aol.com

4524. Icom 271H 2meter 100 watt Allmode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314015200.UAA09596@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150545

Icom 271H 2 meter 100 watt all mode usb, lsb, cw, fm near mint condition.
This radio has the voice module, tone board and computer interface.
$ 795.00 and I pay shipping.
K5JOE
kilo5joe@aol.com

4525. Re: Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ecp4l$rhv@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150546

http://www.shadow.net/~critta66/plug.html 73, Mike

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 16:08:32 -0800, &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com> wrote:

>CAPTAL123 wrote:
>
>> >Does anyone know where I can find the 4-pole 3.5 mm mic/speaker-plug for
>> >Yaesu FT50R? An e-mail would be appreciated!
>>
>> Its's sold as an mic adaptor with a dual receptacle on the end.
>> YAESU part # is CT-44 available at most ham stores.
>>
>> Al K2DYH
>
>I too, would like to find a source for the connector...not the overpriced
>adapter...the connector.
>tnx, miker
>
>
>--
>Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
>Return Address is Bogus.
>TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
>Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.
>
>

4526. FS: Test equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pwserctr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980314023200.VAA16528@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150547

Now available NEW top quality test equipment. Oscilloscopes, Multimeters, Frequencey Counters, RF Signal Generators, Code Synthesizers, Radiation Test fixtures, RF Isolation Chambers, SINAD meters, power supplies, soldering stations, and more.

Bundled Packages available, customized to your needs, you save time and money.

All prices are available on our web site as well as a detailed description of all equipment.

http://members.aol.com/pwserctr/home.htm

4527. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@abcnycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <350f1555.9557296@news>
Source record: 150299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 15 Mar 1998 06:19:52 GMT, "Steve Weaver"
<StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com> wrote:

>Thanks for the help folks...
>
>I experimented a touch with the mic, and removed the little black disc that
>covers the mike and it's been working alot better since. I'm not sure if
>that was the problem or if I inadvertantly fixed a problem while looking at
>it. Problem solved as of this minute...
>
>But another has surfaced, but with the newsgroup instead....
>
>I cannot find anywhere on my ISP's news server the FIRST message that Dick
>sent me regarding the mistaken 212 with the 202. Why could that be?
>
>I'd appreciate any input...
>
>Thanks again,
>
>Steve Weaver
>KB8RDI

Your news server probably already deleted the message. They are only
kept a certain length of time. Go to www.dejanews.com and do a search
for the message.
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Larry Gamache N2YMJ

To reply, remove the
abc from my address.

4528. Remote ant switch needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd5hni@io.com
Message-ID: <6eh5ua$941$1@nntp-3.io.com>
Source record: 150300

Hello to all, need a remote antenna switch to handle full legal limit! Installed a tower setup 140' away from the house hr
and need a remote antenna switch to handle at least 4 separate antennas. Needs to be in gud shape, not hit from lighting, yes I
know I can get one from AES for abt 140 cash, but someone out there has one they are not using!!!! Drake made one yrs ago,
would like to find one of those, but highly unlikly??......

tnx for all for reading

73's de Steve WD5HNI in TX......

4529. Contesting Trailer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Lycan <ve7ha@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <350C1C36.7AA32DB5@lightspeed.bc.ca>
Source record: 150301

I have a 33 foot trailer that I think could be useful as a contest station
in a fixed remote location up on a mountain, for example. I wish I had access to land for this reason since its value for this purpose is far greater than what I can get for the trailer in dollars.

The trailer is located in the Vancouver, B.C, Canada area. It is an old-timer
that we bought in 1996. We upgraded it so we could live in it ourselves. The trailer has a living room, kitchen, two other rooms, plus a full bathroom
with sink, bathtub/shower, toilet. The trailer has 2 doors. When we bought
the trailer, it was located at its current location and skirted like a mobile home, so I don't know what kind of wheels it has under it. The trailer has been used as a mobile home with permanent septic and electrical hookup and oil-fired Intertherm furnace providing forced-air heat into each room. The furnace was professionally serviced last year. The furnace appears much newer than the trailer itself. We lived through two winters comfortably.

We had a professional plumber completely renovate the plumbing to the kitchen and bathroom. He installed a new hot water tank at that time that is the same size as used in houses so there is endless hot water for showers or baths unlike many trailers. We also installed a new toilet and stainless steel dual kitchen sink with Moen faucet. We had an electrician install a new electrical distribution box including adding 220 volt wiring and plug outlet for a linear amplifier.

Anybody interested?

Murray
VE7HA
Vancouver, Canada

4530. SB-220 Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KQ6UV <jimsmit@ns.net>
Message-ID: <6eh72n$b30$1@aurora.ns.net>
Source record: 150302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I'm trying to locate a copy of the manual for the Heathkit SB-220
amplifier. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
Jim Smith
KQ6UV

4531. WTB Kenwood R-2000 VHF Conv.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315184500.NAA07723@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150303

I'm looking for a Kenwood R-2000 Vhf Converter (VC-1?). If you have one and would like to get rid of it, please let me know. Thanks. ->Dan

4532. HTX 100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: oris <n3cnd@g-net.net>
Message-ID: <350C22D2.B18@g-net.net>
Source record: 150304

Hello
I have a HTX 100 10-meter moblie rig that I would like to trade for a 2-meter Kenwood rig or a Pentium 100 CPU, Mother board and 16 megs of RAM. I will take $175.00 cash for the rig this does include shipping. The rig comes with owners man, power cord, and mic. If you are interseted e-mail me at n3cnd@g-net.net or oris@dirtball.com.
73 and thanks for reading
Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com
http://www.g-net.net/~n3cnd
n3cnd@g-net.net
N3CND@N3CND.#NEGA.GA.USA.NOAM

4533. Used Police Radar Guns Wanted !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6eh91g$85q$3@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 150305
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.swap,memphis.wanted,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but will consider all. I buy non working units also, including parts. Please reply by E Mail for a prompt reply.

4534. MODS FOR ICOM IC-T8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dan begin <holygost@netrover.com>
Message-ID: <6ehb1q$ka3$1@nntp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 150306

Hi all.. I bought an Icom IC-T8 recently, and I am looking for mods.
I just know the keypad mod for free band receive. With this mod you
can receive 50-76 MHz, 76-107.9875 MHz, 108-135.975 MHz,
136-229.995 MHz, 300-399.9875 MHz, 400-599.950 MHz, 600-999.9875 MHz
WITH CELLULAR BLOCKED!!

I am looking for the cellular mod. Can you help me??

73's Dan, VE2BHN

4535. Re: Yikes! - Alinco credit card radios...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#WTzsWEU9GA.356@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 150307

Sounds like they might compete with the VX1 at twice the price.
(BTW...nothing like using a single AA battery in an ht).

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

4536. Free PCRScope Software for PCR1000 has been updated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6ehcrg$c3h$1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150308
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,nl.radio.scanners,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

I have updated the pcrsonly file to version 1.30b. If you are a first time
intaller, please install the older version and then replace the two files
included in pcrsonly.zip.

Please visit the PCRScope page at:

http://www.ibelings.com/pcr1000.html

or try the mirror at:

http://wave.home.mindspring.com/pcr1000.html

or email me at:

wave@mindspring.com

73's

Pieter
N4IP

4537. FS: Portable radio batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pwserctr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315210800.QAA01829@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150309

Now on line a complete list of portable radio batteries, including price and description. For all types Aeroton, Bendix, EF Johnson, Ericsson, GE, ICOM, Kenwood, Maxon, Midland, Motorola, Ritron, Uniden, and many others.

These are high quality batteries with a 12 month warranty. Shipped to any place in the world.

go to our web site for the complete list

http://members.aol.com/pwserctr/home.htm

4538. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Miller <bmiller@calweb.com>
Message-ID: <350C4267.9DA4E418@calweb.com>
Source record: 150310
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Hi Grant,

Tnx for the chuckle...I just love our hobby and continued expression of
our brother and sisterhood. heh.

73

Bob, KE6F

Grant Youngman wrote:

> Anthony R. Gold wrote:
> >
>
> > And if your're a bit doubtful about the escrow service, you can use
> > an escrow-escrow (called Escrow^2) service which will hold the money
> > while the escrow service certifies the merchandise. There is a plan
> > to form an Escrow^3 service since some scumbag running Escrow^2 ran
> > off with all the money. More news on this in 2 1/2 weeks :-)
>
> I like it :-) !!
>
> The future of internet transactions is becoming more clear. After
> selling an item for $300, the seller will pay the purchase price plus
> 50% to cover his end of the fees, and the buyer will end up clearing
> about 10 bucks.
>
> But all of the Auction houses and Escrow services will get rich because
> nobody trusts anybody else. :-)
>
> Ya' just gotta love the internet ...
>
> Grant/NQ5T
> nq5t@gte.net
> http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

4539. FOR SALE: KENWOOD TS-820S W/OPTIONAL CW FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <350C4367.697E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale a Kenwood TS-820S HF transceiver in excellent mechannical and operating condition..

It comes with the optional CW filter, and a copy of the operating manual. No external speaker or mic.

I am asking $350, and am located in southern California.

Thanks, Steve-WA6GSD

4540. Kenwood TH-79A Repeater Offset Help!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Landen Stoker <kc5qdz@iamerica.net>
Message-ID: <350BF399.83D8CEDC@iamerica.net>
Source record: 150312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

I just bought a TH79A and for what ever reason it does not due auto repeater offset on 440, is this the way it was designed, if so is there a mod that can be done to remedie it??
I also heard that you could open up this radio to receive police and stuff on 800 mhz is this true?
TNX
Landen
KC5QDZ@IAMERICA.NET

4541. F.S. Kenwoods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamhd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315212801.QAA04606@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150313

I have the following Kenwoods for sale:

Kenwood TM 255a, 2 meter all-mode, immaculate condition, box, manual and etc.
$700.00 plus shipping and insurance.

Kenwood TS 60, 6 meter all-mode, immaculate condition, box, manual and etc.
$800.00 plus shipping and insurance.

Kenwood TR 751a, 2 meter all-mode, condition good, box, manual and etc.
$450.00

Wanted or possible trade-600 watt plus 2 meter all-mode amp.

Please e-mail direct
Hamhd@aol.com

4542. trancel watt meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: axle <dstump@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ehh99$8rb$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 150314

Looking for one e-mail me

4543. Re: SGC230 Antenna Coupler? Anyone using?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <350e16bc.29066053@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150315

Hi Tony,

Thanks for the reply.

The rig is the infamous IC706 Mk1 and the antenna is an Alinco HF
multi band whip which is designed for 3.5 thro' 28 megs.

I have mounted the SGC230 as near to the base of the antenna as
possible and have a short wire connecting to the tuner. I have on
occasions managed to tune the antenna(following the chattering of
relays) but, when I return to the frequency having tried another band,
the 'tune' is lost and fails to tune - no relay chattering.

I did suspect that the rigs protection was the problem and wonder
whether there is any solution.

The total whip length is 9'

How do you find the unit?

Regards

John

On Sun, 15 Mar 98 15:20:53 GMT, tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk ("Anthony
R. Gold") wrote:

>In article <350b09e9.48651531@news.demon.co.uk>
> John@datasafe.demon.co.uk "John Cooper" writes:
>
>> I have recently purchased an SGC Antenna coupler model 230. I have
>> connected an ALinco multi-band HF whip but have been unable to tune it
>> on any band. I have checked and re-checked the installation for faults
>> but all seems okay!
>>
>> Any help or views?
>
>What length is the whip, what frequencies are you trying and what TX
>are you using?
>
>Also, is the ATU pulling any DC power and do you hear any relays
>clicking inside the ATU as it searches for a match?
>
>One possibility is that your TX is "folding back" to protect iself
>and is refusing to generate sufficient power (it takes about 10W)
>that the SG-230 needs in order to tune.
>

>If you get no help here, contact SGC directly. They are very helpful
>although they also may not know how to pursuade your particular model
>or transmitter to drive the ATU when the starting mismatch is bad.
>
>Regards,

4544. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: OptCamel@sj.bigger.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f75e2dc1261c5b09896b9@nntp.sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 150316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <350BD8F6.4974@pshyc.net>, abellows@pshyc.net says...
>>>Russ Martin wrote:
>>>> > It amazes me that people can actually finish high school in this country
>>>> > without a grasp of business economics.
>>>
>>>Perhaps they should TEACH business economics rather than History or
>>>Physical Education! The problem is, there are what, around 7 or 8
>>>classes a high school student sits through a day, times 4 years, and
>>>other than English and Math (that were taught in Elementary school) what
>>>from High school does anyone ever get to use later in the real world?
>>>
I OBJECT! In my class (Applied Physics and Electronics) we teach the
following as part of the total package and ALL of it is applicable to the
"real" world. Ohm's Law, Soldering, Antenna Design, Power Supplies,
Logic, TTL, CMOS, Basic programming, Digital Electronics, Assembly
Language programming, Ms-Windows 3.X and 95, MS-DOS, etc, etc. And the
Model Office teaches all kinds of business software, and wood shop
teaches Construction Skills etc. etc. Please...no broad brush re: The
Lousy American School System. I teach and I care for and about my
students and try to place emphasis on the IMPORTANCE of learning How to
do SOMETHING every day!
friend,
Lute

--
Howard N. Lute,
aka. "Lute"
Electronics Instructor, Terrible Mechanic, Worse Plumber

4545. WTB: BENCHER YA-1 LOW PASS FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net>
Message-ID: <350bb206.0@198.164.187.20>
Source record: 150317

Only the living need apply. Thanks. Rick, VE9HF.

4546. Re: WTB: KENWOOD YK-88CN-1 and YG-455C-1 FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net>
Message-ID: <350bb245.0@198.164.187.20>
Source record: 150318

Anyone have either of these filters forsale for the 850?

4547. Re: AT-11 auto tuner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: h0444xrp@blablarz.hu-berlin.de
Message-ID: <350af1c1.32351565@newshost.rz.hu-berlin.de>
Source record: 150319

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 19:40:56 GMT, KF4KJF@qsl.net (Benjamin Blavat)
wrote:

>Is the AT-11 by LDG Electronics too good to be true? Seems to have a
>lot more range than other auto tuners, from Yaesu, Icom and SGC? And
>its a lot cheaper! Anybody?

Hmm, I can't compare it to other ATUs since I never used them, but I'm
really satisfied with what I got from LDG...
Two friends and me built it and none of us wants to give it away.
Can someone compare the "noise" while tuning with other ATUs? I
reduced it with some cloth...
If you don't purchase the case, you can try to build a simple own one
and place it near the antenna - remote controlled...

73! de Olaf

--
Olaf Fichtner, DL7UND, JAIG#133 HU Berlin, Chinese&Japanese Department
DF0BLM page at http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/dd6uts
Please delete "blabla" in the address for correct reply...

4548. Need Miller Disc. Xfmr. Info Please...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd505f$79493d00$430f9fcf@john>
Source record: 150320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Sunday 03-15-98
Rocklin, CA 95677

Hello Miller fans:

Looking for *any* info on a Miller no. 1485-C "I.F. Discriminator"
transformer. Anything you have at all will help. All I know is
that the thing might have been intended for use in a 455kc
IF lineup, and *probably* fed something like a 6AK5 or some
such.

Would REALLY like a copy of an application note, or reference
to some circuit using this gadget in some still-available or copyable
book/magazine, et al.

Thank you VERY much de John WB6GHA (formerly WN6GHA)
UseNet WAS #113
occupant@ns.net

"HILLARY SHOT VINCE!!" - - local bumper sticker
..

4549. FS: Astron 7 amp power supply $30 - good condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbruce <removethistoreplymbruce@northcoast.com>
Message-ID: <6ehgve$1j6@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150321

I bid on two power supplies at eBay. Well I won the first one, so please bid
on this second one! I don't want to have to buy two!
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7836840
My maximum bid is thirty dollars.
-Mike

4550. FS - Zaurus 5800 and EVERYTHING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard SpamBlock Bretschneider <ricb@spamblockevil.com>
Message-ID: <6ehkrj$m2n$5@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 150322

Zaurus ZR-5800 and just about everything related to it!

This package goes beyond complete. Check out the list below, both Windows and Macintosh platforms are covered, and all the accessories you could want (well, all the accessories _I_ ever wanted. :-)

Everything is in great condition, well cared for, ready to use. The Zaurus itself is in pristine condition, no scratches; it's lived in the padded leather case all it's life.

I've put the current prices from the Rupp catalog (www.mobilescape.com) rounded up to the nearest dollar) beside everything so you can see what a great deal this is.

If everything was purchased new today this would be over $1000 worth of organizer and extras,.

First $500 offer gets it. If you can't afford $500, send me your best offer, I'll consider it. Please don't send me offers on parts, I want to sell this as a bunch.

So what's it include?
The Zaurus itself, model ZR-5800, with 2MB RAM, Modem, Backlight, Spreadsheet, Compuserve link, Addresses, Notes, Calendar, etc. ($400)

Two Cases:
Deluxe leather case ($60)
Soft Naugahide case ($10)

2 PC connector cables ($50 each)
1 Mac connector cable ($50)
1 PC Infrared connector cable ($90)
2 AC Power supplies ($15 each)

1 MB PCMCIA Card (~$130)

Oak desk stand and stylus ($50)

Zaurus link software PC ($15)
Zaurus link software Mac ($15)

Game Pack: Poker, Othello, Mastermind ($50)

Extra (Damaged) ZR-5800, for spare parts(?) ($???)

Back-Issues of Digital Ink magazine - Tons of Zaurus use tips. (Year's subscription was $30)

ALL FOR ONLY $500!

Reply to the address _below_ after you've removed the spamblock spaces.

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4551. FT1000 CAT software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marco Magnano <marcmag@nti.it>
Message-ID: <350C518B.52C40953@nti.it>
Source record: 150323

Hallo to the group.
Does anyone knows where to find
and download a shareware or freeware
software for the Yaesu FT1000MP
CAT?

Any info will be really wellcome.
73

--
Marco Magnano

marcmag@nti.it
it9wpo@amsat.org

http://www.qsl.net/it9wpo/index.html

4552. MOD for IC706 Japanese Version

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: akiraly@studi.unizh.ch
Message-ID: <350c5d4a.0@rzunews1.unizh.ch>
Source record: 150324

Hi!

I've got here an Icom 706 Japanese Version and I'm looking for
a TX modification, that the Radio can transmit from 1.5-30MHz.
With the normal modification, there's no TX between 25-28MHz.
No flames please, I don't want to transmitt between 25-28MHz, but
I'm wondering if it's possible or it's a special micropocessor built
in....

bye, HB9LFQ, Andras

--
/* Kiraly Andras
FIDO : 2:301/709.23
EMAIL: akiraly@studi.unizh.ch
AX25 : HB9LFQ @ OE9XPI.AUT.EU
Running Linux on a Cyrix P200+ System
*/

4553. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315233601.SAA26990@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150325

In article <6ec3rr$29q@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>
>Hi Dick - I just bought one of these radios at the unbeliveable
>close-out price of $69.95.

Jeff, is this a nationwide closeout, or only in Hawaii? I would love to grab as many as they have available for that price!

4554. Alpha Sx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary weber <k7qbm@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <350BD999.4255@mindspring.com>
Source record: 150326

I am interested in purchasing an Alpha 77SX. If you have one please
call
me at 214-762-4100 or email me with your landline number and i will call
you back.

4555. Re: SGC230 Antenna Coupler? Anyone using?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <890005182snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150327

In article <350e16bc.29066053@news.demon.co.uk>
John@datasafe.demon.co.uk "John Cooper" writes:

> I did suspect that the rigs protection was the problem and wonder
> whether there is any solution.

You many need advice from another IC-706 Mk1 user. I don't know whether there's any way to increase the output when the mismatch is excessive.

> How do you find the unit?

I never had any problems with the tuner. I had a Yaesu FT890 in a ground floor room of a townhouse and put the SG-230 up on the flat roof with a coax line to the tuner and a wire aerial from that across the road to a neighbour's house. It was pretty QRP, but it got out and I never had a problem getting the SGC tuner to rapidly produce a good VSWR in the downlead coax.

If no IC-706 owners chip in here (and you might try asking also in rec.radio.amateur.antenna) then maybe Icom or SGC can help.

Good luck.
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4556. Re: SGC230 Antenna Coupler? Anyone using?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ejl6k0GU9GA.172@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 150328

You won't hear any more chattering if the freq is stored in
memory on the tuner and you return to it. It just goes back to
that setting. Also, the fuse inside the 230 is a little low rated
and blows on occassion. Get you're power screw driver out and
have at all them little phillips's.
A 9' rod is not exactly a great choice. SGC's whip is a helical
and presents a lower electrical profile to the tuner. I have had
decent results with 80m and 40m hamsticks (inspite of what they
say about them, they are convienient with this tuner).

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

4557. WTB: TL-922A MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fred H. Naumann" <fnaumann@micron.net>
Message-ID: <350C6EDF.56474861@micron.net>
Source record: 150329

I'm looking for the service manual for my TL-922A Kenwood Amp.
I was lucky to find this amp in good condition and want to add the ten
meter mod. The service manual would help a lot.

\73....Fred Naumann, N7ACB
Hailey, ID

4558. WTB GE and MOTOROLA RIB BOXES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul M Miller <paulyboy@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350C72C7.2E75@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150330

I am looking for motorola and GE RIB boxes and cables. Don't care if the name brand or not. Paul

4559. FS KLM 10 - 140 BL 2 meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benson Scott <bscott@bayou.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5079$6ab8c200$b9718fd0@dell-120>
Source record: 150331

for sale $125 plus shipping.

this amp does not have a preamp section.

benson
ae5v

4560. FS KLM 10 - 160 BL 2 meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benson Scott <bscott@bayou.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5079$7b6abea0$b9718fd0@dell-120>
Source record: 150332

for sale $125 plus shipping.

this amp does not have a preamp section.

benson
ae5v

4561. WTB: BENCHER YA-1 LOW PASS FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net>
Message-ID: <350c3361.0@198.164.187.20>
Source record: 150333

Only the living need apply.:) Thanks. Rick, VE9HF.

4562. WTB: KENWOOD YK-88CN-1 and YG-455C-1 FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <williams@brunnet.net>
Message-ID: <350c339d.0@198.164.187.20>
Source record: 150334

Anyone have either of these filters forsale for the 850?

4563. HTX-212,noise problem.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brien G. McCrea" <brienm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ei2gc$rn6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150335

My HTX-212 recently started making a noise that sounds like "rushing water" along with the recieved signal. At first I thought that it was a problem with the local repeater, but then I realized that it happens on all frequencies. It does not appear to make the noise when the squelch is open with no signal being received so I think that rules out a defective audio output circuit. In some cases the noise can actually be louder than the received signal depending on signal strength.

Has anyone else experienced and/or solved this problem?

4564. Re: ts-870 mod needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <350C9A83.459E@onramp.net>
Source record: 150336

Rmay442 wrote:
>
> Have done mod for wider freq. , now need mod to increase power, came out of box
> doing 50-75 watts on sw-2100 mtr.

If the wattmeter is showing that in SSB mode you are OK. What does the
meter show in CW or FM mode???
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

4565. Transmitter for serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marcus P. Hays" <pico1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ei8bs$oa1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150337

I was thinking that it would be neat to in some way attach a transmitter to a serial port so that I could write programs to control a radio controlled car. So anyway, I was wondering if anybody knew of somewhere i could get a transmitter like this or had any ideas about where I could look.

Thanks in advance

Marcus Hays

4566. Re: FT1000 CAT software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Hinkle <ae4rg.nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ei8jo$j7a$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150338

try F6DEX's FT-Manager (win95) at
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/f6dex/

73
Barry AE4RG

Marco Magnano wrote:

> Hallo to the group.
> Does anyone knows where to find
> and download a shareware or freeware
> software for the Yaesu FT1000MP
> CAT?
>
> Any info will be really wellcome.
> 73
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> --
> Marco Magnano
>
> marcmag@nti.it
> it9wpo@amsat.org
>
> http://www.qsl.net/it9wpo/index.html

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http://www.qsl.net/ae4rg
Please remove the .nospam from reply to address when responding.

4567. IC271H Memory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob McKay <r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ei8u2$cdl@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150339

Greetings;

Does anyone out there know how to delete the programmed freqs in the vfo memories on an Icom 271H? I recently got one, with manual, (which says nothing about deleting), and have some odd freqs from the previous owner or owners. Any help appreciated. (or email)

Bob
--
KB4GNX
r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net
rmckay@juno.com
The world of fact is often stranger than fiction....

4568. FS:Icom 551D 6Mtr Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allen Williams <allenw@tenet.edu>
Message-ID: <350CA3EB.1DE0@tenet.edu>
Source record: 150340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale an Icom IC-551D Six Meter All-Mode Radio and A.R.R.
GASFET preamp. The rig is in excellent condition, both electronically
and cosmetically. It comes with all documentation, hand mic and the
original box.
An A.R.R. GASFET preamp is installed inside the radio, but it is plenty
sensitive without it. I recently purchased a new rig, so I do not need
this one. This radio is an excellent 6M base rig and will be great for
the upcoming sporadic E season.
Asking $525.00
Please reply via email.

73,
Allen KA5CJJ

4569. FS:ITT, BIRD,MOTO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jin lee <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350C80D6.2033@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150341

1:Motorola Power amplifier Model No N1275A 450-470Mhz 4Watts in 40watts
out New in box $40 each.
2:Bird dummy load Model 8431 DC to 2500Mhz 600 watts continous.
$175.
3:ITT/Jennings Ceramic vacuum variable capacitor. CSVI-1000-0105
5KV 10-1000pF New in box. 4 for $275
714 441 1002 Jin KB6LUE

4570. ATV Buffs - TV Test Pattern Generator B&K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gar Won Ko <garwonko@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e$YJjgJU9GA.326@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150342

B&K Model 1076, Flying Spot Scanner, Television Analyst, Test Pattern Generator. Great for generating the old-fashion test pattern with your call letters. $75 plus shipping charges and packaging costs.

Dr. Gar Ko
garwonko@msn.com
Wichita, Kansas USA

4571. FS: Johnson Valiant transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ei8ujdlc1@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150343

Have a nice Valiant for sale. Has been in storage for about 3-4 years.
Was wrking when I put it up. Price is $350.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

4572. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan" <lysdexia@evansville.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980315232145.1883J-100000@world.evansville.net>
Source record: 150344
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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> >But, I asked my father about this. He says that
> >water injection was used in aircraft engines
> >during World War II to increase effective
> >power output. He says you can find lots of
> >old (1930s) articles on water injection
> >in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

I remember my roomate building one from a Mother Earth News article in the
`70's on water injectors to help supress detonation in high-compression
engines using crappy gas. It worked pretty well. It was basic bong tech
(and thus within the range of the average MEN reader's capabilities! (-: )
It basically guffed a little water vapor from a resivoir into a vaccuum
hose. Made my roomate's Belvedere quit dieseling, I must say.

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"Free your mind and your ass will follow."

-George Clinton

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Http://www.evansville.net/~lysdexia
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4573. New! Press Release - Repeater Location Guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: World Express Network <kamikazi@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <350CD742.8880EA01@geocities.com>
Source record: 150345
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Hello,

Thanks for reading our "Press Release". We are excited to
announce the Release of "The Original Southern California Repeater
Location Guide". This exciting and most up to date guide available is
now on the Net. With the most complete listings of all Open and Closed
repeaters for 2-meters, 220 MHz, 440 MHz, 1.2 GHz, 6 & 10 Meters in
Southern California, you will see why this guide is one of the most
sought after directory available. Find out more at...

http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

Jennifer R
Vice President - World Express Network
http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

4574. Re:TELEWAVE WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <350BD7E4.6EDA287B@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 150346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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4575. Guide to the rec.radio newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6ehnha$eqj@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 150347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.info

Archive-name: radio/personal-intro
Revision: 2.2 98/14/05 03:50:23
Posting-Frequency: posted on the 15th of each month

This message describes the rec.radio.amateur.*, rec.radio.cb, rec.radio.info, and rec.radio.swap newsgroups, as well as their Internet mailing list counterparts and complements. It is intended to serve as a guide for the new reader on what to find where. Questions and comments may be directed to Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ, (jeffreyh@hawaii.edu), or Paul Schleck, K3FU, pschlect@novia.net.

This message was last changed on 14 March, 1998.

History
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Way back when, before there was a Usenet, the Internet hosted a mailing list for hams, called (appropriately enough) INFO-HAMS. Ham radio discussions were held on the mailing list, and sent to the mailboxes of those who had signed up for it. When the Usenet software was created, and net news as we now know it was developed, a newsgroup was created for hams: net.ham-radio. The mailing list and the newsgroup were gatewayed together, eventually.

Over the years, as the net grew, the volume of discussion became progressively higher. First one by one, and then as part of two reorganizations, what was once one group became many. In the process, developments elsewhere on the net were reflected in the groups as they were created, most notably the change to place all of the ham radio groups in one hierarchy.

The collection of newsgroups continues to grow as more people join the net, and as more topics of discussion gain volume, I expect to see more groups be created as well. This follows what is happening on the rest of the net.

Nearly all of the radio newsgroups have corresponding mailing lists, the notable exception being rec.radio.swap. There are also a few mailing lists that don't have newsgroups.

The Current Groups
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It's important to post messages to the group that's appropriate for them, and not to the groups that aren't. The whole idea of having different newsgroups is so that folks who aren't interested in, say, homebrewing, don't have to wade through messages about homebrewing on the way to read about Field Day. Posting appropriately is just good etiquette.

The rec.radio.amateur.misc group is the catchall. It is what rec.ham-radio was renamed to during the first major reorganization. Any message that's not more appropriate in one of the other groups belongs here, from contesting to DX to ragchewing on VHF to information on becoming a ham.

The group rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc is for discussions related to (surprise!) digital amateur radio. This doesn't have to be the common two-meter AX.25 variety of packet radio, either; some of the most knowledgeable folks in radio digital communications can be found here, and anything in the general area is welcome. The name was changed to emphasize this, and to encourage discussion not only of other text-based digital modes, such as AMTOR, RTTY, and Clover, but things like digital voice and video as well. The former group, rec.radio.amateur.packet, was removed on September 21st, 1993. It is obsolete, and you should use .digital.misc instead (or the appropriate new mailing list, mentioned below). The group has .misc as part of the name to allow further specialization if the users wish it, such as .digital.tcp-ip.

The swap group is rec.radio.swap. This recognizes a fact that became evident shortly after the original group was formed: Hams don't just swap ham radio gear, and other folks besides hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio equipment, or test gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in, here's the place. Equipment wanted postings belong here too. Discussions about the equipment generally don't; if you wish to discuss a particular posting with the buyer, email is a much better way to do it, and the other groups, especially .equipment and .homebrew, are the place for public discussions. There is now a regular posting with information on how to go about buying and selling items in rec.radio.swap; please refer to it before you post there. To answer a frequently asked question: No, there is no mailing list that goes along with this group. If you can't read Usenet news directly, you're out of luck.

The group rec.radio.amateur.policy was created as a place for all the discussions that seem to drag on interminably about the many rules, regulations, legalities, and policies that surround amateur radio, both existing and proposed. Recent changes to the Amateur Radio Rules (FCC Part 97) have finally laid to rest the Great Usenet Pizza Autopatch Debate - it's now legal to order a pizza on the autopatch, if you're not in the pizza business - as well as complaints about now-preempted local scanner laws hostile to amateurs, but plenty of discussion about what a bunch of rotten no-goodniks the local frequency coordinating body is, as well as the neverending no-code debate, may still be found here.

The group rec.radio.cb is the place for all discussion about the Citizens' Band radio service. Such discussions have been very inflammatory in rec.ham-radio in the past; please do not cross-post to both rec.radio.cb and rec.radio.amateur.* unless the topic is genuinely of interest to both hams and CBers - and very few topics are.

The rec.radio.info group is just what its name implies: it's the place where informational messages from across rec.radio.* may be found, regardless of where else they're posted. As of this writing, information posted to the group includes Cary Oler's daily solar progagation bulletins, ARRL

bulletins, the Frequently Asked Questions files for the various groups, and radio modification instructions. This group is moderated, so you cannot post to it directly; if you try, even if your message is crossposted to one of the other groups, your message will be mailed to the moderator, who is currently David Dodell, WB7TPY. The email address for submissions to the group is rec-radio-info@stat.com. Inquires and other administrivia should be directed to rec-radio-info-request@stat.com. For more information about rec.radio.info, consult the introduction and posting guidelines that are regularly posted to that newsgroup.

The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew, and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear, commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations. The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long distance amateur communications.

Except for rec.radio.swap and rec.radio.cb, all of these newsgroups are available by Internet electronic mail in digest format; send a mail message containing "help" on a line by itself to listserv@ucsd.edu for instructions on how to use the mail server.

All of the groups can be posted to by electronic mail, though, by using a gateway at the University of Texas at Austin. To post a message this way, change the name of the group you wish to post to by replacing all of the '.'s with '-'s - for example, rec.radio.swap becomes rec-radio-swap - and send to that name@cs.utexas.edu (rec-radio-swap@cs.utexas.edu, for example). You may crosspost by including multiple addresses as Cc: entries (but see below). This gateway's continued availability is at the pleasure of the admins at UT-Austin, and is subject to going away at any time - and especially if forgeries and other net.abuses become a problem. You have been warned.

Mailing Lists
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In addition to the mailing lists that mirror the Usenet newsgroups, there also are a few that stand alone. These cover specific areas of ham radio, and discussion is focused on just those areas.

The cq-contest mailing list is for discussions of contesting in ham radio. To join, send email with the word "subscribe" on a line by itself to cq-contest-request@tgv.com.

The DX mailing list covers the finer points of DXing. This one is also joined by mailing "subscribe" on a line by itself, this time to dx-request@unbc.edu.

There's also a VHF mailing list, for VHF operators of the weak signal persuasion. You can join this one be sending "subscribe vhf" on a line by itself to vhf-request@w6yx.stanford.edu.

The QRP-L list is devoted to building and operating gear at low-power outputs. To subscribe, send an email to listproc@lehigh.edu and only write: subscribe qrp-l Your Name.

The TopBand e-list is devoted to all areas of operation on 160m. To subscribe, send an email to majordomo@contesting.com and only write: subscribe topband and follow the instructions you'll be sent.
This site, contesting.com, also hosts a couple dozen other ham-related e-lists. Use the above address, and only write: lists to get the entire index.

The Boatanchors e-list is devoted to the older tube-based ham, military, and commercial communications gear. To subscribe, send an email to: listserv@listserve.tempe.gov and only write: subscribe boatanchors

For homebuilding transmitters and receivers using tube technology, there is the Glowbugs e-list; send an email to:
majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write:
subscribe glowbugs <your@address.here>

The VHF DX discussion list can be accessed by sending an email to: majordomo@blacksheep.org and only writing: subscribe VHF-DX-discuss.

Qth.net hosts over 100 ham-related e-lists, including lists devoted to each state, manufacturer, mode, band - too many to state here. Send an email to majordomo@qth.net and only write: lists to get the complete index.

For one of the most complete indexes of email lists, see
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

Please do NOT send subscription requests to the mailing lists themselves; that doesn't work very often, and is very annoying to those on the list. Also, please keep your electronic mail address current with any mailing lists you subscribe to, as dealing with returned email is a nuisance for the person maintaining the mailing list.

A Few Words on Crossposting
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Please do not crosspost messages to two or more groups unless there is genuine interest in both groups in the topic being discussed, and when you do, please include a header line of the form "Followup-To: group.name" in your article's headers (before the first blank line). This will cause followups to your article to go to the group listed in the Followup-To: line. If you wish to have replies to go to you by email, rather than be posted, use the word "poster" instead of the name of a group. Such a line appears in the headers of this article.

One of the few examples of productive cross-posting is with the rec.radio.info newsgroup. To provide a filtered presentation of information articles, while

still maintaining visibility in their home newsgroups, the moderator strongly encourages cross-posting. All information articles should be submitted to the rec.radio.info moderator so that he may simultaneously cross-post your information to the appropriate newsgroups. Most newsreaders will only present the article once, and network bandwidth is conserved since only one article is propagated. If you make regular informational postings, and have made arrangements with the moderator to post directly to the group, please cross-post as appropriate.

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Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ
jeffreyh@hawaii.edu

4576. FS: Yaesu FT51R HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <devenal@SPAMnac.net>
Message-ID: <350B2257.55789FD9@SPAMnac.net>
Source record: 150349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

rec.radio.swap
rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Yaesu FT51R HP

Mod, with extra battery, MH-29 mic and NC-50 rapid charger - all in great
shape.
Need to raise funds. Asking $425
KC2BXU

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-Chris
mailto:devenal@nac.net
http://www.users.nac.net/devenal/
To reply to this message delete SPAM from the E-mail address.

4577. langage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "roch landriault"@magmacom.com
Message-ID: <zNFO.114$N4.3187414@news.magma.ca>
Source record: 150350

Would like to have list of code (ex 10-20) and language (ex alfa, bravo...)

4578. Re: Yikes! - Alinco credit card radios...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timmins/Johnson <timmins@penn.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4fad$034482c0$641816d0@timmins.penn.com>
Source record: 150351

I saw those last year at the Rochester Hamfest--I asked the very nice
factory rep if there would be a dual-band version-he said- "no need-you get
the two radios, you get Velcro, there you go!" probably could do it
too...but I'll keep my Standard C508a......good luck!
N3DDY

WR3ON <wr3on@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980314154600.KAA08186@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> Hello,
>
> I have both the DJ-C1 (2M) and DJ-C4 (440) units. They both work very
well.
> The units have volume and sql control that are fully adjustable. They
have 20
> memories. They basically have everything larger rigs have (adjustable
> splits, tone, all that good stuff).
>
>
> ron patton (WR3ON)
>

4579. WTB Atlas 350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: claw7j6cay@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315014400.UAA12531@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150352

Please E-mail me if you have a nice Atlas 350 for sale

Ward....
WB6DNE/Cheyenne WY

4580. Kenpro Rotor KR-400 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4fb8$b2a6e220$568a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone know how the Kenpro KR-400 rotor is rated for capacity? Light,
medium or heavy?
Someone has offered me a kr-400 and a kr-500 in trade (without control
boxes or manuals) and I need to know what they are (he got them from an
estate and has no info). I understand that the kr-500 is an azimuth rotor.
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

4581. Re: new ft50r mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Judson L. Ahern" <jahern@ou.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd4fbd$17598d40$ad22c1cf@earth.swbell.net>
Source record: 150354

From what it says there, the ft50r can no longer be modified?

> the mod to expand the receive frequency range from 76 to 999 MHz does
not
>seem to work. I pull the plug, as instructed, but I can not get the
unit
>to work on any but the advertised frequencies.
>
The firmware inside the radio has been changed so that pulling the plug
will not toggle the radio into a European mode. This change was made in
radios with the 3rd and 4th digits of the serial number greater the 05.

Or does it just require a different mod? I am looking to buy an FT50R, but
one of the big attractions is its "modifiability" for wide bad rcv and
xmit.

Thanks,

Jud

Bob <ciebert@triax.com> wrote in article <35091257.4FA40433@triax.com>...
> Go to http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
>
> PMayer7309 wrote:
>
> > Does anyone have the mods for the new ft50r.I have done the mars/cap
mod with
> > success.But unable to have the freeband mod. I am using the adms 1D
software
> > program. Any suggestions?
> >
> > pm7309@a.o.l
>
>
>
>

4582. Rig help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315030101.WAA25871@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150355

I'm considering a newer rig.
Of these rigs, which is the better?

TS 940AT
TS 850
TS 440
TS 140

Thanks for your help.

73's
Dan, N8VZU

4583. 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) still available at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcgoodman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <350b4497.9545473@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

http://www.mindspring.com/~worldwave
(no feds have called them yet)

4584. Re: new ft50r mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracker557@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315030400.WAA25669@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150357

check out http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

all the info you should need on mods for the FT-50.

- The software mod is possible with the old software.
- The full RX / TX hardware mod is done by removing the solder jumper (CAP / MARS mod), a surface mount resistor AND changing the bad from 1 (USA) to 6 or 7 (cant remember which right now) which is FREE band.

good luck,
Tracker

4585. FS: 20 meter QRP rig w/ built-in Iambic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6pv@sfo.com
Message-ID: <6effsmhvf2@ramona.sfo.com>
Source record: 150358

For Sale: MFJ 5 watt 20 meter Transceiver. Model MFJ-9021 with
built-in Iambic Keyer. Excellent condition. Never used outdoors.
Works perfectly in every respect. $95.
73,
JD. ac6pv@sfo.com

4586. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6fec@nospam.znet.com
Message-ID: <6efgc7$947$1@usenet49.supernews.com>
Source record: 150359
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

How or where do you get ahold of such services???

-Walt.

ivy@stout.columbus.oh.us (Mike Iverson) wrote:

>When buying goods from private parties over the net, (or any type
>of long distance transaction where you can't see the goods).
>I'd recommend using an escrow service to act as a third party.

>For a small fee, these services hold on to the money while
>the goods change hands. They have the tracking numbers,
>which allows them to monitor the whole process.

>I've used a service called "TradeSafe", and was quite satisfied.
>There are also services which are cheaper, and some which allow
>you to pay via credit card, which drastically speeds up the process.

>Mike

>In article <6ee0pu$gsr@newsops.execpc.com>, gpewitt@execpc.com wrote:
>>
>>Beware of doing business with Ronald Lessa. Rlessa1123@aol.com
>>On January 8th of this year I sent him $125.00 for a National NC-173.
>>I got the canceled check back a month later. He acknowledged
>>receipt of the check and promised to ship and provide a tracking number.
>>That's the last I ever heard from him. He does not answer e-mail and
>>I am unable to get a phone number at his alleged address.
>>After 3 months I can only assume he is a deadbeat and start legal
>>action.
>>His address is:
>>Ron Lessa
>>4 Seaward Lane
>>S. Dartmouth, MA 02748
>>
>>The phone company has no record of him at this address.
>>

>--
>| Michael Iverson (Iverson.8@osu.edu) |
>| University Technology Services, the Ohio State University |
>| Department of Electrical Engineering, the Ohio State University |
>| http://frith.acs.ohio-state.edu/~ivy/ |

4587. AZDEN CTCSS in VFO mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1sb795@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315040800.XAA07975@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150360

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N2MODification file for AZDEN PCS-7XXX SERIES
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While this is not a bona-fide N2MODification, this may be helpful to those
who desire a CTCSS tone while in VFO mode. This will change the preset value
that was preprogrammed into memory.
This is how you do it :
1) Turn on radio.
2) Press F and then PROG (WR).
3)Press the down key 4 (four) times. The display will show 2 00 TONE and TX
will be lit.
4)Press PROG (WR). TONE and TX will be flashing.
5) Using the up and down keys, enter the CTCSS tone you desire to use during
VFO operation.
6)Press PROG (WR) and turn the radio off and then back on.
You now have the tone you programmed into the radio available during VFO use,
as evidenced by TONE being displayed. If it is not displayed, then press F and
then REV TONE to activate it.

For more info,contact LEW,W2BIE at AZDEN (5160 328-7501
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4588. Hallicrafters knobs needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmsmith@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <350f575e.14140950@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150361

I need the volume, selectivity, and response knobs for a
Hallicrafters SX100 . I prefer original, but good repros will do.
Please respond via E-mail.

Thanks in advance.
Mark Smith
mmsmith@mindspring.com

4589. Re: batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: landau@ymail.yu.edu
Message-ID: <EpuFuq.Gwx@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 150362

On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 11:16:19 +0000, Michael May
<r39031@email.sps.mot.com> wrote:

>Recently Price Costco had some 1100 mAh double A (A) NiCads , 4 per
>pack with a 4 unit charger for ~$14 dollars, I have had excellent luck
>soldering these together in an Alinco and Azden pack.
>
>Mike WB8VLC

I while back Costco sold large (rechargeable) portable battery packs
that has various outputs including 2 12V Cig. lighter outs.

A bit heavy, but great for use w/ an HT that gets full transmit power
when used w/ car adapter. They were also pretty cheap as I recall.

Sadly, I didn't think about it at the time.
My father bought one and I suppose I could borrow it, but I really
wish I bought a few when I had the chance.

(Company was called MVP I think.)

Ken
KC2CXS

4590. Band Identification of Motorola HT 1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Wicker <ronwick@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd4fe0$89ab1080$cb431ed1@default>
Source record: 150363

I found two Motorola ht 1000 radios for sale. Don't know what band they
operate on.
Model number is H01RDC9AA1BN. I'm not sure if they are vhf or uhf. HELP.....

4591. 8875 tubes for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "w.e." <elly@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6efpcoqne1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 150364

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pair of 8875s for dentron mla-2500 series
1200 watts out all bands
$225

73, Warren W1GUD
elly@gate.net
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4592. F.S.:McElroy bug/chrome tear-drop base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgehman <rgehman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4fce$9b409480$4da2accf@oemcomputer>
Source record: 150365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Listing this for a friend:

McElroy bug, chrome tear-drop shaped base.
Nice appearance, not sure the "action" is
working right (I know nothing about these).
Owner is selling for Best Offer.

73, Randy Gehman N3LJE
rgehman@erols.com
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4593. Re: HTX-212 tweaking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Weaver <StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4fda$e7d06120$9752bec7@home>
Source record: 150366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thanks for the help folks...

I experimented a touch with the mic, and removed the little black disc that covers the mike and it's been working alot better since. I'm not sure if that was the problem or if I inadvertantly fixed a problem while looking at it. Problem solved as of this minute...

But another has surfaced, but with the newsgroup instead....

I cannot find anywhere on my ISP's news server the FIRST message that Dick sent me regarding the mistaken 212 with the 202. Why could that be?

I'd appreciate any input...

Thanks again,

Steve Weaver
KB8RDI

Dick Flanagan <dick@libelle.com> wrote in article
<dick-ya02408000R1303981241110001@news.newsguy.com>...
> In article
<Pine.HPP.3.91.980313103554.9969A-100000@sirajul.sh-gpl.ti.com>,
> Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com> wrote:
>
> >On Thu, 12 Mar 1998, Dick Flanagan wrote:
> >
> >> In article <01bd4d6a$60fb5c80$f552bec7@home>, "Steve Weaver"
> >> <StevenCW@ANTISPAM.aliens.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >I have a HTX-212 with a weak microphone. You basically need to yell
into
> >> >it to be heard at normal levels. Does anybody know if there are any
pots
> >> >that can be tweaked on the main board to help remedy this?
> >>
> >> The RS speaker mic is notorious for that problem. Either use the mic
built
> >> into the front of the radio or buy one of the ICOM speaker mics that
will
> >> also fit that radio.
> >>
> >>Sorry, but the HTX-212 is a 'mobile' rig. The HTX-202/404 are handhelds.
>
> OOPS! Mea culpa.

>
> Low audio is such a common problem on the 202 w/ speaker mic, with the
212
> often exhibiting just the opposite problem, I put my keyboard in gear a
bit
> too quickly.
>
> Sorry for any confusion.
>
> 73, Dick
> --
> Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
> Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/
>

4594. Yaesu 301D Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmartin1 <gmartin1@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <01bd4fdf$53e59ca0$4b0c8ed1@default>
Source record: 150367

Looking for display LED-s for Yaesu FT 301D old style used or info on good
price on NEW
also any info on age or old sales catolog display # TIL 306 and
TIL308
gmartin1@inreach.com

4595. Pointer to Oscilloscope.FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-1503980244550001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 150368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

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Oscilloscope.FAQ is located on
my home page.

You need a frames capable browser
to see it.

If you'd like an Email version
sent to you as an attached text
file (55k), send an Email with
SCOPE FAQ on the SUBJECT LINE.

73,

John D. Seney, WD1V
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
Oscilloscope.FAQ
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4596. SGC-2020 HF rig release date?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6eg341$rpj@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 150369

SGC keep saying they will release the 2020 radio "in 2 weeks" and weeks later they still say "in 2 weeks".

Anyone know when the radio will be released for purchase?

=TOM=
tnic@idt.net

4597. Re: Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@g4udt.nospam.co.uk>
Message-ID: <aVvj1BAAL6C1Ew$0@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150370

In article <6eck60$hg0$1@clarknet.clark.net>, N3WUU
<nospam.steves@clark.net> writes
>Get the CT-27 Cloning cable. Cut it in half and you have two mic connectors.
>Should be about $9US.

I had to do this in the end. Its not the best solution. I searched
everywhere for the plug (including contacting Sony) but had no luck.

I'm disappointed with Yaesu :-(
--
Yves Remedios
When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

4598. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: la8ak@M&#65533;vik.Volda.Norge
Message-ID: <350ba816.140817307@news.sol.no>
Source record: 150371
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,uk.radio.amateur

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 22:19:04 -0500, JC <jc@aol.com> wrote:

>Mike Iverson wrote:
>>
>> When buying goods from private parties over the net, (or any type
>> of long distance transaction where you can't see the goods).
>> I'd recommend using an escrow service to act as a third party.
>>
>> For a small fee, these services hold on to the money while
>> the goods change hands. They have the tracking numbers,
>> which allows them to monitor the whole process.
>>
>> I've used a service called "TradeSafe", and was quite satisfied.
>> There are also services which are cheaper, and some which allow
>> you to pay via credit card, which drastically speeds up the process.
>
>Thanks for passing along that info Mike. I hit their website
>http://www.tradesafe.com and got the details. I have been wary of
>conducting private purchases/sales online but with a service like
>tradesafe the risk is removed ! What other services like tradesafe do
>you know of ?

which instance is this compared to in Europe? I bought a tx from Lowe
electronics, it was delivered via securicor.

email: LA8AK@OnLine.no

4599. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <889958868snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150372
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

In article <slrn6gl8v1.c2.ivy@stout.columbus.oh.us>
Iverson.8@osu.edu "Mike Iverson" writes:

> When buying goods from private parties over the net, (or any type
> of long distance transaction where you can't see the goods).
> I'd recommend using an escrow service to act as a third party.
>
> For a small fee, these services hold on to the money while
> the goods change hands. They have the tracking numbers,
> which allows them to monitor the whole process.
>
> I've used a service called "TradeSafe", and was quite satisfied.
> There are also services which are cheaper, and some which allow
> you to pay via credit card, which drastically speeds up the process.

And if your're a bit doubtful about the escrow service, you can use
an escrow-escrow (called Escrow^2) service which will hold the money
while the escrow service certifies the merchandise. There is a plan
to form an Escrow^3 service since some scumbag running Escrow^2 ran
off with all the money. More news on this in 2 1/2 weeks :-)

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4600. FS Alinco DJ-580T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: billr@hayburn.com
Message-ID: <350dc023.1787540@news.hayburn.com>
Source record: 150373

I have for sale an Alinco DJ-580T. This is a dual band ht.
I will include two 72.V 1500 mah batterys made by Perefex<SP>,
the battery charger, and a charger I built to speed up the process
a bit for the bigger battery. This charger is a small ciruit board
which I did not put in a box and requires a 12 volt powersupply.
I am asking $275 obo. I also have a car cigerette adapter and a
comet antenna for it which may be included in the sale.
I will consider trades for other gear or an o'scope.

Bill Rininger
N8UXB
billr@hayburn.com

4601. SGC230 Antenna Coupler? Anyone using?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <350b09e9.48651531@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150374

I have recently purchased an SGC Antenna coupler model 230. I have connected an ALinco multi-band HF whip but have been unable to tune it on any band. I have checked and re-checked the installation for faults but all seems okay!

Any help or views?

Many thanks

John
GW0ACH

4602. Hammarlund hq-140x

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "w.e." <elly@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6eggit$bj6$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 150375

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50ies vintage Hammarlund receiver model HQ-140X
Condition Good, with cabinet. Original instruction manual.
You pay shipping for $125
Florida pickups welcome
73, Warren W1GUD
elly@gate.net
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4603. Re: Icom706mk2 hows the Receiver compared to others...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6egiue$2m1$4@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 150376

In article <3502fc1a.456994@news.klis.com>, Cfisher@klis.com (Ve1kco) wrote:
>

Seems comparable to my TS-450s but I've only had mine for a week.

73,
Tom

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
tprandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Moving to 144.390 soon....
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in the address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

4604. Re: New antenna for FT50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bschwitz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315131101.IAA22064@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150377

I have used the Comet SMA-3 for nearly a year and I find it performs MUCH better than the stock antenna.

Bernie, WA4JZO

4605. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@pshyc.net>
Message-ID: <350BD8F6.4974@pshyc.net>
Source record: 150378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Russ Martin wrote:
> > It amazes me that people can actually finish high school in this country
> > without a grasp of business economics.

Perhaps they should TEACH business economics rather than History or
Physical Education! The problem is, there are what, around 7 or 8
classes a high school student sits through a day, times 4 years, and
other than English and Math (that were taught in Elementary school) what
from High school does anyone ever get to use later in the real world?

4606. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@pshyc.net>
Message-ID: <350BD98F.5B20@pshyc.net>
Source record: 150379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Robert M. Bratcher Jr. wrote:
>
> On 14 Mar 1998 06:18:57 GMT, "Ron N6AHA" <ronc@sonic.net> wrote:
>
> >Chris <Mr.Hanky@Pooh.com> wrote in article <35065137.68DD@Pooh.com>...
> >> Ron N6AHA wrote:
> >> >
> >> > Good! Now we know where to send the FCC on their next raid!
> >>
> >> The FCC doesn't license anything under 200 watts in the FM broadcast
> >> band. I remember seeing somewhere a low power station taking the FCC to
> >> court over it. I could be wrong, but, I think there is a loop hole here
> >>
> >They don't license anything under 100 watts (except translators and
> >boosters), but they don't allow anything that is not licensed. It's not a
> >loophole. One of the guys who tried that just got fined $5,000, and an
> >appeals court upheld the fine.
>
> What are the steps in getting a 100w license?
> I'm doing my frequency search now and have sent for the application
> papers from the FCC.
>

A station at that power will most likely only be allowed in the 88.1 to
91.9 band, and you will not be allowed to play any commercials.

4607. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6eglri$68r@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 150380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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the author.]

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz. |

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is: |

International Crystal Mfg Co. |
11 N. Lee Ave |
Oklahoma City, OK 73102 |
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426 |

You need not bother with calculating the crystal | fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with | the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, | and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform | the necessary calculations. |

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760
email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant

max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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4608. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Richardson <mechtech@evansville.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5006$eb70b560$431878cc@default>
Source record: 150381
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Why do I get the impression I am being played like a fiddle?<G>

Lee Richardson
mechtech@evansville.net

Walter R. Quitt <wa6fec@nospam.znet.com> wrote in article
<6efgc7$947$1@usenet49.supernews.com>...
>
> How or where do you get ahold of such services???
>
> -Walt.
>
>
> ivy@stout.columbus.oh.us (Mike Iverson) wrote:
>
> >When buying goods from private parties over the net, (or any type
> >of long distance transaction where you can't see the goods).
> >I'd recommend using an escrow service to act as a third party.
>
> >For a small fee, these services hold on to the money while
> >the goods change hands. They have the tracking numbers,
> >which allows them to monitor the whole process.
>
> >I've used a service called "TradeSafe", and was quite satisfied.
> >There are also services which are cheaper, and some which allow
> >you to pay via credit card, which drastically speeds up the process.
>
> >Mike
>

4609. Re: Yaesu FT50R plug???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6egoa5lhm1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 150382

Yves Remedios wrote:
>
> In article <6eck60$hg0$1@clarknet.clark.net>, N3WUU
> <nospam.steves@clark.net> writes
> >Get the CT-27 Cloning cable. Cut it in half and you have two mic connectors.
> >Should be about $9US.
>
> I had to do this in the end. Its not the best solution. I searched
> everywhere for the plug (including contacting Sony) but had no luck.

You can get the plug from:

Andy's Funkladen
Admiralstr.19
28215 Bremen
Germany

Tel.: 0421/353060
Fax.: 0421/372714

The price is about 2.50 DM, thats aprox. 1.50 US$

> I'm disappointed with Yaesu :-(

me too :-(

> --
> Yves Remedios
> When replying by e-mail, please correct my address using the word demon.

Greetings, ...

4610. RE ICOM ICr-7072 Interface NEW F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <350BF7B1.4AE5@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150383

I jave an New ICOM IC 7072 interface for sale or trade... if interested
let me know... Collectors item.. 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

4611. 1296 gear wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <350BFAB2.2993@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150384

MMT or DEM transverter wanted... 28 or 144 IF ... let me know what you have and a price... 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

4612. FOR SALE ON E-BAy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <350BFAD0.3F83@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150385

have the following items on E-bay... Inluding some tubes ,R-390 Parts
VHF Pre-amp and other
stuff...:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7879476

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7607849

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7728823

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7730379

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7799975

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7800230

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7839074

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7840924

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8094667

This includes COLLINS R-390 Parts, Tubes for Collins tubes for
National,Hallicrafters Motorola test unit and a HEATH CPO... sorry for
the Bandwidth I need more room... 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

4613. 13B2 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <350C009F.5166@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150386

Looking for a clean 13B2 2 meter yagi let me know what you hav... 73 de
Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

4614. water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bert Douglas <bertdNOSPAM@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6egrpm$j3o$0@198.79.30.78>
Source record: 150387
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I don't know anything about GEET or their
process. In fact, I have never hear the term before.

But, I asked my father about this. He says that
water injection was used in aircraft engines
during World War II to increase effective
power output. He says you can find lots of
old (1930s) articles on water injection
in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

Apparently it works by increasing cyclinder
pressures near the bottom of the stroke.

Of course, there is no energy coming from the
water, and the water is not burning, and there
is no violation of the law of conservation of
energy.

In a water injected engine there is less energy
in the exhaust gases, all other things being
equal. The water is merely a means of
extracting a little more useful energy from
combustion gases.

My Dad says further, that water injection
shortens engine life and for ordinary applications
(other than racing or warfare) it is not worth
the trouble. Of course, it is quite possible
that technical advances in the last 50 years
have solved the drawbacks of water
injection.

Bert Douglas

4615. Looking for CTCSS IC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka9kim@I_should_put_my_domain_in_etc_NNTP_INEWS_DOMAIN
Message-ID: <6egsnj$291@news.gvsu.edu>
Source record: 150388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.components

I am looking for a source for a commonly used CTCSS Encode / Decode chip.

The part is marked MN6520. I have seen it used in ICOM and Standard radios,
I am looking for it to repair an old HT.

Thanks in advance for any information..... Please POST replies via E-Mail.

73,

Mike
msims@siebeappliance.com

4616. Need manual for Leader LC-2001 'scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike - W0TMW <crucis@sky.net>
Message-ID: <350BFC7C.871AF91A@sky.net>
Source record: 150389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Just picked up a Leader 25MHz, dual channel oscilloscope, model LC-2001
but I need a manual. Anyone have one they'd be willing to sell or copy?

Please respond via private e-mail.

Thanks, Mike - W0TMW
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Mike Watson, W0TMW, QCWA Mbr # 28651, Chap. 35
Raymore, MO USA Grid: EM28st
http://www.sky.net/~crucis
E-mail: crucis@sky.net ARS# 352, QRP-L# 1489
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4617. IC-756 Code ID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <350bfcf5.118281785@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 150390

Hello fellow Hams
Does anyone know how to decipher
the Icom 756 serial number for date of manufacture? By the way, some
dealers (with all to follow soon), have increased the the price on the
756.

de ... N1MSV

4618. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6egun7$16t$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150391
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Anthony R. Gold wrote:
>

> And if your're a bit doubtful about the escrow service, you can use
> an escrow-escrow (called Escrow^2) service which will hold the money
> while the escrow service certifies the merchandise. There is a plan
> to form an Escrow^3 service since some scumbag running Escrow^2 ran
> off with all the money. More news on this in 2 1/2 weeks :-)

I like it :-) !!

The future of internet transactions is becoming more clear. After
selling an item for $300, the seller will pay the purchase price plus
50% to cover his end of the fees, and the buyer will end up clearing
about 10 bucks.

But all of the Auction houses and Escrow services will get rich because
nobody trusts anybody else. :-)

Ya' just gotta love the internet ...

Grant/NQ5T
nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

4619. Re: SGC230 Antenna Coupler? Anyone using?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <889975253snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150392

In article <350b09e9.48651531@news.demon.co.uk>
John@datasafe.demon.co.uk "John Cooper" writes:

> I have recently purchased an SGC Antenna coupler model 230. I have
> connected an ALinco multi-band HF whip but have been unable to tune it
> on any band. I have checked and re-checked the installation for faults
> but all seems okay!
>
> Any help or views?

What length is the whip, what frequencies are you trying and what TX
are you using?

Also, is the ATU pulling any DC power and do you hear any relays
clicking inside the ATU as it searches for a match?

One possibility is that your TX is "folding back" to protect iself
and is refusing to generate sufficient power (it takes about 10W)
that the SG-230 needs in order to tune.

If you get no help here, contact SGC directly. They are very helpful
although they also may not know how to pursuade your particular model
or transmitter to drive the ATU when the starting mismatch is bad.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4620. FS: Henry 3006 KW 6M amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6eh2gj$mt1@sjx-ixn11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150393

Very clean Henry 3006 6M amp. Legal limit. (Bigger than the 2006 model)
With built in P/S and stand. 220V wiring. Complete.
Asking $1750 - you pick-up or ship from SF Bay area in Ca.
Tim

4621. FS:Knwd TS-140S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa5tn@apex2000.net
Message-ID: <6eh8fdpjt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Kenwood TS-140S all solid state HF transceiver.
Excellent condition. Just returned from check-out by
authorized Kenwood service center. TS-140's were manufactured
by Kenwood from 1990 to about 1996.. Has general coverage
receiver and covers all amateur bands 160-10 meters, including
WARC 30, 17 and 12 m. Dual VFO's with full and semi break-in.
Can be used mobile or as base station. Comes with manual, hand
mic and d.c. power cord (requires external 12v power source).
AES used price is $650; asking $485 shipped UPS ConU.S.
If interested, please respond via telephone 915-683-3263 or
e-mail: aa5tn@apex2000.net. 73 de Bill - K5VO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4622. COLLINS 30L1 AMP F/S ROUND EMBLEM (MINT)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gpinos@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980315174301.MAA27543@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150395

HELLO I HAVE A MINT COLLINS 30L1 F/S WITH MANUAL.WOULD LIKE TO TRADE FOR AMERITRON AL80B OR A AMP LIKE THAT,OR I WILL SELL OUT RIGHT.THIS IS A ROUND EMBLEM LATE SERIAL NUMBER 30L1.

4623. FS: 6 & 2 Meter boards for FT-767gx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eh1bt$c6o$1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150396

Have the 6 and 2 meter boads for the Yaesu FT-767gx. Both are mint.
Price is $300.00 apiece or $550.00 for both.+ shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC

4624. watt meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: axle <dstump@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eh4c1dcq1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 150397

Looking for a trancel watt meter e-mail me

4625. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <350d11c4.3662593@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 150398
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>On Fri, 13 Mar 1998 14:44:41 -0500, David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
>wrote:
>[Lou wrote]
>>> Then laws of fizzix is revised all the time. Sheesh.
>>> Inventors are doing stuff all the time, which later gets first derided and then
>>> applauded by authorities.
>>>
>>> Hell, man, I have enuff computers around here to run failure predictions on,
>>> but all that means to an inventor is that there ain't enuff math in the model.
>>> That don't need a Cray. It needs math the Cray ain't got neether, by gar.
>>
>>I take it you have never seen a modern parallel computer running a modern fluid dynamics
>>procedure. Its pretty dang accurate, actually. Modern engines that run in real life, run
>>in these simulations, and nowadays, simulations are what the real life devices are based
>>on. IF you rewrite the laws of physics after finding your engine works, in real life,
>>then the previous engine designs should also work in the simulation.
>
>In fact they have to. Rewriting physical law can't negate any previous
>observable. If it does, then your rewrite is incorrect. New theories
>can't negate any of the observable results of prior theory. When
>Einstein's theory displaced Newton's theory, apples still fall from
>apple trees.
>
AGREED !
However, if the math that is in the new model wasn't in the previous model,
then while the older examples fit the new model, the newer examples may
not fit the old one. In either case, the modelers may no know what questions
to ask the lightspeed computer.

Philoprogentivinisticism may cause the doting mother to ignore her baby's
faults, but the world at large will not do so.

However, the world at large will quite readily throw out the bby with the bath
water.

I looked at the GEET (www.geet.com) page, and I noticed there wasn't any
way to check the "letters of recommendation" until I came to NASA.
I still haven't found an E-mail for NASA, but I got their snailmail address.

I will, if I don't forget, write them and ask if they can find a copy of a
letter written from the source in the page.

Look it up and try it yourself.

There is the essence of avoiding naysaying: Individual, independent investigation to find the truth.

Good luck

Lou H.
http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/6578/index.html
Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical of the Breed)
Looking for both around
Tulsa OK, USA

4626. FS: Hewlett Packard logic probes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOradarguy@gdi.net
Message-ID: <350b662e.8231548@news.gdi.net>
Source record: 150447

545A Logic Probe
546A Logic Pulser
547A Current Tracer

All are like new with Manuals and case.
Sold as a set. Originally cost $1500. Sacrifice at $500 or best
offer.

Russ
To Reply, remove the NO in my address, Thanks Russ

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son,
that whoever believes in Him should not perish,
but have eternal life. John 3:16

4627. Re: HELP! Still Trying To Locate KB8MCZ DAVID T GARDYNIK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <350E025F.DF472EE1@together.net>
Source record: 150150
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hmmm... Gee David, I not long ago bought a TM-241A from David, had it shipped COD... perhaps he sold it twice?

Also he claimed that the rig was electrically perfect... however, I found out the TM-241A's have a known defect with the ribbon cable from the main board to the display, this little problem raised it's head shortly after I got it... not a big deal to fix.. but his comment was "Gee... I never had any problems with it..."...

He was not very responsive to my queries regarding the display problem, took several e-mails before he denied any knowledge of such a problem...

So.. unless he happened to have two TM-241A's for sale at the same time... I think you got ripped off.

--Tom
KB1CGA

(p.s. can't wait for the ground to thaw so I can put up that tower we swapped on... :)

DavidC wrote:

> I am still owed a Kenwood TM-241A in trade from KB8MCZ, DAVID T GARDYNIK
> N 8196 SR 187 SHIOCTON WI 54170 USA KB8MCZ@aol.com
>
> I anyone knows how to contact him their help would be appreciated.
>
> If he is active on 2m packet (I am not) can you advise?
> Others are advised to avoid trades with this fellow for now.
> (I have our E-mail exchanges as documentation of the problem.)
>
> He has ignored E-mails (his E-mail was not rejected), he has ignored first
> class mail (mail to the address above, to which he instructed me to ship my
> half of the deal, was not returned). This is a very sad situation, he has
> hurt his own reputation and reduced the level of trust within the
> horsetrading ranks of our hobby another small notch, just for a few bucks
> worth of gear.
> --
> Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

4628. Re: ---best nude club to use your ht in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <350E00E8.8767597@together.net>
Source record: 150151

Hey.. if your ever stuck for a place to sit naked and use your radio, you can feel free to use my barn... just don't scare the chickens... :)

I'm still searching for the Jello-Wrestling bar that lets me use my HT.. oh well...

--Tom

Nobody wrote:

> Mike wrote:
> >
> > The ultimate nude bar in NJ that allows hams to use their HTs and other
> > radio equipment is:
> >
> > www.angelfire.com/biz/vipclub
>
> Gee...I'm glad you told us that....I don't think I could have gone
> another day without knowing where I could sit around naked and talk
> on the radio......

4629. Re: QUESTION: ICOM-706MkII, what's the catch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#OJLRGWU9GA.200@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 150152

Actually, 706 MK2 has DSP capabilities as an option. You need optional ICOM IC-106 DSP board. When installed inside the radio it will give you auto notch and DSP noise reduction.

Adnan, Icom America

<350d1147.3383557@news.ozemail.com.au>...
>I'm new to amateur radio and have just read the review of the 706 mkII
>in this months issue of QST.
>
>Seems too good to be true!!
>
>What is the price to be paid??
>
>You get as much as a bigger box (excepting DSP, but my PC and
>soundblaster will do fine for that)
>
>...for less money!!
>
>OK there's the usability issue: all those menus etc,
>
>.....but what gives....whats's the catch?
>
>Why would I buy a larger box??? AND pay more money?
>
>Sensitivity, Selectivity, IF filtering? Audio?, robustness?, "feel"?
>(excepting afore mentioned problem of mobile mike gain)
>
>Thanks,
>
>Tim
>

4630. FS: Motorola 1200R service monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Stelth" <kevind@cmq.net>
Message-ID: <350E0413.50C7907C@cmq.net>
Source record: 150153

Excellent condition Motorola 1200 service monitor w/ scope, audio synth
and high gain broadband mixer. Front cover and manual. $750.00 firm. Can

e-mail pic if nessisary.
Call 504-593-2105 or e-mail. Kevin

4631. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <350E00C4.3BB5@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 150154

How will it work on HF, consider the following:

1-AF DSP (definitely)

2-No narrow SSB filter

3-NO Auto Tuner

4-Only IF Shift, NO Width (so no "dual passband" tuning)

5-No Manual Notch (what good is auto noch on CW... none)

6-Icom is currently shipping the 746 to stores across the country.

End of story.

Pete KA2YDY

4632. Re: Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350E0680.9BD1F483@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150155

Grant,

Ten meters is pretty good some days now, and in the summer should be very usable, but likely only during the daylight hours and probably not every day.

I don't recall the power levels of the radio you mentioned, but even 10 watts can provide excellent contacts, if the band is open. This is especially true of ten meters, as compared to lower bands..

More important is to have an efficient antenna, such as a dipole; a quarter-wave vertical on ten is fairly short, and should work well with a good set of radials. Best operating freqs are likely to be 28.3 to 28.5 MHz (Tech Plus USA hams make that a well tuned segment).

Phil

4633. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350E0713.945D4AC2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150156

Likely not possble.

I believe the 2 meter transmitter is separate from the HF+6m xmtr.

So it is what it is, short of adding an external power amplifier.

Phil

4634. Re: Info on Hustler Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350E0980.9596E024@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150157

George,

Sounds like a 4BTV , close to "457V" in faded appearance. If so, it should be multi-band, not just 20. OTOH, sounds short for a 4BTV.

Best advice is to call Hustler.

Looking in AES catalog, the 4BTV is 10-15-20-40 meter antenna and is a bit over 21 ft high, so that is not what you have.

Should be an SO-239 connector at the bottom.

Hmmmm... I'm wondering if you have only part of an antenna.

Phil

4635. FS**Yaesu 767gx with 2 meters + extras**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ekvo9gdp1@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150158

Have an ex.con Yaesu FT-767gx with the 2 meter board,SP-767 speaker,MD-1 desk mic,FRB-757 relay box,and the service and owners manual. Price is $1100.00 + shipping

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

4636. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lawrence Sudduth <LHSudduth@att.net>
Message-ID: <6el2pd$6l@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150159

Impossible. No can do. Won't work. Forget it.

Nelson wrote in message <01bd515e$9a1b54a0$6d0148ca@nelson>...
>ANYBODY KNOW HOW TO MOD OR CHANGE COMPONENT TO MAKE MY RIG IN HIGH POWER OF
>100W (OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND.
>
>TKS A LOT
>
>73

4637. Want & F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Murphy <larrym@mail.tco.net>
Message-ID: <350E13F0.779D@mail.tco.net>
Source record: 150160

Looking for a good knwd tr-7950 that works good without glitches!
Just got one that only lasted 10 hrs, hi hi

FS attached:

THINGS FOR SALE

WANTED: old hand keys, or bugs. will buy, or trade for things on list.

PE-162 motor generator, very good shape, orig manual.
Lots of spare parts, whole motor, short block, gasgets.
Orig frame and canvas cover, some tools. 110/220v 150.00 U HAUL

ME26D/u, yes 01C is there and works fine. 20.00 " "
HP 616B 1.8 to 4.2ghz sig. gen. good for tvro ect. 50.00 U HAUL

ORIGINAL TECH MANUAL FOR FOLLOWING: U SHIP

SCR-221, A---AL plus blank calib. chart. 10.00 " "
TM-11-690 Tramsistor course. 5.00 " "

Please E-MAIL me with your ZIP codes so I can estimate UPS. TNX

K6AAW CN80
Larry Murdoch
14370 Brian Rd.
Red Bluff, CA. 96080
larrym@tco.net
530-529-3523 home
530-51-K6AAW cell

4638. Re: QST -- Want advice on 2 radios / Avoiding Email Spam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <350E1446.426B@pacbell.net>
Source record: 150161

kilroy wrote:
>
> Well, in addition to maybe losing the spam with a phony email address in
> the header, I am wavering between Yaesu FT840 and Icom IC707.
> I'm interested in the HF bands and want to use CW as primary
> communications, but I'm also going to do rtty from the computer and some
> voice?
> The MSRP of either radio is close enough to be equal, so I would like to
> hear some experiences with these two models.
> Anyone want to post some opinions?
>
> Kilroy
> KC8HPG
> k i l r o y @ f u s e . n e t

I can't tell you anything about the 2 radios, but I can tell you
that many of the Spammers out there, scan the contents of many
postings looking for valid email addresses.

In the copy of your message, I added spaces to your email address
so that any such program will get the wrong results. To avoid
Email Spam, NEVER post your real address in the header or inside
the message.

Because most Spammers use software to find email addresses, you can
throw off any such program by adding extra stuff to your address.

Thus, myaddress@myISP.net can become:

QRMmyaddress@myISP.net

or

QRMmyaddress@QRMmyISP.net

OR . . . You can break up your address:

. . . write to me at:

trash information myaddress trash information
trash information @ trash information
trash information myISP trash information
trash information . trash information
trash information net trash information

73,
Bob (KF6JHG)
--

If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

4639. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Robert Walker <Ian@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <U9NIbVAIuXD1EwFI@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150162
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,uk.radio.amateur

In article <350ba816.140817307@news.sol.no>, J M Noeding
<la8ak@Mï¿½vik.Volda.Norge> writes
>On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 22:19:04 -0500, JC <jc@aol.com> wrote:
>
>>Mike Iverson wrote:
>>>
>>> When buying goods from private parties over the net, (or any type
>>> of long distance transaction where you can't see the goods).
>>> I'd recommend using an escrow service to act as a third party.
>>>
>>> For a small fee, these services hold on to the money while
>>> the goods change hands. They have the tracking numbers,
>>> which allows them to monitor the whole process.
>>>
>>> I've used a service called "TradeSafe", and was quite satisfied.
>>> There are also services which are cheaper, and some which allow
>>> you to pay via credit card, which drastically speeds up the process.
>>
>>Thanks for passing along that info Mike. I hit their website
>>http://www.tradesafe.com and got the details. I have been wary of
>>conducting private purchases/sales online but with a service like
>>tradesafe the risk is removed ! What other services like tradesafe do
>>you know of ?
>
>which instance is this compared to in Europe? I bought a tx from Lowe
>electronics, it was delivered via securicor.

Since when have Lowe Electronics been a private party?
--
Ian Walker G8ILZ on packet as G8ILZ@GB7SRC

I have an IQ of 6 million, | How will it end? | Mostly | Out of cheese
or was it 6? | In fire. | harmless | error

4640. Icom IC-T8A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. Covey" <scott@scottcovey.com>
Message-ID: <6el76b$s1g$1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 150163

Dan writes..................

Hi all! I bought an Icom IC-T8 and I'm looking for the
cellular modification. The keypad freeband receive mod
is already done and works fine.. I receive 50-230 300-999
with cellular blocked!!! If anyone can help me for the
cellular mod, please email me!!

Thanks a lot!

Dan, VE2BHN...

I have not seen any mods for this radio but this sure looks inviting, if true. Is there anyone that knows the "keypad" mod to receive these frequencies that Dan mentions here.

Thanks

Scott
Scott@scottcovey.com

4641. MFJ Station accessories for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <6eq0eavb1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150164
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

MFJ-1701 6 postion coaxial switch $20

MFJ-204B Antenna bridge $45

MFJ 16010 200w random wire antenna tuner $20

MFJ 407B Keyer with Chrome base Vibroplex paddle $100

All item plus UPS.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

4642. Datong and Autek Audio Filters for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <6eq0ptvb3@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150165
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Autek QF-1A SSB/CW/AM audio filter $65

Datong FL-1 Frequency Agile Audio Filter $55

UPS will run about $5 on each of these

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

4643. AS IS Fixer Uppers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <6eq1d6$1c4$1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

I have the following equipment that needs TLC to put it back into
working condition.

B&W 334 Dummy load/wattmeter- same as a Waters 334- three scales
measuring 10-100-1000 watts. Meter is not reading, meter seems to be
ok, some problem between the rf pickup in the dummy load and the
meter.............$35

Icom IC-27 2 meter transceiver, synthesized model....dead $50

VHF Engineering 160 watt 2 mter brick amplifier.....bad relay $50

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

4644. ****WTB: Motorola type belt clips for HT case!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: chia@news.utk.edu
Message-ID: <6ejmki$h65$2@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 150200

I would like to get a Motorola type belt clip for an HT holster
that I picked up at a Hamfest this past weekend. IT needs to be able to
hold the standard (I assume it is standard...) type Motorola d shaped
piece on the back of the holster, then it goes into the belt clip and
the radio can swivel <sp> but not come out until turned upside down. I
hope that my description is good enough. Anyone that has these and wants
to sell them or knows where I should go to look for them on the Net,
please let me know either via. E-Mail or post it here. Thanks....

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====----****----====
73 de KF4UAE
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

4645. Re: ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1603980831090001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150201

In article <19980316061901.BAA04904@ladder01.news.aol.com>, k1rbs@aol.com (K1RBS) wrote:

> Hi, George, K1RBS. I have had quite a bit of traffic with "Clif", from AVVID,
>in Irving Texas. The signature he uses says that they are authorized Kenwood
>and Icom repair facility.
> This man has gone the extra mile to help me, even sending me a scan of a
>layout print so that I could identify parts. I recommend that
>you consider him. Once you put it in a box, there are five digits in any
>zipcode, his is just as easy to write as anyone else's, and I have
>to believe if you are treated as I have been treated, you,too, will be
>sending people to him. He posts here regularly. It's AVVID, in Irving, Texas.

I agree. Clif is the person I would recommend, too.

Web address: http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid/
E-Mail: avvid@onramp.net

222 N. Story Rd. Suite 128
Irving, Tx. 75061
1-800-214-5779
9AM-6PM CST Mon-Fri
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

4646. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan" <lysdexia@evansville.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980316105532.11013E-100000@world.evansville.net>
Source record: 150202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998, Dr. Bellows wrote:
>
> Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
> class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
> Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
> this country anymore, especially out of wood.

HORSE PUCKY! Tell that to the sturdy Burghers of Jasper, Indiana. :-)

Come on and move to southern IN. There are tons of jobs in the
woodworking industry and we are getting a dandy new cold steel mill, a
toyota plant (Honda is rumored to be scoping us too), and tons of
agri-bidness.

(smug in economic boomedness)

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"Free your mind and your ass will follow."

-George Clinton

Http://www.evansville.net/~lysdexia

4647. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan" <lysdexia@evansville.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.980316104329.11013C-100000@world.evansville.net>
Source record: 150203
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998, au wrote:

> to some of my hippie friends and they believe (in between bongs hits)
> that it "cools the charge" and allows the gas to burn slower. Does

Duuuuuude, like, their logic was, like, flawless and.... Uh.... Heh heh.
Got any triscuits?

Actually I am pretty sure that the water vapor introduced to the mix had
very little to do with cooling the charge. Some sort of heat exchanger
would be needed to get any kind of useful cooling. What the water does in
the "bongload depingifyer" is to prevent _detonation_. The agua will
indeed slow the burn and prevent power-robbing explosions (ping). A
smooth burn is a good burn when pushing a piston.

I am pretty sure that the army used this method during "the big one" to
allow use of less-than-great gas in airplane engines.

Sure is easier for me to get my head around a water injector than a
computer-controlled ingition! (`course now that the auto guys have the
bugs worked out of them they are prolly less trouble than keeping a
little water tank filled!)

> that make sense? Seems that if the humidity is higher gasoline burns
> better. Since I live here in Oregon, low humidity is not a problem.
>

I'm sure there is a point of diminishing returns. Maybe we should ask
someone with a hot-shit ski boat about their experiences! I'll bet a
600hp Big-Block Chevy would inhale a few gallons on the back of a boat.

Doug

"Free your mind and your ass will follow."

-George Clinton

Http://www.evansville.net/~lysdexia

4648. Yaesu FT2700RH help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian <Ian@zambula.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ssY54LAMvUD1EwTh@zambula.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150204

Hi, at the moment my FT2700RH is set for a 10khz/25khz frequency
change, when the diodes are changed for the 12.5khz/25khz frequency
change the transmit fails to work.
Please can anyone tell me the correct diode settings or alternate methods.
Thankyou for your help.

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Ian

4649. Re: Rip Off Warning...WA4TJS...Thomas Zach Bruce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Howard S. Charney" <charney@cisco.com>
Message-ID: <350D684C.7A10@cisco.com>
Source record: 150205
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

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Unfortunately, I was ripped off by Thomas Zach Bruce, WA4TJS, and an excrow service would not have helped. I sent him $725 for what was described as an "excellent condition" ICOM R71A receiver. He did send it to me (poorly packed), but within 24 hours I sent it back to him as it was in much less than "excelllent condition". He subsequently kept the receiver (which he did acknowledge receipt thereof) AND the money. I have sent him MANY email messages, but lately his email address no longer works (I wonder why).

It is my assessment that if a slime bag wishes to rip you off, you have little practical way to protect yourself. The good news is that 99+% of hams of honest and reputable people.

Howard

4650. Re: THAT'S A VERY REASONABLE PRICE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1603980941510001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 150206

In article <19980316163700.LAA18790@ladder03.news.aol.com>, wb9gkz@aol.com (WB9GKZ) wrote:

>Why do we need you to tell us what our equipment is
>worth?
>
>Cannot the market determine this?

Yes and no.

Over a period of time and the sales of a statistically significant number of similar items, a market-driven pattern will emerge whereupon a fair bid/asked range can be established.

For individual items, however, the only way the "market" can determine their value is through an auction or "what am I bid?" offering. It is this latter method that a lot of people don't have the time or patience for.

A variation on these two themes (if you have the time for it), is to start with a fair-but-high asking price and then reduce that asking price 5-10% each week until it sells.

Good luck.

73, Dick
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

4651. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark J Sandford <sandford@tridsys.com>
Message-ID: <350D6A41.CA05E0B@tridsys.com>
Source record: 150207
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:

> ar>>But, I asked my father about this. He says that
> ar>>water injection was used in aircraft engines
> ar>>during World War II to increase effective
> ar>>power output. He says you can find lots of
> ar>>old (1930s) articles on water injection
> ar>>in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.
>
> ar>break new ground. Wouldn't that give the naysayers a shot in the
> ar>butt>? Gee.
>
> ar>Lou H.
>
> I'm beginning to wonder about this. I left Oxford in 1962 with a degree
> in Physics thinking that you can't get NET energy out of water. Also I
> didn't (then) believe in dowsing.

You don't get any energy from the water. The water is used to slow the combustion speed to allow for extra advance in the ignition timing without causing pre-ignition (i.e. knocking) or to kill knocking when lesser quality fuel is used. Water is also used in jet engines to increase the mass of the thrust air after the combustion chamber, mostly limited to take-offs and landings due to the extra weight.

4652. WANTED: TX MOD FOR ALINCO DR-605

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: greyfox001@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316184300.NAA05815@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150208

Hello,

Was wondering if someone could please email to me, the extended TX mod for the Alinco DR-605 T??

Thanks in advance.

4653. Wheres the FAQ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Zuk <jaz00@amdahl.com>
Message-ID: <350D63BE.22191D04@amdahl.com>
Source record: 150209

Hi all,
I just got my no code license and I am looking at buying my 1st radio,
does this news group have a FAQ that covers this kind of thing? What do
you all recommend for a 1st radio?

Thanks,
Joe

4654. PRRRRTTT! (pernacchione)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simone <sgremmo@biella.alpcom.it>
Message-ID: <01bd510c$2e37ace0$6841f3c2@sgremmo.biella.alpcom.it>
Source record: 150210
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it> scritto nell'articolo
<6ejqq3$src@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>...
> ggggggggggggggg
>
>
>
Ammazza che messaggio profondo!

4655. FS: Drake T-4XC, AC-4, Spare 6JB6's.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: frohro@wwc.edu
Message-ID: <frohro-1603981109080001@hrf.wwc.edu>
Source record: 150211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

R. L. Drake T-4XC transmitter, AC-4 power supply, two spare 6JB6 finals, mic connector, and maybe a spare tube or two of some other sort. Rig is in decent shape, and works just fine. $250 plus shipping, or might consider a trade.

Rob, KL7NA/W7

4656. Re: IC-735 and Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <350d7b74.57196997@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150212

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 22:40:31 +1000, David Green <green@c031.aone.net.au> wrote:
>I notice on my IC-735 that there is an output for a Transverter. Does
>anybody have information about
>suitable transverters for use with this radio. Commercial/Kit or
>project. I'd like to get on 432 & 1296.
>
>thanks ... David (VK3DGN)

A word of warning about the transverter output of the IC-735. It is *very*
low level. It won't drive most commercially available transverters without
a booster stage. Of course if you build your own transverter, this is no
problem as you can design it to use the low output from the IC-735.

You can modify a commercial transverter to use the IC-735's output
by adding a booster stage to the transmit side of the transverter (after
the internal transverter IF switching). A MMIC like the MAR-4 will do the
job.

Or you can modify the IC-735 to deliver a higher power signal to the
transverter (5 mW) very simply with no soldering (but there is some
drilling involved). If you want to know how, drop me an email.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4657. Re: Has anyone used an Icom 735 QSY'er with an Icom 706 Mk II?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <350d7cdb.57556213@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150213

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 10:39:37 -0500, kr4wm@bigfoot.com (Web Williams) wrote:
>Tried it- didn't work. Anybody have any success with this?
>
>73, -Web
>kr4wm@bigfoot.com

Did you remember to set the IC-706 to IC-735 compatibility mode?
The IC-735 used a different command format than later Icom radios.
The IC-706 can be set to understand that format from the initial
start menu. See manual.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4658. Tuning instructions for Cushcraft ARX2B 2m Ringo Ranger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Schwartz <Dave.Schwartz@Waterloo.NCR.COM>
Message-ID: <Oy3BS$QU9GA.49@rpc1284.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 150214

Can anybody give me the method for adjusting said antenna? I just picked up
a used one and there was no manual.

.............Dave

NCR: Dave.G.Schwartz@Waterloo.NCR.COM
NCR Corporation/580 Weber St. N./Waterloo, ON/N2J 4G5, CANADA
+1-519-884-1710x5701 FAX:+1-519-884-0610 NCRVoicePlus:643-5701
Other: davenpat@kw.igs.net (personal stuff, DoD#=66)
va3dgs@kwarc.org (amateur radio stuff, callsign=VA3DGS)

4659. FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: xhduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <350d8051.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 150215

I wonder how the HF side of the FT-847 will rate compared
to other modern HF rigs ??? ie...will it be comparable to
the FT-900, an FT-840 or ???
The old FT-767 was essentially a 757 with VHF/UHF modules..
not quite a contest rig for HF. I would assume that the 847
is a couple of miles ahead of the 767 just by modern technology
but I wonder where it would fall into the performance of todays rigs.

Also wondering if the DSP is in the IF or AF ?
Anyone have specs on the 847 ?

Comments welcome.

Please DO NOT AUTOreply.
Send a NEW message to hduff@ica.net

4660. Re: Mobile HF Ant Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <GpgGnjAq1XD1Ewni@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150216

Hi Mark,
>What is the BEST mobile ant for HF. Cost is not a factor. I want the
>best. Thanks Mark WA4E
IMO treat yourself to a large coil Texas Bugcatcher, alternatively, if you're handy with a lathe, pillar drill etc, roll your own Bug.
As money is no object, you'd end up with an even better built antenna at a cheaper price.
Yes, the mono-band Bugs do outperform the Screwdrivers, though not by a huge amount, I have both.

Good luck.

Phil G4ZOW/M
PS. When you've got it all together, call ed enry, tell him you want one of his 8 X 2SC2879 amp's to go with the Bug:-)

4661. TS 830

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sky79690 <thierry.g@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd5118$47efba40$1b08eec3@sky79690>
Source record: 150217

Hi all,
I search the pictures of old TS830

Tnx in advance

ON7LU

4662. Wanted - HF Mobile Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Benson <j-benson2@ti.com>
Message-ID: <350D91B7.E4DDC5C4@ti.com>
Source record: 150218

WTB 10M-80M ~500W mobile solid state amplifier. Metron, etc.

Regards,
Jim N5ZAI

4663. FS: Motorola P-200 UHF used.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: skipp@dogbert.ucdavis.edu
Message-ID: <6ek81d$j5h$8@mark.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 150219

Hi there,
I have located about 10 Motorola P-200 UHF radios comming out of service for sale at $125 each. Prob need a new antenna and a fresh battery, but the radio itself works great. They are now on a 464.xxx frequency and can be programmed to your needs. Sorry, no chargers yet, but maybe comming. These are cosmetic average condition, but work well.
Drop me an email if your interested. I'll program and test each one shipped.
4 watt version, 438-470MHz
thanks
skip
nospam4me@juno.com

don't hit your reply button, use the address below my name or you'll get lost with the anti spam filter.

4664. Kam help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam_km5mz@qsl.net
Message-ID: <350ea471.33235488@news>
Source record: 150220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I need the pinouts for vhf and hf connectors as well
as some basic commands for this tnc. I have no manual.
I work mostly rtty. Please email me km5mz@qsl.net
thanks a bunch!

4665. FS:Yaesu 757 GXII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Joy <edbee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350DACFF.46B8@erols.com>
Source record: 150221

I need to sell my Yaesu 757GXII, $475., included, Bencher paddles.
Please e-mail me @ edbee@erols.com

4666. Icom IC-T8 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dan begin <holygost@netrover.com>
Message-ID: <6ekbsvhjk1@nntp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 150222

Hi all! I bought an Icom IC-T8 and I'm looking for the
cellular modification. The keypad freeband receive mod
is already done and works fine.. I receive 50-230 300-999
with cellular blocked!!! If anyone can help me for the
cellular mod, please email me!!

Thanks a lot!

Dan, VE2BHN...

4667. FS: Icom 738 and Icom 726

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6ekfi7amp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Both radios in very nice condition 738 has auto-tuner and will ship it to you for $895. The 726 has 6 meters as well as HF and will ship it to you for$695. Both look like new and operate the same. Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4668. FS: Heathkit SB 200 $395 shipped !! goodun!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6ekg1d$bf2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

This unit is not new, but not beat up either. Wired for 220 and stronger than goat guts!! Great starter or backup. Would restore to new with case paint!! $395 and I will ship it conus. Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4669. FS: Swan MK II Linnear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6ekgaabvg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Needs paint and a little clean up but it will be easy. Just too busy right now to make this one new looking though it wont take much. Will sell it like it is for $495..oo and ship it conus. Full 0ut, working good. How else can you get this much power for this little money. If your rig will do 100+ watts this amp will give you 1200 or more!! Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Tx

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4670. Heres your starter ALPHA Amp!! FS: Inexpensive!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6ekgk2cfa1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Its an Alpha 374. Three 8874's and they HONK! 2kw output, in good condition inside and out. Face is perfect case sides are good, paint is rubbed thru on top. But I would repaint it or strip it to brushed aluminum, either way you get a great amp with no tune positions on 80-15 and it does 10 manual tune. Warc bands are easy too. Manual position of 15 does 17 fine. Ditto 10\12. I will ship this amp to you for $1250. Better hurry! Thanks Murray Neece Odessa, Texas Trade possible.....No junk thank you.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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4671. FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories, reduced again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermperez@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ekdaa$boa@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150227
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Another price reduction plus some items have been sold..note all
prices are OBO, so make an offer if you are interested. Thanks to all
that have purchased items.

For Sale:

TS-850S Transceiver: $1,100.00
SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz): SOLD
DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit: SOLD
MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone: SOLD
MC-43S handheld microphone: SOLD
SP-31 Matching external speaker: $80.00
PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply: $250 (note this is not the
regular power supply)
PG-2Z DC power cable: ??
HS-5 Deluxe headphones: SOLD
TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone: SOLD

All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,
all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.

XXXXX or best offer plus shipping and insurance.

Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..

Orlando Martin
Senor Fish Inc.
Miami, Fl

Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me
to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
HAM. Let me have your phone number if you want orlando to call you.
Herm

4672. HELP! Still Trying To Locate KB8MCZ DAVID T GARDYNIK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd510e$7dee4080$4c8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150228
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am still owed a Kenwood TM-241A in trade from KB8MCZ, DAVID T GARDYNIK
N 8196 SR 187 SHIOCTON WI 54170 USA KB8MCZ@aol.com

I anyone knows how to contact him their help would be appreciated.

If he is active on 2m packet (I am not) can you advise?
Others are advised to avoid trades with this fellow for now.
(I have our E-mail exchanges as documentation of the problem.)

He has ignored E-mails (his E-mail was not rejected), he has ignored first class mail (mail to the address above, to which he instructed me to ship my half of the deal, was not returned). This is a very sad situation, he has hurt his own reputation and reduced the level of trust within the horsetrading ranks of our hobby another small notch, just for a few bucks worth of gear.
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

4673. WTB:Alinco Tone Decode Unit for DR-610T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Frank <dhf@writeme.com>
Message-ID: <350DBB94.CF30CFBD@writeme.com>
Source record: 150229
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I'd like to obtain an EJ-24U Tone Decode Unit for the DR-610T Dualband
Xcvr.
If you have one for sale contact Don, W9SL, via direct email.
TIA

4674. For Sale Yaesu FT-990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: S Wilkins <stevenw@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ekd8d$dol@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150230

Yaesu FT-990 with built in ac pwr supply.Comes with standard 500hz cw &
2.4khz ssb filters.Hand mike, original box & manual,in like new condition.
Price $ 1200.00
Call or email Steve 714-963-6974 stevenw@ix.netcom.com.

4675. QST -- Want advice on 2 radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <nobody@nowhere.org>
Message-ID: <350DB8E8.4C912982@nowhere.org>
Source record: 150231

Well, in addition to maybe losing the spam with a phony email address in the header, I am wavering between Yaesu FT840 and Icom IC707.
I'm interested in the HF bands and want to use CW as primary communications, but I'm also going to do rtty from the computer and some voice?
The MSRP of either radio is close enough to be equal, so I would like to hear some experiences with these two models.
Anyone want to post some opinions?

Kilroy
KC8HPG
kilroy@fuse.net

4676. Ten-Tec 6meter 1260

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Perry <w7av@wolfenet.com>
Message-ID: <350DBF67.3FF3@wolfenet.com>
Source record: 150232

Does anyone have comments on the Ten-Tech 6 meter FM xcvr kit. I built one and had considerable difficulty. Is it just me?

Rick, W7AV

4677. WAVETEK Manuals Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB8ICT <TEMiller@Citynet.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5135$14249420$267e65ce@tome.miller>
Source record: 150233

I need to find some manuals for the following WAVETEK equipment

Model 1801B Sweep/Signal Generator
Model 1855B CATV Sweep Generator

Anyone know where I can find them.
--
Tom E. Miller
WB8ICT

4678. FS - 920 Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick - WD8CEB <DickWD8CEB@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ekhm0$sqn@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

$1500.00 Firm or $1450 u-pickup
Purchased in September 1997
Call After 6:00pm
704-254-3202
Ask For Lawson

Western North Carolina

or would consider trade towards an Icom 756

4679. Re: VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb <bblackburn@puc.edu>
Message-ID: <350DC8DC.D207C237@puc.edu>
Source record: 150235

Hi, Sam, welcome to the family!
I have to qualify Bob's statement, You said you were in the Bay Area,
which is were I am (North Bay) and up here there are a lot of 440 repeaters,
there are also some 2m, but none of them have Autopatch, or any other
special features. Also, 2m is not being used as much, and there are a lot of
440 Rpt's going up.
So, if you can't get dual band capability, I would recommend 440 (UHF).
However, I also would check with (Or join), your local Amateur Radio
club, they would know what was prevalent in your area. You can find
clubs in your area through ARRL (http://www.arrl.org/field/club/clubsearch.phtml).
As to your second question, listen away! There aren't any restrictions on reception
for the ham bands.
73, Ben (KE6GWF)

Bob wrote:

> Get the two meter. Many many more repeaters every where on two meters.
>
> Sam C wrote:
>
> > I am getting my licence in a couple weeks, but saw some great deals on
> > 2-meter HTs in my area, that I have to get now because, being in college and
> > having a family, I am on a strict budget :-) The only problem is I don't
> > know which one to get:-(
> >
> > My 2 choices are a UHF FM HT with a freq coverage btwn 425-449.995 RX and
> > TX. Then there is a VHF FM with a freq coverage btwn 144-147.995 both RX and
> > TX. Please anyone have any advice? I live in the California bay area, if
> > that would help.
> >
> > Also, is it against the law for me to just turn it on and listen, so I can
> > pick up the right way to talk over the air, so when I get my licence I don't
> > look, I mean sound, like a complete idiot.
> >
> > Thanks in advance,
> > Future ham'er Sam C

4680. WTB: 2 Meter Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@mail.NETnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199803170054.SAA15001@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 150236

I am looking for a good used 2 Meter Amplifier. I need one that will take up to 50 watts of Power and produce any where from 150 to 160 watts. I will most of the time want to feed 25 into it and at times as low as 5 watts. Preamp would be ok as well. Also would like to find a good Omni-direction 2 meter / 440 antenna. or even just 2 Meter. Also interested in a good working Rotor to turn an 11 element 2 Meter Cushcraft beam.

Mike Hughes, WF5P
211 Woodland Drive
Lowell, IN 46356
(219)696-3637

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Lowell, IN 46356
(219)696-3637
ICQ Number 6135077
Also on People Link

Have a Laser Printer we Remanufacture
Laser Printer and Copy machine Cartridges
Computer Repair will Make House Calls

4681. Re: FT-51R Internal Soft-Adjustment Questions.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-1603981954190001@207-172-114-107.s44.as10.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 150237

In article
<abrankodxxx-1403982050380001@207-172-192-166.s39.as3.nyd.erols.com>,
abrankodxxx@usa.net (Daniel Abranko) wrote:

UPDATE: I've looked at the service manual of a FT51-R &found the following

>I'm trying to figure out what all the different options for soft
>adjustments are?
>
>I have So far figured out:
>Band:1-7 :Preset radio bandplan selector.
>MOD H:nn :Deviation Adjustment ; Adjust to 4.5kHz deviation
>MOD L:nn :Deviation Adjustment ; Adjust to 4.5kHz deviation
>S-1:nn :S Meter field strength calibration for 1 s unit. <do not
>attempt to modify this figure without a calibrated signal source. As this
>is not a selection type option, when you press the f key to set it, it
>automatically sets itself to whatever the strength of the signal is thats
>incoming>. To adjust, tune the radio to the center of whatever band you
are adjusting & inject a -3dB&#65533; RF signal with 3.5kHz deviation modulated
at 1kHz.
>S-FULL:nn :Same as above but for full strength. To adjust, tune the radio
to the center of the band you are adjusting & inject a 20dB&#65533; RF signal
with 3.5kHz deviation modulated at 1kHz
>
>
>SQL TI:nn <varies from radio to radio>,Squelch Tightness, Adjust by
tuning the radio to the center of the band you are using & inject a -5dB&#65533;
signal with 3.5kHz deviation, modulated at 1kHz
>AQL TH:nn <varies from radio to radio> Squelch Threshold, Not sure how to
>change this one either.Adjust by tuning the radio to the center of the
band you are using & inject a -11dB&#65533; signal with 3.5kHz deviation,
modulated at 1kHz
>IF NO:(0,1,2,3): Absolutely NO idea what on earth this is. & neither does
the service manual... IDEAS PLEASE>!?!?!
>
>
>
>-Dan
>KC2BGZ.
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>--
>Remove xxx from my address to reply.

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

4682. FS: Icom 706 Mk 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6ekjiv$gr5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This unit is perfect about 4 mos old, shows little or no wear. Mic manual and original box etc. $825.oo shipped. Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4683. Re: Kenwood TH-G71A software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb <bblackburn@puc.edu>
Message-ID: <350DD55E.327B226B@puc.edu>
Source record: 150239

One thing you have to do is, Change menu #15 (TC .OFF) to ON.
You probably already know this though. I can't speak from experience
however, because I have something set up wrong on my port, and haven't
gotten it to work yet.
If anybody figures something out, Please let me know too,
73, Ben (KE6GWF)

Sean O'Connor wrote:

> Basically, I can't get the software to work. Under windows NT, it
> just says it cannot connect to the HT. Under windows 95 when you
> press connect, nothing happens, no message.
>
> I am selecting the proper serial port and I have the official kenwood
> cable.
>
> Has anyone successfully used the Kenwood software for programming the
> TH-G71A. Are there any special settings I need to set on the HT
> before this works? The documentation (such as it is) is horrible.
>
> Thanks a lot.
>
> ---
> Sean O'Connor
> soconnor@mcs.net http://www.mcs.net/~soconnor

4684. plaque of fcc license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane <duane@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <6ekkqa$ct7$1@news.flinet.com>
Source record: 150240

I recieved several letters from people thanking me for this post
recently, so I thought I'd post it one more time.
Hey guys and gals I found a really cool site that sells plaques.
They make it using a copy of your FCC license. Very nice plaques
high quality. Check it out a link is on my ham radio page.
or go directly there at
http://www.awards-r-us.com/wireless/products.cfm?siteid=3121
or my page at http://www.flinet.com/~duane/ham/ham.html
They also make other award plaques, so book mark them for later use.
72's
duane

4685. IC-900 Multi-band FM Transceiver System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: star <star@aol.com>
Message-ID: <350dd647.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 150241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

System consists of the following:
Fiber optical remote controller
UV-29A 45 watt 2 meter module
Interfaces A and B
HM-14 TT Mike
$325. shipped w2ky@banet.net (716)778-8115

4686. IC-900 Multi-band FM Transceiver System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <w2ky@banet>
Message-ID: <350dd7ba.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 150242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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System consists of the following:
Fiber optical remote controller
UV-29A 45 watt 2 meter module
Interfaces A and B
HM-14 TT Mike
$325. shipped w2ky@banet.net (716)778-8115
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4687. FT-50 Manual Online?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6eko6a$j5e@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I lost my FT-50 Owners Manual.

Does anyone know of a copy online?

Bill
n2asa
bs@bsartist.com

4688. Re: QUESTION: ICOM-706MkII, what's the catch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350DE5FF.2ECED7E0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150244

I like mine. Menus are pretty intuitive.

And now it comes with DSP -- or at least a free add-in (i.e., inboard) DSP unit when they become available. April ETA. Older owners (and I am, in both senses) have to pay approx. $150 or so for the DSP unit, still well worth it IMHO.

Check out the icomamerica website for more info.

Phil

4689. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-850S and accesories, reduced again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <350DEC59.3985@onramp.net>
Source record: 150245
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Herm Perez wrote:
>
> Another price reduction plus some items have been sold..note all
> prices are OBO, so make an offer if you are interested. Thanks to all
> that have purchased items.
>
> For Sale:
>
> TS-850S Transceiver: $1,100.00
> SW-2100 SWR/Power Meter (1.8-30MHz): SOLD
> DSP-100 Digital Signal Processor Unit: SOLD
> MC-90 DSP compatible desktop microphone: SOLD
> MC-43S handheld microphone: SOLD
> SP-31 Matching external speaker: $80.00
> PS-52 Matching heavy duty power supply: $250 (note this is not the
> regular power supply)
> PG-2Z DC power cable: ??
> HS-5 Deluxe headphones: SOLD
> TUP9D104SE Silver Eagle Desktop Microphone: SOLD
>
> All in "like-new" condition, only used a couple of times,
> all paperwork, unfilled warranty cards and receipts, with
> original boxes and packing materials. Nonsmoker. I received
> this as a gift and have not used it more than a couple of times.
>
> XXXXX or best offer plus shipping and insurance.
>
> Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
> more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..
>
> Orlando Martin
> Senor Fish Inc.
> Miami, Fl
>
> Note: I am posting this for Orlando, you can email me if you want me
> to ask him some simple questions, but keep it simple since I'm not a
> HAM. Let me have your phone number if you want orlando to call you.
> Herm

If you don't have the hand mike (MC43S, marked as sold) and the power
cord with the 850 then the price is abt $100 too high. Those items came
with the radio and most people expect to get them with a radio.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

4690. WANTED:YAESU FT-7400 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Eckert <jpeckert@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6ekqq6$4e9@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for any mods available for the FT-7400, let me know if you have anything.

thanks for your help, Jon

4691. Yaesu FT8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B. Simonin" <bsimonin@nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6ekrec$19h@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 150247

Just set up my FT8500 to cross band repeat! Works really great while I am out walking around each night. I use the 70 cm band simplex at 50mw from my handheld to my FT8500 base and cross band to one of the local 2 m repeaters! Saves on the HT's battery use and from what my fellow hams report the S/N and modulation are great! I am told they would never know it was cross banded unless I told them!

KD5AEY
Las Cruces, NM

4692. FS: Drake L-4B Linear Amp & Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Lyon <kj5xf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6eku8j$jup@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150248

Greetings,
I currently have the following for sale:

a) Drake L-4b Linear Amp (Mint condition),
and matching Drake Power Supply. I have the manual,
extra bulbs, an antenna relay, and all connecting
cables
b) Pair of brand new Eimac 3-500Z tubes

NOTE: The L-4B has been in storage for ~5 years,
and the Eimac tubes are ~10 years old.

Conditions:

#1) If shipping is required, UPS COD will be used, and buyer will
pay both shipping and packing costs.
#2) I will only accept bank drafts or cash. No checks or
money orders.
#3) I'm asking $1000.00 for the items described above.
I would prefer to sell it locally (i.e. Central Tx
....Austin-Wimberley area), but am willing to ship it
anywhere in the Continental U.S.

If you're interested, please send email to the following
address: jlyon@electrotex.com

Thanks,
Jose Lyon

4693. Re: ﾟE﾿﾿﾿sTM251A...$7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bv2bp <bv2bp@ms4.hinet.net>
Message-ID: <6eh5ln$s9l@netnews.hinet.net>
Source record: 150249

TEST
bv2bp ﾿﾿﾿g﾿﾿舍 <6eh5i1$s7f@netnews.hinet.net>...
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4694. THAT'S A VERY REASONABLE PRICE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@NOSPAM.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <350c87f3.5887225@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 150250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Recently, Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com> wrote:

[[Heath 2KW tuner. SA2040. Roller inductor, easily handle full limit and
[[more. Excellant condition. $100.

THAT'S A VERY REASONABLE PRICE!!

But how do I know?

I looked at the FREE BONEYARD BLUEBOOK at:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/ham/boneyard.htm

Asking prices for ham gear all across the web, yard sales, e-mail lists, Trader
Web sites, Swap Nets e-mail lists etc.!!

4695. WTB : DRAKE COMMERCIAL RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN-MARIE CHERRY <jmc@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd5082$5ad94180$e114eec3@Jammy>
Source record: 150251

Hi gang,

WTB : DRAKE COMMERCIAL RIGS :

DRAKE DSR-1 receiver
DRAKE MSR-1 receiver
DRAKE MSR-2 receiver
MN-4438 COMMERCIAL MN-7
TR-77 Transceiver, 19" version of TR-7
TR-4310 MARINE VERSION OF TR-7
R-4245 MARINE VERSION OF R-7
EE421 Drake RR-1 receiver (German text on front)
RR-2 MARINE HF receiver
RR-3 MARINE HF RECEIVER
MRT-55 MARINE VHF TRANSCEIVER
MRT-55C MARINE VHF TRANS
etc...

Please email direct to :

Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

4696. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <350c8888.8847820@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 150252
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

"Bert Douglas" <bertdNOSPAM@dibbs.net> wrote:

>I don't know anything about GEET or their
>process. In fact, I have never hear the term before.
>
>But, I asked my father about this. He says that
>water injection was used in aircraft engines
>during World War II to increase effective
>power output. He says you can find lots of
>old (1930s) articles on water injection
>in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.
I went to the www.friend.ly.net/GEET/ net and it does have to be capital
GEET like that, and i read their stuff about the small vac carb with hot
gas and I thought about some experimentation I did many years ago with
Magneto-Hydro-Dynamics and I believe the stuff they are doing may be
from a proven field, and they are using it to break new ground.

Wouldn't that give the naysayers a shot in the butt>?

Gee.

Lou H.
http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/6578/index.html
Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical of the Breed)
Looking for both around
Tulsa OK, USA

4697. ICOM IC-207H MOD HERE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Francer <francer@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5083$02b9a2a0$5dd271d1@francer>
Source record: 150253

http://www.cdrom.com/pub/hamradio/oak/mods/icom/

4698. VC-H1 Kenwood Visual Communicator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kent Hufford <khufford@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6ei42frdv1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 150254

First the Paula Jones report this last Friday, now I get my APR 98 QST on Sat. .. almost too much in one weekend.

On the back of the QST is the VC-H1 Visual Communicator. Neat stuff!!! Why had not some one thought about this before. Jee more toys!

Looking at the "ad". It shows TWO people INSIDE a tent in the woods looking at the 1.8inch TFT color display of a guy in the middle of a stream holding up a fish he had just caught... neat.

Looking closer, the TWO people appear to be a man and a woman in the tent. The person holding the VH-H1 has smooth leggs, and long fingernails -a woman? The person holding the TH-G71A has hairy legs, and short fingernails - a man? If this is Europe, never mind.

OK if its a man and a woman laying down in the tent, who is the guy with the fish? Relative of the either?

It might be in the Paula Jones report? Wait a minute, the ad looks like it might be taken at Camp David??

Anyone seen one of these, I mean the VC-H1?

Kent
KQ4KK

4699. Price reduced for quick sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ei4j1$qab@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

New low price is $350. This is an excellent bargain at this price.

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 04:48:10 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>Those who know the name know the company's reputation for quality.
>
>For those who are not familiar with the radio, it's a mid-70s hot
>collector's HF receiver. Its the size and shape of a 70s home stereo
>receiver. It has a polish silver front panel with matching knobs,
>and real wood side panels. The radio puts out 2 watts of audio
>through its built-in 4" speaker. Antenna and external speaker
>connections are in the back of the radio, along with a "RCA" jack
>marked 455 IF output.
>
>Its in excellent condition and works like new. I have the manual, but
>sorry no box. No scratches or nicks on the radio. Here is some of
>its features as indicated on the owners manual:
>
>* Continous coverage from 50 khz to 29.7 mhz
>* Solid phase locked digital synthesis tuning
>* High level RF front end for excellent intermodulation rejection and
> sensitivity.
>* Crystal filters in first and second IF amplifiers, and ceraminc
> filter in third IF provide outstanding selectivity.
>* Designed to use with HiFi systems, or as a self contained receiver
>* Receives am, usb, lsb, and cw
>* Switch selectable 4 or 8 khz bandwith
>* 5000 hz audio heterodyne notch filter
>* Built-in (selectable) RF preamplifier and fine tuning control.
>* You do not need an external or active antenna with this radio!
>
>The radio displays frequencies in 5 digits. The far right digit
>(which is three digits to the right of the decimial display) has the
>top 1/4 of that particular digit burn-out. This in no way interferes
>with the operation of the radio. You can still make out the digit.
>
>I would like to sell this fine collectors stereo shortwave for $500 US
>or best offer. I will ship US or world-wide as long as you pay actual
>shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.

4700. WTB:Yaesu 8000/8100 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbarton73@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ei4nt$d8f@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150256

Looking for a Yaesu 8000 or 8100 in good cond, email what you have.
Thanks,
Rod

4701. FS-McKay-Dymek DR-22 SW radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ei4lf$qab@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

Price reduced for quick sale - $350, this is a bargain.

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>and real wood side panels. The radio puts out 2 watts of audio
>through its built-in 4" speaker. Antenna and external speaker
>connections are in the back of the radio, along with a "RCA" jack
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>shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.

4702. ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Customer <BILL45@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ei6jm$7vp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150258

Dose anyone know where to get and Icom 2000 repaired in the New Hampshire area?

4703. Kenwood TH-G71A software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: soconnor@mcs.net
Message-ID: <350d9409.20199905@news.mcs.net>
Source record: 150259

Basically, I can't get the software to work. Under windows NT, it
just says it cannot connect to the HT. Under windows 95 when you
press connect, nothing happens, no message.

I am selecting the proper serial port and I have the official kenwood
cable.

Has anyone successfully used the Kenwood software for programming the
TH-G71A. Are there any special settings I need to set on the HT
before this works? The documentation (such as it is) is horrible.

Thanks a lot.

Sean O'Connor
soconnor@mcs.net http://www.mcs.net/~soconnor

4704. 4Sale ICOM Amateur Radio Gear (Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: William.Montgomery@cciw.ca
Message-ID: <William.Montgomery-1503982237320001@bishivappp2.cciw.ca>
Source record: 150260
Cross-posted to: ont.forsale,can.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

*** For Sale ***

ICOM IC-751 - All HF Band Transciever with General Coverage Receiver

o 100 Watt 100% Duty Cycle Transmitter
o 105 dB Dynamic Range
o Dual VFO and 32 Memories
o All Modes Built-In USB, LSB, AM, FM, CW, RTTY
o FL-63 & FL53A 250 Hx narrow CW and RTTY filters installed
o EX309 Computer Interface Included
o Mint Condition with All Manuals (Clean, Original Packaging, non-smoker)
o ICOM SM6 Desk Microphone
o Icom Factory Service Manual

$1175 CDN

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ICOM IC-271H - 100 Watt 2 Meter All Mode Base Station

o 100% Duty Cycle Transmitter
o All Modes Built-In USB, LSB, FM, CW
o Dual VFO and 32 Memories
o 100 Watts Output Continuously Adjustable
o IC-HM12 Up/Down Hand Microphone
o Mint Condition with All Manuals (Clean, non-smoker)

$875 CDN

VE3EC
Located in Burlington, Ontario
(905) 681-0509 after 7:00 PM
email William.Montgomery@cciw.ca

4705. FS: COMPRINT PRINTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Raddatz <draddatz@gwe.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5094$0b3d71c0$94dc2dc7@default>
Source record: 150261

COMPRINT PRINTER MODEL 912 W/MANUAL, High Speed, 170 full lines/sec
$50.00.... 18 Rolls of paper...$18.00... Shipping included for both items

DWIGHT RADDATZ, WA9EUN
525 PARK LN, PO BOX 86
RIDGWAY, CO 81432-0086
970-626-5111

4706. FS-McKay-Dymek DR-22 - $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eibc8$3rd@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

New low price

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>shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.

4707. Re: ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316061901.BAA04904@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150263

Hi, George, K1RBS. I have had quite a bit of traffic with "Clif", from AVVID, in Irving Texas. The signature he uses says that they are authorized Kenwood and Icom repair facility.
This man has gone the extra mile to help me, even sending me a scan of a layout print so that I could identify parts. I recommend that you consider him. Once you put it in a box, there are five digits in any zipcode, his is just as easy to write as anyone else's, and I have to believe if you are treated as I have been treated, you,too, will be sending people to him. He posts here regularly. It's AVVID, in Irving, Texas.
73, George, K1RBS
73, George, K1RBS

4708. HTX 204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhansil <rhansil@mychoice.net>
Message-ID: <6eii2anee2@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150264

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HTX 204 4 sale
dual band ht 1 owner
3- 7.v volt battries
1- 12 volt with quickcharger
manual
box
$400.00 lets haggle.
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4709. Kenwood TS-850SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhansil <rhansil@mychoice.net>
Message-ID: <6eiic1nee3@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150265

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Kenwood TS-850SAT 1 owner. MINT
MC-60 desk mike
manuals & box.
$1100.00
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4710. wtb: heath oscope diagram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: alkrol@MCS.COM
Message-ID: <6eiip4$2rs$1@Jupiter.Mcs.Net>
Source record: 150266

will pay $5 for a copy of the schematic for this model oscilloscope or
similar one like the IO-4505,or will buy boards from a junker
leave board number (on the bottom) and how much you want in email

4711. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron N6AHA <ronc@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <01bd50ab$91a0b4e0$d6e5c9d0@ron1>
Source record: 150267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Robert M. Bratcher Jr. <bratcher@pdq.net> wrote in article
<350d3f0a.24283951@news.pdq.net>...
>
> What are the steps in getting a 100w license?
> I'm doing my frequency search now and have sent for the application
> papers from the FCC.
>
> Will need to know everything involved.

It's a rather long and involved process, although there are over a hundred "first-come-first-served" allocations already available. The only problem is that they are all in scantly populated areas. You should have a competent consulting engineer who regularly practices before the FCC, as well as a good communications attorney. Here are a few suggestions on where to find them:

http://www.sbe.org/hotlinx.html

http://www.radioinfo.com

http://www.nab.org

http://www.commlaw.com

Lots of others out there as well.

A minimum allocation in the commercial band is for a Class "A", or 6 kW @ 100 meters HAAT. You don't need to run that much power, but you must have enough separation from other existing stations not to cause interference with that amount.

Good luck!
Ron
N6AHA

4712. Re: ht1000 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nobody <none@none.net>
Message-ID: <350CDBD5.5B78@none.net>
Source record: 150268

spo150@vdot.net wrote:
>
> Anyone know where to get some ht1000 software??
Yes.....

4713. Re: ---best nude club to use your ht in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nobody <none@none.net>
Message-ID: <350CDE4B.A3D@none.net>
Source record: 150269

Mike wrote:
>
> The ultimate nude bar in NJ that allows hams to use their HTs and other
> radio equipment is:
>
> www.angelfire.com/biz/vipclub

Gee...I'm glad you told us that....I don't think I could have gone
another day without knowing where I could sit around naked and talk
on the radio......

4714. Re: Help with GE UHF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nobody <none@none.net>
Message-ID: <350CDDA7.4358@none.net>
Source record: 150270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Wed, 11 Mar 1998 13:02:24 -0700, cj <cj@boi.hp.com> wrote:
> >I posted a request a while back about a GE UHF rig, I've found out a
> >bit more info, so maybe someone can point me in the right direction as
> >to how to mod it for ham use.
> >
> >- It doesn't appear to have a model name, such as MastrII or whatever.
> >- It has a seperate control head from the main box, with 2 digit LED
> > displays, 3 of them, push-buttons for volume, squelch, channel select,
> > scanning and adding/deleting channels from the scan.
> >- The combination number is N3UU2N040ZB
>
> You have a Syntor. The combo number tells all, but unfortunately I
> don't have my cheat sheet which decodes it handy here. Order a
> manual for the radio (the manuals are still available), and it will
> tell all.
>
Didn't know G.E. made the Syntor...thought that came from Motorola..
The model number looks more like a G.E. Delta, and the description
of the Control head fits a Delta radio as well.....

4715. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@exone.net>
Message-ID: <350CEFD6.3C17@exone.net>
Source record: 150271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Howard N. Lute wrote:
>
> In article <350BD8F6.4974@pshyc.net>, abellows@pshyc.net says...
> >>>Russ Martin wrote:
> >>>> It amazes me that people can actually finish high school in this country
> >>>> without a grasp of business economics.
> >>>
> >>>Perhaps they should TEACH business economics rather than History or
> >>>Physical Education! The problem is, there are what, around 7 or 8
> >>>classes a high school student sits through a day, times 4 years, and
> >>>other than English and Math (that were taught in Elementary school) what
> >>>from High school does anyone ever get to use later in the real world?
> >>>
> I OBJECT! In my class (Applied Physics and Electronics) we teach the
> following as part of the total package and ALL of it is applicable to the
> "real" world. Ohm's Law, Soldering, Antenna Design, Power Supplies,
> Logic, TTL, CMOS, Basic programming, Digital Electronics, Assembly
> Language programming, Ms-Windows 3.X and 95, MS-DOS, etc, etc. And the
> Model Office teaches all kinds of business software, and wood shop
> teaches Construction Skills etc. etc. Please...no broad brush re: The
> Lousy American School System.

Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
this country anymore, especially out of wood.

4716. Re: SGC230 Antenna Coupler? Anyone using?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus Lenggenhager <m.lenggenhager@zrh.sc.philips.com>
Message-ID: <350CFF48.5B2CB4D6@zrh.sc.philips.com>
Source record: 150272

John Cooper wrote:
>
> I did suspect that the rigs protection was the problem and wonder
> whether there is any solution.

I'm using an SG-230 in a permanent installation at home. If my memory is correct, the sensitivity level (min pwr required to start tuning) can be changed by modifying a resistor inside the tuner. This was mentioned in the manual, and I did the mod myself. This might help if your TRX won't provide 10W into a highly mismatched load.

73, Markus HB9BRJ

4717. QUESTION: ICOM-706MkII, what's the catch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tholtom@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <350d1147.3383557@news.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 150273

I'm new to amateur radio and have just read the review of the 706 mkII
in this months issue of QST.

Seems too good to be true!!

What is the price to be paid??

You get as much as a bigger box (excepting DSP, but my PC and
soundblaster will do fine for that)

...for less money!!

OK there's the usability issue: all those menus etc,

.....but what gives....whats's the catch?

Why would I buy a larger box??? AND pay more money?

Sensitivity, Selectivity, IF filtering? Audio?, robustness?, "feel"?
(excepting afore mentioned problem of mobile mike gain)

Thanks,

Tim

4718. THE MOD FOR THE IC706MK2 WORKS!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cfisher@klis.com
Message-ID: <350d093b.1727068@news.klis.com>
Source record: 150274

THIS MODIFCATION WORKS:
I HAVE PERFROMED THIS ON MY IC706MK2

_____
Extended transmit mod for the ICOM 706 MKII

This file may be freely distributed as long as it remains intact, with no
modifications, additions, or deletions.

DISCLAIMER:
I assume no responsibility for damage or inaccuracies contained in this
document. In other words, USE THIS AT YOUR OWN RISK. It worked for me,
however I don't know if it will work for you.

WARNING #1: This mod requires the ability to remove surface mount diodes.
Only those who are qualified to do this should attempt this mod.

WARNING #2: This mod seems to erase all memory channels, etc. You may want
to save this info for reprogramming.

Disassembly:
1. Face the front of the radio towards you.
2. Remove the three screws in a row across the middle of the top of the
radio.
3. Remove the two screws at the top rear (on the sides) of the radio.
4. Pry the top cover off from the back.
5. Disconnect the speaker at the connector.

Modification:
6. Near the top rear of the main circuit board, there is an small, oblong
metal can. Directly below the right side of this can is two surface mount
diodes with a white silk-screened box around them. There is also what
appears to be a circuit board part number just to the left of it (mine says
B4916D). Remove the LEFT diode in the box.
7. To the left of this, there is a test point marked CP3. Just to the left
and above this test point is another box with two *vertically* mounted
surface-mount diodes (Note: there is also a place for 5 more

horizontally
mounted diodes, with 3 installed). Remove the LEFT vertically oriented diode.

Reassembly:
8. Reconnect the speaker.
9. Put the top cover back on. Insert the top cover tabs into the slots and
lower into position.
10. Replace all of the screws.

My radio did not require a reset, however I did lose all of my channel memories. It seems to be able to transmit everywhere except below .5 Mhz. I
have not tested the power output at all frequencies yet.

I hope this helps everyone who have been waiting patiently for this mod.

4719. Re: Foreign Licensing question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Ward <don@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <MFVi8CAGMOD1EwVo@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150275

In article <6ea1o9$3gn$1@gte2.gte.net>, Greg Dean <n9nwo@gte.net> writes
>jordan@santanet.com wrote:
>>
>> Does anyone know the rules and regulations for using amateur radios in Saudi
>> Arabia or Kuwait?? Being in the Air Force, I may get deployed there and I
>> was wanting to take my radios with me and use them. Just trying to get my
>> ducks in a row before I go over there. I need to know the licensing
>> requirements, and any restrictions that may apply.
>>
>> Thanks,
>> Paul Jordan
>> KL0AN
>>
>
>Saudi is VERY restrictive. I believe that there are only four
>licensed stations, with three belonging to members of the Royal
>family. HZ1AB is at the Dharan Air Base. It is available to
>members of the military and certain foreigners. I took my upgrade
>exam via them. Very nice station with a huge rombic.
>
> 73s...N9NWO/DA4NWO

I spent 5 radio-less years there! They even impounded my FRG7 RX.

Other US Stations there now are 7Z1AB in Riyadh and 7Z2AB in Jeddah, if
you can get to any of these they will most likely let you operate.
best of luck!
--
Don Ward G0MDO

4720. IC-735 and Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Green <green@c031.aone.net.au>
Message-ID: <350D1DBF.37D61483@c031.aone.net.au>
Source record: 150276

Hi all

I notice on my IC-735 that there is an output for a Transverter. Does anybody have information about
suitable transverters for use with this radio. Commercial/Kit or project. I'd like to get on 432 & 1296.

thanks ... David (VK3DGN)

green@c031.aone.net.au

4721. FS:Cushcraft A449-11s 440 beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316114301.GAA22292@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150277

have cushcraft 11 element beam for sale great condition will take best offer.covers 440 to 450mhz

K2JY@aol.com

4722. AEA RADIO LINK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316114600.GAA21706@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150278

have a aea rakio link for sale presently not working needs exeperienced tech
looks like new asking 125.oo

K2JY@aol.com

4723. Free my C408! (please!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Urban <urban@strebersdorf.ac.at>
Message-ID: <350D2CF0.D9F1CD27@strebersdorf.ac.at>
Source record: 150279

Hi!

Does anybody know how to open the Standard C408 handheld ?

Thanks!
Peter
hg5okn

4724. WTB: Yaesu FT-70G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Newkirk <dpnewkirk@home.com>
Message-ID: <350D1C0E.561911EC@home.com>
Source record: 150280

Looking for a Yaesu FT-70G (I believe this is the VFO version; if not,
that's the one I mean) manpack transceiver with LSB filter.

73,

David Newkirk, W9VES
dpnewkirk@home.com

4725. Re: F.S.:McElroy bug/chrome tear-drop base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Walter S. Delesandri" <walt@jove.acs.unt.edu>
Message-ID: <6ej9f8$fcl@hermes.acs.unt.edu>
Source record: 150281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

i'll give $125
Walt WB5LJW

4726. WTB: Heathkit SA-2040 killowatt antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3ok@spamsat.org
Message-ID: <35112a45.49098444@news.netins.net>
Source record: 150282

Hi Gang,

I'm looking for a Heathkit SA-2040 killowatt antenna tuner. It must be in excellent working as well as cosmetic condition. No arcs please! You can reach me at 515-669-7501 or email is OK too. Please give me a price a brief description of the condition of the tuner and your location so we can figure shipping costs. Thanks in advance and 73,

Al

ke3ok@spamsat.org
(remove the sp to reply)

4727. Re: Rip Off Warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: me <kimo9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd50e4$8eba9500$041871ce@me>
Source record: 150283
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

OK, I MUST BE MISSING SOMETHING.

why didnt you take the 5 min. to confirm his phone and other info before
you sent the check.??????????
btw. mass has a consumer protection law that provides for jail time if
anyone steals from another party thru the mail. so either this guy is
stupid, or he is in the hospital and cant respond.

gpewitt@execpc.com wrote in article <6ee0pu$gsr@newsops.execpc.com>...
>
> Beware of doing business with Ronald Lessa. Rlessa1123@aol.com
> On January 8th of this year I sent him $125.00 for a National NC-173.
> I got the canceled check back a month later. He acknowledged
> receipt of the check and promised to ship and provide a tracking number.
> That's the last I ever heard from him. He does not answer e-mail and
> I am unable to get a phone number at his alleged address.
> After 3 months I can only assume he is a deadbeat and start legal
> action.
> His address is:
> Ron Lessa
> 4 Seaward Lane
> S. Dartmouth, MA 02748
>
> The phone company has no record of him at this address.
>
>

4728. WTB: YAESU YD-148 MIC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Emigdio Gonzalez <k6eg@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <350D146C.A06A1F2D@earthlink.net>
Source record: 150284

LOOKING FOR YAESU YD-148 MIC. IN GOOD CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE
PRICE IF YOU HAVE ONE FOR SALE PLEASE REPLY
TNX ED K6EG

4729. WTB: Yaesu FT-107M crystal filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ejfgn$jt5@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150285

Gentlemen:

I am trying to find the following bandpass filters for an old Yaesu:

CW filter (XF3003) Yaesu Part# H1100880
AM filter (XF3004) Yaesu Part# H1100870

Thanks for reading
Roy C. Long

4730. Re: QUESTION: ICOM-706MkII, what's the catch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmudd@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd50ee$614089e0$1c806ac6@rickmudd>
Source record: 150286

Well, to make a small correction...It now comes with FREE DSP!.

There isn't a catch. That's why it is one of the most popular radios ever produced.
Yes, the menuing is a struggle to learn, but after about two weeks of using it you'll be an old hand.

I don't remember all the specs and how it compares to other units. But it doesn't SUFFER from any major deficiencies. QST did a review in the January 1998 issue. You should be sure to read it.

Timothy C Holtom <tholtom@ozemail.com.au> wrote in article <350d1147.3383557@news.ozemail.com.au>...
> I'm new to amateur radio and have just read the review of the 706 mkII
> in this months issue of QST.
>
> Seems too good to be true!!
>
> What is the price to be paid??
>
> You get as much as a bigger box (excepting DSP, but my PC and
> soundblaster will do fine for that)
>
> ...for less money!!
>
> OK there's the usability issue: all those menus etc,
>
> .....but what gives....whats's the catch?
>
> Why would I buy a larger box??? AND pay more money?
>
> Sensitivity, Selectivity, IF filtering? Audio?, robustness?, "feel"?
> (excepting afore mentioned problem of mobile mike gain)
>
> Thanks,
>
> Tim
>
>

4731. FS: 440 MHz Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: truztnoone@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316151700.KAA10082@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150287

PRICE REDUCED

ADI AR-446 UHF mobile. 35 watts out, 40 memories, CTCSS encode and decode. With original box and manual. In very good condition, and already modified for public service frequency TX.

Asking $210 including shipping anywhere in continental U.S. E-mail <truztnoone@aol.com> for more info.

4732. Re: SB-220 Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ejfqt$k2l@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Jim:

I have the manual, and will be gald to make a photocopy. Just send me your
snail-mail address. rlong3@ix.netcom.com

Roy

KQ6UV wrote in message <6eh72n$b30$1@aurora.ns.net>...
> I'm trying to locate a copy of the manual for the Heathkit SB-220
>amplifier. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>Jim Smith
>KQ6UV
>
>

4733. Re: IC706 - Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs 144Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f77112023a46d2e9896b4@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 150289

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In article <01bd4f1f$9c0cb1a0$6e806ac6@rickmudd>, rickmudd@teleport.com
says...
> yup. Nope it won't do it.
>
> Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote in article
> <01bd4ef2$0ac867c0$670148ca@nelson>...
> > Anybody know whether this Rig can work on Cross Band Repeater 50Mhz vs
> > 144Mhz ?
> >
> > Tks
> >
> > 73
> >
>

It's not a dual-band radio- how could it?
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4734. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6ejgd1pre6@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 150290
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

ar>>But, I asked my father about this. He says that
ar>>water injection was used in aircraft engines
ar>>during World War II to increase effective
ar>>power output. He says you can find lots of
ar>>old (1930s) articles on water injection
ar>>in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

ar>break new ground. Wouldn't that give the naysayers a shot in the
ar>butt>? Gee.

ar>Lou H.

I'm beginning to wonder about this. I left Oxford in 1962 with a degree
in Physics thinking that you can't get NET energy out of water. Also I
didn't (then) believe in dowsing.

Now, I know for a fact that anyone who says "It is an established fact"
isn't a scientist.

Plus, I can't stand intolerance.

Where are my hoemopathic zoom pills?

===== ===== ===== ===== === Bill J === ===== ===== ===== =====
GM8APX, qthr EH4, Edinburgh, Scotland

Laudator temporis acti: 'Me puero...'

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

4735. Has anyone used an Icom 735 QSY'er with an Icom 706 Mk II?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f7711c32092fd839896b6@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 150291

Tried it- didn't work. Anybody have any success with this?

73, -Web
kr4wm@bigfoot.com

4736. Re: Messenger 500 amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buddy Wommack <bts@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <350D738A.6E0C@sccoast.net>
Source record: 150292

I have a Messenger 500 80-15 meter amp that has been over driven it
looks like...Need schematics real bad!...If anyone knows where this
company is
located or the where abouts of where I can get the schematics please
E-mail me...Thanx, 73's Buddy K4VYX

4737. Info on YC-601 display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Munster <jeremym@novell.uidaho.edu>
Message-ID: <350D4B26.E1704875@novell.uidaho.edu>
Source record: 150293

I am looking for a YC-601 digital display for a Yaesu FT-101. I would like to know about pricing and where I can find one.....

4738. McKay-Dymek e-mail problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ejjcp$qf9@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

Would those two individuals who responded to this ad yesterday please
re-send your e-mail message. For some reason I cannot open those
messgaes received yesterday. I'm in the process of contacting AT& T
Worldnet to ascertain the nature of the problem. Thanks!

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 03:02:15 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>New low price is $350. This is an excellent bargain at this price.
>
>On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 04:48:10 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
>(Kin Ho) wrote:
>
>>Those who know the name know the company's reputation for quality.
>>
>>For those who are not familiar with the radio, it's a mid-70s hot
>>collector's HF receiver. Its the size and shape of a 70s home stereo
>>receiver. It has a polish silver front panel with matching knobs,
>>and real wood side panels. The radio puts out 2 watts of audio
>>through its built-in 4" speaker. Antenna and external speaker
>>connections are in the back of the radio, along with a "RCA" jack
>>marked 455 IF output.
>>
>>Its in excellent condition and works like new. I have the manual, but
>>sorry no box. No scratches or nicks on the radio. Here is some of
>>its features as indicated on the owners manual:
>>
>>* Continous coverage from 50 khz to 29.7 mhz
>>* Solid phase locked digital synthesis tuning
>>* High level RF front end for excellent intermodulation rejection and
>> sensitivity.
>>* Crystal filters in first and second IF amplifiers, and ceraminc
>> filter in third IF provide outstanding selectivity.
>>* Designed to use with HiFi systems, or as a self contained receiver
>>* Receives am, usb, lsb, and cw
>>* Switch selectable 4 or 8 khz bandwith
>>* 5000 hz audio heterodyne notch filter
>>* Built-in (selectable) RF preamplifier and fine tuning control.
>>* You do not need an external or active antenna with this radio!
>>
>>The radio displays frequencies in 5 digits. The far right digit
>>(which is three digits to the right of the decimial display) has the
>>top 1/4 of that particular digit burn-out. This in no way interferes
>>with the operation of the radio. You can still make out the digit.

>>
>>I would like to sell this fine collectors stereo shortwave for $500 US
>>or best offer. I will ship US or world-wide as long as you pay actual
>>shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.
>

4739. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <350d4e8b.45698482@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 03:24:38 -0600, "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@exone.net> wrote:
>Howard N. Lute wrote:
[snip]
>> I OBJECT! In my class (Applied Physics and Electronics) we teach the
>> following as part of the total package and ALL of it is applicable to the
>> "real" world. Ohm's Law, Soldering, Antenna Design, Power Supplies,
>> Logic, TTL, CMOS, Basic programming, Digital Electronics, Assembly
>> Language programming, Ms-Windows 3.X and 95, MS-DOS, etc, etc. And the
>> Model Office teaches all kinds of business software, and wood shop
>> teaches Construction Skills etc. etc. Please...no broad brush re: The
>> Lousy American School System.
>
>Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
>class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
>Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
>this country anymore, especially out of wood.

I can tell you've never worked in the construction trade. Wood shop may be one of the few "practical" courses offered in high school which actually teaches the student a marketable skill that won't be obsoleted in a few years. (Others are welding, and to an extent, automotive repair.)

Unfortunately, most of the material covered in "practical" computer and electronics courses will be obsoleted in short order. Anyone still using, for pay, CP/M software? Probably not, and the same will hold for Win 3.1 software in a short time. TTL is also going the way of DTL and RTL, and likely won't be much used in a very few years.

But the techniques of framing a house or constructing kitchen cabinetry haven't changed much at all in the last 100 years, and probably won't in the next 100 years either. Wood is wood, hammers and nails are hammers and nails. Etc. So the woodworker is much more likely to be prepared for a long term trade than someone taking Lute's course.

I don't want to pick on Lute here, but most "practical" electronics training has a very short marketable life. I wonder if Lute teaches SMD rework techniques of soldering. Through hole board assembly is rapidly becoming obsolete, and point to point wiring practically already is. It is much more valuable for a worker to be trained to understand electronics on a functional systems level. What's in the functional blocks changes rapidly, but the blocks themselves are more constant. If one knows their transfer functions, it doesn't matter so much how that function is implemented. They can still understand and troubleshoot the equipment.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4740. Re: THAT'S A VERY REASONABLE PRICE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb9gkz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980316163700.LAA18790@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150296

Why do we need you to tell us what our equipment is
worth?

Cannot the market determine this?

4741. FS: Icom IC-25H 2m Mobile $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <350d51f6.597347700@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 150297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Icom IC-25H 2m Mobile:

* 45 / 2 watts output
* 5 memories, 2 VFOs, scanning
* Icom IC-BU1 Battery backup unit for memories
* Icom quick-release mobile mounting bracket
* Original hand mike with DTMF pad
* Original box and manual. Also includes power cable.
* Communications Specialists SS-32A Programmable PL Tone Encoder installed

This is an older 2m mobile rig without a lot of bells and whistles. Has been mobile most of its life so has some wear but is in very good shape. The PL Tone encoder can be changed to any of the standard subaudible tones via dip switch settings.

Just back from the shop (MTS Electronics Repair in Colville, WA) for checkout and replacement of a couple heat-sensitive diodes. Rig works great!

Would make a good starter rig or could be used as a backup or base packet station. I'm more interested in HF these days and am trying to raise funds for a linear amplifier...

$150 shipped in the lower 48.
($140 if you pick it up in Kansas City.)

E-mail if interested or call (816) 246-6476 after 6:00pm Central time.

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

4742. Re: Has anyone used an Icom 735 QSY'er with an Icom 706 Mk II?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Willis <"M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <350D582C.8B4E3357@rl.ac.uk>
Source record: 150298

Web Williams wrote:

> Tried it- didn't work. Anybody have any success with this?
>
> 73, -Web
> kr4wm@bigfoot.com

No, but I have used 735 control from a PC to drive a 706.

Make sure you have set the 706 frequency data option to the right number of digits. The 735 has one less. you may find you can't enter frequencies above 99 MHz. You also have to set the default baud rate correctly. All done from the power on menu in the 706.

Don't forget to set the 706 ID address to that of the 735 either.

--
Mike

(Remove the space from the Email address to reply)

4743. rogertest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bv2bp <bv2bp@ms4.hinet.net>
Message-ID: <6eh598$rvj@netnews.hinet.net>
Source record: 150348

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4744. FS:or Trade: Two @ 4CX 1000s-Full out put Military Pulls $375 both.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6ems0l$a53$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Or if you want just one, $200 or best offer of money or trade. Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4745. FS- NOS Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: showman612@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031721212100.QAA03251@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150051

NOS Tubes for sale.
Prices well below AES and others
E-Mail for complete list

4746. Re: Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <350EC424.660@ccnet.com>
Source record: 150052

When 10 meters is up 5 watts can work the world.....when it's down 5,000 watts won't make it 20 miles......

In the last couple weeks I have worked New Zealand, Europe, South Afric & South America from the San Francisco Area running 75 watts. Listen around 28.475 up for dx..... I have found some dx just above 28.500 (outside novice phone band) Many US station are around 28.400

Bon DX
Don, W6IQ

4747. Re: Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6emgo2rce1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 150053

"Grant" <gbutchernospam@speedline.ca> wrote:

>I am a new amateur, I am also planning on taking a vacatio to the east
>coast of Canada this summer. I was wondering if 10 metres is a viable form
>of communication. Could I hope to get overseas QSO's? I see a few Realistic
>10m rigs for sale on the swap nets, are the a reasonable rig?
>Thanks in advance
>Grant
>p.s to reply remove the no spam from my address(I think?)

I have made transcontinental contacts mobile using a similar radio
(HR2510 Uniden), and made a Japanese contact from the Pacific Coast of
Oregon last year while on vacation. Conditions have GOT to be better
this year than last year at the same time!

I have been HEARING a lot of South America recently....

Steve
WB7PSD

4748. Re: Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6empor$7ht$4@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 150054

I agree and CONGRATS Mark! 10 meters is a LOT of fun, jump in!

73,
Tom

In article <350EA472.340AF282@ix.netcom.com>, M Johnson
<silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>Grant wrote:
>
>> I am a new amateur, I am also planning on taking a vacatio to the east
>> coast of Canada this summer. I was wondering if 10 metres is a viable form
>> of communication.
>
>Hi Grant,Welcome to amateur radio. As the current sun spot cycle gets better
>so will 10 meters. Daytime band openings have seemed on the up-rise. I
>have noticed a lot more openings in the last several weeks then the previous
>months. I think that summer months are the best for 10. In addition to
>normal skip propagation, 10 meters is about the lowest band that can use
>sporadic-e. However Canada may be too far north to take advantage of
>sporadic-e openings.
>
>
>> Could I hope to get overseas QSO's?
>
>When the sunspot cycle is at it's best you can work the world on 5 watts from
>10. It will probably peak within the next two years. This cycle seems to
>be a little slow.

>73
>Mark
>WA0DCA / AE

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
tprandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Moving to 144.390 soon....
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in the address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

4749. Found a good site on TEST EQUIPMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: c <kseeker@usmo.com>
Message-ID: <6emgcldnc1@news.usmo.com>
Source record: 150055

http://www.ccomindustries.com

I bought a network analyzer HP8510B from them for $3200 and a Tektronix 2336 scope for $400.

4750. WTB; Philistran guy cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Borowski <wa9eka@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6emqqh$niu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150056
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for a piece of the old style 6700# rating (approx. 5/16 OD)Philistran cable with the old style potted ends to match with some I presently have. I'm looking for a piece anywhere between 65 and 95 feet in overall length, with both potted ends installed or new and ready to install. If you have something that fits this bill just laying around and wish to sell it, please let me know ASAP. Thanks and 73,
-= Roger Borowski - K9RB =- wa9eka@worldnet.att.net
Orange Park, Florida (near Jacksonville)

4751. Kenwood VC-H1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <350edf18.341247668@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 150057

It seems like the Kenwood VC-H1 is a very cool little device. Does anyone know if it will work with other rigs or it's just designed for the TH-G71A?

I also wonder if it can be used as a "See You See Me" camera used during Internet conferencing.

How about if I use it as a digital camer for my family?

Ah! How much is it?

Thanks!

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

4752. Re: Found a good site on TEST EQUIPMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <890170519snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150058

In article <6emgcldnc1@news.usmo.com> kseeker@usmo.com "c" writes:

> http://www.ccomindustries.com
>
>
> I bought a network analyzer HP8510B from them for $3200 and a Tektronix 2336
> scope for $400.

It's a list model numbers with no comments on price, availability or
condition.

I must confess that I just didn't get it. Did I miss something?

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4753. Ham Relflectors List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <350ef3e6.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 150059

Does anyone know of a complete list related to Ham Radio reflector groups.

Thanks

Lour R.

4754. FS: Kustom X band radar - $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <350EC949.ABF@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kustom X band radar unit. Good condition. Does stationary and moving car detection. Haas 1 large antenna/window mount for inside oroutside detecting. Dash unit has one or two small cracks inthe leather case and one segment of 1 eight segment speed digit does not work. However, it is obvious what the speed is. Comes with Tuning fork. $200 + COD from Boston or can arrange pickup.

Steve Ross

4755. Icom 706 MKII Free Speration Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Knox <jwknox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6emsp2$brt@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150061

I purchase an Icom 706 MKII around the first of February, it has been almost
7
weeks since I sent the coupon and warranty card in and haven't received
the speration cable yet. Local ham store said the feedback from customers
was that it is taking 2 weeks. Has anyone else that sent their paperwork in
around the time I did or after received their cable yet?

Jeffrey KD0YD
jwknox@ix.netcom.com

4756. Re: IC-R8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Sullivan <kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350EF686.CD5A902E@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150062

Yea I got mine in January, love it, and want the software.....

73 all de Pat KK6PD

David VanHorn wrote:

> I understand that Icom is giving away control software with the 8500 now..
> Does anyone know
> where an "early adopter" can locate a copy?
>
> thanks :) (Why is it that we early adopters get the raw deals?)

4757. Re: High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6emsumrm1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 150063

On 1998-03-12 dgf@netcom.com(DavidFeldman) said:
dg>Picked up a tektronix high voltage o-scope probe a while back - it
dg>has provision to be filled with a dielectric liquid/gas/vapor stuff
dg>to increase it's HV capability (10kv without, 25kv or so with the
dg>stuff). What is this stuff?
dg>Can you get it anymore, or is it CFC and not available?
dg>73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

Could be air. In the '60s we (military) had radar transmitting gear in
metal containers with a bicycle valve. To reduce the chance of sparkover
you just pumped the thing up with air with a bicycle pump. Not during
damp conditions of course!

========== ===== ===== BILL J. ===== ===== ==========
GM8APX, qthr EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, UK

Piscis nequam est nisi recens

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

4758. Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6emufp$s0@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 150064

Today I got my April issue of CQ VHF and on the back cover is a full page advt from Kenwood for a Slow Scan TV unit that attaches to an HT!

Basicly, it seems to be some sort of "digital camera" (in full color) that has the SSTV software in ROM and the cables to attach to your radio and/or computer. You can plug this unit into your HT in place of your speaker/mic and send and receive pictures over the local repeater. (or simplex)

No price announced in the advt.

Hope this is not an "April Fools" joke.

--
Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

4759. Re: Icom 706 MKII Free Speration Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlugatch@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6emujt$fmm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150065

In article <6emsp2$brt@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>, "Jeffrey Knox"
<jwknox@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

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>weeks since I sent the coupon and warranty card in and haven't received
>the speration cable yet. Local ham store said the feedback from customers
>was that it is taking 2 weeks. Has anyone else that sent their paperwork in
>around the time I did or after received their cable yet?
>

I sent my forms in February 17 and have not received my cable yet. The
form said that youy should allow "4 to 6 weeks"

Good Luck

Norm

4760. RF Amplifer Spec sheets on-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiodan <radiodan@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6en0dp$jct@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150066

For those of you who have asked,

The Spec and discount price sheets are now available on-line at

http://www.radiodan.com/Henry/henry_spec_list.htm

--
73, Dan Magro
Radiodan W7RF, Portable Clinic
High quality Henry Radio RF Power Amplifiers for LESS!
New, used, unusual, classic radios, accys & RF POWER!
http://www.radiodan.com radio@bigfoot.com
A trip to our web site is worth the click!

4761. Re: Pin out on MFJ TNC ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Bary" <mbary@erols.com>
Message-ID: <350F20AD.7D357B61@erols.com>
Source record: 150067
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

Landen,

Take a look at: http://www.sedan.org

I'm sure you'll find all the info you need there. You just have to follow
the path to the right page on wiring for your tnc.

It's a really good site for all kinds of packet radio info.

73,

Mark
N4EOC

Landen Stoker wrote:

> Can someone pse send me the pin out on the 5 pin din connector for MFJ
> TNC'S
> TNX
> Landen
> KC5QDZ@IAMERICA.NET

4762. FS: PRO-39 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Chiu" <cychiu@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <350E7882.42916BE9@superlink.net>
Source record: 150068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.cb

REALISTIC PRO-39 SCANNER

200 Channel Direct Entry
Rubber Duck Antenna (BNC)
Ni-Cad Battery
Wall Charger
Factory Freq Range: 30-54, 108-136.975, 137-174
380-512, 806-823.9375,
851-868.9375, 896-960
Cellular Restore
Made in Japan
$180.00 (Shipping included) or Best Offer

cychiu@superlink.net

4763. FS: Kenwood TH-42AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Chiu" <cychiu@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <350E79C7.B3224135@superlink.net>
Source record: 150069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

KENWOOD
TH-42AT HANDHELD 70cm FM TRANSCEIVER

TX & RX 400.000MHz To 469.995 MHz
(Not modified, Factory Set, Asia Model)
5W @ 13.8V, 30mw, 0.5W, 2.5W @ 6V
Two units available.
Serial #: 80800727
Serial #: 80800728

$220.00 each $420.00 for two.
(Shipping Included)

All manual and schematics included.

cychiu@superlink.net

4764. Re: QST -- Want advice on 2 radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <kilroy@SPAMPROOFfuse.netSPAMPROOF>
Message-ID: <350F282F.2F1E43BF@SPAMPROOFfuse.netSPAMPROOF>
Source record: 150070

I am wavering between Yaesu FT840 and Icom IC707.
I'm interested in the HF bands and want to use CW as primary communications, but I'm also going to do rtty from the computer and some voice.

Many thanks to those who have sent me opinions on these two radios via e-mail. I'm still looking for opinions,experiences, etc concerning them. Also, if you have a favorite HF rig in the price range (between $700 and $800), please let me know about it! Thanks,

Kilroy
KC8HPG
kilroy@fuse.net

4765. Re: Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350F3118.F308CE26@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150071

I called one of my contacts at Kenwood and it is for real. No price yet. I will try the
Kenwood Japan page and try to read the Japanese to determine its price.
73's NS1R Steve

Richard Amirault wrote:

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> advt from Kenwood for a Slow Scan TV unit that attaches to an HT!
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> has the SSTV software in ROM and the cables to attach to your radio and/or
> computer. You can plug this unit into your HT in place of your speaker/mic
> and send and receive pictures over the local repeater. (or simplex)
>
> No price announced in the advt.
>
> Hope this is not an "April Fools" joke.
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> --
> Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
> amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

4766. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rdb.no.spam@muhlon.com>
Message-ID: <350F43B7.1429@muhlon.com>
Source record: 150072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

David L Pearce wrote:
<snip>
> Detonation is when the flame front doesn't start at the
> plug, but at the cylinder walls, because the mixture is so hot, all it needs is
> that extra juice available from the cylinder walls to trigger off >center flame
> fronts early on before the plug EVER fires.

Actually, that's a form of pre-ignition, a different animal/different cause, with the same result as detonation. Detonation stemming from early timing/low octane/too high compression/lean mixture, or a combination thereof, occurs thus: The flame is started by the spark plug and the mixture begins to burn. As it does, the resulting expansion of hot gasses is compressing the remaining mixture in the cylinder, as is the rising piston. Under the right conditions, the unburned mixture auto-ignites and begins a new flame front. The inevitable collision of the two flame fronts produces the characteristic knock of detonation and the attendant equipment damage that results. Pre-ignition can occur in the absence of a spark. Remember the anti-diesel solenoids they used to put on carbs? You know why they were there; right?

<more snip of some accurate info>

> And when you run with less detonation in a engine, that means you can push the
> timing agressively up towards TDC, making more use of the resulting explosion.

No, and yes. We push the timing away from TDC, as in more advance, as in before TDC. And we aren't making use of an explosion, at least not in a gasoline engine. The air/fuel mixture burns (hopefully), as rapidly as we can make it. More advance, to a point and short of detonation, means more of the induced air/fuel mixture is burned, which obviously means more efficiency and more power produced as we approach that magical .5 lb fuel per horsepower per hour figure. The optimum advance figure varies, based on the many characteristics of the engine that determine the _time_ required to achieve complete combustion. Obviously, advancing the ignition timing beyond that optimum point begins to reduce horsepower output, even if detonation isn't occurring. The goal isn't to run with less detonation, it is to run with _no_ detonation. Detonation always reduces power production.

BTW, if it's using explosions it's most likely a diesel-they detonate by design... And yes, I know you knew it was advance, but that's not what you said. Which leads to my final point.

> Get a basic mechanics text book on engine folks, all this has been written and
> rehashed millions of times, literally.

Yes it has.
>
> At first I didn't mind these threads, but it looks like 80% of the participants
> wouldn't know a engine from a electric motor.
>
> Pearce - KF4MOK

If you're gonna crawl in the pulpit, it's a good idea to have all your facts straight. And FWIW, I've been teaching folks for many years now, and I've never found it productive to tell them how stupid they are. There is a profound difference between teaching and tooting.

To those who wonder what this has to do with amateur radio, me too. My apologies if you are offended.

Hopefully, there is no one left reading this thread that still thinks detonation is "valve rattle" :-)

73,
Roger
(email address is altered to foil spambots)
//
'69 Hemi SuperBee
'70 Hemi Challenger
'73 6-71 Blown 440 ProStreet Challenger
'87 Daytona Shelby
'88 Daytona Shelby
'84 Turismo 2.2 Turbo
//

4767. Prospective sellers of all merchandise please read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Van Aartsen <kb0ula@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <350F339C.9775EF96@rconnect.com>
Source record: 150073

Please tell us newer hams what in the world you're selling. You might be missing a good opportunity to get top dollar for your used equipment because Joe Ham doesn't know what a "Yaekencom TS-74100DA" is. Even saying it's a VHF or HF or UHF rig --and whether it's a base, mobile, handheld, etc. helps...but that is not sufficent. Please give as many features as you can. It's tough to compare radios when you don't know whether you're comparing apples to oranges or not.

Speaking for all newer hams...much thanks,

Scott Van Aartsen
KBï¿½ULA

4768. FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350F359B.8559B6DE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150074

Well it should be. If you go to several Japanese Ham store Web pages you
will see the
FT-847 list price is 210,000 Yen and the the retail (street price) is
168,000 Yen.
The current exchange rate is 125 Yen to the Dollar. So 168,000 Yen
equals $1344 USA Dollars. THis is Roughly the price of the closeout
FT-900CAT. Hmmmmm.
SO the FT-847 is replacing the FT-900CAT. I will wait till the price is
corrected.
Don't get ripped off by paying $1820 for a radio that is being sold for
$1344 USA dollars
in Japan. OR. You can Order the FT-847 from several Japanese Dealers
and BYPASS
Yaesu USA and the Dealers and save $ 500 !!!
73's NS1R Steve

4769. FS**Yaesu FT-767gx with 2 meters + extras**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6enbkjitp1@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150075

Ex.con FT-767gx with SP-767 speaker, MD-1 desk mic,FRB-757 relay box,and service and owns manual. Radio has gen.cov. mod. and batteries in tuner and main board have both been replaced. Price is $1100.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

4770. Icom 735 and MArs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: svogin@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <svogin.54.000BC639@voicenet.com>
Source record: 150076

ANy know if there is a way to get the Icom735 to Work in the Mars Bands?

email me

kb3alx@erols.com

4771. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350F4223.BF705C10@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150077

Good point abt waiting, Steve.

Besides, I'd like to see a QST review before I jump -- and the antenna tuner!

Phil

4772. Re: Icom 706 MKII Free Speration Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350F41AC.D227DCF3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150078

I'd follow up on it.

Friend bought one in mid Dec and had it by early Jan; and that was over the holidays. Of course, they could be out of stock for a short time.

Phil

4773. FS NUMITRON TUBES (RCA)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "marc s." <elena@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <350F4360.61682E99@monmouth.com>
Source record: 150079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Tubes are NOS, but without boxes. I have ten
DTF 104B (top display), and five DR 2000
(side display)

marc s.

4774. Re: Ham Relflectors List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <shortckt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <350F464C.42E04FF2@primenet.com>
Source record: 150080

There are over 250 mailing lists at: http://www.qth.net

Lou R. wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of a complete list related to Ham Radio reflector groups.
>
> Thanks
>
> Lour R.

--
"Nostalgia is a thing of the past."
--
Brian (K7ON) Short shortckt@primenet.com
http://www.primenet.com/~shortckt
1994 E Laguna Dr Tempe, Az 85282
Vox:(602)839-3484 Fax:(602)839-4829
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4775. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: OptCamel@sj.bigger.net
Message-ID: <MPG.f78e6455dc868f89896bf@nntp.sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 150081
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <+YgYrDAqFmD1Ewz2@two-way.demon.co.uk>, philip@two-
way.demon.co.uk says...
>>>Doc,
>>>>Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
>>>>class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
>>>>Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
>>>>this country anymore, especially out of wood.
>>>You have'nt been to New England recently.
>>>
>>>Phil / UK
>>>
Further, we live in an area that has a multitude of construction (wood)
businesses, Window companies, Commercial cabinet companies, prefab home
builders etc. "Wood Shop" is no longer...making little wooden boxes or
shelves(!) it's construction trade and all of those I've spoken of, it is
highly desirable and necessary.
friend,
Lute
--
Howard N. Lute,
aka. "Lute"
Electronics Instructor, Terrible Mechanic, Worse Plumber

4776. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eni56ash1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 150082

David Feldman wrote:
>

> you might find your less-expensive model can't access repeaters on 2 or
> the FM part of UHF.

And try to get your Japanese-purchased radio fixed under warranty ...

No thanks. But some people keep espousing this foolishness.

Grant/NQ5T

4777. Re: VC-H1 Kenwood Visual Communicator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-1703982350150001@207-172-80-223.s32.as6.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 150083

In article <6ei42frdv1@winter.news.erols.com>, "Kent Hufford"
<khufford@erols.com> wrote:

>First the Paula Jones report this last Friday, now I get my APR 98 QST on
>Sat. .. almost too much in one weekend.
>
>On the back of the QST is the VC-H1 Visual Communicator. Neat stuff!!! Why
>had not some one thought about this before. Jee more toys!
>
>Looking at the "ad". It shows TWO people INSIDE a tent in the woods looking
>at the 1.8inch TFT color display of a guy in the middle of a stream holding
>up a fish he had just caught... neat.
>
>Looking closer, the TWO people appear to be a man and a woman in the tent.
>The person holding the VH-H1 has smooth leggs, and long fingernails -a
>woman? The person holding the TH-G71A has hairy legs, and short
>fingernails - a man? If this is Europe, never mind.
>
>OK if its a man and a woman laying down in the tent, who is the guy with the
>fish? Relative of the either?
>
>It might be in the Paula Jones report? Wait a minute, the ad looks like it
>might be taken at Camp David??
>
>
>Anyone seen one of these, I mean the VC-H1?
>
>
>Kent
>KQ4KK

I just saw the ad myself and wanted to see some more info so I went to
kenwood's site and found that it is the biggest load of un-informative
CRAP I have ever seen in my entire life... why are there more links to
games than to radios? The search engine doesnt work either.
The VC-H1 Looks promising if its "reasonably" priced... I wonder if it
can snap & save several pictures like a digital camera, that would be a
definite plus... But they are really taking a chance on a niche market
even in the amateur radio field. I doubt that it will last long at market.
I wonder what the other companies have in store for us at the
hamvention...
Speaking of new technology...Why haven't there been really any "new"
products in recent years in the industry? The big thing has been combining
HF & V/UHF in one rig... but how about making a mobile rig that will do
10m-.23m allmode with reasonable power... I think 2m SSB has a MUCH better

chance of becoming popular than portable SSTV. I mean in the coming solar cycle there will be a REAL possibility of 2m & 1.25m SSB DX contacts...

Anyway, thats just MY rant...

-Daniel
KC2BGZ

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

4778. RS HTX-404 PTT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Homer <ProjectZero@whodat.svr.com>
Message-ID: <350f5e63.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 150084

To those with HTX-404 HTs--

Is is normal behavior for the 404 to delay the unkey
of the PTT when the transmit tone squelch is on?

The HT is still keyed up for about a second after
I let go of the PTT.

When the PL is off, letting go of the PTT really
does stop the transmit.

I've now noticed my 202 "pauses" on unkey as well
when the PL is on-- but only for a half a sec or
less (I probably never noticed it but seeing the
404 in action made the brain more aware of it).

4779. Re: QUESTION: ICOM-706MkII, what's the catch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bury/Saliceti <bury.saliceti@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <350F13B4.1D52@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 150085

> Why would I buy a larger box??? AND pay more money?
>
> Sensitivity, Selectivity, IF filtering? Audio?, robustness?, "feel"?
> (excepting afore mentioned problem of mobile mike gain)

Not for sensitivity (all new products are sensitive enough nowadays), but certainly intermodulation caracteristics, because of the size of the "box" (as a rule you can admit that the bigger the box, the better the filtering); audio is not very good also (tiny speaker); and the IF filtering is made at a high frequency (9MHz), so it is not very sharp...

But it is quite normal for a small radio, and it remains a very charming one !!!

--
E-mail: bury.saliceti@wanadoo.fr
http://perso.wanadoo.fr/bury.saliceti/
Amateur Radio Call-Sign: TK5ML

4780. I sell Rx, Rtx, Dummy load

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandro <s.rovatti@rsadvnet.it>
Message-ID: <6emd34$9sa$1@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 150086
Cross-posted to: it.hobby.elettronica,it.hobby.radioamatori,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I sell:

1 RX Plessey 2230, 0,5-30 Mhz, good condition, cw am ssb, filter full. Price 3700 DM

1 RX Rakal 6690GM, 0,5-30 Mhz, good contition, cw am ssb, filter full. Price 3600 DM

1 RX Redifon R1001, 0,5-30 Mhz, good contition, cw am ssb, filter full. Price 2500 DM

2 RTX Itt MACKAJ MRS8000N, mil, 1,6-30 Mhz, cw am ssb, 100 W, new. Price 4800 DM

2 RX Telefunken ELK639, 1970, 10Khz-30 Mhz (two rx, 1° 10Khz-550Khz, 2° 250Khz-30Mhz).
manual in copy, mechanical filter 0.25/0.75/3 Khz.
cw am ssb with internal vfo
good for long wawe
good condition, Price 1250 DM

5 Dummy Load Spinner BN527766, 400 Ws 4Ghz, new, with special connectors (used male), to the price of 600DM. For Other information you write to this address.

llinus@frael.it

4781. Measurements Model 80 Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <6etjsruro1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 150087
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have a very nice Measurements Model 80R Signal Generator. Unit is in very good condition. Covers from 5 thru 475 Mhz with calibrated output. This is an EXCELLENT piece of commercial grade test equipment, not some piece of cheap junk. Will sell for $75 plus UPS

Bryan Edwards
Lubbock, Texas

4782. Wanted KENWOOD TS 140 S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Gandy <Scotland@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6elo55$ge5$1@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 150100

Can Anyone in the U.K. sell me CHEAP PLEASE
a KENWOOD TS 140 S or nearest
Its for a WHITE STICK freind of mine.
Please E-Mail
Scotland@globalnet.co.uk.

Thankyou.....Sam

4783. Re: Icom IC-T8A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dan begin <holygost@netrover.com>
Message-ID: <6eloia$o2v$1@demon.uunet.ca>
Source record: 150101

The KEYPAD MOD....

Go into VFO mode.
turn off the radio
hold down SQUELCH and BAND

4784. Re: Icom IC-T8A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dan begin <holygost@netrover.com>
Message-ID: <6elolh$o35$1@demon.uunet.ca>
Source record: 150102

go into VFO mode

turn radio off

hold BAND and SQL and turn the radio on..

The receive is now 50-230 300-999

Dan VE2BHN

4785. WTB cover and face for a 781

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317122501.HAA26198@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150103

I'm looking for a new or like new cover and face for a Icom 781
Dick.KA1KLA
Dick468359@aol.com
508 999 3784

4786. GRC106 Manual wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gcr2@po.CWRU.Edu
Message-ID: <6els65jje1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 150104

Looking for a manual for a AN/GRC106 or at least the RT662 section of it.
Thanks George

4787. DON'T MISS THE GREAT PICTURES of RADIOS OLD AND NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@NOSPAM.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <350e76e2.10363716@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 150105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

DON'T MISS

THE GREAT PICTURES of

RADIOS OLD AND NEW

in the newsgroup:

alt.binaries.pictures.radio

If your ISP doesn't carry it ask them to get it for you!!!

4788. Re: Icom IC-T8A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. Covey" <scott@scottcovey.com>
Message-ID: <6elu8e$7at$1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 150106

Thanks, it worked great!
dan begin wrote in message <6elolh$o35$1@demon.uunet.ca>...
>
>
>go into VFO mode
>
>turn radio off
>
>hold BAND and SQL and turn the radio on..
>
>The receive is now 50-230 300-999
>
>
>Dan VE2BHN
>

4789. Pin out on MFJ TNC ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Landen Stoker <kc5qdz@iamerica.net>
Message-ID: <350E7DDB.24AC3E02@iamerica.net>
Source record: 150107
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

Can someone pse send me the pin out on the 5 pin din connector for MFJ
TNC'S
TNX
Landen
KC5QDZ@IAMERICA.NET

4790. Re: Foreign Licensing question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Ward <don@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <HoVjlDAhEoD1Ew2e@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150108

In article <6e96rcnbk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, jordan@santanet.com writes
>Does anyone know the rules and regulations for using amateur radios in Saudi
>Arabia or Kuwait?? Being in the Air Force, I may get deployed there and I
>was wanting to take my radios with me and use them. Just trying to get my
>ducks in a row before I go over there. I need to know the licensing
>requirements, and any restrictions that may apply.
>
>Thanks,
>Paul Jordan
>KL0AN
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

Hi again Paul.

7Z5OO has a web site at http://members.aol.com/K3UOC. His page saudi.htm
gives the bad news!

It makes very interesting reading. He is very lucky to work for the
Saudi Royal family thats why he is one of the few operating there.

Good luck
--
Don Ward G0MDO/AA1FU

4791. Re: Kenwood TH-G71A software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Hallihan <phalliha@mail.vt.edu>
Message-ID: <350E84BF.1120F6E1@mail.vt.edu>
Source record: 150109

You need to turn reciever control on. I believe it's menu item 14 or 15
on the HT's menu.
--KF4UTT

Sean O'Connor wrote:

> Basically, I can't get the software to work. Under windows NT, it
> just says it cannot connect to the HT. Under windows 95 when you
> press connect, nothing happens, no message.
>
> I am selecting the proper serial port and I have the official kenwood
> cable.
>
> Has anyone successfully used the Kenwood software for programming the
> TH-G71A. Are there any special settings I need to set on the HT
> before this works? The documentation (such as it is) is horrible.
>
> Thanks a lot.
>
> ---
> Sean O'Connor
> soconnor@mcs.net http://www.mcs.net/~soconnor

4792. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: HARTEVELD <a.harteveld@io.tudelft.nl>
Message-ID: <350E87AF.E8F2429E@io.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 150110

Hugh Duff wrote:

> I wonder how the HF side of the FT-847 will rate compared
> to other modern HF rigs ??? ie...will it be comparable to
> the FT-900, an FT-840 or ???
> The old FT-767 was essentially a 757 with VHF/UHF modules..
> not quite a contest rig for HF. I would assume that the 847
> is a couple of miles ahead of the 767 just by modern technology
> but I wonder where it would fall into the performance of todays rigs.
>
> Also wondering if the DSP is in the IF or AF ?
> Anyone have specs on the 847 ?
>
> Comments welcome.

I think it will be OK here are some of the specs:

Freq. Range : 110 kHz - 30 MHz
36 - 76 MHz
108 - 174 MHz
420 - 512 MHz

Sensitivity : SSB/CW AM-N FM
0.5-1.8MHz - 20uV -
1.8-28 MHz 0.25uV 1uV -
28-30 MHz 0.25uV 1uV 0.5uV
50-54 MHz 0.20uV 0.5uV 0.25uV
144/440MHz 0.125uV - 0.16uV (probably with pre amp
on)

Selectivity: (-6/-60dB) SSB/CW: 2.2/4.5 kHz
CW-N 0.5/2 kHz with optional filter
installed
AM 9/20 kHz
AM-N 2.2/4.5 kHz
FM 15/30 kHz
FM-N 9/20 kHz
DSP is on AF !
It has very nice features, specially for the Sat Ham.
Can't wait to see a serious test report !

Arend Harteveld
PE1PVB

4793. hamster fests

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19-1703980930300001@dialup-4.pgh.sgi.net>
Source record: 150111

http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/fest/what.html

Take some time to visit a continuously updated fest/convention/jamboree
listing, searchable by date or location! We recently added a few places.

Feel free to submit your listings and comments.

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Get into the radio hobbies!
http://www.n-lemma.com/FBOM
n9vjg@n-lemma.com

4794. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <+YgYrDAqFmD1Ewz2@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Doc,
>Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
>class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
>Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
>this country anymore, especially out of wood.
You have'nt been to New England recently.

Phil / UK

4795. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <69vJSIAUDjD1Ewhe@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150113
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

No David,
>Another Geet page to back up someone else's Geet page? I'm convinced now! (heh.)
>
>Pearce
>
Just a pointer to a GEET page with a lot more information on it from one
of the other US distributors who up-dates much more frequently.

Words are cheap, go to a lecture/demonstration.

Phil G4ZOW/M

4796. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <v99MyUAcRjD1Ewj$@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150114
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Glad you visited.
>I went to the www.friend.ly.net/GEET/ net and it does have to be capital
>GEET like that, and i read their stuff about the small vac carb with hot
>gas and I thought about some experimentation I did many years ago with
>Magneto-Hydro-Dynamics and I believe the stuff they are doing may be
> from a proven field, and they are using it to break new ground.
>
>Wouldn't that give the naysayers a shot in the butt>?
My sentiments exactly, boy, my collection of blinkers is increasing
daily.

Phil G4ZOW/M

4797. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <l9eOCcAQZjD1EwjX@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 150115
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hydrogen powered transit van?
I seem to remember an article a million years ago about the water
powered ford transit van built by the automotive department at
Loughborough University in Leicestershire.
Can anyone throw some truth on that one?
No energy from water, yea right.

Phil G4ZOW/M
>> ar>break new ground. Wouldn't that give the naysayers a shot in the
>> ar>butt>? Gee.
>>
>> ar>Lou H.
>>
>> I'm beginning to wonder about this. I left Oxford in 1962 with a degree
>> in Physics thinking that you can't get NET energy out of water. Also I
>> didn't (then) believe in dowsing.
>
>You don't get any energy from the water. The water is used to slow the
>combustion speed to allow for extra advance in the ignition timing without
>causing pre-ignition (i.e. knocking) or to kill knocking when lesser quality
>fuel is used. Water is also used in jet engines to increase the mass of the
>thrust air after the combustion chamber, mostly limited to take-offs and
>landings due to the extra weight.
>

4798. Re: fair trade for Icom IC-02AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6tx@cybertime.net
Message-ID: <350f8e13.86137089@news.cybertime.net>
Source record: 150116

1lb box of "Sees Candies"

On 17 Mar 1998 04:45:10 GMT, kc7vwq4@aol.com (Kc7vwq4) wrote:

>What would be a fair trade for the Icom IC-02AT? Thanks to all who respond...
>
>Kris Arens
>KC7VWQ

4799. Lost TS140 For Sale Message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ruspc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317145200.JAA10846@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150117

I seem to have misplaced a message advertising a TS 140. I wonder if the poster could re-post.

Thanks

4800. FS: Uniden Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve9gln@user.nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <350e838c.6860350@allnews.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 150118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,nb.forsale,ns.forsale

I have for sale a Uniden SPU UHF Portable (High Split)
Comes with Rapid Charger, Antenna, Speaker Mike and Carry Case
Currently In Ham Band.
8 CH's Software Programmable by Uniden Dealer.

You Pay Shipping
Price $80.00 CDN

ve9gln@nospam.nbnet.nb.ca

I think we all know what to do with the "nospam" part :)

4801. Re: FS: Uniden Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: schertzer@ns.sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <6em3p7fsa1@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 150119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,nb.forsale,ns.forsale

In article <350e838c.6860350@allnews.nbnet.nb.ca>
ve9gln@user.nbnet.nb.ca (G A Bizeau) wrote:

> I have for sale a Uniden SPU UHF Portable (High Split)
> Comes with Rapid Charger, Antenna, Speaker Mike and Carry Case
> Currently In Ham Band.
> 8 CH's Software Programmable by Uniden Dealer.
>
> You Pay Shipping
> Price $80.00 CDN
>
> ve9gln@nospam.nbnet.nb.ca
>
> I think we all know what to do with the "nospam" part :)

Try- rec.radio.swap You will get better results.

D.M. Schertzer
West Pennant, Nova Scotia
B3V-1M4 CANADA
de VE1-DAV

4802. WTB ICOM W2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ashby <bashby@seanet.com>
Message-ID: <6em4fr$fk9@q.seanet.com>
Source record: 150120

Looking for a ICOM W2A handheld with a charger stand
send E-Mail to
bashby at seanet dot com
Thanks

--
Bob Ashby
"Walk in peace fore they shall know us
only by the tracks we leave"
Wolf Grafx
Raven Research
ICQ#7553080
http://www.seanet.com/~bashby

4803. Re: Lost TS140 For Sale Message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350E9A43.12CC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150121

RusPC wrote:
>
> I seem to have misplaced a message advertising a TS 140. I wonder if the poster
> could re-post.
>
> Thanks

Hi RusPC -- go to Deja News at URL:
http://w2.dejanews.com/

Type in TS140

Get 7 or 8 recent posts of TS140's for sale.

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 70 PAGES AND 2000 LINKS
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

4804. FS: Kenwood TS-520 - $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <350E98E8.5AC2@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 150122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

VG condition + all manuals and extra set of final 6146's. Non Smoker radio. $300 + COD from Boston or can arrange pickup.

Steve Ross, N1IBS

4805. Re: Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <350EA472.340AF282@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150123

Grant wrote:

> I am a new amateur, I am also planning on taking a vacatio to the east
> coast of Canada this summer. I was wondering if 10 metres is a viable form
> of communication.

Hi Grant,Welcome to amateur radio. As the current sun spot cycle gets better so will 10 meters. Daytime band openings have seemed on the up-rise. I have noticed a lot more openings in the last several weeks then the previous months. I think that summer months are the best for 10. In addition to normal skip propagation, 10 meters is about the lowest band that can use sporadic-e. However Canada may be too far north to take advantage of sporadic-e openings.

> Could I hope to get overseas QSO's?

When the sunspot cycle is at it's best you can work the world on 5 watts from 10. It will probably peak within the next two years. This cycle seems to be a little slow.

> I see a few Realistic 10m rigs for sale on the swap nets, are the a
> reasonable rig?

I have one that I put in my old pickup truck as a mobile rig. I have no complaints about it as a mobile. For the price it is a good way to get on hf.

73
Mark
WA0DCA / AE

4806. DSP in my PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Marriott <mmandmm@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <6em9b3dip1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 150124

Is anyone famaliar with using pc+soundboard for dsp capabilities??? Any products/sites, etc would be appreciated.

Mark
wa6jiq
Palo Alto, CA

4807. Recommendation for travel trailer for radio use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEpz2r4.I14@netcom.com>
Source record: 150125

Planning on buying a travel trailer (the dwelling you tow behind your
car), and would be interested in suggestions for one that might also
make a good portable shack. Tow limit of car is 2K lbs so needs to
be pretty small. Not looking for a pop-up, but rather a fixed structure.
I think the weight limit keeps me to the 15-20 foot range.

Any thoughts? (PS I'm in Colorado if you have just what I want for sale!)

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

4808. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <350ED389.A88EEA11@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150126
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> If you're talking about the Ecoflow then the DTI's own scientists
> published the results which showed both a noticeable decrease in harmful
> exhaust emissions and a small improvement in fuel economy, I have a copy
> of all the dyno tests in my file.

So what? Water injection does this already. Are you saying I should by a expensive GEET fuel processor instead. I want neither. As sensors, fuel vaporization at injector, and software improve machine control systems, 99% of what is now achievable by a troublesome water injection system will be attainable. I'm not going to coninuously add water to my engine's fuel system, nor will I mix special fuels for the GEET. Noticeable decreases in emissions and small increases in performance are not what I would call "ground breaking technology" as its played up in the GEET pages. BTW, I have visited every single page you have posted here, but each one has the tale-tale sign of uninformed writers who are soon to be hit for a buck for absolutely no return.

Granted I may still want a water injection system on a prop plane. No matter how reliable an electronic IC may be, they don't hold up well to atmospheric lightening, unless you are the military and can afford the necessary protection.

Pearce - KF4MOK

4809. Uniden All Mode HR-2600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Allen <FAllen-IDC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6eml0n$hoj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150127

Hi,
I have two brand new Uniden HR-2600 10 meter radios for sale. $175.00 plus shipping.

Thanks,
Fred
fallen-idc@worldnet.att.net

4810. WTB: Autek RF-1,RF-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: LONNIE <NT6BLONNIE@EARTHLINK.NET>
Message-ID: <350EAB7C.A0C32737@EARTHLINK.NET>
Source record: 150128

Hello to the group!!!

Looking for the Autek RF-1 and RF-5 Antenna Analyzers. They must be in good working order and good cosmetic condition...If you have one or both of these Analyzers, drop me an note to my address address....thank you for reading my want....73's.

Lonnie (NT6B)

4811. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <350ED59B.6722B2E5@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150129
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Lou Hinshaw wrote:

> "Bert Douglas" <bertdNOSPAM@dibbs.net> wrote:
>
> >I don't know anything about GEET or their
> >process. In fact, I have never hear the term before.
> >
> >But, I asked my father about this. He says that
> >water injection was used in aircraft engines
> >during World War II to increase effective
> >power output. He says you can find lots of
> >old (1930s) articles on water injection
> >in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.
> I went to the www.friend.ly.net/GEET/ net and it does have to be capital
> GEET like that, and i read their stuff about the small vac carb with hot
> gas and I thought about some experimentation I did many years ago with
> Magneto-Hydro-Dynamics and I believe the stuff they are doing may be
> from a proven field, and they are using it to break new ground.
>
> Wouldn't that give the naysayers a shot in the butt>?

Not really, this whole thread is a rehash of what others and I have said about water injection. MHD is the moving via application of magnetic fields, or the generation of power by applying a magnetic field to a high energy plasma, of which car exhaust doesn't really apply to. I would doubt MHD would have little bearing on a combustion engine.

Ya'll can spawn as many threads about ICE's in a radio group as you like, but even one of the prime supporters has admitted that GEET is nothing more than a glorified water injection system with only small gains in gas mileage and emissions, both the exact same effects as water injection. Face it people, its not anything special. But you can have your fun I guess, it is a free country after all.

David Pearce
dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu

4812. FT-726 Computer Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: iain@PROBLEM_WITH_INEWS_GATEWAY_FILE
Message-ID: <6em95c$frn@hpwin055.uksr.hp.com>
Source record: 150130
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi All,

A Simple one this(I hope :>)...

Does the Yaesu FT-726 have any form of computer control ? If so, does it handle RS-232 direct, or do I need a converter ?

Unfortuantley the 726 has probably been around longer than I have been on the air.

Thanks in Advance

Iain, G7III

4813. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f7878e4c319c12d9896b7@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 150131
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <Pine.SOL.3.91.980316104329.11013C-
100000@world.evansville.net>, "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan"
<lysdexia@evansville.net> says...
> Actually I am pretty sure that the water vapor introduced to the mix had
> very little to do with cooling the charge. Some sort of heat exchanger
> would be needed to get any kind of useful cooling. What the water does in
> the "bongload depingifyer" is to prevent _detonation_. The agua will
> indeed slow the burn and prevent power-robbing explosions (ping). A
> smooth burn is a good burn when pushing a piston.

You know, it's all coming back to me now- this is the CORRECT reason
for using water injection- it eliminates detonation and ping.

Thanks for the history lesson! And yes, with it, you can burn a lower
octane of gasoline. The slower the gas burns, the less pinging. And-
some people are not aware of it, but the higher the octane of gas, the
slower it burns.

73 all, -Web

4814. WTB kam enhancement board ver8.0 or later

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpam_km5mz@qsl.net
Message-ID: <350ed989.10353631@news>
Source record: 150132

I just purchased a old kam ver 5.0 firmware.
I would like to add the enhancement board to my tnc.
Does anyone have one of these they want to sell or trade?
Kip
email to this address.

km5mz@qsl.net

4815. Re:Icom 735 QSY'er with an Icom 706 MkII & X-band repeat 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f787b6862001d729896b8@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 150133

In article <350d7cdb.57556213@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net says...
> On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 10:39:37 -0500, kr4wm@bigfoot.com (Web Williams) wrote:
> >Tried it- didn't work. Anybody have any success with this?
> >
> >73, -Web
> >kr4wm@bigfoot.com
>
> Did you remember to set the IC-706 to IC-735 compatibility mode?
> The IC-735 used a different command format than later Icom radios.
> The IC-706 can be set to understand that format from the initial
> start menu. See manual.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>

I looked in the manual- nothing about it. There is an CI-V 731 mode,
but apparently, this is not what needs setting either. There are also
several dozen memory locations, from 01H through 7FH, and I tried about
a dozen of them without success. Icom ain't making it easy!

Someone also mentioned that the MkII will do cross band repeat from
6m to 2m, and that the documentation was in the owners manual. They
were wrong too. (About there being any documentation in the owners
manual). I will also ask Icom about this, and post my findings here.
There is nothing in the makeup of the radio to suggest that this is
possible. It would have to be a dual-band radio, which it is not.

I'll call their tech support on the phone today, and post whatever
answers I find here on the newsgroup.

73 all, -Web in Myrtle Beach, SC

P.S. I found a place on the 'net with a schematic for a "clone" CI-V
converter for less than $5. If anyone wants a copy, I'll post it here.
You're on your own for getting it to work, though! I also have a source
for those hard-to-find 7 and 8 pin female DIN line jacks, for making
your own OPC-599 cable using Icom's included 14 pin mini-DIN jack. Who
wants to pay $70 for $5 worth of parts??? Hesco, INC. in Myrtle Beach,
SC. (803) 448-9903 Then you can use your trusty old Icom accessories
like the AT-150, etc. with your new IC-706 MkII!

4816. !!!FS: Jennings Vacuum Capacitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Munster <jeremym@novell.uidaho.edu>
Message-ID: <350ED8A8.C4BDD845@novell.uidaho.edu>
Source record: 150134

I have a Jennings 5-300pF Vacuum variable capacitor rated at 10,000
Volts
Best offer...

4817. FS: Yaesu FT 212

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jan and/or Len P." <n9hkg@apci.net>
Message-ID: <350eb33e.0@queeg.apci.net>
Source record: 150135
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Yaesu FT 212 RH-45w, 21 memories. MH-15db dtmf 10-memory smart mic. with manual & mobil bracket. Will ship. #200.00. Send inquiries to n9hkg@apci.net

4818. VHF/UHF Items on E-BAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <350EC049.A40@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150136

Hi From SNOWY!!! Calgary... I have the following 3 V/Uhf items on E-Bay...:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8094667

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8288409

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8541194

All items working 100% and Clean un-modified... 73 de Jordan...

4819. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <350ED69E.FC39D68F@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150137
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Philip de Cadenet wrote:

> Hydrogen powered transit van?
> I seem to remember an article a million years ago about the water
> powered ford transit van built by the automotive department at
> Loughborough University in Leicestershire.
> Can anyone throw some truth on that one?
> No energy from water, yea right.

Just how do you think hydrogen comes about? By alot more energy than you get by burning it with oxygen, thats for sure. Its the common rule of effeciency, and this process happens to be on the best examples. However, we do have plenty of sunlight with which to separate water into its constituent parts, so I would still deem it a viable technology, that is to burn hydrogen (not water, Phil, but hydrogen, I hope you realize they are different) extracted from water at huge solar stations.

David

4820. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <350ED92E.CD769F55@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 150138
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> In article <Pine.SOL.3.91.980316104329.11013C-
> 100000@world.evansville.net>, "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan"
> <lysdexia@evansville.net> says...
> > Actually I am pretty sure that the water vapor introduced to the mix had
> > very little to do with cooling the charge. Some sort of heat exchanger
> > would be needed to get any kind of useful cooling. What the water does in
> > the "bongload depingifyer" is to prevent _detonation_. The agua will
> > indeed slow the burn and prevent power-robbing explosions (ping). A
> > smooth burn is a good burn when pushing a piston.

It has QUITE A BIT!!!!! You mist it to reduce the surface area of the droplets allowing the water to heat and vaporize quickly. The reduces Charge Air Temperature, by vaporization of said water, which reduces temprature, which reduces detonation. Detonation is when the flame front doesn't start at the plug, but at the cylinder walls, because the mixture is so hot, all it needs is that extra juice available from the cylinder walls to trigger off center flame fronts early on before the plug EVER fires.

So yes, it prevents detonation, but BY COOLING THE CHARGE!!! Nothing less .... its an equivalent to the intercooler used on turbosystems. Heck you could replace the intercooler on a turbo system, but you don't have to fill up a turbo's intercooler with water over and over. If you want the proof in the pudding, write Lotus. They built the most powerful 4 cylinder production car ever made. It took the intercooler a step further with water, but removed the water from the air system and recirculated it instead of air to cool the charge air. The result? 285HP was the last remembered specific output for the engine as I can recall, all from 2.2Ls. What more do you need?

And when you run with less detonation in a engine, that means you can push the timing agressively up towards TDC, making more use of the resulting explosion. Get a basic mechanics text book on engine folks, all this has been written and rehashed millions of times, literally.

At first I didn't mind these threads, but it looks like 80% of the participants wouldn't know a engine from a electric motor.

Pearce - KF4MOK

4821. TUBES on E-BAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <350EC269.5501@nucleus.com>
Source record: 150139

I have the following tubes for bid on E-BAY

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8311849

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8312227

Get them while you can... 73 de Jordan...

4822. FS: USED TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: iakincorp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031720483600.PAA27654@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150140

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/iakincorp/tubes">Click Here</A>
To go to tube site.

4823. Re: QUESTION: ICOM-706MkII, what's the catch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <350eb6a9.95430704@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150141

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 18:54:55 -0800, Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>And now it comes with DSP -- or at least a free add-in (i.e., inboard)
>DSP unit when they become available. April ETA. Older owners (and I
>am, in both senses) have to pay approx. $150 or so for the DSP unit,
>still well worth it IMHO.

Why do you think it is well worth it, Phil? Do you have any test data
or user reports which would indicate that the DSP module does
anything worthwhile? AFAIK, it is nothing but an auto-notcher
with some unspecified noise reduction capability. Auto-notch
is nice, but not $150 worth of nice. And some noise reduction
schemes are more harm than help. Are you sure this one isn't
one of those?

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4824. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <350eb918.96053854@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150142

On 17 Mar 1998 04:40:43 GMT, "Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
>ANYBODY KNOW HOW TO MOD OR CHANGE COMPONENT TO MAKE MY RIG IN HIGH POWER OF
>100W (OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND.

You can't. The driver stage is used as the final on the 2m band. The PA won't work on 2m. That's why it is only 10 watts.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4825. IC-R8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David VanHorn <dvanhorn@cedar.net>
Message-ID: <6emebu$1mf$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 150143

I understand that Icom is giving away control software with the 8500 now..
Does anyone know
where an "early adopter" can locate a copy?

thanks :) (Why is it that we early adopters get the raw deals?)

4826. Mod for HTX 242 - ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tadunlap@kellnet.com
Message-ID: <350eb7e0.20114855@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 150144

Looking for an extended TX mod for the Radio Shack 2M mobile
(HTX-242). Anyone know of any?
Thanks.

Todd...
tadunlap@kellnet.com

4827. WTD uhf radio for repeater link

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Rankin <ve9dwf@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <6emis2$ml7$1@garnet.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 150145

Looking for a uhf rig for linking up of a vhf repeater on site to a UHF located less that a mile away. Because of the distance,, any low power rig will do.....

thanks
ve9dwf@nbnet.nb.ca

4828. RE: Icom 706 MkII (how to use QSY'er and 706 cross-band repeat)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f78896744a38fe69896b9@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 150146

To all who have been posting about these items:

The QSY'er will work FB with the IC-706 MkII. You have to go into the setup mode by holding in the LOCK button while turning on the radio. Go to menu option 25, CI-V address. Set this to 04H. Then go to option 26, and set baud rate to 1200 baud. You could probably leave this set to auto, but since I _KNOW_ the correct baud rate of the QSY'er to be 1200, I went ahead and set it to this parameter. Next, go to option 28, and set it to ON. This says CI-V 731, which is meaningless to me, but Icom says to turn this option ON for Icom 735 compatibility (4 bit vs. 5 bit commands). Then turn your 706 MkII off. Next time you turn it on, your QSY'er will work like magic! Of course, modes are incorrect above 10m.

Now, about that cross-band repeater thing. According to Icom- (I PHONED thier tech support line- on hold for only a few minutes, NOT BAD Icom!) The IC-706 MkII WILL NOT DO CROSS BAND REPEAT!!! This was printed IN ERROR IN QST!!! The tech said they were expecting a bunch of phone calls, but not that many have materialized. The reason it cannot do cross band repeat is that it is NOT CAPABLE OF TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING AT THE SAME TIME. End of story. Once again, NO, it CANNOT do cross-band repeat. Those of you who told me to look in my owners manual OBVIOUSLY don't have the radio OR the manual. You're probably looking at the erroneous QST article.

'Nuff said- hope to work you all on the HF bands someday with my 706 MkII! 73 all, -Web in Myrtle Beach, SC

4829. FS motorized crank up tubular tower "new"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031718331600.NAA09218@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150147

Tower For Sale. My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and
received a U.S. Towers 70 foot fully motorized crank up tubular tower. It includes the indoor
control box to raise and lower the tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.
He paid $6000 + shipping. His wife would take $4000. You can call me at 516 486 1861.
We are in New York on Long Island. KB2VX Rob. Thanks 516 486 1861
qin2@aol.com. I have all paperwork and receipt.

4830. TRC-485 LCD adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@see.sig.to.reply
Message-ID: <MPG.f78860f53dcc9729896c9@news.richmond.edu>
Source record: 150148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I own a Radio Shack TRC-485. The rig is mounted in such a way that the LCD display is viewed at an angle from below. At this viewing angle, the LCD segments are extremely low in contrast. It appears that the polarization of the LCD display is adjusted for viewing angles perpendicular to or from an angle above the unit.

Is there an adjustment on the rig which will allow me to change the polarization of the display so that the display will have high contrast from the low viewing angle? Most LCD panels have such an adjustment, I'm assuming it's inside the rig.

Thanks!!

--Steve

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To reply via email, remove one 'r' from my address:
szinski@rrichmond.edu

4831. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nrgrebel@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6emrqk$a4b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150149
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <6egrpm$j3o$0@198.79.30.78>,
"Bert Douglas" <bertdNOSPAM@dibbs.net> wrote:
>
> I don't know anything about GEET or their
> process. In fact, I have never hear the term before.
>
> But, I asked my father about this. He says that
> water injection was used in aircraft engines
> during World War II to increase effective
> power output. He says you can find lots of
> old (1930s) articles on water injection
> in the Journal of the Society of Automotive Engineers.
>
> Apparently it works by increasing cyclinder
> pressures near the bottom of the stroke.
>
> Of course, there is no energy coming from the
> water, and the water is not burning, and there
> is no violation of the law of conservation of
> energy.
>
> In a water injected engine there is less energy
> in the exhaust gases, all other things being
> equal. The water is merely a means of
> extracting a little more useful energy from
> combustion gases.
>
> My Dad says further, that water injection
> shortens engine life and for ordinary applications
> (other than racing or warfare) it is not worth
> the trouble. Of course, it is quite possible
> that technical advances in the last 50 years
> have solved the drawbacks of water
> injection.
>
> Bert Douglas
>

Bert,

I've used water injection quite a bit over the past 15 years and have no
complaints. If the engine is optimized to use the extra "octane" equivelance
you can see substantial gains. I've seen no problems with engine life. In
fact is seems much cleaner inside. No carbon buildup etc.

One should understand that there are many different configurations of water injection. The simplest just draw vapor under vac from a canister.
The best I've seen is the Goodman system. He actually made it on television and in a few magazines several years ago. He modified his car with pistons that raised his compression ratio to about 13:1, and with only the pistons and his water injection increased mileage by 50%. His system used the air pump to draw the water and provided a very nice "fog" that was proportional to load of the engine, something no other unit I've seen does.

Also, of possible interest:
Have you seen anything on Rudolph Gunnermans A-21 fuel?
It is half water and half naptha gas. It works in diesel or gas engines.

I also recently tested a fuel treatment that promotes the fact that it has water in it. (In reality almost all of them do, though most don't promote it as a benefit. It is also in gas at the pump) . It has worked quite well in most of the vehicles that I've tried it in.

The truth is out there......

grant goldade
http://idt.net/~cnfrmtn9

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4832. JRC radio modification???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4bh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317003301.TAA03343@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150167

A fellow ham friend of mine has a JRC Model JST-245 Transceiver. He would like to extend the transmitter output frequencies to be able to drive transverters. Since he doesn't have online capabilities I thought I would see what I could find for him. Checking the "ftp mod" sites resulted nothing.

Does anybody have this info or know where to get it? Please e-mail or post.

Mny Tnx es 73's
Ken
KK4BH

4833. Rack panels and enclosures wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1bug@mint.net
Message-ID: <350dcafd.19600370@news.mint.net>
Source record: 150168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

I'm still looking for an inexpensive source of 5.25" and 8.75" rack
panels (19" wide)... could even be slightly used with a hole or two if
not too bad...

Also need enclosures:
One in the 4 x 4 x 16" to 5 x 15 x 17" range...
One in the 6 x 7 x 10" to 8 x 15 x 17" range...

And a transformer, 16 to 20v @ 20+ amps, 115v primary.

Anybody have any of this? Please Email me.

Paul N1BUG
n1bug@mint.net

4834. FS 440 ATV Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Wentz <dwentz@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5146$728c4d80$a32404d0@dragon.mcs.accessus.net>
Source record: 150169

I have for sale a PC Electronics TX70-1 ATV Transmiter, and matching downconverter

Units are in good shape, just no ATV going on in the area.

Would like $300.00 for the pair plus shipping.

73's and thanks, de kb9jja/dale

4835. Help ID these 800 Mhz GE Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Wentz <dwentz@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5146$2ce1d480$a32404d0@dragon.mcs.accessus.net>
Source record: 150170

One is marked MDS in the top, and has the following numbers on the bottom
TR-199
AXATR-199A2

The other has no markings, and has a hand set like a cell phone
Markings on the bottom are
DXC8100
AXATR-302-A2

Got these in a trade at a ham fest a while back, and would like to know
what they
are, and if they can be converted to HAM use

73's and thanks, de kb9jja/dale

4836. FS: FT900AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rs2bk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317020001.VAA19918@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150171

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Sell: New in box - unopened hamfest prize - FT900AT
with Collins filter and separation kit. $950.00 shipped.
Contact Jim, w9ud
rs2bk@aol.com
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4837. FS: ICOM IC-706 Mark I

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sereikas@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ekm2g$2no@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150172

I have for sale a mint ICOM IC-706 Mark I. I am the original owner and it looks and works like new. It has never been modified. It comes with the original box, manual and hand mike.

I will ship it for $825.

If interested, please reply via email or call during the day at 908-221-7736.

73 and thanks!

George
KC2MF in NJ

4838. FS: MIRAGE 222 AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAT COKER <N6RMJ@QNET.COM>
Message-ID: <350de008.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 150173

FOR SALE MIRAGE C 1012G
220-225 10W IN 120W OUT W/GAS FET PREAMP LOOKS AND WORKS LIKE NEW
$200 + SHIPPING
REPLY DIRECT ONLY
N6RMJ@QNET.COM

4839. Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant <gbutchernospam@speedline.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd514e$aad92b60$2e1482ce@gbutcher>
Source record: 150174

I am a new amateur, I am also planning on taking a vacatio to the east
coast of Canada this summer. I was wondering if 10 metres is a viable form
of communication. Could I hope to get overseas QSO's? I see a few Realistic
10m rigs for sale on the swap nets, are the a reasonable rig?
Thanks in advance
Grant
p.s to reply remove the no spam from my address(I think?)

4840. FS: ICOM 706 (Excellent Condx)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: millner@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <MPIP.281$ya.2601255@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 150175
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.dx

For Sale:

ICOM 706 in Excellent Condition.

160 - 2 Meters

Mike, Manual and Power Cable

$825 Shipping Included In Cont. USA

JIM
WB2REM

wb2rem@amsat.org

4841. Need EICO 710 Grid Dip Meter manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Sharon <DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ekr3a$cv1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150176

I just acquired an EICO 710 Grid Dip Meter. Unfortunately it did not come
with any documentation. Can anyone help me with a manual or copy thereof?
It would make my day (sorry, Clint). Thanks.
--
Denis Sharon WA2NBU Ridgefield, CT

4842. "AU"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ekqn5$9uh@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

Please resend your e-mail message. My e-mail crashed this morning
before I can open your e-mail. Thanks

On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 03:02:15 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>New low price is $350. This is an excellent bargain at this price.
>
>On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 04:48:10 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
>(Kin Ho) wrote:
>
>>Those who know the name know the company's reputation for quality.
>>
>>For those who are not familiar with the radio, it's a mid-70s hot
>>collector's HF receiver. Its the size and shape of a 70s home stereo
>>receiver. It has a polish silver front panel with matching knobs,
>>and real wood side panels. The radio puts out 2 watts of audio
>>through its built-in 4" speaker. Antenna and external speaker
>>connections are in the back of the radio, along with a "RCA" jack
>>marked 455 IF output.
>>
>>Its in excellent condition and works like new. I have the manual, but
>>sorry no box. No scratches or nicks on the radio. Here is some of
>>its features as indicated on the owners manual:
>>
>>* Continous coverage from 50 khz to 29.7 mhz
>>* Solid phase locked digital synthesis tuning
>>* High level RF front end for excellent intermodulation rejection and
>> sensitivity.
>>* Crystal filters in first and second IF amplifiers, and ceraminc
>> filter in third IF provide outstanding selectivity.
>>* Designed to use with HiFi systems, or as a self contained receiver
>>* Receives am, usb, lsb, and cw
>>* Switch selectable 4 or 8 khz bandwith
>>* 5000 hz audio heterodyne notch filter
>>* Built-in (selectable) RF preamplifier and fine tuning control.
>>* You do not need an external or active antenna with this radio!
>>
>>The radio displays frequencies in 5 digits. The far right digit
>>(which is three digits to the right of the decimial display) has the
>>top 1/4 of that particular digit burn-out. This in no way interferes
>>with the operation of the radio. You can still make out the digit.
>>
>>I would like to sell this fine collectors stereo shortwave for $500 US

>>or best offer. I will ship US or world-wide as long as you pay actual
>>shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.
>

4843. Got a Hickok 800A Tube Tester>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Sharon <DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ekrcj$fat@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150178

I just acquired a Hickok 800A tube tester. It's in nice condition and I'm pleased but unfortunately it did not come with any documentation. Can anyone help me with a manual or copy thereof? I'd be most appreciative. Thanks.
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Denis Sharon WA2NBU Ridgefield, CT

4844. Kenwood TS-440s FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317041101.XAA15434@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150179

Kenwood ts-440s for sale.Microphone,manual. excellent condition.updated by kenwood factory service.$625 . Rob kb2vx qin2@aol.com 516 486 1861.

4845. Drake TR-4C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Hyde <bhyde@ns.vvm.com>
Message-ID: <350D28FE.7B85@ns.vvm.com>
Source record: 150180

I have a Drake TR-4C with matching MS-4 power supply and speaker and
Shure mike for sale. This set up works well and looks nice. Best offer
over $300. .
bhyde@ns.vvm.com

4846. IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <neltang@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd515e$9a1b54a0$6d0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 150181

ANYBODY KNOW HOW TO MOD OR CHANGE COMPONENT TO MAKE MY RIG IN HIGH POWER OF 100W (OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND.

TKS A LOT

73

4847. fair trade for Icom IC-02AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc7vwq4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317044501.XAA21498@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150182

What would be a fair trade for the Icom IC-02AT? Thanks to all who respond...

Kris Arens
KC7VWQ

4848. Info on Hustler Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn6epsac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317044700.XAA21815@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150183

Recently acquired a HUSTLER 20 M Antenna. It is faded from outdoor exposure, but I think I make out "Model 457V" and the word "trap" on the label. It's about 9 feet long with six radials projecting at the bottom and four near the top. It has what looks like a trap near the top with a three foot vertical whip at the very top, coming out of the trap. Anyone have any ideas on this antenna? I don't see a PL 259 or any other dind of connector. Where would the cable connect?

thanks
George
KN6EP
Sacramento

4849. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron N6AHA <ronc@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5166$9ba77940$e4e7c9d0@ron1>
Source record: 150184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> >: >
> >: >That station is still on the air in California. The FCC can not shut
it
> >: >down as a Judge is looking into the fact that the FCC does not issue
> >: >licenses for stations under 100watts, and therefore limits the
airwaves
> >: >to only the very rich.

Actually, the station I was referring to was in Florida. The California
station is only on while procedural matters are reviewed, which in
currently in progress.

Ron
N6AHA
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4850. FS: Tubes and Schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Cropper <tcropper@ringer.cs.utsa.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd156d$88ed17e0$495febcf@tcserver>
Source record: 150185

Please visit my NEW website for tubes and schematics for radios from the
1930's to the 1970's and more!
Go to: http://www.cs.utsa.edu/~tcropper/t-s.htm

73's
Toby Cropper

4851. Need Info - J-COM SDP-600 simplex/duplex autopatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5167$bfa6c160$4c8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150186

I am considering buying a nice condition used J-COM SDP-600 simplex/duplex autopatch "smart phone patch" made by ZTEL electronics that someone has offered. He is asking $175. He doesn't know a lot about it. What is this worth? Does it have autodial memories? Is it readily usable for a home repeater setup? Could I also use it for phone patches from my HF rig for missionaries and other traffic? I've searched the net and no answers.
-- Thanks for any help & 73, DavidC AA1FA

4852. Re: F.S Laptop modems $55

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317061101.BAA04464@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150187

Two laptop modems forsale

1- TDK CyberExpress 3000 PCMCIA Modem w/cable
V.34 28.8kbps Data/14.4 kbps fax
Asking $55

1- Megahertz PCMCIA Modem w/XJACK Connector
28.8/14.4 kbps Data/ Fax
Asking $55********SOLD**************

Please e-mail me with all inquires
Thanks
Robert
DeForger@aol.com

4853. Motorola Radio Sale:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: e10mo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317065100.BAA09178@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150188

We welcome you to check out our website at
www.usedradio.net

We have many pre-owned Motorola radios in stock.

portable radio such as:

gp300
p110
ht600
p200
ht-1000
SP50

Mobiles such as:

GM300
MAXTRAC
SM50
etc.

We get radios in all the time as we actively bid on equip all the time
that if there is not a Motorola radio not lisited that you are looking for,let
us know.

If you have questions or comments,

e-mail me at:

e10mo@aol.com

Koichiro Taguchi
sales/marketing

American Radio Exchange

4854. Motorola Radio Sale#

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: e10mo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317065600.BAA09557@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150189

>We welcome you to check out our website at
>www.usedradio.net
>
>We have many pre-owned Motorola radios in stock.
>
>portable radio such as:
>
>gp300
>p110
>ht600
>p200
>ht-1000
>SP50
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>Mobiles such as:
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>GM300
>MAXTRAC
>SM50
>etc.
>
>We get radios in all the time as we actively bid on equip all the time
>that if there is not a Motorola radio not lisited that you are looking
>for,let
>us know.
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>If you have questions or comments,
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>e-mail me at:
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>e10mo@aol.com
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>Koichiro Taguchi
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>American Radio Exchange
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4855. Motorola Radio for Sale:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: e10mo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317065700.BAA09727@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150190

>We welcome you to check out our website at
>www.usedradio.net
>
>We have many pre-owned Motorola radios in stock.
>
>portable radio such as:
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>gp300
>p110
>ht600
>p200
>ht-1000
>SP50
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>Mobiles such as:
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>GM300
>MAXTRAC
>SM50
>etc.
>
>We get radios in all the time as we actively bid on equip all the time
>that if there is not a Motorola radio not lisited that you are looking
>for,let
>us know.
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>If you have questions or comments,
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>e-mail me at:
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4856. Motorola Radio Sale list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: e10mo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317065700.BAA09769@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150191

>We welcome you to check out our website at
>www.usedradio.net
>
>We have many pre-owned Motorola radios in stock.
>
>portable radio such as:
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>gp300
>p110
>ht600
>p200
>ht-1000
>SP50
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>Mobiles such as:
>
>GM300
>MAXTRAC
>SM50
>etc.
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>We get radios in all the time as we actively bid on equip all the time
>that if there is not a Motorola radio not lisited that you are looking
>for,let
>us know.
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>If you have questions or comments,
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>e-mail me at:
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>American Radio Exchange
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4857. Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joseph E. Lee, Jr. (Joey)" <joeylee@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <350E2258.63FA9710@datasync.com>
Source record: 150192

I am looking into buying a HT soon and I can't decide between the 79A or
the G71A. If you own one of these drop me a line on what you personally
think. I am considering the 79a because of its dual recieve capabilites
but the illumintated keypad and computer based programing features of
the G71a are very attractive.

I am also open for suggestions on another brand. But i perfer Kenwood.

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Later,
Joseph E. Lee, Jr. (Joey)
Datasync Support Technician
email: joeylee@datasync.com
ham radio: KD5DKY (Technican Class)
(Passed General 3/10/1998)

4858. FS:Kenwood SP23 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317073200.CAA12822@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150193

I have a kenwood sp23 speaker in mint condition asking 30.oo

K2JY@aol.com

4859. Cushcraft A270-10s 2m/70cm beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317073401.CAA12910@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150194

have a cushcraft 2m/70cm beam in great condition asking 55.oo

K2JY@aol.com

4860. Knight T-150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa0lkf@gte.NET
Message-ID: <199803170821.CAA16562@smtp1.mailsrvcs.net>
Source record: 150195

I have a Knight Kit T150 all in very nice condition, however, it came without the two octal plugs in the back of the chassis. Nothing happens without these plugged in.
Of course there was no manual with the transmitter either when I got it. I would be happy to purchase a manual for anyone, or pay for copies of one in order to get this Boat Anchor going. Dave Rust, wa0lkf@gte.net

4861. WTB: MFJ-207 Antenna Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight W9YQ <dgbcms@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <350E3B04.FEA5068D@netnet.net>
Source record: 150196

WTB: MFJ-207 Antenna Analyzer

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73 ... Dwight ... de W9YQ

4862. Need instructions for Kenwood TH-26e

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avatar <l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980317100115.8087A-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 150197

Subject: Need instructions for Kenwood TH-26e

I'm looking for the manual and/or specifications of this handheld or
someone who has one and can tell me more about it.

I'm willing to pay for the copies and mail.

73

---------- [Avatar] --- l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt ------------------
Electronics & Telecomunications - IST - Portugal
http://camoes.rnl.ist.utl.pt/~amlm CB:Buraco Negro (27.085MHz)
-------- Gestor da mailing list de anedotas em portugues ---------

4863. FS: Tube Ham Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980317103500.FAA21222@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150198

I have the following Radio, and electronic equipment for sale. Reasonable offers or trades for radio and Pentium computer EQ. will be considered. All working last time tested unless noted. Shipping is extra.
Thanks

• Tempo-1- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. Looks good and works well. 100W output. $200

• Motorola VHF Remote All tube Model: PA8270J SER.NO: 8697. There is also a tone Signal and intercom control on front below speaker. This is the type that was used by police and fire dispatchers in the past. Don't know if it works. $50

• Heathkit HW 101, 80-10 meter transceiver. No Power supply. It is receiving, but don't know about transmit. Not able to test. Looks are 7/10. As is $100.

• Hallicrafters Model S-108 SW Receiver with a calb. Ham band spread. Looks good works well.$75

• MFJ Rtty/CW Computer Interface Model MFJ-1224, used for copying code from the radio to your computer. $50

• Pearce Simpson, Guardian 23- All tube CB Transceiver/with mobil power cord and mounting bracket. Looks and works Good. $100

• Traynor, Group Two B- Audio Amp Head. High/ Low mic. in puts. Master volume, volume, bass, treble and tone shaper controls. $125

• Channel Master- Tube Stereo Receiver (Model 6612) and matching amp (Model 6601) Looks good and plays on FM. AM not working. $125

• Sams CB Photofact- Several volumes, some continuos: numbers as follow: Continuos 57- 65. Individual 70,72,80,88,93,98,104,120,122,128 178,190,226.Will sell all or 10 for $4 each+ shipping. Single volumes are $6 plus shipping.

• AR Inc.- Stereo Amp, all solid state. $100

4864. WTB: Astatic D-104 Desk Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <6elptj$2ip$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Looking for Astatic D-104 desk mic. in working condition. Amplified or non-amplified ok. Looking for something inexpensive. Email me with what you have and your asking price please.
--
Tim, K8TJ

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

4865. FS: Yaesu YH-2 Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rskeeter <rskeeter@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <3510a316.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 149901

I have for sale 1 Yaesu YH-2 Headset for Yaesu Hand held radios.

The YH-2 is not for use with the FT-208R or FT-708R.

Asking $10.00

4866. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-520 - $300 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35109E05.21CC@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149902
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Steven Ross wrote:
>
> VG condition + all manuals and extra set of final 6146's. Non Smoker
> radio. $300 + COD from Boston or can arrange pickup.
>
> Steve Ross, N1IBS

4867. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <351076D5.7337@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 149903

Mike, I agree, but I think they could have added just a FEW more features
to make it a really decent HF rig...

> > 2-No narrow SSB filter
>
> You can add Collins mechanical filters in 2.5kHz and 500Hz widths, and
> there are separate slots for SSB TX and RX.

2.5 isn't really narrow.... 2.1, ok, 1.9 even nicer, but nobody in their
right mind would want a 1.9 as their only filter (listening to all those
strange sounding people on it would drive you nuts (in times when you
don't need a filter)). See, the 2.5 is going to be like the 2.75 in the
900 CAT and 1000MP, which is to say its in line at all times, you can't
toggle it in and out as you need it. For 2.75, or even 2.5, that's fine.
I just think a "toggleable" SSB narrow filter slot would have been nice.
But then again, neither the 900 nor the 920 have it.
>
> > 3-NO Auto Tuner
>
> No *built-in* auto tuner. IMO, built-in means you pay for less
> flexibility. Sure, you could disable the built-in tuner on a rig that had one and use an
external, but then you'd have paid for something
you're not using that's just sucking up space and precious dBs. There
will be an external auto-tuner for their screwdriver mobile antenna
(which does look really short, but I'll wait for the tests...)

Added cost on the buyer's part. Built ins, while sometimes unnecessary,
help out in tuning to the edges of 40 or 80 (but then again, the 847 is
being marketed, IMHO, as a Satellite rig that also does HF, rather than
an HF rig that can do Sat work). Perhaps they could offer it as an
option, as on the original 900's. As for sucking up dBs... nah, not
much. External is another box to deal with (and they aren't cheap). Who
knows, these are just my ramblings, and I'm no radio designer....
>
> > 4-Only IF Shift, NO Width (so no "dual passband" tuning)
>
> > 5-No Manual Notch (what good is auto noch on CW... none)
>
> Well, there's independently adjustable low/high pass DSP... you can make this "passband"
as narrow as 25Hz.

Yeah, fine, but the DSP is at AF, which means you really aren't adjusting
your passband... you are playing with the sound coming out of the AGC...
which is already pumped up from the close adjacent 900,000 watt broadcast
station on 40M :) The shift helps, but even the old 757 had shift AND

width, which is a real way to do it, rather than cheaping out and doing it through the little black DSP chip.

> $0.02,
> Mike
> KF4TEK

Ditto, just my ramblings. I've never owned anything but Yaesu HF gear. My problem is with the newer rigs, the 920 and the 847. Don't get me wrong, for the price, they are awesome pieces of gear. But for a few bucks more they could be really much better competitors. For example, look at the filtering and Dual passband on the IC-756. Plus, you get an auto tuner. Now, look at the IC-746... same price range as the 847, but you can slap a total of 3 toggleable (and 4 fixed) filters into it.. You also have dual passband, and the auto tuner.... Only AFTER the filtering and passband (both of which operate at IF...) do you have the DSP to clean things up. I just think that Yaesu is starting to cheapen their line, and I'm sorry to see it....

Oh well, we'll still line up at the stores to buy them...

Cheers -- Pete -- KA2YDY

4868. Sears VHF 2M Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG0PB <wizardks@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <3510B320.4BE8@midusa.net>
Source record: 149904

A friend came back from a Ham-Fest with an odd radio. It seems that Sears at one time made Ham radios. It's a model 420.????????. If any one has any info on this radio please post. Interested in who actually made it. And when. The thing works just great. Only major draw back is the fact that it will only tune to 10k.

Thanks Sauron

4869. Re: Kachina Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <3510C2DA.707D@nidlink.com>
Source record: 149905

Michael Poteet wrote:
>
> I noticed that the Kachina advertisement in the April issue of QST
> had a quote from QST about the Kachina computer based system.
> Does this mean that the QST review has been completed and will be
> appearing soon (or is this an April Fools joke by Kachina)?
>
> Mike W5FTD

You already have the April issue of QST? No wonder everything in the ham ads is already sold by the time I get mine the last day or two of the month.

David, WA7ZYQ in north Idaho

While you're serving up spam, don't forget these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

4870. Kenwood TS530 SP transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rollins <rollins@island.net>
Message-ID: <6eqcsc$v8o$1@frasier.island.net>
Source record: 149906

Hello. Does anybody have any information on the Kenwood TS530 SP Transeiver. Is it a good unit etc. Please send by e-mail, don't post on newsgroup. Thanks...

Sean

4871. RCA WO-33A Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Norm Melick <henmel@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6eqct6$p81@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149907

I just "rescued" an immaculate RCA WO-33A Oscilloscope, with probes, from the junk pile. The trace is nice and bright, and the scope appears to work. I don't have a manual (of course), and zero information on this piece of equipment.

Does anyone have a manual I could buy/copy? I'd also appreciate any background and information on this interesting piece of equipment.

Thanks in advance,

Norm/KQ6SD

4872. Ripoff Warning Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gpewitt@execpc.com
Message-ID: <6eq036$1a7@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 149908
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Mr. Lessa has responded with a tracking number. I am awaiting delivery
of the radio. He has also asked to see any messages from people who
expressed dis-satisfaction in their dealings with him. I will not
forward any messages without permission from the senders. If you
sent me such a message and are willing for it to be forwarded to
Mr. Lessa please inform me. Thanks to everyone who sent me information
and support. 73 Gary

4873. Re: IC-R8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Message-ID: <3510184F.6ECA@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Source record: 149909

Pat Sullivan wrote:
>
> Yea I got mine in January, love it, and want the software.....
>
> 73 all de Pat KK6PD
>
> David VanHorn wrote:
>
> > I understand that Icom is giving away control software with the 8500 now..
> > Does anyone know
> > where an "early adopter" can locate a copy?
> >
> > thanks :) (Why is it that we early adopters get the raw deals?)

I think their recent ad in QST said something about downloading free s/w
updates from their web site. You might want to try that.

DK

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Dave Keyser | The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily
Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

4874. any maual for ic 775 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ik8iuu@amsat.org
Message-ID: <3511176d.26611812@news.tin.it>
Source record: 149910

looking for good manual for the icm ic 775 dsp

the original manual is not very complete.
tnx

Thanks For reading.

Bye,
Claude

4875. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uRx4pZuU9GA.292@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149911

Dave Martindale wrote in message <6dn7n0$e8@harp.cs.ubc.ca>...
>
>Yeah, it's normal, and no, you can't do anything about it.
>

In an inverter, you must include circuitry and/or firmware to DC
balance the transformer, otherwise any small asymmetry of the
driving waveform will add up over some cycles until the transformer
is saturated. This is one of those life's little annoyances that make
UPS designs a wee bit more complicated than you might at first
think!

BTW, the residual flux isn't all that high usually and there are
circuits out there that will switch on the transformer at the right
point in the cycle to mostly eliminate the saturation problem.
I think most people should just live with the thump unless they
are feeling adventuresome. Also, M6 steel will have less residual
(if I remember correctly) than the crap steel used in cheap
transformers that seem to be the rule these days.

...Peter

4876. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uzTkaauU9GA.163@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149912

Gary Coffman wrote in message <35002a46.564672083@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>
>That's just case resonance.

I wonder if they consider that a "feature"?

4877. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS I CURED IT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <evOv8buU9GA.213@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149913

kc5mdm@iglobal.net wrote in message <6dub7i$s63$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Now if I could just find
>those "loud crackeling noises" when I transmit!! I got the cat out of the
>powersupply so thats not it!! Murray
>

Did you get ALL the pieces of the cat out?

4878. Kenwood Filters for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <6eu2b4$7jm$1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 149914
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

I have the following Kenwood filters for sale.

YK-88S SSB filter $75

YK-88A AM filter $65

YK-88CN 270hz CW $75

YK-88SN 1.8khz SSB $75

YK-88C 500hz CW $125

YK-88A-1 AM filter $75

YG-455C 500hz CW $125 All prices plus UPS

YG-455S-1 SSB filter $100

YG-455C-1 500hz cw $125

YG-455CN-1 250hz cw $135

YK-88C-1 500hz CW $75

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

4879. DELAWARE ham radio license plate available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6eotcs$9dt@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 149951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Greetings from Texas!

I recently discovered my old Delaware ham radio license plate hiding
in a drawer. My call sign was WB3JBG. The plate is in good shape.
Last time the plate was on a car was in early 1980 (I moved from
Delaware to Texas in April, 1980).

If you collect ham plates and need Delaware, get in touch with me.
I want it to go to a good home.

I may have my Texas KC5NG plates somewhere too, but I'm not sure.

Dean, K5DH (formerly KC5NG, KA5JVU, WB3JBG)

4880. DJ-G1 Mod Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ij069@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <6eotjq$q0o$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 149952

Looking for TX & REC mods for alinco DJ-G1 handy.
Email me or post here.
Thanks.

4881. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6eotc1$j1e$8@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 149953
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-03-17 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
dl>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
dl>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
dl>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.03 [en] (WinNT; I)
dl>Xref: news-serv.hw.ac.uk uk.radio.amateur:45359 rec.radio.amateur.
dl>>digital.misc:24336 rec.radio.amateur.equipment:66928 rec.radio In
dl>>article <Pine.SOL.3.91.980316104329.11013C- 100000@world.
dl>>evansville.net>, "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan"
dl>><lysdexia@evansville.net> says... > Actually I am pretty sure
dl>>that the water vapor introduced to the mix had > very little to
dl>>do with cooling the charge. Some sort of heat exchanger > would
dl>>be needed to get any kind of useful cooling. What the water does
dl>>in > the "bongload depingifyer" is to prevent _detonation_. The
dl>>agua will > indeed slow the burn and prevent power-robbing
dl>explosions (ping). A > smooth burn is a good burn when pushing a
dl>piston. It has QUITE A BIT!!!!! You mist it to reduce the surface
dl>area of the droplets allowing the water to heat and vaporize
dl>quickly. The reduces Charge Air Temperature, by vaporization of
dl>said water, which reduces temprature, which reduces detonation.
dl>Detonation is when the flame front doesn't start at the plug, but
dl>at the cylinder walls, because the mixture is so hot, all it needs
dl>is that extra juice available from the cylinder walls to trigger
dl>off center flame fronts early on before the plug EVER fires. So yes,
dl>it prevents detonation, but BY COOLING THE CHARGE!!! Nothing less ..
dl>.. its an equivalent to the intercooler used on turbosystems. Heck
dl>you could replace the intercooler on a turbo system, but you don't
dl>have to fill up a turbo's intercooler with water over and over. If
dl>you want the proof in the pudding, write Lotus. They built the most
dl>powerful 4 cylinder production car ever made. It took the
dl>intercooler a step further with water, but removed the water from
dl>the air system and recirculated it instead of air to cool the
dl>charge air. The result? 285HP was the last remembered specific
dl>output for the engine as I can recall, all from 2.2Ls. What more do
dl>you need? And when you run with less detonation in a engine, that
dl>means you can push the timing agressively up towards TDC, making
dl>more use of the resulting explosion. Get a basic mechanics text
dl>book on engine folks, all this has been written and rehashed
dl>millions of times, literally. At first I didn't mind these threads,
dl>but it looks like 80% of the participants wouldn't know a engine
dl>from a electric motor. Pearce - KF4MOK

Oh. Is THAT why putting strong non-uniform magnets around the fuel pipe
reduces consumption, carbonising, pollution, rabies etc?

Bill, gm8apx, qthr
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Silent enim leges sunt inter arma

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

4882. E-Bay Item

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <35100A2A.2D0D@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149954

I have a MINT Realistic DX-160 for bid on E-Bay at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8257209

works 100%... With SP-150 Spkr... thanks Jordan...

4883. Re: Kenwood TH-79A Repeater Offset Help!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: VR2XST <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5290$7dc0d680$bf0148ca@default>
Source record: 149955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

USA version cannot work

Landen Stoker <kc5qdz@iamerica.net> wrote in article
<350BF399.83D8CEDC@iamerica.net>...
> I just bought a TH79A and for what ever reason it does not due auto
> repeater offset on 440, is this the way it was designed, if so is there
> a mod that can be done to remedie it??
> I also heard that you could open up this radio to receive police and
> stuff on 800 mhz is this true?
> TNX
> Landen
> KC5QDZ@IAMERICA.NET
>
>

4884. Re: Naked Highschool Girls

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980318172206O1.MAA02442@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149956

How about some naked high school teachers and counselors?

4885. Re: FT50 Site Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bferry@spambot_die_die_die.dunks.com
Message-ID: <6eoc72qsl1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 149957

In article <351066BD.7FD9@pcug.org.au>, David Walshe <dwalshe@pcug.org.au> wrote:
> Hi
> Can some person very nicely direct me to a Yaesu FT50 Website
> I did have a excellent one on my bookmarks and lost it.
> The one I am after had PICTURES for the inter working
> and upgrade modifications (improvements) and current news.
>
> Your assistance is appreciated.
> _____

I think this is the one you're talking about:

http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

--
Bruce Ferry

4886. WTB 10 meter radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jordan@santanet.com
Message-ID: <6ep08b$1qp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149958

Looking for a decent 10 meter rig. Something along the lines of a RS HTX-100 or Uniden HR2510. If you have one of these or something comparable please let me know your price to include shipping costs to 99702. Paul Jordan KL0AN

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4887. FS KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G Melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6ep0a1cja1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 149959

FOR SALE KENWOOD DUAL BAND MODEL # TM-733A 144/440
LIKE NEW HAVE BOX IN BOOK $425.00 CALL GABE AT
1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT n1hhf@110.net

4888. Re:FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4dh@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980318.133843.7559.0.n4dh@juno.com>
Source record: 149960

I'll clear up the mistery. I've got a FT-847 on back order with HRO.
Their price was $1819, a fair price I thought, since I was able to see
the radio at the Charlotte Hamfest. I'll let you know how it plays when-
ever I get it.

73 de Bill, N4DH

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4889. Kent,UK : Old L/C/R standards & cal equipment, old DEC Vax/pdp stuff for disposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wwl@netcomuk.co.uk
Message-ID: <3512138f.33738635@nntp.netcomuk.co.uk>
Source record: 149961
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.misc,sci.physics,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,comp.sys.dec

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Mostry russian resistance,capacitance and inductance standards &
bridges for disposal very cheap, located in Kent, UK. More info at:
www.netcomuk.co.uk/~wwl/cal.html
also DEC PDP11/34 and VAX11/780

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_/ L_/ Mike Harrison / White Wing Logic / wwl@netcomuk.co.uk _/ L_/
_/ W_/ Hardware & Software design / PCB Design / Consultancy _/ W_/
/_W_/ Industrial / Computer Peripherals / Hazardous Area /_W_/
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4890. Help to identify this filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert.Piland@msfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <Robert.Piland-1803981309410001@128.158.161.100>
Source record: 149962

FoxTango

Model xf or yf -31H500

freq 3179.3khz
No. 2056

told it was a ft101 am filter

any help?

Thanks, Robert

4891. FS: Timewave DSP-59+....Sold...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgrandmaison@comdt.uscg.mil
Message-ID: <6ep7bgdta1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149963

Sold

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4892. FS: Timewave DSP-59+....Sold...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgrandmaison@comdt.uscg.mil
Message-ID: <6ep78adsn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149964

Sold

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4893. FS KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G Melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6ep1ns$du6$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 149965

FOR SALE KENWOOD DUAL BAND MODEL # TM-733A 144/440
LIKE NEW HAVE BOX IN BOOK $425.00 CALL GABE AT
1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT n1hhf@110.net

4894. FS KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G Melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6ep1lkddb1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 149966

FOR SALE KENWOOD DUAL BAND MODEL # TM-733A 144/440
LIKE NEW HAVE BOX IN BOOK $425.00 CALL GABE AT
1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT n1hhf@110.net

4895. Socket Savers - Agian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Sharon <DnsShrn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ep9ig$7i6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149967

In response to my request for "Socket-Savers", a gentleman responded offering 3 (7-pin, 9-pin and octal) new socket savers. Before I got around to responding, I lost his name & address. How embarrassing.

If that person is you, or if you have any new socket savers, please contact me. (I won't lose your address.. promise).

--
Denis Sharon WA2NBU Ridgefield, CT

4896. MFJ259 SWR ANALYZER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031820285800.PAA26950@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149968

SOLD AND THANKS TO ALL

4897. KENWOOD SP23 SPEAKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031820305200.PAA28490@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149969

SOLD AND THANKS TO ALL

4898. CUSHCRAFT A270-10 BEAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031820311200.PAA27295@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149970

SOLD AND THANKS TO ALL

4899. MFJ MORSE CODE TUTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031820320900.PAA27429@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149971

SOLD AND THANKS TO ALL

4900. Re: VC-H1 Kenwood Visual Communicator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch Bogart <mbogart@rampageinc.com>
Message-ID: <6epc9d$mq6$1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 149972

Daniel Abranko wrote in message ...
>In article <6ei42frdv1@winter.news.erols.com>, "Kent Hufford"
><khufford@erols.com> wrote:
>
>>First the Paula Jones report this last Friday, now I get my APR 98 QST on
>>Sat. .. almost too much in one weekend.
>>
>>On the back of the QST is the VC-H1 Visual Communicator. Neat stuff!!! Why
>>had not some one thought about this before. Jee more toys!

Great. I always thought this product would happen in the future some time.
The real questions are:

1. How fast can it burst an image? If I'm mobile an using a repeater with
others
waiting to talk, is it a 5 second or a 2 minute delay for me to send or
receive a
picture.

2. How cheap can these things get. There is a mass market for digital
cameras
so the components benefit from quantity price reduction. The market for a
microphone
with digital camera, though is much smaller.

Still, if the answer to question 1 is < 10 seconds and the answer to
question 2
is < $100, then I think these things should take the 2 meter ham community
by storm.

I would love for that to happen and then, while driving, send some images to
my
club repeater with instructions to email them to me at work!

I'm looking forward to everyone else's 2 cents and especially anyone with
any
additional info on this thing. Internet searches do, indeed turn up zilch.

Mitch KA1KL

4901. Re: motorola mike 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny Mills <dannymills@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6epcen$o30@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149973

what is the model # ????? What does it fit???
William Chapman wrote in message <6enng6$r0k@freenet-news.carleton.ca>...
>
>I have a Motorola handheld microphone for sale.
>It was used very little and is in mint condition.
>I'll ship it to you for $40. US.
>73, Bill VE3RWC
>

4902. Re: Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch Bogart <mbogart@rampageinc.com>
Message-ID: <6epcef$n1g$1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 149974

hershman wrote in message <350F3118.F308CE26@ix.netcom.com>...
>I called one of my contacts at Kenwood and it is for real. No price yet. I
>will try the
>Kenwood Japan page and try to read the Japanese to determine its price.
> 73's NS1R Steve
>

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Mitch KA1KL
>

4903. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: timh@xetron.com
Message-ID: <35103191.0@news.xetron.com>
Source record: 149975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ramsey Electronics (800)446-2295
FR-146 2 Meter Receiver Kit $34.95
-tunes any 5MHz portion of the selected receiver band.
-1uV sensitivity
-Front Panel volume, squelch, and tuning controls.

In article <6ec4p1$mc6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, ptcarter@ingr.com says...
>
>Hello-
> I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
>MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
>frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
>repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
>belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
>that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news
>archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best
>solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler
>path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
> I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First
>off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because
>occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter,
>and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty
>limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip
>dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need
>one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this
>reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Paul Carter KF4JIR
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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4904. FS:Glen Martin Roof Tower + More

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ^Fretts <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <6epd8f$6f6$1@news2.ispnews.com>
Source record: 149976
Cross-posted to:
nj.forsale,phl.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

4- Sale 5ft Glen Martin Roof Tower w/ matching thrust bearing &
9ft heavy duty aircraft aluminum 2" diameter mast.. All like new.
Email: n2rif@amsat.org Phone# (609)386-9382..
Asking $290 OBO. Can't ship. Assembled. Must be able to drive
for pick up in Burlington, NJ. 5 miles NorthEast of Phila, Pa and
12 miles South of Trenton, NJ.. All further questions just re: Or
call. Serious Offers Only...
Tnx Thomas J -73

4905. WTB IC W2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ashby <bashby@seanet.com>
Message-ID: <6epckc$qh6@q.seanet.com>
Source record: 149977

Looking for a ICOM W2A hand held with battery charger
respond by email
thanks

--
Bob Ashby
"Walk in peace fore they shall know us
only by the tracks we leave"
Wolf Grafx
Raven Research
ICQ#7553080
http://www.seanet.com/~bashby

4906. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <6epdsp$256@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149978

William M Richarz wrote:
>
> I'll clear up the mistery. I've got a FT-847 on back order with HRO.
> Their price was $1819, a fair price I thought, since I was able to see
> the radio at the Charlotte Hamfest. I'll let you know how it plays when-
> ever I get it.
>
> 73 de Bill, N4DH
>
> --
> You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
> Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
> Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

That is definitly closer to the $1799 the was estimated earlier.
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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
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4907. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <yemail@unity.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <35103B49.41AD@unity.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 149979
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> My sentiments exactly, boy, my collection of blinkers is increasing
> daily.
>

What is a blinker? I mean, there are the types that actually interrupt current flow for the purpose of flashing a lamp, and is even used as slang for turn signal in America, but what does it mean in the UK? At first I thought it was what people here called blinders (of the horses type, but for humans, usually used to mean "a block to reason"), but you have used it over and over, so now I have a curiousity as to what is meant.

If "a block to reason" is what is meant, you have your own "blinkers" on this subject.

Sincerely,

Pearce - KF4MOK

4908. WTB Kenwood Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don West <Don-West@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6epg33$el8@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149980

Hi,
I would like to purchase an under utilized:
YK-88CN-1 CW Filter (270 Hz) or
YK-88NS-1 SSB Filter (1.8 kHz).

Please reply to : Don-West@worldnet.att.net

73,
Don

4909. Re: VHF vs. UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam C <sman@redshift.com>
Message-ID: <6eph18$6ep$1@usenet48.supernews.com>
Source record: 149981

I am writing this to thank all of you for the responses I got, from the newsgroup and via email. The amount was overwhelming, and it made me feel good that there are still hobbies where people care about the newbies among their ranks.

I finally got my tech no code licence, and my call sign. I am now officially part of the club!!!! If any of your are in the Monterey, or San Jose area, I know a couple of you are, please give me your call and what rptrs you are on, the freq, the pl tone, and offset. I would love to raise you and thank you with my real voice :-)

Again, thanks for all the help, and ham'ing looks like its going to be a great deal of fun.

73
de
KF6PZT
(a.k.a Sam C)

4910. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <35104553.50DB@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 149982
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

>
> I've used water injection quite a bit over the past 15 years and have no
> complaints. If the engine is optimized to use the extra "octane" equivelance
> you can see substantial gains. I've seen no problems with engine life. In
> fact is seems much cleaner inside. No carbon buildup etc.

How does your exhaust system hold up? Also, I think the main drawback of
a water injected system is head gasket removal (a way of saying cylinder
overpressure) and valve erosion, but I have never played with it.

> One should understand that there are many different configurations of water
> injection. The simplest just draw vapor under vac from a canister.
> The best I've seen is the Goodman system. He actually made it on television
> and in a few magazines several years ago. He modified his car with pistons
> that raised his compression ratio to about 13:1, and with only the pistons and
> his water injection increased mileage by 50%. His system used the air pump to
> draw the water and provided a very nice "fog" that was proportional to load of
> the engine, something no other unit I've seen does.

And the gains would be so, if there was probably a roughly 30% reduction
in horsepower. Perhaps Gary could calculate the exact amount, since he
has the formulas and test apparatus. Not to mention this thing really
must have been heck on head gaskets. Perhaps this experiment is better
to be performed in a Rodeck?
(solid head/block assembly).

>
> Also, of possible interest:
> Have you seen anything on Rudolph Gunnermans A-21 fuel?
> It is half water and half naptha gas. It works in diesel or gas engines.

Catepillar openly admits experimentation, but they have also reaffirmed
that fact it does not add power, but does help to greatly reduce
emissions that are special to diesel motors.

>
> I also recently tested a fuel treatment that promotes the fact that it has
> water in it. (In reality almost all of them do, though most don't promote it
> as a benefit. It is also in gas at the pump) . It has worked quite well in
> most of the vehicles that I've tried it in.
>

But the key to mixing water and gas, is alcohol. Alcohol readily
dissolves water.

David - KF4MOK

4911. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ephqr$kei@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149983

FS: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich

4912. WTB:Eimac 3-500Z tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031822392201.RAA16910@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149984

Hi still need a real good pair. Full ouput only. Please let me know price and condition.

Thanks and 73,
K-K

4913. FS: Bearcat 100XLT Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351049F5.CF@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,pnet.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,att.ham-radio, rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
-(1) VHF Rubberduck Antenna
-(1) UHF Rubberduck Antenna
-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of it over the years. Everything works the perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of 10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

4914. FS: Uniden Bearcat 100XLT Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35104DA5.7D62@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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73,
Bill

4915. Frequency meters (GHz range)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ag381@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6ephmi$3kv@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 149987

These frequency meters are for sale;

Two (2) Microlab/FXR model Y164A
Range 50GHz to 0.02 GHz over 7 turns of micrometer screw.
Waveguide input,waveguide output,dimensions of guide 0.625 * 0.30 inch

One (1) Marconi/Sanders model 6049/2
Range 5.3GHz to 18 GHz over 7 turns of micrometer screw.
Coax input,coax output.

All are variable cavities adjusted by means of a calibrated micrometer.
Like new condition.

Best offer, email or
613 443 5467
Herb.

4916. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: miweber@Xspam.davidson.edu
Message-ID: <miweber-ya02408000R1803981828030001@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149988

In article <350E00C4.3BB5@MAIL.IDT.NET>, Pete McGreevy
<PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET> wrote:

I wanted to add some tidbits to some of the points Pete made:

> 2-No narrow SSB filter

You can add Collins mechanical filters in 2.5kHz and 500Hz widths, and
there are separate slots for SSB TX and RX.

> 3-NO Auto Tuner

No *built-in* auto tuner. IMO, built-in means you pay for less
flexibility. Sure, you could disable the built-in tuner on a rig that had
one and use an external, but then you'd have paid for something you're not
using that's just sucking up space and precious dBs. There will be an
external auto-tuner for their screwdriver mobile antenna (which does look
really short, but I'll wait for the tests...)

> 4-Only IF Shift, NO Width (so no "dual passband" tuning)

> 5-No Manual Notch (what good is auto noch on CW... none)

Well, there's independently adjustable low/high pass DSP... you can make
this "passband" as narrow as 25Hz.

$0.02,
Mike
KF4TEK

4917. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cj <cj@boi.hp.com>
Message-ID: <3510537F.1EC2@boi.hp.com>
Source record: 149989
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

What I want to know is, how much will this water injection improve the output of my alternator, allowing me to run more mobile radio equipment? (Someone had to get this thread back on a topic pertinent to these newsgroups...)

-cj KD6AEG

4918. WTB Inexpensive Thumbwheel VHF HT or Moblie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Van Aartsen <kb0ula@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <3510606F.5F6DB150@rconnect.com>
Source record: 149990

Does anyone still have one of these old units for a good price? A friend of mine is trying to scrimp and save for his kids and feels like he can't afford a base radio in the house for hitting nearby repeaters, etc. I want to give him one so he can at least talk on the air without having to go out to his car . . . But, I'm not made of money either.

Anybody have a cheap radio he could use? Doesn't need to have a digital display, or memories or out of band rx, or anything fancy. We're talking less than $50 or $60.

Thanks in advance,

Scott
KBï¿½ULA

4919. WTB Inexpensive Thumbwheel VHF HT or Moblie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Van Aartsen <kb0ula@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <351060FB.32CA9B7B@rconnect.com>
Source record: 149991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

Does anyone still have one of these old units for a good price? A friend of mine is trying to scrimp and save for his kids and feels like he can't afford a base radio in the house for hitting nearby repeaters, etc. I want to give him one so he can at least talk on the air without having to go out to his car . . . But, I'm not made of money either.

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Thanks in advance,

Scott
KBï¿½ULA

4920. Filters FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: pflautt@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <6eppai$dfc@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 149992

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Have YK-88SN ssb filter $90.00
YK-88CN cw filter $70.00
I'll ship.
Paul
--
pflautt@freenet.columbus.oh.us
paul.j.flautt@ameritech.com
pflautt@netpluscom.com
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4921. IC-3210A HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Smith <cwsk5so@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6epu5t$b0h$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 149993

Has anyone had experience with failure of the uhf transmit function of the IC-3210A? There are 5 of these transceivers in my qth that have failed. Uhf receive works ok, 2 meter
transmit and receive works fine. Any will be appreciated

Carl/K5SO
e-mail: cwsk5so@gte.net

4922. FS Amp Supply LK-800-C TNY Version HF 160-10 Meter AMPLIFIER!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Chapman <lechap@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6epq8m$9ni$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 149994

I have an AMP Supply LK-800-C high frequency 160-10 meter amplifier. I am the original owner and have had all the factory modifications installed in by Amp Supply's former service manager. It is the TNY version with dual-voltage Peter W. Dahl hypersil transformer. It is in excellent condition and since I rarely get on the air anymore I don't need it. I'm asking $2900.00 with an extra tube but will entertain reasonable offers from serious buyers. Thanks.

ne8v

4923. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <35108924.42FA@nidlink.com>
Source record: 149995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> In article <6ec4p1$mc6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, ptcarter@ingr.com says...
> >
> >Hello-
> > I have a need for a single channel (need to monitor a repeater-147.240
> >MHZ) and am looking to put together a simple circuit to listen to only that
> >frequency.(note- I am a no-code tech and I have friends who hang out on that
> >repeater). I'm looking for something light (i can put in my pocket or on my
> >belt, with a earphone)and as simple as possible. Has anyone put one together
> >that can tell me the difficulties and the cost. I've been reading the news
> >archives and stumbled on the MC3363 from motorola which seems like the best
> >solution. If you have experience with this IC or if you know of a simpler
> >path to achieve my goal, please let me know.
> > I read the app notes (AP980) from motorola. Here are my concerns. First
> >off, it said not to breadboard this circuit, but to use copper traces because
> >occllations will occur. My only tools are a soldering iron, a simpson meter,
> >and some Radio Shack PC board. Will this be a problem? I have pretty
> >limited electronic skills and test equipment. Also, the notes say I can flip
> >dip switches and get 256 2-meter frequencies. This is cool, but I only need
> >one. Can I use a crystal instead? Has anyone a shematic that will make this
> >reciever work? Any push in the right direction will be appreciated.
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >Paul Carter KF4JIR

Also try Hamtronics. They have a good website.

David, WA7ZYQ

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_____
While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

4924. YAESU 757 "FOR SALE"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <35108579.5706@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 149996

YAESU IN GOOD COSMETIC CONDITION AND WORKS NICE TOO. ALSO IN ORIGINAL
BOX. $550.00 .. GENERAL COVERAGE RX/TX INCLUDING 11.
mikes@newulmtel.net

4925. Re: Prospective sellers of all merchandise please read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6eq1gj$3qt@dfw-ixnews2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149997

Ditto
Scott Van Aartsen wrote in message <350F339C.9775EF96@rconnect.com>...
>Please tell us newer hams what in the world you're selling. You might
>be missing a good opportunity to get top dollar for your used equipment
>because Joe Ham doesn't know what a "Yaekencom TS-74100DA" is. Even
>saying it's a VHF or HF or UHF rig --and whether it's a base, mobile,
>handheld, etc. helps...but that is not sufficent. Please give as many
>features as you can. It's tough to compare radios when you don't know
>whether you're comparing apples to oranges or not.
>
>Speaking for all newer hams...much thanks,
>
>Scott Van Aartsen
>KB�ULA
>

4926. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Gerke <jgerke@pulse.net>
Message-ID: <3510ADF6.111F@pulse.net>
Source record: 149998

I just bought a TH-79A(D) last week. In fact it is the third one we've had at my house. ALL of them came with CTCSS decoding built in. It is included in the US version radio.

My son, KC5SXD, just bought a G71A. Operationally it's almost identical to the 79A except it does not have the dual display and you can't monitor both bands at once. The G71A is programmble via a computer whereas the 79A is not.

I prefer the feel of the 79A - it is slimmer and feels better in my hand, while the G71A is too fat for me. It feels like I'm holding a hand grenade. I don't like the Yaesu FT-50 for the same reason. But my son loves the G71A, and he used to have a 79A.

73, Jim, K5NTX

4927. Re: Kenwood TH-G71A software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Gerke <jgerke@pulse.net>
Message-ID: <3510B15A.300B@pulse.net>
Source record: 149999

The following is the mail message I sent to Kenwood last night about the problems I'm having with the G71A software:

When I attempt to start the G71 programming software (downloaded twice from Kenwood's ftp site), a box with the following error message pops up: "The MSVBVM50.DLL file is linked to missing export OLEAUT32.DLL:421." There is no file named OLEAUT32.DLL:421 but there is one named OLEAUT32.DLL. Anyway, the program never starts.

Also, underneath the previous error message box, another box pops up which says "A device attached to the system is not functioning."

All other files listed in the README file are present and the G71 is turned on and is connected to the PC via the PG-4P programming cable.

I have received an automated response from Kenwood that they received it and would let me know something in a few days.

I'm glad I'm not the only one having trouble with it.

73, Jim, K5NTX

Sean O'Connor wrote:
>
> Basically, I can't get the software to work. Under windows NT, it
> just says it cannot connect to the HT. Under windows 95 when you
> press connect, nothing happens, no message.
>
> I am selecting the proper serial port and I have the official kenwood
> cable.
>
> Has anyone successfully used the Kenwood software for programming the
> TH-G71A. Are there any special settings I need to set on the HT
> before this works? The documentation (such as it is) is horrible.
>
> Thanks a lot.
>
> ---
> Sean O'Connor
> soconnor@mcs.net http://www.mcs.net/~soconnor

4928. Re: Prospective sellers of all merchandise please read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd521b$0937fa20$5f8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 150000

I'll second this. Too much time wasted searching for info. on DejaNews and elsewhere that should have been posted. I am probably guilty as well and consider myself chastised! :-) And it's not just newer hams, those of us who have been in and out of the hobby over time have huge gaps in our knowledge base! 73, DavidC AA1FA

> Please tell us newer hams what in the world you're selling. You might
> be missing a good opportunity to get top dollar for your used equipment
> because Joe Ham doesn't know what a "Yaekencom TS-74100DA" is. Even
> saying it's a VHF or HF or UHF rig --and whether it's a base, mobile,
> handheld, etc. helps...but that is not sufficent. Please give as many
> features as you can. It's tough to compare radios when you don't know
> whether you're comparing apples to oranges or not.
> Speaking for all newer hams...much thanks, Scott Van Aartsen KB�ULA

4929. Yaesu FT-51R audio output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd521d$10461700$520148ca@nelson>
Source record: 150001

My HT's audio output is very weak. Can I add a small component (such as 2SK1588) between the speaker and the audio IC (TDA7233D) ? Or anybody hv suggestion ?

73

4930. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd521c$8fd67380$520148ca@nelson>
Source record: 150002

Tks a lot !

Then I hv to buy an external amp instead of changing PA unit inside the rig.

73

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article <350eb918.96053854@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
> On 17 Mar 1998 04:40:43 GMT, "Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >ANYBODY KNOW HOW TO MOD OR CHANGE COMPONENT TO MAKE MY RIG IN HIGH POWER OF
> >100W (OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND.
>
> You can't. The driver stage is used as the final on the 2m band. The PA won't
> work on 2m. That's why it is only 10 watts.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>

4931. FS: ICOM IC-706 (Ex. Condx)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: millner@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <GsHP.321$ya.3463574@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 150003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.dx

For Sale:

ICOM 706 (Original) in Excellent Condition.

160 - 2 Meters

Mike, Manual and Power Cable

$825 Shipping Included In Cont. USA

JIM
WB2REM

wb2rem@amsat.org

4932. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEpzxHG.EJs@netcom.com>
Source record: 150004

In article <350F359B.8559B6DE@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:
>in Japan. OR. You can Order the FT-847 from several Japanese Dealers
>and BYPASS
>Yaesu USA and the Dealers and save $ 500 !!!

Take care in this - the JA band plans are different on 2 and 430 MHz and
you might find your less-expensive model can't access repeaters on 2 or
the FM part of UHF.

> 73's NS1R Steve
>

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

4933. FS:MFJ259 SWR ANALYZER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031804110000.XAA18233@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150005

have an mfj259 swr analyzer for sale in execellent for 150.oo

K2JY@aol.com

4934. FS DX-100 AND HQ-170

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: imok1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031804311101.XAA22656@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150006

I have for sale a Heathkit DX-100 and Hammurland HQ-170.
The neither has any extra holes to the cabinets or front panels. The HQ-170 is working and the DX-100 has never been turned on. Both need minor TLC, and have manuals for both.
Would prefer local deal on the DX-100 due to weight, approx 110 pounds.
DX-100 $125 plus ship from 60067
HQ-170 $160 plus ship from 60067

Thanks
Mark
KB9LIO

4935. IC-2710 - MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5226$8154dfe0$d00148ca@nelson>
Source record: 150007

LOOKING FOR IC-2710 MOD/MARS.
PLS POST

TKS A LOT

73

4936. FS: AR8000 wide range receiver / scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: R H Oemar <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <350F3AD1.77F3@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 150008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

For sale:

AOR scanner receiver model AR-8000, Ser# 051140, continuous coverage
0.5MHz-2GHz all mode, 1000 memory, 1 yr old, original owner (bought from
Javiation UK), very good condition and extra clean. Detailed spec. can
be found at http://www.javiation.co.uk/ or http://www.demon.co.uk/aor/

Price COD USD485 shipping included (FedEx priority).

Please email if interested.

Thanks,
RH Oemar
YD1CDJ

4937. /\/\otorola MRTI patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6enjjh$ebb@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150009

Like new MRTI 1000 phone patch (L1340) for sale. Internally very clean (a 10), minor scratches on top cover; otherwise blemish free. Want $450 which includes COD freight to continental US.

4938. Anyone know about KENTROL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: printer@cheerful.com
Message-ID: <350f4f6b.9757579@scan.missouri.org>
Source record: 150010

Does anyone know what is going on with Kentrol.
I ordered the registed program, send a MO and have not heard anything
for 6 weeks.
There is no answer to my e-mails.
Have they gone south????

4939. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: docdc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6enjl2$hc@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150011

In <350F359B.8559B6DE@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:
>
>Well it should be. If you go to several Japanese Ham store Web pages
you
>will see the
>FT-847 list price is 210,000 Yen and the the retail (street price) is
>168,000 Yen.
>The current exchange rate is 125 Yen to the Dollar. So 168,000 Yen
>equals $1344 USA Dollars. THis is Roughly the price of the closeout
>FT-900CAT. Hmmmmm.
>SO the FT-847 is replacing the FT-900CAT. I will wait till the price
is
>corrected.
>Don't get ripped off by paying $1820 for a radio that is being sold
for
>$1344 USA dollars
>in Japan. OR. You can Order the FT-847 from several Japanese Dealers
>and BYPASS
>Yaesu USA and the Dealers and save $ 500 !!!
> 73's NS1R Steve
>

...amd you can bypass the warranty too.

4940. Re: Rip Off Warning...WA4TJS...Thomas Zach Bruce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: billn@peak.org
Message-ID: <6enkhc$20l$3@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 150012
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Howard S. Charney (charney@cisco.com) wrote:
: |
: Unfortunately, I was ripped off by Thomas Zach Bruce, WA4TJS, and an
: excrow service would not have helped. I sent him $725 for what was
: described as an "excellent condition" ICOM R71A receiver. He did send
: it to me (poorly packed), but within 24 hours I sent it back to him as
: it was in much less than "excelllent condition". He subsequently kept
: the receiver (which he did acknowledge receipt thereof) AND the money.
: I have sent him MANY email messages, but lately his email address no
: longer works (I wonder why).

There are several other people who have reported problems with Bruce, so
you are not the first.

It might help, if a person plans on spending a fair amount of money, to
check out previous postings using Dejavue (assuming you have Web access).

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

4941. FT50 Site Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Walshe <dwalshe@pcug.org.au>
Message-ID: <351066BD.7FD9@pcug.org.au>
Source record: 150013

Hi
Can some person very nicely direct me to a Yaesu FT50 Website
I did have a excellent one on my bookmarks and lost it.
The one I am after had PICTURES for the inter working
and upgrade modifications (improvements) and current news.

Your assistance is appreciated.

4942. FT5200 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Hugg <chashugg@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <350F80BD.3886@earthlink.net>
Source record: 150014

I have just acquired at a hamfest a Yaesu FT-5200 dual band transceiver. It does not work on 440 MHz, but it does work on 430 MHz, so I can't tune it to any of the local 440 repeaters. Also, it works fine on 2 meters, but will not tune to any frequency out of the 2 meter band like 155 MHz. Could this be a radio that was designed for use in Europe and has restricted frequency coverage? If so, is there a mod I could perform to open the radio up for use on US frequencies?

Thanks for any help you can give me,
Charlie, K5MBX

4943. RE: IC-765 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2vos@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6ennsc$od2$1@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150015

Thanks to everyone that responded to my 765 question. It sounds like a great rig and would make a fine addition to my shack.

73 to all.

Mike W2VOS

4944. ** EXTRA MC 85 MIC CORDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: keithbel@execpc.com
Message-ID: <6enqh1$oto@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 150016

I have 2 extra MC 85 desk mic cords with headers. Control 3 radios
with the MC 85.

2 for $35.00 or 1 for $20.00

73 Keith W9NFL

4945. FS: FT-530 Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2vos@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6enoutoer1@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 150017

I have F/S a very good condition FT-530 dual band ht. With it comes the original batt, two 7.2v-1400ma batts, AA alkaline pack (allows you to use six AA's), dc power cord to plug into cig lighter, original wall charger and matching VOX headset. I'm asking $325 for all.

Email me at w2vos@webtv.net

Mike W2VOS

4946. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Cash <tonycash@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ensqc$n11@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

What speed should the water be injected 300 bps or maybe 56 k bps?
Should it be AM or FM modulated?
73 de Tony, KD4K

Roger wrote:

> David L Pearce wrote:
> <snip>
> > Detonation is when the flame front doesn't start at the
> > plug, but at the cylinder walls, because the mixture is so hot, all it needs is
> > that extra juice available from the cylinder walls to trigger off >center flame
> > fronts early on before the plug EVER fires.
>
> Actually, that's a form of pre-ignition, a different animal/different
> cause, with the same result as detonation. Detonation stemming from
> early timing/low octane/too high compression/lean mixture, or a
> combination thereof, occurs thus: The flame is started by the spark plug
> and the mixture begins to burn. As it does, the resulting expansion of
> hot gasses is compressing the remaining mixture in the cylinder, as is
> the rising piston. Under the right conditions, the unburned mixture
> auto-ignites and begins a new flame front. The inevitable collision of
> the two flame fronts produces the characteristic knock of detonation and
> the attendant equipment damage that results. Pre-ignition can occur in
> the absence of a spark. Remember the anti-diesel solenoids they used to
> put on carbs? You know why they were there; right?
>
> <more snip of some accurate info>
>
> > And when you run with less detonation in a engine, that means you can push the
> > timing agressively up towards TDC, making more use of the resulting explosion.
>
> No, and yes. We push the timing away from TDC, as in more advance, as in
> before TDC. And we aren't making use of an explosion, at least not in a
> gasoline engine. The air/fuel mixture burns (hopefully), as rapidly as
> we can make it. More advance, to a point and short of detonation, means
> more of the induced air/fuel mixture is burned, which obviously means
> more efficiency and more power produced as we approach that magical .5
> lb fuel per horsepower per hour figure. The optimum advance figure
> varies, based on the many characteristics of the engine that determine
> the _time_ required to achieve complete combustion. Obviously, advancing
> the ignition timing beyond that optimum point begins to reduce
> horsepower output, even if detonation isn't occurring. The goal isn't to
> run with less detonation, it is to run with _no_ detonation. Detonation
> always reduces power production.

>
> BTW, if it's using explosions it's most likely a diesel-they detonate by
> design... And yes, I know you knew it was advance, but that's not what
> you said. Which leads to my final point.
>
> > Get a basic mechanics text book on engine folks, all this has been written and
> > rehashed millions of times, literally.
>
> Yes it has.
> >
> > At first I didn't mind these threads, but it looks like 80% of the participants
> > wouldn't know a engine from a electric motor.
> >
> > Pearce - KF4MOK
>
> If you're gonna crawl in the pulpit, it's a good idea to have all your
> facts straight. And FWIW, I've been teaching folks for many years now,
> and I've never found it productive to tell them how stupid they are.
> There is a profound difference between teaching and tooting.
>
> To those who wonder what this has to do with amateur radio, me too. My
> apologies if you are offended.
>
> Hopefully, there is no one left reading this thread that still thinks
> detonation is "valve rattle" :-)
>
> 73,
> Roger
> (email address is altered to foil spambots)
> //
> '69 Hemi SuperBee
> '70 Hemi Challenger
> '73 6-71 Blown 440 ProStreet Challenger
> '87 Daytona Shelby
> '88 Daytona Shelby
> '84 Turismo 2.2 Turbo
> //

4947. Looking for Autopatch Setup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: anarchyu@mmk.wednet.edu
Message-ID: <350f7cb5.5425214@anarchyu.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 150019
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur

Looking to Buy/Trade for Autopatch setup that will work with a Radioshack HTX-202 Handheld (at first) and later can be hooked up to a standard Moble Rig (adi-146 50 watt moble rig)

Have Sony Playstation Modification Chips (3 which sell for 10-30 dollars each) and a CD-R which I can burn your favorite Library of information onto (got a favorite webserver? or Dir on cdrom.com?)

and can also pay cash (but extremely broke, thats why I hope to trade something)

Let me know!!

Brad

KC7QZR

anarchyu@mmk.wednet.edu

4948. motorola mike 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ec116@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6enng6$r0k@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 150020

I have a Motorola handheld microphone for sale.
It was used very little and is in mint condition.
I'll ship it to you for $40. US.
73, Bill VE3RWC

4949. Revex 502 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: stern@elektron.et.tudelft.nl
Message-ID: <6envn3lsm1@elektron.et.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 150021

Hello there,

This weekend I bought a 2nd handed Revex 502 SWR/POWER meter, it works
great... no problems about that, but I would like to have the manual.
If someone has the manual please mail me at: pulsarfm@freud.et.tudelft.nl
Maybe I can get a copy of it???

Thnx
Stern (Pulsar FM)

4950. Re: FT5200 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: terryh@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <6eo1f2$3ja$1@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 150022

Charles Hugg <chashugg@earthlink.net> wrote:

>I have just acquired at a hamfest a Yaesu FT-5200 dual band transceiver.
>It does not work on 440 MHz, but it does work on 430 MHz, so I can't
>tune it to any of the local 440 repeaters. Also, it works fine on 2
>meters, but will not tune to any frequency out of the 2 meter band like
>155 MHz. Could this be a radio that was designed for use in Europe and
>has restricted frequency coverage? If so, is there a mod I could perform
>to open the radio up for use on US frequencies?

>Thanks for any help you can give me,
>Charlie, K5MBX

Charlie,

Did you buy the radio somewhere around Canada, because you can not
operate the 440 band there. I had a Icom2700h dual band that had the
same problem except the two meter side of the radio had stopped
receiving for some unknown reason. The radio is still at Icom, so I
can not tell you anything at this point. Good luck!!

73's
Kc5Sll

4951. Re: FT5200 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6eo33m$7bu@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 150023

terryh@iamerica.net (TH) writes:
>Did you buy the radio somewhere around Canada, because you can not
>operate the 440 band there.

The band 430-450 MHz is all amateur in Canada. It's 420-430 MHz
that is not amateur in Canada, and also not allowed in the U.S. within
a certain distance from the Canadian border to avoid interference with
existing non-ham users of those frequencies (mobile phone, some trunking
systems, police, public transit, etc.)

Dave

4952. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@schitt.net>
Message-ID: <350F8DDA.5522@schitt.net>
Source record: 150024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Philip de Cadenet wrote:
>
> Doc,
> >Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
> >class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
> >Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
> >this country anymore, especially out of wood.
> You have'nt been to New England recently.
>

No, and either has the other 99% of the country. People have to go to school, and take jobs where they live. Not everyone in our country can fit into the two or three cities that still produce hand made wood products.

We need to teach the skills required for the jobs that are available everywhere, in every city, and used in everyday life.

4953. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@schitt.net>
Message-ID: <350F905C.44A@schitt.net>
Source record: 150025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Howard N. Lute wrote:
>
> In article <+YgYrDAqFmD1Ewz2@two-way.demon.co.uk>, philip@two-
> way.demon.co.uk says...
> >>>Doc,
> >>>>Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
> >>>>class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
> >>>>Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
> >>>>this country anymore, especially out of wood.
> >>>You have'nt been to New England recently.
> >>>
> >>>Phil / UK
> >>>
> Further, we live in an area that has a multitude of construction (wood)
> businesses, Window companies, Commercial cabinet companies, prefab home
> builders etc. "Wood Shop" is no longer...making little wooden boxes or
> shelves(!) it's construction trade and all of those I've spoken of, it is
> highly desirable and necessary.

Not everyone wants to be a woodworker, nor are there enough jobs in that industry for everyone. This is a skill that can be taught in College or Trade School. High School should teach things that EVERYONE will be using no matter WHAT job they end up with.

How many people after High School have all the large expensive machines at there homes that they used in Wood Shop?? What good is this "skill" if you don't have the tools needed?

It would be just as silly to have a Brain Surgery Class or Slinky Making Class in High School.

4954. FS Kenwood 742A with 2/6/and 440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031810231801.FAA23254@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150026

I have a clean Kenwood 742A with 2,6 and 440 and tone board
$700.00+ shipping
Dick,KA!KLA
Dick468359@aol.com

4955. Re: TRC-485 LCD adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Codys_Not-so-PC_PC@iserv.net
Message-ID: <350fa10f.6694533@news.iserv.net>
Source record: 150027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Greets!

On 17 Mar 1998 18:07:37 GMT, nospam@see.sig.to.reply (Steve Zinski)
wrote:

:+> I own a Radio Shack TRC-485. The rig is mounted in such a way that the
:+> LCD display is viewed at an angle from below. At this viewing angle, the
:+> LCD segments are extremely low in contrast. It appears that the
:+> polarization of the LCD display is adjusted for viewing angles
:+> perpendicular to or from an angle above the unit.
:+>
:+> Is there an adjustment on the rig which will allow me to change the
:+> polarization of the display so that the display will have high contrast
:+> from the low viewing angle? Most LCD panels have such an adjustment, I'm
:+> assuming it's inside the rig.
:+>
:+> Thanks!!
:+>
:+> --Steve

No, the digits are "dropped" through a series of resistor chips in
the bottom of the display - the voltage to it is regulated through
the CPU chip.

You may accomplish some difference by adding some dropping resistors
or diodes to the lamps instead, to reduce the overall background
illumination of the display. There is a way to do this - I'll have
to check my notes - they're all tied common to a buss voltage.

Regards!
:+> Andy <+:
codyspc@iserv.net

|\w/| All the best to you and yours!
(@ @) From all the gang at codyspc@iserv.net!
==+===
Always remember to bring your radio to a |\m/|
complete stop before you bail-out of the (& &)
conversation!================================+===

Find us at:
http://www.iserv.net/~codyspc/

4956. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <350fa515.13938288@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 150028

"Joseph E. Lee, Jr. (Joey)" <joeylee@datasync.com> wrote:

>I am looking into buying a HT soon and I can't decide between the 79A or
>the G71A. If you own one of these drop me a line on what you personally
>think. I am considering the 79a because of its dual recieve capabilites
>but the illumintated keypad and computer based programing features of
>the G71a are very attractive.
>
>I am also open for suggestions on another brand. But i perfer Kenwood.

As the owner of a TH79 I cannot tell anything about the G71A, except
that it can't do crossbandrepeating, as it only has one IF. The TH79
does, and I find that very usefull. Also, the difference in price
between the two type you mentioned isn't that much.

Programming the TH79 can be menu-driven, and it has a built-in
help-function (the G71 might have this too). The European model of the
TH79 has receive capabilities from 67-174, 300-470 and 800-999 MHz,
which I'm not sure of the G71 has.

The TH79 doesn't come with CTCSS decoding out of the box, where I
guess the G71 does. Encoding however is included.

As far as I know, the TH79 cannot be programmed via your PC, the G71
might have this feature.

These are only a few things to think about when deciding.

Regards,

Rob B.

>
>--
>Later,
>Joseph E. Lee, Jr. (Joey)
>Datasync Support Technician
>email: joeylee@datasync.com
>ham radio: KD5DKY (Technican Class)
> (Passed General 3/10/1998)

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Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.

4957. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: CW <magerc@pop3.idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5269$aafd1b80$413e0c26@hp-customer>
Source record: 150029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> > >class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
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in
> > >this country anymore, especially out of wood.

> > The point of teaching things like wood shop is to expose people to
things that they may otherwise never know anything about.I am a machinist,
and if you are like 98% of people in the country you don't know what a
machinist does. One of the reasons for this is it is totally ignored by the
public school system. Believe me, manufacturing is far from dead in this
country. The demand for machinists is so high I can quit a job at 9:00 am
and be working for someone else by 3:00pm that same day. No exageration,
I've done it four times in the last year (bad form I know, but I'm spoiled
).One of the biggest reasons for the lack of skilled machinists has been no
exposure in the public school system. Most manufacturing takes place in out
of the way places, often on the edge of town.The majority of shops employ
15 people or less. There are thousands of these manufacturers all across
the country and because of their small size and lack of exposure to the
general public finding skilled people is a real challenge. By the way, I
personally know several professional woodworkers. And no, I don't live in
New england.

--
CW
KC7NOD

>

4958. Collins S231 Transmitter For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6eof9v$boo@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 150030

I am posting this ad for a friend. Please contact him if you are
intrested.
Call John (N2JI) at 914-969-4676 in Yonkers NY.

COLLINS 32S1 Transmitter and Collins 516F2 Power supply $500
Both are in excellent shape and work fine.

Transmitter puts out 100 watts on 10 meters thru 80 meters.
Spare tubes available but not included.

Will sell both for $500
Will sell 516F2 Power supply for $175.

Please call John N2JI at 914-969-4676 (located in Yonkers NY)

4959. FS:Kenwood 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <350FC850.EFD230FD@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 150031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have forsale a TR-2500. It comes with the following:
1- ST Stand Up Rapid Charger and Base Unit
1- 12 Volt Adapter pack for mobile
2- PB-25H Battery Packs
1- SMC-25 Speaker Mic
The condition of the radio is excellent. It was used strickly for packet
radio.
Asking 175.00 or B.O. includdes shipping anywhere in the U.S.
E-Mail me for inquires
73's
Mike

4960. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6eojbrgjt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150032

Rob:

have you used the paging facilities on your TH79, looking for someone to page
to see if it works, and waht does that PAG L key does?

Chhers
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> that it can't do crossbandrepeating, as it only has one IF. The TH79
> does, and I find that very usefull. Also, the difference in price
> between the two type you mentioned isn't that much.
>
> Programming the TH79 can be menu-driven, and it has a built-in
> help-function (the G71 might have this too). The European model of the
> TH79 has receive capabilities from 67-174, 300-470 and 800-999 MHz,
> which I'm not sure of the G71 has.
>
> The TH79 doesn't come with CTCSS decoding out of the box, where I
> guess the G71 does. Encoding however is included.
>
> As far as I know, the TH79 cannot be programmed via your PC, the G71
> might have this feature.
>
> These are only a few things to think about when deciding.
>
> Regards,
>
> Rob B.
>
> >
> >--
> >Later,
> >Joseph E. Lee, Jr. (Joey)

> >Datasync Support Technician
> >email: joeylee@datasync.com
> >ham radio: KD5DKY (Technican Class)
> > (Passed General 3/10/1998)
>
> --
> Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.
>
>

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4961. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6eojs2hco1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It's quite obvious you were never taught english in scholl. DO you mean
'their' house.

What's this thread doing here anyway? FLUSH it NOW!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Note I never said hare, , air or hair.

I was taught good english in school, as well as basic electronics and applied
electricity.

>
> How many people after High School have all the large expensive machines
> at there homes that they used in Wood Shop?? What good is this "skill"
> if you don't have the tools needed?
>
> It would be just as silly to have a Brain Surgery Class or Slinky Making
> Class in High School.
>

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4962. wtb ICOM W2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bashby@seanet.com
Message-ID: <6eonl7mic1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150034

Looking for a ICOM W2A hand held with a battery charger

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4963. Re: FT50 Site Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031813535100.IAA06771@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150035

http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

4964. FS Kenwood TS711 all mode 2M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <35101957.586C3CD@voicenet.com>
Source record: 150036

I have a TS711 all mode 2 meter base station radio for sale. It covers the two meter band, USB,LSB,CW, and FM modes of operation. It is in excellent condition and includes the manual and a home brew PL board that operates with the radio without modification to the rig. The PL tones are selectable using the unmodified front panel controls of the radio.
Asking $450.00 and will consider any offer.

Reply via e-mail or phone. Day time 610-429-1514 Evenings 610-429-1297.

Joe

4965. FS SM220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <35101ABA.3565E8E6@voicenet.com>
Source record: 150037

For Sale Keenwood SM220 Station Monitor. Includes manual and the BS8 pan adapter for monitoring received spectrum. It is in excellent condition, no scratches from a non smokers shack.

First offer over $200. Will ship Fed Express same day after receipt of bank check or money order.

Reply via e-mail to jvilardo@voicenet.com or phone: day 610-429-1514 evenings 610-429-1297

4966. FS Kenwood PC-1A phone patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: fredez2@airmail.net
Message-ID: <4A6FA0A1126085A8.BC4446168E4A5DFF.C9E60D1D094E2C86@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 150038

For sale...Kenwood phone patch. with "manual". $75. If you're
interested please reply by email to fredez2@airmail.net. Thanks...FZ

4967. FS-McKay-Dymek DR-22 SW - lower price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eomc0$pf4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150039
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amatuer,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.boatanchors

Okay, I need to sell this radio because I have too many toys. I will
sell it for $300 shipped to lower 48 States. This is a beautiful and
unique receiver, and it will look good in your stereo cabinet. When
its gone, its gone. Have a good day!

On Sat, 14 Mar 1998 04:48:10 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>Those who know the name know the company's reputation for quality.
>
>For those who are not familiar with the radio, it's a mid-70s hot
>collector's HF receiver. Its the size and shape of a 70s home stereo
>receiver. It has a polish silver front panel with matching knobs,
>and real wood side panels. The radio puts out 2 watts of audio
>through its built-in 4" speaker. Antenna and external speaker
>connections are in the back of the radio, along with a "RCA" jack
>marked 455 IF output.
>
>Its in excellent condition and works like new. I have the manual, but
>sorry no box. No scratches or nicks on the radio. Here is some of
>its features as indicated on the owners manual:
>
>* Continous coverage from 50 khz to 29.7 mhz
>* Solid phase locked digital synthesis tuning
>* High level RF front end for excellent intermodulation rejection and
> sensitivity.
>* Crystal filters in first and second IF amplifiers, and ceraminc
> filter in third IF provide outstanding selectivity.
>* Designed to use with HiFi systems, or as a self contained receiver
>* Receives am, usb, lsb, and cw
>* Switch selectable 4 or 8 khz bandwith
>* 5000 hz audio heterodyne notch filter
>* Built-in (selectable) RF preamplifier and fine tuning control.
>* You do not need an external or active antenna with this radio!
>
>The radio displays frequencies in 5 digits. The far right digit
>(which is three digits to the right of the decimial display) has the
>top 1/4 of that particular digit burn-out. This in no way interferes
>with the operation of the radio. You can still make out the digit.
>
>I would like to sell this fine collectors stereo shortwave for $500 US
>or best offer. I will ship US or world-wide as long as you pay actual
>shipping cost. Thanks for reading this long ad.

4968. KDK-FM2030 info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JM <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd527a$73d0e680$7de7f2cd@default>
Source record: 150040

Anyone out there that can Email me the microphone connection info? Thanks for reading.

4969. FS-Photocopy of Drake R-7 service + owners manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eomeg$pf4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.boatanchors

>Photocopy of the owners and service manuals for $35 shipped to lower
>48 States. The service manual has 14 "11 X 17" schematics and circuit
>pictorials.

4970. Re: water injector: building one

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Kurz <kkurz@acad.umm.maine.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.96.980318100622.21335E-100000@acad.umm.maine.edu>
Source record: 150042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In the days of high compression engines and only low octane fuel I built a few water injection systems that worked very well to reduce engine knocking and running on. I'm an engine tuner, not a rocket scientist so I'll leave the theory to the experts, but I will tell you they work.... with an added benefit of permanently de-coking your CC's.

I usually used a windshield washer tank and pump plumbed to a spinal syringe inserted in the intake manifold. The electrics were vacuum operated, I usually used a vacuum advance diaphram connected to a microswitch with a spring on a threaded fitting to adjust the moment of vacuum that was suitable for the particular engine. Sometimes I had a manual override switch to inject when towing up steep grades or other high demand situations. I never did dyno testing on the units, but they certainly ran better.

Karl K. Kurz, N1JZY
POB 352, Machiasport
Maine, 04654
207-255-4036

Heaven is where the police are British, the cooks Italian, the mechanics German, the lovers French, and it is all organized by the Swiss.

Hell is where the chefs are British, the lovers Swiss, the mechanics French, the police German, and it is all organized by the Italians.

4971. FS: Timewave DSP-59+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgrandmaison@comdt.uscg.mil
Message-ID: <6eop47oce1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150043

DSP-59+.....$150

Buying the DSP-59Y.

Ron, W4VR

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4972. Re: Prospective sellers of all merchandise please read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LHS <LHSudduth@att.net>
Message-ID: <6eoq6e$m72@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150044

Excellent idea! And another thing, please dont COMPOSE YOUR ADS USING ALL UPPERCASE LIKE THIS. IT IS EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO READ.

Scott Van Aartsen wrote in message <350F339C.9775EF96@rconnect.com>...
Please tell us newer hams what in the world you're selling. You might be missing a good opportunity to get top dollar for your used equipment because Joe Ham doesn't know what a "Yaekencom TS-74100DA" is. Even saying it's a VHF or HF or UHF rig --and whether it's a base, mobile, handheld, etc. helps...but that is not sufficent. Please give as many features as you can. It's tough to compare radios when you don't know whether you're comparing apples to oranges or not.

Speaking for all newer hams...much thanks,

Scott Van Aartsen
KBULA

4973. Icom IC02AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tim J. Neff" <magician@logancounty.com>
Message-ID: <350fdd06.0@gestalt.direcpc.com>
Source record: 150045

I have a Icom IC02AT 4-Sale. Like new. Includes BP8 and Speaker Mic.

First $100.00 takes it.

KU8F

4974. Re: FT5200 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: defaultuser@domain.com
Message-ID: <350FECFB.F60E67F9@domain.com>
Source record: 150046

You have to reset the radio (3 buttons) and then program the band limits
for RX/TX. Search for the mods on oak.oakland.edu, and those files
explain it in more detail.

TH wrote:

> Charles Hugg <chashugg@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
> >I have just acquired at a hamfest a Yaesu FT-5200 dual band
> transceiver.
> >It does not work on 440 MHz, but it does work on 430 MHz, so I can't
> >tune it to any of the local 440 repeaters. Also, it works fine on 2
> >meters, but will not tune to any frequency out of the 2 meter band
> like
> >155 MHz. Could this be a radio that was designed for use in Europe
> and
> >has restricted frequency coverage? If so, is there a mod I could
> perform
> >to open the radio up for use on US frequencies?
>
> >Thanks for any help you can give me,
> >Charlie, K5MBX
>
> Charlie,
>
> Did you buy the radio somewhere around Canada, because you can not
> operate the 440 band there. I had a Icom2700h dual band that had the
> same problem except the two meter side of the radio had stopped
> receiving for some unknown reason. The radio is still at Icom, so I
> can not tell you anything at this point. Good luck!!
>
> 73's
> Kc5Sll

4975. F.S. Hy Gain TX2 Tailtwister $400.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031815523001.KAA21752@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150047

Hy Gain TX2 Tailtwister Rotor & Control Box Extra Heavy Duty.
20 sq.ft.windload when mounted in-tower. 138 ball bearings.
like New Cond. Reconditioned.
$400.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

4976. WTB: Collins 75S-3B and KWM2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rtomo@i-2000.com
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.890232345.21869.rtomo@rtomo.i-2000.com>
Source record: 150048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings:

Anyone selling any late model collins
equipment specifically 75S-3B Rcvr or KWM-2A Xcvr, please
email or call me at (516) 679-5386. Leave a message if I'm
not there.

73,
Ron
KE2UK

4977. Eico 955 Cap tester test lead wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <350FF2BF.BD1@vbe.com>
Source record: 150049

I recently acquired a Eico 955 In-circuit capacitor tester. I am missing the original test lead, which after reading the manual apparently is a special (special length type etc...) cable which was provided with the unit when new.... If someone has the construction manual, could they copy the instructions on making the test lead for me.... I'll pay ur costs plus mailing. OR if someone has a "spare" original test lead they can part with I'll buy it from ya.

Thanks es 73 de Mike Melland kb9qhu
Winneconne, WI

4978. FT50R Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Albert Ewe <twewe@pc.jaring.my>
Message-ID: <350EA440.7BD51A0D@pc.jaring.my>
Source record: 150088

I will be very grateful if any one can forward me one copy of the FT50R manual.
73 de 9M2NQ Albert

4979. Fs--RCA/RBC. Hali/HA2&6, HT37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlogin@gville.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6en3hb$rkm@camel12.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150089

For pick-up only in the Greenville, SC area--Tnx Bob, AA8A

Hallicrafters-HA-2&6 transverters with all tubes and pwr supply.
Complete
but untested. No dents but some paint missing--with manual copy--$250

Hallicrafters--HT-37--100W out on all bands. Audio needs some
attention.
Cosmetics very good. Complete with all tubes and manual copy--$100

Navy RBC--Black face-4-27MHz-works very well. All bad out of spec
resistors
changed.
One bad meter and no cabnet. This is a RBC-2 and doesn't contain the
IF output
module so its a real early version from WW2. Partial cpy of
manual--$125

4980. FS: ICOM IC-47A (440 MHz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <350f1117.4903137@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 150090

ICOM IC-47A 440 FM XCVR, mint condition. With mobile mount and
original manual. $225 plus UPS from 02173.
73, Dick, W1KSZ

4981. FS: Heath Tunnel-Dipper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <350f1139.4937783@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 150091

Haven't used it in quite a while, so guess I don't need it.
Heath Tunnel-Dipper, works fine, MISSING top coil (160-
260 MHz). Will include manual IF I can find it, it's around
somewhere. Sensitivity pot replaced with 10-turn pot (it
cost more than the kit) for greater sensitivity tuning range.
$35 shipped CONUS.
73, Dick, W1KSZ

4982. Re: Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mudd <rickmudd@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5203$420d7680$77806ac6@rickmudd>
Source record: 150092

10 meters is fine and getting better. Yes, you will probably be able to make good contacts, but the real key is what antenna are you going to use. There is a huge difference between a 6 foot helical whip and a 50 foot tower mounted yagi.

My opinion is that you get a radio get the best antenna you can afford and have a blast. Even if you don't talk all over the world you'll still meet lots of nice people and have fun. A nice antenna that will work for you would be a wire dipole. It will be quite short and easy to manage. \

I don't know anything about 10 meter radios so I can't provide help other than to say for a little bit more money you could buy a nice used HF rig that will make you happier in the long run.

Have fun.

Grant <gbutchernospam@speedline.ca> wrote in article
<01bd514e$aad92b60$2e1482ce@gbutcher>...
> I am a new amateur, I am also planning on taking a vacatio to the east
> coast of Canada this summer. I was wondering if 10 metres is a viable
form
> of communication. Could I hope to get overseas QSO's? I see a few
Realistic
> 10m rigs for sale on the swap nets, are the a reasonable rig?
> Thanks in advance
> Grant
> p.s to reply remove the no spam from my address(I think?)
>

4983. WTB ITT Mackay Marine 3010-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlogin@gville.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6en4nt$6t8@camel12.mindspring.com>
Source record: 150093

Anyone out there hve one for sale? Please state price & condx--73's
Bob, AA8A

4984. Re: Icom 706 MKII Free Speration Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4bh@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031801023201.UAA12669@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150094
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>I purchase an Icom 706 MKII around the first of February, it has been
>almost

>7

>weeks since I sent the coupon and warranty card in and haven't received

>the speration cable yet. Local ham store said the feedback from customers

>was that it is taking 2 weeks. Has anyone else that sent their paperwork
>in

>around the time I did or after received their cable yet?

>

>Jeffrey KD0YD

>jwknox@ix.netcom.com

>

Jeffrey,
I purchased my 706MKII in Nov'97. The biggest hassell I had was getting my coupon from HRO. It took 3-4 weeks before they sent it. I mailed it in Dec'97 and got the cable in 2-3 weeks. REMEMBER!!! You have to satisfy 3 things to qualify for this offer. Send in the warranty registration card (there are 2). One is mailed directly to Icom and the other sent in with the offer. You also have to not only include the coupon, but also a copy of your original purchase invoice. Good luck.

73's
Ken
KK4BH

4985. Re: Icom 706 MKII Free Speration Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4KJF@qsl.net
Message-ID: <35112297.2297268@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 150095

On Tue, 17 Mar 1998 14:52:04 -0800, dlugatch@worldnet.att.net (Norman
Dlugatch) wrote:

Mine arrived in about 4 weeks.

>In article <6emsp2$brt@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>, "Jeffrey Knox"
><jwknox@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>>I purchase an Icom 706 MKII around the first of February, it has been almost
>>7
>>weeks since I sent the coupon and warranty card in and haven't received
>>the speration cable yet. Local ham store said the feedback from customers
>>was that it is taking 2 weeks. Has anyone else that sent their paperwork in
>>around the time I did or after received their cable yet?
>>
>
>
>I sent my forms in February 17 and have not received my cable yet. The
>form said that youy should allow "4 to 6 weeks"
>
>
>Good Luck
>
>
>Norm

73's,
Benjamin Blavat, KF4KJF

4986. TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6en8mf$nj6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150096

Hi All
I have for sale.
Good working codition.
$ 100.00 / EA Plus UPS
" TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR "
* Model :8401
* Watts : 600
* Ohm : 50
- Bird Electronic Corp -
Thanks

4987. FS Tek oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6en903$p6h@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150097

HI All
I have a for sale
TEK 475 scope 200MHz $ 350.00 plus shipping
TEK 465M " 100MHz $ 245.00plus shipping
TEK 466 " 100MHZ $ 340.00 plus shipping
TEK 465 " 100MHz $ 320.00 plus shipping
Good working codition and without Probes
Thanks

4988. Tek 2213A oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ena8s$5o0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 150098

Hi All
I have a for sale.
Tek 2213A oscilloscope 60MHz
Good working and mint condition.
$ 480.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

4989. Re: QST -- Want advice on 2 radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@minn.net
Message-ID: <6enc9q$36p$1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 150099

In article <350F282F.2F1E43BF@SPAMPROOFfuse.netSPAMPROOF>, kilroy
<kilroy@SPAMPROOFfuse.netSPAMPROOF> wrote:
>I am wavering between Yaesu FT840 and Icom IC707.
>I'm interested in the HF bands and want to use CW as primary
>communications, but I'm also going to do rtty from the computer and some
>voice.
>
>Many thanks to those who have sent me opinions on these two radios via
>e-mail. I'm still looking for opinions,experiences, etc concerning
>them. Also, if you have a favorite HF rig in the price range (between
>$700 and $800), please let me know about it! Thanks,
>
> Kilroy
> KC8HPG
> kilroy@fuse.net

Hello Kilroy:

I really wonder if you might do better buying a good used rig for $700-800.
Neither the 840 nor 707 are going to work out well as a RTTY Transceiver.
Look for FSK support, QSK operation and finally, You can always add an
after market DSP processor from Timewave later.

John Douglas
(Note my email address, posting not meant as SPAM, rather just advice)
N0ISL/UA4LIS/UB5WJD

4990. F.S.: Radio Shack Pro 39 scanner $175.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <35114B5C.69E5@nidlink.com>
Source record: 149801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Radio Shack Pro 39 scanner

The usual VHF/UHF coverage, but includes full 800 mHz cellular coverage
(in correct increments, unlike most unblocked scanners)

200 channels plus programable band scan

Uses standard nikads or alkalines, can recharge nicads in the radio.

easily a 9 on a scale of 1 to 10 always kept in a case.

Includes case, manual, antenna, a.c. adapter. Believe I have the
original box.

$175.00 plus ups.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070 (north Idaho)

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

4991. Best radio for AM/FM/WB reception?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: baker@sgi.net
Message-ID: <351b4640.169758239@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 149802

Hi All,

This question may be off topic, but its the closest forum I could find to ask it in. I live in Western PA and would like to buy a radio that provides the best reception for AM/FM/WB. I want this radio for in my office where it must co-exist with computer equipment. I have a few other desireable feature, but none are requirements. I would like it to have a digital tuner with presets, external antenna inputs, and a digital clock. Sound quality is a concern, but not a major one. Primary need is for sports broadcasts, AM talk radio/news, and weather band.

I would also like to hear opinions on where the best places to buy this radio. Retail stores, mailorder, other?

Thanks in advance,

Tim Baker
baker@sgi.net

4992. Kenwood TM-G707A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wall <richwall@diac.com>
Message-ID: <6eref3$6pa@undetermined>
Source record: 149803

Saw this new dual bander advertised in April QST.

Anyone know what the price is.....AES and HRO do not show a price as of 3/18/98 on there Web pages.

Rich
Aurora, CO
KF0YI

4993. Re: FT5200 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdonohue@renc.igs.net
Message-ID: <351135ea.10553233@news.igs.net>
Source record: 149804

>Charles Hugg <chashugg@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
>>I have just acquired at a hamfest a Yaesu FT-5200 dual band transceiver.
>>It does not work on 440 MHz, but it does work on 430 MHz, so I can't
>>tune it to any of the local 440 repeaters. Also, it works fine on 2
>>meters, but will not tune to any frequency out of the 2 meter band like
>>155 MHz. Could this be a radio that was designed for use in Europe and
>>has restricted frequency coverage? If so, is there a mod I could perform
>>to open the radio up for use on US frequencies?
>
>>Thanks for any help you can give me,
>>Charlie, K5MBX
>
>Charlie,
>
>Did you buy the radio somewhere around Canada, because you can not
>operate the 440 band there. I had a Icom2700h dual band that had the
>same problem except the two meter side of the radio had stopped
>receiving for some unknown reason. The radio is still at Icom, so I
>can not tell you anything at this point. Good luck!!
>
>73's
>Kc5Sll

I would get a hold of Yaesu and supply the Serial # as you might be
correct. In the manual it states various versions and the freqs that
they will work. Ref can't use 440 in Canada it is totally false we can
use from 430-450. Do you get a display of the 440 freqs or is that
blank. My 5200 covers all the freqs and can also go outside of the 2m
band as well on receive.

73 De Mike
VE3DMJ

4994. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Hynde <hynde@flash.net>
Message-ID: <351143B7.2346802D@flash.net>
Source record: 149805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dr. Bellows wrote:

> Howard N. Lute wrote:
> >
> > In article <+YgYrDAqFmD1Ewz2@two-way.demon.co.uk>, philip@two-
> > way.demon.co.uk says...
> > >>>Doc,
> > >>>>Too bad MOST schools don't have a class like this. One school, and one
> > >>>>class during an entire day, does not change the status of American
> > >>>>Schools in general. Wood shop however is of no use. Nothing is made in
> > >>>>this country anymore, especially out of wood.
> > >>>You have'nt been to New England recently.
> > >>>
> > >>>Phil / UK
> > >>>
> > Further, we live in an area that has a multitude of construction (wood)
> > businesses, Window companies, Commercial cabinet companies, prefab home
> > builders etc. "Wood Shop" is no longer...making little wooden boxes or
> > shelves(!) it's construction trade and all of those I've spoken of, it is
> > highly desirable and necessary.
>
> Not everyone wants to be a woodworker, nor are there enough jobs in that
> industry for everyone. This is a skill that can be taught in College or
> Trade School. High School should teach things that EVERYONE will be
> using no matter WHAT job they end up with.

That's a bit of a stretch... Should we eliminate History? Does not seem applicable to someone who want's to be a nurse, is it really necessary for a brick layer to have good grammar, perhaps he could bypass english class. Good math skills would not necessarily make a good Crisis Intervention Counselor. What exactly could we teach that EVERYONE would use?

> How many people after High School have all the large expensive machines
> at there homes that they used in Wood Shop?? What good is this "skill"
> if you don't have the tools needed?

I don't know what they taught in your High School, but my wood shop and metal shop classes taught manufacturing processes, raw material conversion and the like, along with making 'gadgets'. In metal shop we were required to cost out material for our metal dustpans, consider our hourly labor cost and figure out how much we would need to sell it for to make a profit. Does this seem useless to you?

> It would be just as silly to have a Brain Surgery Class or Slinky Making
> Class in High School.

Why? I took a drafting class as an elective, while I've never done any drafting it sure came in handy when I was selling industrial automation equipment and had to deal with design engineers.

Tim

4995. WTB: MFJ 969 TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <35114b9f.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 149806

Im looking for a Mfj 969 tuner...I live in Toronto, Canada....

Thanks

Lou R.

4996. WTB: MFJ 969 TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <35114caf.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 149807

Im looking for a Mfj 969 tuner...I live in Toronto, Canada....
Thanks

Lou R.

4997. Re: WTB: MFJ 969 TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6erkaibba2@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 149808

In article <35114b9f.0@news.total.net>, "Lou R." <lour@total.net> wrote:
> Im looking for a Mfj 969 tuner...I live in Toronto, Canada....
>
>Thanks
>
>Lou R.

NIce tuner, I just got one. Mine had several problems though out of the box. Cold solder joint at the rear of the antenna knob and several "dirty" spots on the roller inductor. Works well now and I really like it. I use mine on a IC-706MkII that I bought at the same time.

73!
Tom

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
tprandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Moving to 144.390 soon....
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in the address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

4998. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@NOSPAMhw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6erkab$f3q$1@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 149809
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-03-18 dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu said:
dl>But the key to mixing water and gas, is alcohol. Alcohol readily
dl>dissolves water.
dl>David - KF4MOK

Alcohol and water MIX, with some decrease in volume. They form a
Constant Boiling Mixture.

In what sense do you say "alcohol DISSOLVES water"?

Bill, gm8apx, qthr
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Piscis nequam est nisi recens

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

4999. RIGS TO SWAP!!!! LOOK!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Gillam <d_gillam@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <6erdb3rgv1@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 149810

I would be willing to swap the following list of equipment for UHF rigs
High-Split (450-470) preferably GE or Motorola but all others considered.
Name your deal!!

Quantity Desc
4 Motorola Mocom 35 VHF, 15 watts
1 Repco XJS300 VHF Mobile, Xtal, 25 watts
1 Marconi Series 500 Base/Repeater, VHF 30 watts
with pwr supply. Desktop cabinet (can be
rack
mounted with minor work)
1 Motorola MT1000 UHF High-Split Portable with
drop-in rapid charger and high-cap battery
2 Marconi DF56? remote trunk mount VHF rigs, 30
watts. With control heads.
1 Motorola Radius 2 ch UHF Low Split (403-430),
40
watts, CTCSS/DCS
1 Emperor TS5010 10/11 meter rig. All modes. 30
watts.
1 ADI-AR146 50 watt CTCSS encode and decode
DTMF encode and decode, 40 memories.
TX and RX 136-169.
2 GE Custom MVP UHF chassis. Parts Only
1 GE Custom MVP VHF chassis. Parts Only

All units mentioned above are in working condition with the exception of the
Custom MVP units.

Drop me a line and let me know what you've got!

David.
d_gillam@mailexcite.com

5000. F/S Kenwood TS 711A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: blafont@tir.com
Message-ID: <6ermkcfhb4@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 149811

I have a Kenwood TS 711A for sale in excellent condition. It is a 2mtr
transceiver covering CW, SSB, and FM. Asking $300 OBO.
If intersted post here.

Brian W8BL

5001. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35116015.176529401@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149812

On 18 Mar 1998 03:20:31 GMT, "Nelson" <vr2xst@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Tks a lot !
>
>Then I hv to buy an external amp instead of changing PA unit inside the
>rig.

Yep, that's exactly what you have to do. I use an old KLM amp that takes
10 watts in and outputs 160 watts. Does a nice job on 2m SSB.

Gary
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5002. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <99eICYAPATE1Ew44@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 149813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Doc,
> Nothing is made in
>> >this country anymore, especially out of wood.
>> You have'nt been to New England recently.
>>
>
>No, and either has the other 99% of the country. People have to go to
>school, and take jobs where they live. Not everyone in our country can
>fit into the two or three cities that still produce hand made wood
>products.
I was thinking of all the timber framed houses.

Phil / UK

5003. Re: FULL INTERNET Access VIA Packet Radio??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <r4$dTIAKSGE1EwrJ@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 149814
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

David,
>> If you're talking about the Ecoflow then the DTI's own scientists
>> published the results which showed both a noticeable decrease in harmful
>> exhaust emissions and a small improvement in fuel economy, I have a copy
>> of all the dyno tests in my file.
>
>So what? Water injection does this already. Are you saying I should by a
>expensive GEET fuel processor instead.
No, you've already made your mind up long ago.
I was just commenting on the previous posts mention of a magnetic device
in the fuel line. They market such a thing here in the UK and it shares
no similarity with a GEET.

Phil

5004. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip de Cadenet <philip@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <i4mfDOAuaGE1Ewqx@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 149815
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

David,
Who and where please?
>Ya'll can spawn as many threads about ICE's in a radio group as you like,
>but even one of the prime supporters has admitted that GEET is nothing more
>than a glorified water injection system with only small gains in gas mileage
>and emissions, both the exact same effects as water injection.
Phil G4ZOW

5005. Re: IC-R8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David VanHorn <dvanhorn@cedar.net>
Message-ID: <6eroctcqa1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 149816

>I think their recent ad in QST said something about downloading free s/w
>updates from their web site. You might want to try that.
>

Been there, if it's available, it's well hidden.

5006. Re: Icom 735 QSY'er with an Icom 706 MkII & X-band repeat 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351162e6.177249982@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149817

On Tue, 17 Mar 1998 12:22:38 -0500, kr4wm@bigfoot.com (Web Williams) wrote:

>In article <350d7cdb.57556213@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
>ke4zv@bellsouth.net says...
>> On Mon, 16 Mar 1998 10:39:37 -0500, kr4wm@bigfoot.com (Web Williams) wrote:
>> >Tried it- didn't work. Anybody have any success with this?
>> >
>> >73, -Web
>> >kr4wm@bigfoot.com
>>
>> Did you remember to set the IC-706 to IC-735 compatibility mode?
>> The IC-735 used a different command format than later Icom radios.
>> The IC-706 can be set to understand that format from the initial
>> start menu. See manual.
>>
>> Gary
>
>I looked in the manual- nothing about it. There is an CI-V 731 mode,
>but apparently, this is not what needs setting either. There are also
>several dozen memory locations, from 01H through 7FH, and I tried about
>a dozen of them without success. Icom ain't making it easy!

It is easy. Go to set mode. Set function 24 to ON. This puts the radio in
IC-735 mode, which is the only mode the QSYer understands. Set
function 22 to 1200 baud. This is the speed of the QSYer. Now set
function 21 to 04H, this is the address for an IC-735, and that's what
the QSYer is going to expect. Now power down and back up and
the radio should respond to the QSYer just as if it were an IC-735.

>Someone also mentioned that the MkII will do cross band repeat from
>6m to 2m, and that the documentation was in the owners manual. They
>were wrong too. (About there being any documentation in the owners
>manual). I will also ask Icom about this, and post my findings here.
>There is nothing in the makeup of the radio to suggest that this is
>possible. It would have to be a dual-band radio, which it is not.

Correct, it cannot do crossband repeat, and the manual doesn't
claim that it can.

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5007. FS: ICOM 735 & AT-150 Ant Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351164B9.991FD0DB@idt.net>
Source record: 149818

FOR SALE: ICOM 735 & AT-150 Auto Tuner
One-owner ICOM 735 #11631 includes SM-8 desk mic, handheld
mic, built-in EX243
keyer, & FL-32 500Hz filter, plus matching AT-150 HF Full
Automatic Antenna Tuner. Manuals
included. Buyer pays all shipping charges.....
$850/OBO!

CJH
KI7EW

5008. Re: Kachina Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3511677f.178427190@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149819

On 19 Mar 1998 12:39:41 GMT, Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:
>Being involved with computers for a living I always wondered if the
>liability of having a computer based radio is greater than the
>benefit?

I don't think so. All of today's radios are computer based, but having
them controlled by a computer you can program yourself is much
better than being solely dependent on firmware buried in a custom
computer chip.

>One computer virus, disk crash, etc. and your off the air while you
>correct the situation.

True, but you're off the air anyway until you get the P-38 running
again. Besides, who ever heard of Linux crashing? :-)

> Then there is the next operating
>system release. Will your existing software work OK with it etc.

Not a chance. But Kachina released the entire API, so you can
easily write your own driver programs. That's important to those
of us who don't use Windoze in the hamshack.

>Another concern I have is the rate at wich computers are moving
>in changes. Makes me wonder how compatible the existing hardware interface
>would be in 5 years. I have plenty of friends who have old devices from
>way back in the mid 1980's that are not fast enough for todays speedy
>computers. If the resale value of a 5 year old computer drops like a rock
>what will happen to a radio that is computer based on that obsolete
>computer?

It's RS-232. I doubt that's going away any time soon.

>It seems like computer dependance introduces a bunch of variables into
>the mix that a plain dedicated radio with a CPU in it does not.
>
>This is not a flame just a concern. I like technology more than most
>people (when it works). I just draw a line in how much I want to depend
>on it to complicate things further than they already are.

It simplifies things. And it brings things back under *your* control.
I hate it when I'm stuck with what the manufacturer thought was a
clever user interface, but turns out to be an awful kludge for my
style of operating. With a software controlled radio, I can change
the user interface to suit *me*. That simplifies my life.

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5009. Re: Data Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35116a76.179186508@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 01:47:55 -0500, Mike Karlesky <karleskm@river.it.gvsu.edu>
wrote:
>I'm new to the radio world, and I need some help with data radios. I am an
>engineering student and I have a project that I am working on where I
>essentially need a 3-4000 foot serial cable. Obviously, I would like to do
>this with data radios or radio modems. The commercial products I have come
>across are extremely expensive - $1500 for a pair of radios and usually
>overkill in capability for my needs. I only need to transfer a couple k
>worth of data every few minutes.
>
>Could anyone give me ideas on how to transmit serial data for a reasonable
>amount of money with a mile or two line of sight range?
>
>I would greatly appreciate anything at all someone could tell me.

Go check out PacComm's website, www.paccomm.com, they
have what you need.

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5010. azden help !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ray <ray0127@enter.net>
Message-ID: <35117272.0@news3.enter.net>
Source record: 149821

my azden 6 meter 7500h keeps losing stored freq's !! any help ?? just got
the radio so i dont know much about it , but i guess i am going to learn !!

thanks ray

ray0127@enter.net

5011. Icom IC.821 repeater mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: aterje@c2i.net
Message-ID: <6eru9h$960$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149822

Hi

Does someone know a mod to set the IC-821 in link mode(cross band repeater)?

Terry

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5012. Icom IC-24 power save

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: aterje@c2i.net
Message-ID: <6eruir$9l4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149823

Hi
I have lost the manual for my IC-24, and I have forgotten the key combination for battery saving. Could somebody please post a list of the power-on key combinations?

Thanks,

Terry

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5013. WTB: 2M "Base" for packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <3511775A.A5CEB2B1@together.net>
Source record: 149824

Looking for a 2M "base" unit for packet. Require that the unit have separate inputs/outputs for the TNC, as I do not want to pig-tail off the mic. Must have Tone (+CTSS would be nice). Used... send e-mail if you have something like this to sell or swap.

--Tom
KB1CGA

5014. Re: Make Your Own Cable TV Decrambler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb9gkz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031920083801.PAA19244@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149825

I made my own TV "descrambler" recently...and it really works! My wife and kids were complaining of "funny squiggly lines" and loss of vertical sync on our TV picture.

I quickly used my "descrambler" to instantly clear up the picture! Yes... I released the Push-to-Talk switch!

Cheers,
Pat
WB9GKZ

5015. WTB: Norcal 38 Special

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Harper <j..harper@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6eru6i$hl1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149826

Unbuilt.
--
John Harper AA5YX/2
YashicaMat 124G?
Got 'em right here: http://home.att.net/~j..harper

5016. Re: Kachina Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351183F1.1FE8C575@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149827

Tom Nicastri wrote:

> Being involved with computers for a living I always wondered if the
> liability of having a computer based radio is greater than the
> benefit?

I am also involved with computers for a living and find it nice to get away from a keyboard once in awhile and be able to actually twist a knob or two and flip a switch.

Most of the modern HF rigs have a front panel for *hands on* control and also offer a data interface, normally rs232, for computer control through a canned program or a published set of API commands. With these radios you have a choice of how you want to operate. With the Kachina you are restricted to only using a computer which makes the radio harder to use for mobile or portable operations.

The main advantage that I see in computer control is to be able to operate your rig from a remote location.

73
Mark
WA0DCA / AE

5017. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6es1lr$c00@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149828

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FS: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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5018. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn6h332c.b5i.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>
Source record: 149829

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 05:04:02 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>It seems I'm the onle one with a TH-79E. What's going on? Don't they make them
>anymore? All I see is 79As popping up everywhere.

TH-79A is the U.S./Canada version. There are actually several versions
around, depending on the restrictions of the countries where they are
sold. In most cases the difference is in the diodes which select various
frequency limits, but the A(D) models have the cellular phone region
blocked in the microprocessor.

Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@01.w6swe.ampr.org
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen/

5019. TS-140S Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa5tn@apex2000.net
Message-ID: <6es62b$l7e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The TS-140S I posted here for sale has been sold.
Thanks much to all who responded. 73 de Bill - K5VO

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5020. WTB-Tube Caddies and Tube Testers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: showman612@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031921431701.QAA06028@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149831

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Wanted: Tube caddies either empty or as full...
Also, tube testers for about $50
E-Mail "Have's" to me .
Thanks
JM
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5021. HUSTLER MOBILE ANTENNA FOR SALE !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5ixe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031921474201.QAA06756@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149832

For Sale AQ Hustler Mobile antenna with 10 -15-20-75 meter coils. Good Condition. 75.00 and I will ship it to you. Please Contact RD Campbell at n5ixe@aol.com. thanks

5022. ANTENNA TUNER FOR SALE CHEAP !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5ixe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031921495101.QAA05226@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149833

Have an MFJ-941 tuner in good condition , meters and all working. $60.00 dollars and I will pay shipping. contact RD Campbell at n5ixe@aol.com.

5023. MAHA nicad ht fast charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEq36pE.FEF@netcom.com>
Source record: 149834

I bought one of those MAHA fast-chargers as advertised in QST and got it home only to discover that the wall-wart power supply was dead on arrival. I took it back to HRO and they gave me a new wall-wart power supply for it (taken from another box). The salesman told me they had recently experienced several situations just like this. So my suggestion is that you pre-check your wall-wart power supply in the store before you walk out, so you don't have to make another trip back. Maybe Maha will start testing their products before they ship them, too.

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

5024. Help: Mods for Icom IC255

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raul <rbarboni@chasque.apc.org>
Message-ID: <351198B7.38C2@chasque.apc.org>
Source record: 149835

Please, I need the mods to extended RF for Icom IC255.
Thanking in advance,

5025. Re: IC-R8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Sullivan <kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35119D49.533AFD2A@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149836

> Been there, if it's available, it's well hidden.

Nope its not there, I checked it reeeaaaallll gggooooood!!!

PCR1--- is there but no R-8500.

HEY ICOM, YOU SHOULD MAKE A COMP AVAILABLE TO THOSE WHO BOUGHT IN THE LAST 6 MONTHS.....EH???

73 de Pat KK6PD

5026. FS: Yaesu 757GXII, MFJ-249

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Joy <edbee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35119D9B.5C79@erols.com>
Source record: 149837

I am selling my Yaesu 757GXII, very good cond., for $475. I also have an
MFJ-249 HF/VHF SWR analyzer/counter (1.8-170Mhz) never used, $150.
If your interested please e-mail.
Thanks, Ed edbee@erols.com

5027. IC207H mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: g8jnz <g8jnz@netcomuk.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bd5389$8f36cc40$3de42ac2@bob>
Source record: 149838

A friend of mine wants to mod his IC207H for extended coverage. Does anyone know to do it please?

Thanks in anticipation.

Bob M
ax25 : gb7stu.#32.gbr.eu
tcp/ip : gb7zhr.ampr.org
email : g8jnz@netcomuk.com.uk

5028. turner 254HC mic for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg9il@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031923053800.SAA20217@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149839

I have a turner 254HC mic for sale...looks and works fine

$35 shipped CONUS

Kevin

5029. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nrgrebel@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6esav3$rl2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149840
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

>
> Ya'll can spawn as many threads about ICE's in a radio group as you like,
> but even one of the prime supporters has admitted that GEET is nothing more
> than a glorified water injection system with only small gains in gas mileage
> and emissions, both the exact same effects as water injection. Face it
> people, its not anything special. But you can have your fun I guess, it is a
> free country after all.
>
> David Pearce
> dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu
>
>

David,

I'd love to see which "supporter" has "admitted" this!
Anyone that mistakes the GEET for water injection has little understanding of it. Water injection is an "add on" that simply supplies water to aid combustion. The GEET does not need water at all to work. At the same time, in a slightly different configuration, it can burn large amounts(up to 85%) of water with little hydrocarbon fuel. Either way I fail to see how it can be confused with water injection.

Thanks....

Grant

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5030. FS: Icom IC-W32A brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6esete$148$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149841

Brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht for sale. Has 5 watts output, true dual band V/V, U/U and V/U receive, cross band repeat and extended receive range without mod. Comes with BP-180 battery for 3.5 watts output, instruction manual and original packaging. Also comes with a CP-12L cigarette lighter adapter to power it and recharge the battery in your car. This radio is brand new, I bought it 2 weeks ago only. Selling because I want to get back into HF and need to buy a new rig. AES sells this combination for $346.90. I am asking only $290. and that includes shipping and insurance to your door. The price is good enough that I won't negotiate. Inquire by email.

73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

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5031. Re: Yaesu FT530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Bary" <mbary@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3511B032.F0CF0031@erols.com>
Source record: 149842

Rusty,

I think you forgot $omething in your po$t....

73,
Mark
N4EOC

Rusty Santos wrote:

> I'm selling my Yaesu FT 530 handheld radio, in very good condition,
> like brand new, used 5 times, with case, high cap 7.2 volts battery, 12 volts
> external battery, charger's, car adapter and 1/4 wave and 5/8 wave ch72s
> antenae and two original antenae. I can ship C.O.D.

5032. FS:MFJ Deluxe Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6esc5u$fvl@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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FS:MFJ Deluxe Electronic Keyer - MFJ-407B
Good condition.
$40 shipped CONUS prepaid
Ernie
N2OJQ
Roswell, GA
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5033. HP 694C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <6esbmb$cam1@news.i2020.net>
Source record: 149844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I bought this printer at the Feb. Frostfest in Richmond, but I really need a Laser Printer. So, this one is on the market. About 10 sheets thru it, and comes in the box with all accessories and TWO reams of paper, 20# good quality.

Make me an offer.....Must be over 200 and include shipping. Or trade for in like condition radio gear.

Pat
N5PW

5034. Re: Ripoff Warning Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gpewitt@execpc.com
Message-ID: <6escn1$rns@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 149845
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

In Article<351120e5.177511974@news.internetmci.com>, <john.wilcox@mci.com> write:
> Path: daily-planet.newsops.execpc.com!newsops.execpc.com!newsfeeds.sol.net!wnfeed!worldnet.att.net!207.97.14.174!europa.clark.net!208.134.241.18!newsfeed.internetmci.com!204.71.0.51!spamkiller.internetmci.com!news.internetMCI.com!not-for-mail
> From: john.wilcox@mci.com (John Wilcox)
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono
> Subject: Re: Ripoff Warning Update
> Reply-To: john.wilcox@mci.com
> Message-ID: <351120e5.177511974@news.internetmci.com>
> References: <6eq036$1a7@newsops.execpc.com>
> X-Newsreader: Forte Free Agent 1.11/32.235
> Lines: 17
> Date: Thu, 19 Mar 1998 13:42:52 GMT
> NNTP-Posting-Host: 166.32.184.197
> NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 19 Mar 1998 08:42:52 EST
> Xref: daily-planet.newsops.execpc.com rec.radio.swap:172090 rec.radio.shortwave:95873 rec.radio.amateur.equipment:85056 rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors:19249 rec.antiques.radio+phono:70232
>
> That explains the nasty note I received (along with eleven (yes, 11)
> other addressees) last night. GL!
>
> On Wed, 18 Mar 98 20:33:44 PDT, gpewitt@execpc.com wrote:
>
> >
> >Mr. Lessa has responded with a tracking number. I am awaiting
> delivery
> >of the radio. He has also asked to see any messages from people who
> >expressed dis-satisfaction in their dealings with him. I will not
> >forward any messages without permission from the senders. If you
> >sent me such a message and are willing for it to be forwarded to
> >Mr. Lessa please inform me. Thanks to everyone who sent me
> information
> >and support. 73 Gary
> >
>
> John Wilcox
> john.wilcox@mci.com

I did not forward any messages to Mr. Lessa. I don't know how he could
have gotten your address.

5035. Re: Sears VHF 2M Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <" wfaris"@navix.net>
Message-ID: <3511BBAD.6EA0@navix.net>
Source record: 149846

Someone once told me these were Midland radios, but I never bothered to check it out for sure.

5036. Re: azden help !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Souhrada <wb9iog@revealed.net>
Message-ID: <3511BB0A.35AE@revealed.net>
Source record: 149847

ray wrote:
>
> my azden 6 meter 7500h keeps losing stored freq's !! any help ?? just got
> the radio so i dont know much about it , but i guess i am going to learn !!
>
> thanks ray
>
> ray0127@enter.net
Ray
I have the PCS4000 and if its similar there is a 3.6 VDC nicad inside
it's probably shot. That's why you lose storage on the unit.
Mike
Le Claire, Ia

5037. Help! 989C how to cal meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <3511C77B.7C9B@stc.net>
Source record: 149848

Hi All;

I have a MFJ989C and am trying to cal the meter on it. Inside looking down from the front with the top off are 4 pots on a ckt board.

1st on on left cal wattmeter high power (i figured this out by trial and error)

2nd from left cal wattmeter low power. (I figured this out by trial and error)

3rd from left = ?????

4th from left = ??????

I think they are for swr cal but not sure. Need to know how to set them. Have manual off the net but no schematic in it. What to set both of them correctly before I button it up.

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73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

5038. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <3511B26E.2968@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 149849
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

nrgrebel@hotmail.com wrote:
>
> David,
>
> I'd love to see which "supporter" has "admitted" this!
> Anyone that mistakes the GEET for water injection has little understanding of
> it. Water injection is an "add on" that simply supplies water to aid
> combustion. The GEET does not need water at all to work. At the same time, in
> a slightly different configuration, it can burn large amounts(up to 85%) of
> water with little hydrocarbon fuel. Either way I fail to see how it can be
> confused with water injection.
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> Thanks....
>
> Grant
>
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ROFL, and how much U-235 do I need to order from my friendly sales rep
in the Chechen mafia to achieve this "slighly different configuration"?
:-)

-- jm

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

5039. Bunnell Sounder fs bo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uYrcHR5U9GA.297@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149850
Cross-posted to:
rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Bunnell Sounder FS/Best offer. Brass, Brnoze, steel and wood
base. W9JMN@Compuserve

--
PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5040. Alinco 6 meter FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Phillips <klee@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <6eslnqrff1@usenet88.supernews.com>
Source record: 149851

Anybody tried the alinco 6 meter fm mobile. I think it puts out 10watts, or the new version puts out 20 watts. Any info on this radio would be helpful. thanks, N5QBJ
Lee

P.S. please email replys.

5041. FS:****Yaesu FT-767 with 2 meters ****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eslo4oqc1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149852

Ex.con. FT-767gx with the 2 meter board, SP-767 speaker with filters, MD-1 desk mic, FRB-757 relay box, and more. Price is $1100.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5042. Icom IC-W32A with accessories brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6espe5$g95$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149853

I have the following equipment for sale, everything is brand new and still on warranty for nearly one year. Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with V/V, V/U and U/U operation, cross band repeater and extended receive without hardware mod. It comes with a BP-180 battery that gives 3.5 watts output. It gives you 5 watts with a bigger battery or outside dc power. Accessories include HM-46 speaker mike , CP-12L cigarette lighter adaptor for operation and recharging and CSW32 software for programming. A check of the latest prices at HRO gives the following:

IC-W32A : $304.95
HM-46 : $ 59.95
CP-12L : $ 36.95
CSW32 : $ 12.95

For a total of $414.80.

I will sell the complete kit only for $325.00 including shipping insured by airmail to your door. Please inquire by email. Disregard my previous posting, I had forgotten about some accessories.

73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

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5043. Re: Ripoff Warning Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Holderman <aq485@extralafn.org>
Message-ID: <3511F526.4E4F@extralafn.org>
Source record: 149854
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

gpewitt@execpc.com wrote:
>
> Mr. Lessa has responded with a tracking number. I am awaiting delivery
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> expressed dis-satisfaction in their dealings with him. I will not
> forward any messages without permission from the senders. If you
> sent me such a message and are willing for it to be forwarded to
> Mr. Lessa please inform me. Thanks to everyone who sent me information
> and support. 73 Gary

Just in case you aren't aware of it, the UPS site is a convenient way to
see what's going on with a package using it's tracking #:

http://www.ups.com/tracking/tracking.html

Here you can keep tabs on whether the item was actually sent and exactly
what time it arrives at the UPS depot.

...Scott
(remove "extra" from address to e-mail)

5044. WTB: ICOM IC-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Emigdio Gonzalez <k6eg@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3511D65D.950DF715@earthlink.net>
Source record: 149855

LOOKING FOR ICOM 1C-706 IN EXCELLENT CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE PRICE
IF YOU HAVE ONE FOR SALE PLEASE REPLY TNX ED K6EG

5045. WTB Nye Viking 005 Pwr Mtr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Courtney <kdc1@msn.com>
Message-ID: <u42kk0vU9GA.213@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149856

kdc1@email.msn.com

5046. WTB: Icom IC-901 Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: VIVIAN HYMAN <ahyman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6evjkm$rm0$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 149857

I just purchased a very nice used IC-901 and need accessories
Fiber Optic unit
Tone Board
Wide Band receive Module
1.2 Band unit
2Meter SSB Module

If you had any you would like to sell/trade

Please let me know.

Thanks,

Alan Hyman
KA2PVR

5047. Icom SP-20 Speaker - Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mentor@cin.net
Message-ID: <35110e70.6791106@news.cin.net>
Source record: 149858

Thanks for reading this. I'm looking for an Icom SP-20 speaker in at least mint condition. Please advise condition and lowest price.
Thanks in advance. Jim mentor@cin.net

5048. For sale FT101ZD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Albert Ewe <twewe@pc.jaring.my>
Message-ID: <351010AA.F181B9A0@pc.jaring.my>
Source record: 149915

I got a Yaesu FT101ZD HF for sale.With AM board. Painted in green. Spare valves included. Working condition. Service manual included. Shipping please arrange your own. Please e-mail your offers.
73 de 9M2NQ Albert(Ipoh W.Malaysia)

5049. Re: Is 10 metres workable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tprovost@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <35125d8a.876564@news.hoflink.com>
Source record: 149916

While on the ten meter thread......What is a 10-10 number?
Where does one get a number,and what kind of award (if any) can one
work toward?????

Thanks,

tom WA2YJF the isle of long....

5050. FS: Icom Mint Dual Band IC-2350H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Francer <francer@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd52d5$a8212ca0$23d471d1@francer>
Source record: 149917
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I am forced to sell my ICOM IC2350H Dual Band rig. Never Mobile and purchased less than a year ago. Included are Multi Purpose Remote Mike, Mobile Bracket, Manual, Original Box and warranty. $325 NON-Smoker. Shipped con. US.

Charlie W1CMF

5051. Ham/Police Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: terryh@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <6eptcqnmd4@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 149918

http://cust.iamerica.net/terryh/

73's
Terry (KC5SLL)

5052. Ham/Police Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: terryh@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <6eptmunmd5@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 149919

http://cust.iamerica.net/terryh/

73's
Terry (KC5SLL)

5053. Kachina Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: disorder@mail.fastlane.net
Message-ID: <351077d4.26311581@news.fastlane.net>
Source record: 149920

I noticed that the Kachina advertisement in the April issue of QST
had a quote from QST about the Kachina computer based system.
Does this mean that the QST review has been completed and will be
appearing soon (or is this an April Fools joke by Kachina)?

Mike W5FTD

5054. Drake R7 receiver FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031902232301.VAA29278@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149921

Selling a stock R7 receiver. No optional filters, no noise blanker, etc., just the receiver. Included are copies of service manual for R7 (about an inch thick), service manual for TR-7 (also about an inch thick), and virtually all owner's manuals for 7 line accessories (linear, tuners, speech processor, keyer, etc. etc.). I'd rate the receiver as an 8.5-9 on a 10 point scale. Receiver, and copies of manuals, double boxed shipping, all for $550 to your door, conus only, will not ship outside continental US.

73

Evan

5055. Yaesu FT530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rusty@pe.net
Message-ID: <6eq2ll$eq3$2@victoria.pe.net>
Source record: 149922

I'm selling my Yaesu FT 530 handheld radio, in very good condition,
like brand new, used 5 times, with case, high cap 7.2 volts battery, 12 volts
external battery, charger's, car adapter and 1/4 wave and 5/8 wave ch72s
antenae and two original antenae. I can ship C.O.D.

5056. FS/FT Icom AT-150 - Reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <3510936F.50F8@mci.com>
Source record: 149923

FS/FT Icom AT-150 - Reduced

I have the Icom AT-150 Automatic Antenna Tuner in mint condition. Not used more than 15 to 20 hours, always covered when not in use, with original interface cable, manual, and box.

AES price for a new AT-150 is $ 499.95, and $399.95 for a demo/used one. I originally posted this for $300 + shipping, and now reduced to $275 + shipping.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

5057. FS/FT: Cushcraft R5 Vertical - Reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <351092B5.6D2F@mci.com>
Source record: 149924

FS/FT: Cushcraft R5 Vertical - Reduced

I have a like new Cushcraft R5 vertical antenna for sale. Excellent limited space no radials antenna.

This antenna was used for just over a year, and been in storage for the last five years. Extremely clean, almost like brand new. Complete with all hardware and documentation, in the original box and packing materials.

Work 10, 12, 15, 17, and 20 meter with this highly efficient vertical radiator only 17 feet tall.

Original asking price was $200 + shipping, and now reduced to $175 + shipping.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

5058. FS/FT: Commercial 5GHz Digital Microwave radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <35109435.3D5D@mci.com>
Source record: 149925

FS/FT: Commercial 5GHz Digital Microwave radios

I still have for sale, a nice pair of CYLINK FT1 commercial spread spectrum digital microwave radios. Please email for details, if interested.

73s Saad KB6VIR/5 Dallas

5059. Drake R7 sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031904001500.XAA17645@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149926

Thanks for your interest!

5060. Re: FS: Icom IC-25H 2m Mobile $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <3510a4e4.695256308@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 149927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Icom IC-25H is sold....

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

5061. Data Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Karlesky <karleskm@river.it.gvsu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.95.980319014210.2982A-100000@river.it.gvsu.edu>
Source record: 149928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm new to the radio world, and I need some help with data radios. I am an engineering student and I have a project that I am working on where I essentially need a 3-4000 foot serial cable. Obviously, I would like to do this with data radios or radio modems. The commercial products I have come across are extremely expensive - $1500 for a pair of radios and usually overkill in capability for my needs. I only need to transfer a couple k worth of data every few minutes.

Could anyone give me ideas on how to transmit serial data for a reasonable amount of money with a mile or two line of sight range?

I would greatly appreciate anything at all someone could tell me.

Thanks,
mike

-- Mike Karlesky --
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Until you find something worth dying for, you're not really living.
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5062. Re: SB-220 Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6eqfhm$77m@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

1-616-925-5899
Heathkit Manuals
This Is An Authorized Heathkit Location For Copies.
~Gregg Houston,Texas~
E- Mail Me **** Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net
Or **** W5IDX@earthling.net
Home Page *** http://home.att.net/~gregg.e/index.html

KQ6UV <jimsmit@ns.net> wrote in article <6eh72n$b30$1@aurora.ns.net>...
> I'm trying to locate a copy of the manual for the Heathkit SB-220
> amplifier. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
> Jim Smith
> KQ6UV
>
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>

5063. Price for the UT-106 DSP board for the ICOM706MKII ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Serge SCORSET <efa@euronet.be>
Message-ID: <3510E4BC.309@euronet.be>
Source record: 149930

Hi,

Could someone give me an approximative price for the new DSP board
UT-106 for my ICOM 706MKII ? My rig is an european version dated from
may 1997.

I can't reach ICOM by mail... but I know that this option will be
available only in April of 1998.

Thanks for any reply

Erik

5064. Re: Kenwood TH-79A Repeater Offset Help!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6eqp1d$9gp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

I've got a TH-79E. You can definetly open 800MHz - 999MHz, but you have to send it to Kenwood for that. Tampering with it yourself disqualifies your warranty.

Learn to write good ennglish too. It's bad when you communicate badly. Actually it is disgraceful.

Don't you feel ashamed writing like this, even Bill Clinton who I think is a first class mothefucker is not this bad. I mean bad english sucks!!!!!!!!!!!!!

In article <01bd5290$7dc0d680$bf0148ca@default>,
"VR2XST" <vr2xst@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> USA version cannot work
>
> Landen Stoker <kc5qdz@iamerica.net> wrote in article
> <350BF399.83D8CEDC@iamerica.net>...
> > I just bought a TH79A and for what ever reason it does not due auto
> > repeater offset on 440, is this the way it was designed, if so is there
> > a mod that can be done to remedie it??
> > I also heard that you could open up this radio to receive police and
> > stuff on 800 mhz is this true?
> > TNX
> > Landen
> > KC5QDZ@IAMERICA.NET
> >
> >
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5065. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6eqtv9$ts0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149932

It seems I'm the onle one with a TH-79E. What's going on? Don't they make them anymore? All I see is 79As popping up everywhere.

In article <3510ADF6.111F@pulse.net>,
jgerke@pulse.net wrote:
>
> I just bought a TH-79A(D) last week. In fact it is the third one we've
> had at my house. ALL of them came with CTCSS decoding built in. It is
> included in the US version radio.
>
> My son, KC5SXD, just bought a G71A. Operationally it's almost identical
> to the 79A except it does not have the dual display and you can't
> monitor both bands at once. The G71A is programmble via a computer
> whereas the 79A is not.
>
> I prefer the feel of the 79A - it is slimmer and feels better in my
> hand, while the G71A is too fat for me. It feels like I'm holding a hand
> grenade. I don't like the Yaesu FT-50 for the same reason. But my son
> loves the G71A, and he used to have a 79A.
>
> 73, Jim, K5NTX
>

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5066. Help: Using mic PTT w/transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <3510FEC8.6BC8F52@connix.com>
Source record: 149933

Hi & thx for reading.
I am using a Yaesu FT290 with several microwave transverters. Since the FT290 has no control signals sent down the coax on transmit, I have to throw a switch on the transverters whenever I transmit... What I would like to do is wire these switches into the 290's mic/mic jack.....
Ideas on this approach, as well as other possible solutions appreciated.

73
Harry
N1QVE

5067. WTB: Icom 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsartori@radix.net
Message-ID: <6er2f7$3gj$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149934

I want a 756. Please respond with age, condition any assys included and lastly with you best price. I just sold my repeater and I am ready!!

Thanks

Joe Sartori
WB3IUT

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5068. DJ-G1 Radio Mods Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ij069@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <6er3gh$pb7$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 149935

Looking for TX and REC mods for the alinco DJ-G1. Post to this
group or email me. Thanks

5069. Re: Kachina Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6er3md$n99@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 149936

Being involved with computers for a living I always wondered if the
liability of having a computer based radio is greater than the
benefit?

One computer virus, disk crash, etc. and your off the air while you
correct the situation.

Then there is the next operating
system release. Will your existing software work OK with it etc.

Another concern I have is the rate at wich computers are moving
in changes. Makes me wonder how compatible the existing hardware interface
would be in 5 years. I have plenty of friends who have old devices from
way back in the mid 1980's that are not fast enough for todays speedy
computers. If the resale value of a 5 year old computer drops like a rock
what will happen to a radio that is computer based on that obsolete
computer?

It seems like computer dependance introduces a bunch of variables into
the mix that a plain dedicated radio with a CPU in it does not.

This is not a flame just a concern. I like technology more than most
people (when it works). I just draw a line in how much I want to depend
on it to complicate things further than they already are.

When you start with a radio and add a computer interface and add
the computers as a control device you add several million transistors
disk drives, memory, video, disk controllers, Video I/O monitor, cables,
keyboard, serial & parallel boards, the BIOS, firmware and MILLIONS OF
LINES OF SOFTWARE CODE to control a radio. I am sure its a technological
miricle when it all works correctly... But what about when it does not?
Are you off the air due to a computer problem? Can you run the radio
without the computer?

Michael Poteet <disorder@mail.fastlane.net> wrote:
> I noticed that the Kachina advertisement in the April issue of QST
> had a quote from QST about the Kachina computer based system.
> Does this mean that the QST review has been completed and will be
> appearing soon (or is this an April Fools joke by Kachina)?

> Mike W5FTD

5070. WTB: 75A-4 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: levatino@nycap.rr.com
Message-ID: <351314f2.1329538@news-server>
Source record: 149937

Looking for a matching speaker for a Collins 75A-4 in good to
excellent condition.

Tony
KC2RT

5071. KANTRONICS KT110

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: btakacs@cyberdrive.NET
Message-ID: <199803191236.HAA04063@nemesis.cyberdrive.net>
Source record: 149938

Looking for Schematic or manual on Kantronics KT110. This is a ten meter all mode transceiver that was made by Tokyo Hi-Power and marketed through Kantronics at one time. Any info would be appreciated.

Bill/KB8ZW

5072. Alinco dual band card radio DJ-C5k

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sepsteinx@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6er8i9$8qp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149939

Just had a QSO with Tokyo. Alinco now released a dual band card radio called DJ-C5. The size is almost the same and is dual band. And it's got a speaker in it. Price is not much mor e then a single band earphone card radio.

>Hello,
> I have both the DJ-C1 (2M) and DJ-C4 (440) units. They both work very well.
> The units have volume and sql control that are fully adjustable. They have
>20memories. They basically have everything larger rigs have (adjustable
>splits, tone, all that good stuff).
>ron

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5073. Re: Kachina Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <35113A3F.1F55@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Source record: 149940

Tom Nicastri wrote:
>
> Being involved with computers for a living I always wondered if the
> liability of having a computer based radio is greater than the
> benefit?
>
> One computer virus, disk crash, etc. and your off the air while you
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> system release. Will your existing software work OK with it etc.
>
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> keyboard, serial & parallel boards, the BIOS, firmware and MILLIONS OF
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> > appearing soon (or is this an April Fools joke by Kachina)?
>
> > Mike W5FTD

Tom,
Since I also work in the computer field, I will
have to agree.
Gary - KN0V

5074. Swap ALPHA 76A for ICOM 2KL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980319134444401.IAA02852@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149941

I have a Alpha 76A with very little use on it.I'll trade it for a Icom 2kl
or the Alpha and$$$ for a 4kl
I really don't want to ship the Alpha..pick up or I can meet someone half way
in the New England area
Dick,KA1KLA in New Bedford,Ma.
508 999 3748

5075. Re: Ripoff Warning Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.wilcox@mci.com
Message-ID: <351120e5.177511974@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 149942
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

That explains the nasty note I received (along with eleven (yes, 11)
other addressees) last night. GL!

On Wed, 18 Mar 98 20:33:44 PDT, gpewitt@execpc.com wrote:

>
>Mr. Lessa has responded with a tracking number. I am awaiting
delivery
>of the radio. He has also asked to see any messages from people who
>expressed dis-satisfaction in their dealings with him. I will not
>forward any messages without permission from the senders. If you
>sent me such a message and are willing for it to be forwarded to
>Mr. Lessa please inform me. Thanks to everyone who sent me
information
>and support. 73 Gary
>

John Wilcox
john.wilcox@mci.com

5076. Sell DB 224E 2m Rpt ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfulco7576@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998031914080201.JAA05242@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149943

I have a DB 224E commercial repeater antenna cut for the amateur bands. Wiring harness in good shape. This antenna is rugged and is normally sold for over $600. I'll take $325 for it..Can be broken down into 2 11' sections. Location Shreveport,La (200 mi east of Dallas,Tx) Randy K5SL , email RFulco7576@aol.com

5077. *** Pasokon SSTV For Sale ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken@seemessage.com
Message-ID: <6er9dg$g46@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149944

Hi. I have a Pasokon SSTV board for sale. I'm the original owner.
The board is in perfect condition, and includes the software and manual,
and a copy of the original article in QST about the board. Price just
reduced to $100.

I'll pay shipping and insurance (to the US). If interested, please email
to the address listed below, and we'll swap particulars.

Thanks very much,

Ken, N1NEG

PS This is perfect for an old PC. A 486 and DOS is perfect. Windows
not required.

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My real email address is almost "ken@wino!!!!!grad.com".
Just delete the exclamation points, and it's for real.
Sorry about this complication, just trying to avoid spam mail.

5078. Re: ht1000 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchapman@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <6er9l9$f8i@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 149945

spo150@vdot.net wrote:
: Anyone know where to get some ht1000 software??
I think what everyone is trying to say is that the SW is licensed, and Motorola does NOT appreciate it being given or traded away, and watches groups like this frequently to make sure their property is kept intact.

Getting SW from anyone other than Motorola is STEALING (the same can be said for any SW package with a license), and thus wrong. Go to your local Motorola dealer, and I'm sure you can program your radio for less than the cost of the SW, or get the SW directly from Motorola, and be legal.

73,
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--*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-*-
John Chapman WB8INY
Ohio Section ARES, District Emergency Coordinator, District 7
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/9551/ (check it out)

5079. FS Kenwood TS-850S/AT HF Transceiver with Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Chapman <lechap@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6er56sro1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 149946

This is a 3-million serial number transceiver in perfect electrical and excellent cosmetic condition. I have owned it for 3 years and it has never been mobile. It includes the transceiver, hand microphone, manual, dc power cable and shipping box. I'm asking $975.00 plus UPS shipping and I'm NOT interested in any trades. Thanks. 937 981 2462 during the day.

5080. FS Kenwood TS-850S/AT HF Transceiver with Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Chapman <lechap@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6er570ro2@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 149947

3-million serial number Kenwood TS-850S/AT HF transceiver with antenna tuner. I have owned this unit for 3 years and it is in perfect electrical and excellent physical condition. Never been mobile. Includes rig, hand mic, dc cord, manual and box. Asking $975.00 and buyer pays shipping. NO TRADES. Thanks. 937 981 2462 during week days.

5081. Re: Price for the UT-106 DSP board for the ICOM706MKII ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351130E6.E7954BEA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149948

I believe there was a message putting the price at around $150 US.

You might want to check the Ham Radio Outlet web site. There is also info at the icomamerica web site.

Phil

5082. WTB clegg 220Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Royal Moore <royald@ipeg.com>
Message-ID: <35112C80.9A68EF33@ipeg.com>
Source record: 149949

Looking for clegg 220 radios, need two. Please email, Thank you.

5083. FS Cushman CE-15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ere65$pe6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149950

I have a for sale.
Cushman CE-15 Spectrum Monitor / 2EA
Make an offer
Thanks

5084. Re: Icom IC-W32A brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Kaye" <n2sjh@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <6evbsa$6a$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 149702

Is this the swap group? Hmmmm.....
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca wrote in message <6esete$148$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht for sale. Has 5 watts output, true dual
>band V/V, U/U and V/U receive, cross band repeat and extended receive range
>without mod. Comes with BP-180 battery for 3.5 watts output, instruction
>manual and original packaging. Also comes with a CP-12L cigarette lighter
>adapter to power it and recharge the battery in your car. This radio is
brand
>new, I bought it 2 weeks ago only. Selling because I want to get back into
HF
>and need to buy a new rig. AES sells this combination for $346.90. I am
>asking only $290. and that includes shipping and insurance to your door.
The
>price is good enough that I won't negotiate. Inquire by email.
>
>73 de VE2CJW
>Michel Morin
>Quebec, Canada.
>morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
>
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5085. Headstart M-1031-cvga Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven B. Miner" <smka9ldc@wworld.com>
Message-ID: <35133916.1B62@wworld.com>
Source record: 149703

If anyone has a schematic for this Monitor (made by Daewood in the Late 80's or Early 90's) please past a reply. The Monitor is good the cable went bad and had it fixed at a local shop. They did some thing and now they have the colors mixed up and cann't get any information on it and have given up and say it's not repariable. I think they got the connections wrong on the board or used the wrong cable in the first place. I hate to junk the monitor because of a misconnection. If someone can help, it would be much appreciated. 73's
Steve KA9LDC

5086. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6evjbb$3q62$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 149704

Rick L. Ulbrich wrote in message <3512AF2E.5C5D@horizon.hit.net>...
>Tom Nicastri wrote:
>> These radios are covered by a Global warranty.

>Does it really take a rocket scientist to realize that global economy is
>just that, global! If everyone got paid on the same wage scale and paid
>the same amount for goods bought we would not have any reason to, pissing
off my >. I bet
>you don't mind selling stuff we make here to other countries for a high
>dollar and buying stuff back at a low one? Really think about it!!!
You're in a battle of wits with an unarmed man.

5087. GLB Channelizer 400B???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <35135A95.420E@foothill.net>
Source record: 149705

I just got a "GLB Channelizer Model 400B"

What is it??
I guess it is a VFO.
Sure would like some instructions.

Gene

5088. FS: FT-830S Kenwood.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <35135D5E.4@foothill.net>
Source record: 149706

For sale:
KENWOOD FT-830S. Looks and works good.
$450 plus shipping. Shipping weight about 45#

Eugene Rippen, 105 Donnington, Auburn, CA 95603

5089. FS: HENRY 3K-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <35135BC0.7D1E@foothill.net>
Source record: 149707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

HENRY 3K-A linear. Will deliver 50 miles, or to
Livermore or Foorhill swap meets.
Looks good. Untested by me. The person I got
it from said it works. Priced with presumption
that it does work and tubes are reasonably good.
$1350 obo.

Gene WB6SZS
Auburn, CA

5090. TS-820S Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <35135CAA.14F7@foothill.net>
Source record: 149708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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For sale:
KENWOOD TS-820S, Looks and works good.
In original double boxes. $350 plus shipping.
Shipping weight about 40#

Eugene Rippen, 105 Donnington, Auburn, CA. 95603
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5091. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6euhuaevl3@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 149709
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On 1998-03-18 cj@boi.hp.com said:
cj>Newsgroups: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.
cj>radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
cj>X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.01Gold (X11; I; HP-UX B.10.20 9000/755)
cj>Xref: news-serv.hw.ac.uk uk.radio.amateur:45492 rec.radio.amateur.
cj>digital.misc:24369 rec.radio.amateur.equipment:67070 rec.radio What
cj>I want to know is, how much will this water injection improve the
cj>output of my alternator, allowing me to run more mobile radio
cj>equipment? (Someone had to get this thread back on a topic
cj>pertinent to these newsgroups...) -cj KD6AEG

Similar to the improvements I notice when I connect my inverter to the cigar lighter socket, plug in a simple battery charger, and use that to keep the battery charged.

Bill, gm8apx, qthr
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Cantabit vacuus coram latrone viator

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

5092. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk
Message-ID: <6euhugevl5@cn1.hw.ac.uk>
Source record: 149710
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Has anyone reported on the best sort of water to use?

Bill, gm8apx, qthr
Edinburgh, Scotland, near England

Memoria minuitur, nisi eam exerceas

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

5093. Covers 150 khz - 108 MHZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ett76$mi6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 03:30:37 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>
>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>
>* Handheld battery operated unit
>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>* 3 scan modes.
>* Am narrow/wide mode
>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>* Fine tunning control
>* Tone hi/low
>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

5094. It covers 150 khz - 108 mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6ettf4$mi6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Pllus 115 MHZ - 223 MHZ with the included converter.

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>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>* Fine tunning control
>* Tone hi/low
>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

5095. TFS Delivery Failure:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailtfs@littlewoods.co.UK
Message-ID: <9803201409.AA25479@lhsgfw.littlewoods.co.uk>
Source record: 149753

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The following address could not be delivered
EXT272 @ LHSG-GROUP (Mercer, Sharon GP)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
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5096. TFS Delivery Failure:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailtfs@littlewoods.co.UK
Message-ID: <9803201410.AA24885@lhsgfw.littlewoods.co.uk>
Source record: 149754

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The following address could not be delivered
EXT272 @ LHSG-GROUP (Mercer, Sharon GP)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
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5097. TFS Delivery Failure:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailtfs@littlewoods.co.UK
Message-ID: <9803201410.AA26160@lhsgfw.littlewoods.co.uk>
Source record: 149755

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The following address could not be delivered
EXT272 @ LHSG-GROUP (Mercer, Sharon GP)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
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5098. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jorden@dvorak.amd.com
Message-ID: <6etuo8$jn7$1@amdint2.amd.com>
Source record: 149756

On the subject of Japanese dealers with the ft-847, anybody done
this? Anyone tried?

thanks,

pat
kc5huc

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Pat Jorden

5099. Wtd: MC-60 Knwd & Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <6eu04e$mj4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149757
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking For A Clean MC-60 Mic Wired 8 Pin For Kenwood TS-450SAT
This Is For A Friend Jerry KD5BIC He Also Needs The Matching Speaker.
73's W5IDX

5100. Yaesu FT-2500 repeater offsetts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James P. Judge" <judgejp@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <6etva6tbm1@decius.ultra.net>
Source record: 149758

Is there any way to increase the resolution of the repeater offset function. At present it is limited to 50 khz steps.
I need to use an offset of 1.935Mhz. Is there any other way to do this with this radio like using 2 different memory spaces for input and output.
any help would be greatly appreciated
pat

5101. Re: Icom IC-W32A with accessories brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Tomas <tomasr@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <351282C1.EA643B04@agcs.com>
Source record: 149759

Greg Ottria wrote:

> Hi Michel, I think the BP-180 will give you 5 watts. If thats the same
> battery that comes with the radio then it is 5 watts. Also the software is
> free until March 31.

My W32 came with a BP-173 battery.

Roger Tomas (KC7ZDW)
AG Communication Systems

5102. Non RF Noisy Dimmer Switch?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5413$0c820000$5f8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 149760

I have traced some incredible rf noise being broadcast from the two light dimmer switches at my QTH.
Has anyone identified a brand or type of replacement dimmer that does not broadcast rf noise?
Any other common sources and solutions I should track down?
Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

5103. FS AEA AT-300 antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Barnett <lbarnett@claimsware.com>
Message-ID: <01bd541e$781906a0$133a88d1@c238.globalvision.net>
Source record: 149761
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

AEA AT-300 300 watt antenna tuner for sale.

Cross-needle meter for power out and SWR.

Switched input and output selection.

Like new condition with manual.

$100 plus shipping.

Please reply to: lbarnett@claimsware.com

5104. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nrgrebel@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6eu1hq$80f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149762
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I've never had any problems with the exhaust or the cylinder heads, though other have said there are potential problems. Somewhere in the information I've gathered it warns not to use it with a very rich mixture.

> How does your exhaust system hold up? Also, I think the main drawback of
> a water injected system is head gasket removal (a way of saying cylinder
> overpressure) and valve erosion, but I have never played with it.
>
> > One should understand that there are many different configurations of water
> > injection. The simplest just draw vapor under vac from a canister.
> > The best I've seen is the Goodman system. He actually made it on television
> > and in a few magazines several years ago. He modified his car with pistons
> > that raised his compression ratio to about 13:1, and with only the pistons and
> > his water injection increased mileage by 50%. His system used the air pump to
> > draw the water and provided a very nice "fog" that was proportional to load of
> > the engine, something no other unit I've seen does.

Power went up about 15hp, due to the compression increase. This was on a small 4 cyl.

> And the gains would be so, if there was probably a roughly 30% reduction
> in horsepower. Perhaps Gary could calculate the exact amount, since he
> has the formulas and test apparatus. Not to mention this thing really
> must have been heck on head gaskets. Perhaps this experiment is better
> to be performed in a Rodeck?
> (solid head/block assembly).
>
> >
> > Also, of possible interest:
> > Have you seen anything on Rudolph Gunnermans A-21 fuel?
> > It is half water and half naptha gas. It works in diesel or gas engines.

I don't think they were looking for a power increase? Just a cheaper, cleaner alternative. There ARE major problem when using water in this way. When you are feeding the engine larger amounts of water like this, every time that you shut off the engine you end up with water in the cylinder. My sources said that engine life, when using large amounts of water in this way, was cut dramatically. I have a video of Gunnerman running this fuel in his Porsche,

it didn't seem to suffer any power loss. But if engine life is reduced I'd hate to be replacing a Porsche engine every 2 years.

> Catepillar openly admits experimentation, but they have also reaffirmed
> that fact it does not add power, but does help to greatly reduce
> emissions that are special to diesel motors.
>
> >
> > I also recently tested a fuel treatment that promotes the fact that it has
> > water in it. (In reality almost all of them do, though most don't promote
it
> > as a benefit. It is also in gas at the pump) . It has worked quite well
in
> > most of the vehicles that I've tried it in.
> >

Actually, alcohol does work fairly well for this. Another alternative that works at least as well, that almost everyone has on hand is liquid dish washing soap. Only takes a little to mix a fairly large amount of water with the gas. Using a strong dish detergant, some isopropyl, and a few other surfactants I was able to mix 35% deionized water with gas. Car ran pretty decent. It did make readily apparent the weakness of my very old point ignition however.

I don't think it is practical to feed this type of fuel into an engine via conventional fuel systems. I also forsee problems with it during our rather cold winters.

> But the key to mixing water and gas, is alcohol. Alcohol readily
> dissolves water.
>
> David - KF4MOK
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5105. FS Mirage A-1015G 6 meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Barnett <lbarnett@claimsware.com>
Message-ID: <01bd541e$e149bca0$133a88d1@c238.globalvision.net>
Source record: 149763
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE Mirage A-1015G 6 meter amp.

10 watts input, 150 watts output.

GaAsFET preamp built in.

Like new condition with origional box.

$300 plus shipping.

Please reply to: lbarnett@claimsware.com

5106. FS: Yaesu FL-7000 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Garry W. Woods" <kb8sgo@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#6vBZfBV9GA.69@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149764

Purchased new R&L Electronics, 2/27/95. Low usage and looks new.
$1600.00 shipped CONUS. It can be seen in the tailgate area at the
Marietta GA Hamfest, 3/21, weather permitting. Trades considered.
Garry Woods
(423) 457-8961 Knoxville

5107. FS:*** 2 meter board for FT-767gx***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6eu0euppp1@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149765

Have the 2 meter board for the Yaesu FT-767gx. Ex.con. Price is $300.00
+ shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5108. FS optoelectronics xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <lbirch@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3512AD2E.309E@cadvision.com>
Source record: 149766
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Optoelctronics Xplorer with accessories plus rd800 rubber duck antenna and bhp800 high pass filter. Cellular range unlocked. Located in Canada but will ship to US. US$700

5109. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: JM <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd541c$0ef38620$88e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 149767

The warranty will probably be no good stateside either.

David Feldman <dgf@netcom.com> wrote in article
<dgfEpzxHG.EJs@netcom.com>...
> In article <350F359B.8559B6DE@ix.netcom.com> hershman
<hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:
> >in Japan. OR. You can Order the FT-847 from several Japanese Dealers
> >and BYPASS
> >Yaesu USA and the Dealers and save $ 500 !!!
>
> Take care in this - the JA band plans are different on 2 and 430 MHz and
> you might find your less-expensive model can't access repeaters on 2 or
> the FM part of UHF.
>
> > 73's NS1R Steve
> >
>
> 73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com
>
>
>

5110. For Sale: Standard Communications RPT-2 UHF Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gritelecom@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032016323501.LAA23982@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149768

For Sale:

Standard Communications RPT-2 UHF Repeater
Crystal Controlled on 444.000 TX / 449.000 RX
PL Encode / Decode 146.2 HZ
Six Watts Output
Receiver Sensitivity 0.2 microvolts
12 volts DC required
Generic COR only / No Controller / No CWID / No Duplexer
Rack Mount
Been around a long time but works very well.
Very Light and shipped via UPS economically.
No Manuals or Documentation

$350.00 (Shipping Additional)

Gordon

5111. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6eu5r1$g7l$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 149769

segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> We sell to UK 30% more, becaus ethey are mostly fucking assholes who live
> there.

Mercy, who woke this idiot out of his slumber??? Must have run out of
slime under the rock ....

nq5t

5112. need yaesu ft-707 mic pinouts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffke3uv@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032016390700.LAA24824@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149770

I need the mic pinouts for the Yaesu FT-707. I want to use this with my KAMPLUS, but do not have the manual. I would also be interested in a copy of the manual for the 707.

Thanks

Jeff KE3UV.

5113. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6eu6h8$ql9@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 149771

These radios are covered by a Global warranty.
Your local repair may complain and tell you your not covered bur you are.

If Yaesu wanted to stop grey market sales they could very easily. They
know from the serial numbers who bought what (wholesalers).

But they dont insted they try to screw the consumer.

If you want warranty service demand it. You will get it.

I dont enjoy being screwd for more money just because I live in the USA.

5114. Gordon West Special Classes at Del Rey Yacht Club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.980320091923.303F-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 149772

Gordon West Radio School Presents:
T W O Special Classes!

No-Code Technician Amateur Radio
Licensing Class For Mariners
Friday June 5th, Saturday June 6th and Sunday June 7th 1998
At the lovely Del Rey Yacht Club, Palawan Way, Marina Del Rey, CA.

And…

General 13-wpm Morse Code
And Theory Review Class
Saturday June 6th and Sunday June 7th 1998
At the lovely Del Rey Yacht Club, Palawan Way, Marina Del Rey, CA.

No-Code Technician Class for Mariners -- Class Instructor: Gordon West,
=================================== WB6NOA
This special class is designed specifically with mariners in mind. Learn how Ham Radio can make your next cruise even more fun! Stay in touch with fellow hams as you sail down to Baja, use ham radio phone patches to keep family and friends advised of your position. This fun and entertaining two-and-a-half day class starts on Friday afternoon and covers everything you need to get your Federal Communications Commission No-Code Technician license. Take the two multiple-choice exams right there in class and get your callsign two or three days later! Students who pre-register will receive the Gordon West "No-Code Technician Plus" textbook, theory cassettes, and a special pre-study package. The class fee includes nineteen hours of tuition, beverages, lunch on both days, a barbecue on Saturday night, and a special Saturday night after-class workshop detailing marine installation and use of ham radio onboard yachts and powerboats.

General 13-wpm Morse Code
and Theory Review Class -- Class Instructor: Julian Frost, N3JF
========================
This class is for mariners that want to upgrade to the General Class license, but like many people, find the 13wpm Morse Code requirement their biggest stumbling block! Make 1998 your year to upgrade. Don't let the Code hold you back any longer, the Worldwide HF bands are waiting for you. In fun, stress-free way, your instructor will take you from a shaky 5-7-wpm all the way up to 13-wpm, or higher, in preparation for your exam on Sunday afternoon! Techniques in passing the CW exam will be taught, and there will be multiple demonstrations showing just how easy it is for YOU to pass the 13-wpm, or even the 20-wpm code exam! Theory review sessions are held throughout the two days to help make passing the written exam even easier. Students that pre-register will receive the Gordon West

"General Class" textbook, Gordo's exclusive CW tapes, and a special pre-study package. The class fee includes sixteen hours of tuition, beverages and lunch on both days and a barbecue on Saturday evening. General Class students join Gordo and his No-Code Technician class for an operating session and workshop dedicated to installing, using and maintaining ham radio equipment aboard yachts and powerboats.

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For full details on either of the classes described above, please call Gordon West at (714) 549-5000 between 10am and 4pm, Monday through Friday.
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The Gordon West Radio School Home Page --
http://www.gordonwestradioschool.com
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The Unofficial SIG-Sauer Home Page --
http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/sig/sig.html

5115. Re: Looking for CTCSS IC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6eu9vc$hv9$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 149773

In article <6egsnj$291@news.gvsu.edu>,
ka9kim@I_should_put_my_domain_in_etc_NNTP_INEWS_DOMAIN (Mike Sims (KA9KIM))
wrote:
>I am looking for a source for a commonly used CTCSS Encode / Decode chip.
>
>The part is marked MN6520. I have seen it used in ICOM and Standard radios,
>I am looking for it to repair an old HT.
>
>Thanks in advance for any information..... Please POST replies via E-Mail.
>
>73,
>
>Mike
>msims@siebeappliance.com
>

----------Wouldn't the stuff from Communications Specialists do the job?

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

5116. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rick L. Ulbrich" <wb0vzw@horizon.hit.net>
Message-ID: <3512AF2E.5C5D@horizon.hit.net>
Source record: 149774

Tom Nicastri wrote:
> These radios are covered by a Global warranty.
> Your local repair may complain and tell you your not covered bur you are.
> If Yaesu wanted to stop grey market sales they could very easily. They
> know from the serial numbers who bought what (wholesalers).
>
> But they dont insted they try to screw the consumer.
>
> If you want warranty service demand it. You will get it.
>
> I dont enjoy being screwd for more money just because I live in the USA.

Does it really take a rocket scientist to realize that global economy is
just that, global! If everyone got paid on the same wage scale and paid
the same amount for goods bought we would not have any reason to, oh
shit I am just pissing off my time but jeez you need to think about what
you said a little more indepth with reference to being screwed. I bet
you don't mind selling stuff we make here to other countries for a high
dollar and buying stuff back at a low one? Really think about it!!!

5117. Yaesu FT--101ZD, FV-901, SP-901P

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Marcelletti <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <01bd542c$359b3420$d6849cd0@rudym>
Source record: 149775

What is an appropriate price to receive for mint condition Yaesu FT-101ZD with DC-DC converter, fan kit & FM board; FV-901DM scanning external vfo with memories, SP-901P matching speaker with phone patch, YD-844A desk mic and D-104 mic, manuals and boxes for the vfo and spkr. 101ZD box destroyed by mother while I was away at school. I purchased the rig, fm bd, converter and spkr new. The vfo was added later and was obtained from a known ham--my Elmer. Also have a driver tube and 2 final tubs for the rig. These were given to me and I do not know if they are used or not. The rig is still on its original tubes and output on most bands is about 125 watts in "tune" mode. The rig has all ham bands from 160 to 10 meters and has a digital readout. Only opened to install above options. Never had the need for filters or other "Fox-Tango" modifications or "tweaks" It's the way I got it from AES in 1983. I have an IC-735 and an IC-706MKII and just don't have the need for it much anymore.

If anyone has any pricing information or is interested in the stuff--please e-mail response.

Thanks, Rudy, K8SWD

5118. Re: Sears VHF 2M Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980319114445.27701C-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 149776

I have one also, with schematics and book. If need more info, E-MAil me direct. I tried to reply direct and message bounced.

Tech@DP.NET

On Wed, 18 Mar 1998, KG0PB wrote:

> Date: Wed, 18 Mar 1998 23:54:50 -0600
> From: KG0PB <wizardks@midusa.net>
> Reply-To: sauron@midusa.net
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: Sears VHF 2M Ham Radio
>
> A friend came back from a Ham-Fest with an odd radio. It seems that
> Sears at one time made Ham radios. It's a model 420.????????. If any
> one has any info on this radio please post. Interested in who actually
> made it. And when. The thing works just great. Only major draw back is
> the fact that it will only tune to 10k.
>
> Thanks Sauron

5119. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.....`

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6eud4f$pcr@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149777

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FS: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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5120. F.S. Icom sp20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032019064000.OAA14076@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149778

unused with original box and manual. ser # 106 004576

$ 165.00 plus approx $ 10.00 shipping

lem

5121. FS ICOM IC900 MODULES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3512BD37.503C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149779

I have a 2mtr,220mhz and a 440mhz module.$250 ea.
Lee

5122. WTB MFJ-971 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <3512C1EF.9301A2F7@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 149780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to aquire a MFJ-971 tuner. It must be in good working condition.
73's
Mike

5123. Re: Data Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: IJ.McCrum@ulst.ac.uk
Message-ID: <3512c9c6.2758674@news.u-net.com>
Source record: 149781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 18:58:04 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>On Thu, 19 Mar 1998 01:47:55 -0500, Mike Karlesky <karleskm@river.it.gvsu.edu>
>wrote:
>>I'm new to the radio world, and I need some help with data radios. I am an
>>engineering student and I have a project that I am working on where I
>>essentially need a 3-4000 foot serial cable. Obviously, I would like to do
>>this with data radios or radio modems. The commercial products I have come

The datasheets for RS485 line drivers (and the earlier RS422) specify
distances up to 4000 feet. This will only work at low data rates, but
this should be ok for you. The chips only cost 10 bucks or less,
choose your cable carefully. Check out MAXIM, LINEAR TECHNOLOGY and
NATIONAL SEMICONDUCTORS for application notes (they all have web
sites).

Be careful of using modems, this will work but you need to give both
modems secret incantations to get them both online. Modems expect to
see a dial tone before they'll whistle. There are modems that can cope
with liased lines but again check with the manufacturer, I don't know
much about leased lines, they may only match telephone circuits...

In general Electronic circuitry needs to be well designed to drive
4000 feet of cable. The wire will have a high capacitance (hint don't
use thick cable!) look for LINE DRIVER circuits in the databooks
(MAXIM) ...

Ian McCrum, GI8OLR, University of Ulster

5124. Yaesu FT-980

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <just4fun@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <6euhprjbg1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 149782
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greetings all, I recently acquired an FT-980 CAT xcvr. I was wondering if anyone out there knows which (if any) of the available software will work with the Yaesu 232 (FIF232 ??) interface to control a 980. I know it all controls the 1000 series the 990 and assorted other Yaesu's, but none mention the FT-980.
Any info is greatly appreciated, and replys can be sent to me here or preferably by email (tmedlin@dimensional.com).
Thanks in advance and 73,
Tim KB0OGD

5125. Re: Sears VHF 2M Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6euk1d$9kt$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 149783

tech (tech@dp.net) wrote:

: I have one also, with schematics and book. If need more info, E-MAil me
: direct. I tried to reply direct and message bounced.

: Tech@DP.NET

: On Wed, 18 Mar 1998, KG0PB wrote:

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: > Sears at one time made Ham radios. It's a model 420.????????. If any
: > one has any info on this radio please post. Interested in who actually
: > made it. And when. The thing works just great. Only major draw back is
: > the fact that it will only tune to 10k.
: >
: > Thanks Sauron

I THINK it was made by Midland.

5126. Re: Icom IC-W32A with accessories brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <ORAQ.114$ic4.1880073@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149784

My W32 came with a BP-173 battery too.
Michel Morin.
Roger Tomas a �crit dans le message <351282C1.EA643B04@agcs.com>...
>Greg Ottria wrote:
>
>> Hi Michel, I think the BP-180 will give you 5 watts. If thats the same
>> battery that comes with the radio then it is 5 watts. Also the software
is
>> free until March 31.
>
>My W32 came with a BP-173 battery.
>
>Roger Tomas (KC7ZDW)
>AG Communication Systems
>
>

5127. Re: Yaesu FT-51R audio output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B. Simonin" <bsimonin@nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6eunab$iuj@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 149785

I have a Yaesu FT-51R and the audio is fine! I'll bet there is something wrong with your particular radio! Take it with me walking every day and and it will blast out the neighborhood!

Hope this helps!

Nelson wrote in message <01bd521d$10461700$520148ca@nelson>...
>My HT's audio output is very weak. Can I add a small component (such as
>2SK1588) between the speaker and the audio IC (TDA7233D) ? Or anybody hv
>suggestion ?
>
>73

5128. Re: FT-726 Computer Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Lewis <pacsat@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <X0AIRAAfQuE1EwtH@pacsat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 149786
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <6em95c$frn@hpwin055.uksr.hp.com>, iain@PROBLEM_WITH_INEWS_GA
TEWAY_FILE.? writes
>Hi All,
>
>A Simple one this(I hope :>)...
>
>Does the Yaesu FT-726 have any form of computer control ? If so, does it
>handle RS-232 direct, or do I need a converter ?
>
>Unfortuantley the 726 has probably been around longer than I have been
>on the air.
>
>Thanks in Advance
>
>
>Iain, G7III

No far too old - sorry!

Its PLL isn't strictly computer controlled either, so I don't think you
would have much success in modding it either!

73 Simon
+--+
| Simon Lewis GM4PLM Editor - EMN |
| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| Homepage - www.pacsat.demon.co.uk Email emn@pacsat.demon.co.uk |
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5129. Re: IC-R8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Sullivan <kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3512EBEC.22C631B9@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149787

> PS... They should sell a version without a cable. $54.00 is a bit much for a
> DB-25 to DB-9 cable and the software...ya think?

> 73 de Pat KK6PD

5130. F/S TS-930

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <3512640C.18DB@swbell.net>
Source record: 149788

I have a nice ts-930 for sale, works good, just back from avvid, have box and all books, $700...Bob

5131. FS: FT900AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rs2bk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032022524200.RAA15811@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149789

Hamfest prize for sale. I haven't even opened the box.
FT900AT with collins filter and separation kit.
$950.oo ups to your door.
Contact Jim, w9ud
rs2bk@aol.com

5132. FS:Knwd HS-6 Headphones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa5tn@apex2000.net
Message-ID: <6ev1ml$n7n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Kenwood HS-6 lightweight headphones. Like-new
condition. Purchased less than one year ago. AES new
price: $60+shipping; asking: $48+postage. If interested,
please respond via e-mail. Tks es 73 de Bill-K5VO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5133. Re: IC207H mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032022533300.RAA15958@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149791

>A friend of mine wants to mod his IC207H for extended coverage. Does
>anyone know to do it please?
>
>Thanks in anticipation.
>
>Bob M
>ax25 : gb7stu.#32.gbr.eu
>tcp/ip : gb7zhr.ampr.org
>email : g8jnz@netcomuk.com.uk
>
Got my ham radio webpage, http://members.aol.com/rpd910/hamradio.htm
At the bottom, click on the ICOM 207H modification you want, either the
transmit/receive mod or the microphone mod.
This is a GIF I made for both conversions.

5134. More Estate of W9PRS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankjg@mci2000.com
Message-ID: <3512F77A.7129@mci2000.com>
Source record: 149792

I have opened more boxes of my Dad,s estate and here is what is
available:

B&K Solid State RF Signal Generator Model E-200D
100 khz to 216 Mhz
-106 to + 2DB out
Output level meter
Crystal Calibrator

Appears to be new in the box $75.00

B&k Semiconductor Tester Model 530
in/out of circut to 1500 Mhz

Appears to be new in the box $50 (cost $445 in 1985)

B7K Solid State Dual Trace Scopr Model 1479B
DC to 30 Mhz Dual trace 5" CRT

Appears to be new in the box $125 (cost $705 in 1985)

K-Enterprises Model 4X6 Digital freq counter
250 Mhz
6 digit 7 segment readout
top horz segment of first 7 segment indicator not working

Like new physical condition $40

NOVEX Grid Dip Meter Model DM-4061
1.5 to 250 Mhz
This is same as MFJ 201 Meter

Appears to be new in box $75

Micronta 22-175 LCD DVDM
Hi Res Volt Freq Meter
1000 DC, 750 VAC, DBM -27 to + 54
Measures capacitors 4pf to 400 MFD
Freq 20 Hz to 2 Mhz

Appears to be new in box $50

ICOM IC21A 2 Meter Transceiver 24 channel with xtals
including DV-21 Digital freq generator for cont coverage 146 to 148 Mhz
Transceiver works very well transmitt and receive
Digital generator has intermittent output of 18 Mhz transmitter drive
receive output ok

With all bools and diags. $50

Swan 500CX 3.5 to 30 Mhz SSB Transceiver with 117CX power supply and VOX
unit
500 watt PEP so the book says looks very good no dings or wear marks
Works OK

with all books $200

Clegg 27B 2 Meter Transceiver with Clegg 20 Amp 12 volt supply and Clegg
Mike

I just located this one (this is the second one I have found in his
stuff)

Very good condition with all books $75

Simpson Model 260 VOM with Model 150 AMP-CLAMP Adaptor
Clamp on Amp Meter goes from 5A FS to 500A

Both items are orginals and in very good condition

with books $85

Orginal VIBROPLEX KEY Do not know just how old but has old style paddles
and I have seen it for past 50 years SN 159005

Chrome model no rust with 2 very tiny chips in black crackel base
about the size of a pin head

$75

MFJ Model 442C Keyer Bencher Style

Very good condition and works fine $50

All equipment is sold on a as is basis and I will give you all the info
I have about it. Equipment is sold FOB Santa Maria CA and buyer pays all
UPS Shipping.

Equipment is sent UPS Ground COD CASH or Certified Funds.

Equipment was the property of my Father W9PRS now a silent key and I am
disposing of it for the estate.

Thanks Guys Frank W9LVC Santa Maria CA
frankjg@mci2000.com

5135. WTD: SM220/BS8 Graticule

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <6eueca$dr9$1@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 149793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a graticule for an SM220 monitor that comes with the BS8 adaptor display. Kenwood part # B20-0909-04

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Walter Fairclough
wfairclo@netcom.ca

5136. WTB UHF ASTRO SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35130221.726B@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149794

I am looking for a uhf astro saber 3.Please advise on price and condition
if you have one for sale.
Lee

5137. FS:New Surplus 19" Rack Mount Enclosures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Hix <lhix@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6ev0pp$o0p$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 149795
Cross-posted to:
san_antonio.forsale.computers,rec.misc.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sat.forsale,sci.electronics.equipment,stl.forsale

Surplus Standard 19 inch equipment enclosures. These
enclosures have never been used !!!!!! (still have shrink
wrap on them Mounting space:19" width(horiz. mounting space)
x 70" height(vertical mounting space) x 24" depth.
Good for many types of rack/shelf mounting applications such as:
Test equipment
Cellular and paging equipment
Data com/server equipment
and many other applications
These are very well built Enclosures (cabinets) with several features,
$329 each compare our prices to new prices. Go to http://www.flash.net/~lhix
for features, and specifications.

5138. Remote Bases (HF)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Jury <ajury@ccis.com>
Message-ID: <3513114D.1C7E@ccis.com>
Source record: 149796

Anyone have any info or suggestions for Remote bases? I mean remotely controled HF equipment using UHF for the control link. Any suggestions on equipment? Tnx Art KF7GD ajury@ccis.com

5139. FS: Icom 736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "RICHARD J. ALBRIGHT" <airplus1@ezaccess.net>
Message-ID: <EFCBEDED2A348F01.14CD1360C34B59F7.78ABB4267928EE0C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 149797

Icom 736 HF plus 6 meters. Built in tuner, power supply, keyer etc.
100 watts all bands. This radio is in absolute mint cond. Non smoker
Never tampered with. Have original box, manual and standard accessories
that came with it when new..$1100.00 Rich KC3QY

5140. IC-T7A TX mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8emx@citynet.net
Message-ID: <3511c4b4.168537984@news.citynet.net>
Source record: 149798

Does anyone know any TX mods for the icom t-7a?
if so, please e-mail to:
kc8emx@citynet.net
73's de KC8EMX
TUCKER SIZEMORE

5141. Control head for FT-4700 RH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil Hartman <nsh@pipeline.com>
Message-ID: <6ev7pm$e0j@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149799

After having my car vandalized twice about eight years ago I have had the control head of the FT-4700RH stolen. I have two perfectly good main units and need one or two (pressing my luck) control heads. My understanding is that yaesu will not supply the control head only.

Anybody have any input.

Please reply to nsh@pipeline.com

Neil H WE2V

5142. EarTalk mic??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Kerlin <kerlin@ligtel.com>
Message-ID: <3513342c.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 149800

Hello, and thanks for reading this. I am trying to find the address, and any info, pro or con, on the EarTalk speaker mike, or a similar product that has the mike built into the earpiece. Any info would be appreciated. Reply to Ron/kb9lsh, Email: kerlin@ligtel.com

Thanks and 73
Ron/kb9lsh

5143. Re: Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Harris <mharris@mcs.net>
Message-ID: <3512677C.194D@mcs.net>
Source record: 149859

See back cover of new issue of CQ VHF. Color photo and some specs.

Mark

N9SRT

Mitch Bogart wrote:
>
> hershman wrote in message <350F3118.F308CE26@ix.netcom.com>...
> >I called one of my contacts at Kenwood and it is for real. No price yet. I
> >will try the
> >Kenwood Japan page and try to read the Japanese to determine its price.
> > 73's NS1R Steve
> >
>
> Great. I always thought this product would happen in the future some time.
> The real questions are:
> 1. How fast can it burst an image? If I'm mobile an using a repeater with
> others
> waiting to talk, is it a 5 second or a 2 minute delay for me to send or
> receive a
> picture.
> 2. How cheap can these things get. There is a mass market for digital
> cameras
> so the components benefit from quantity price reduction. The market for a
> microphone
> with digital camera, though is much smaller.
> Still, if the answer to question 1 is < 10 seconds and the answer to
> question 2
> is < $100, then I think these things should take the 2 meter ham community
> by storm.
> I would love for that to happen and then, while driving, send some images to
> my
> club repeater with instructions to email them to me at work!
> I'm looking forward to everyone else's 2 cents and especially anyone with
> any
> additional info on this thing. Internet searches do, indeed turn up zilch.
> Mitch KA1KL
> >

5144. HP 6266B power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6escod$cj4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149860

Hi All
I have a for sale.
HP 6266B Power supplies 0-40V / 0-5A
$225.00 Plus shipping
Working good comdition
714-778-5151
Thanks

5145. FS: Two Swan Transceivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032000404100.TAA05505@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149861

A Model 270B with internal A/C Power supply and a 350 with extewrnal Power supply. both units are in good condition and work well. $250 each + shipping.

Thanks

5146. **FOR SALE Spe/Analyzer AvcomPSA-35A and Test set 1470 Wavetek**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: andrewdart <andrewdart@wwdc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5398$aafbb940$6b84c8cf@WWDC.wwdc.com>
Source record: 149862

1.Avcom Portable Spectrum Analyzer PSA-35A
For sale ****** $750 USA Wg Condition /new $1990/

2.Wavetek Satellite Receiver Test Set model 1470
********* 850$ Very Good Shape /new3100$/

Specification:
Avcom Portable Spectrum Analyzer PSA-35A
RF input 10-1750 Mhz
RF input 3.7-4.2 Ghz
LNA/BDC PWR +18VDC on RF Inputs
Referance Level 0-(-40)dBm
5-slide band select 0-500,270-770,950-1450,1250-1750,3700-4200
6-Preset frequency band
span 0-50 MHz/DIV
scale dB/DIV 2db and 10 dB
Line and Bat operat

Frequency Coverage 10-1750 MHz 3.7-4.2 GHz
Basic enough to begin with - sophisticated enough to grow with .
Ku and C band compatible
Built-in DC Block and Power for LNA's and LNB's
Accurately measures wideband signals commonly used in the satellite
communications industry
Lightweight (17lbs.) and Portable - Ideal for Test Situations
Rugged, Attractive Styling
Made in the U.S.A.
New Priced
at /$1,965.00/in http://www.fotronic.com/avcom/psa-35aspecanal.htm.

Troubleshoot system problems by observing output signals from LNA's,
BDC's, Line Amplifiers and Splitters, and other RF signals components.
Measure block system signals balance.
Identify and resolve terrestrial interference problems quickly
and precisely by displaying offending signals on the PSA-35A.
Customers can be shown the nature of TI problems for clearer understanding.
Measure and document satellite communication system performance after
installation or service. Customer should be given a copy of results per
AVCOM'S SASAR (Spectrum Analyzer System Analysis Report) to insure
customer confidence and satisfaction.

Progressive Satellite Communication Dealers, Repair Centers,
and Manufacturers will find AVCOM'S PSA-35A Spectrum Analyzer
to be an indispensible instrument for rapid testing and alignment
of satellite equipment. Problems that might otherwise take hours,
even days to resolve, can be identified and corrected in minutes,

saving time and money, while reinforcing customer good will.
An AVCOM Spectrum Analyzer will pay for itself quickly.
My price **** $950 USA

Specification : Wavetek 1470 Satellite Receiver Test Set**

Wavetek Satellite Receiver Test Set model 1470
Subcarrier frequency 0-9.999 MHZ /A,B/
Audio Pre-emphasis off,25-75 us /A,B/
Audio Modulation (Hz) 400,1K,1,5K, ext,int (A,B)
Subcarrier Select off,A,B,Disc,Mtrx
Output Level (dBm/75ohms) 0-70 and 0-10calibr
Mode(Video or Sweep), Center Frequency (45-95)
Sweep Width
Markers (on-off) A,B,C,D,E
Video -(Source-Ext,Int)(Chroma on,off)(Dispersion on,off)

********* 950$ Very Good Shape /new3100$/

****
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5147. Drake 7 line service/owner manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032001305501.UAA14505@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149863

Have copies of TR-7 service manual, R7 service manual, and copies of virtually (i.e. almost) all of the accessories for the 7 line (linear, tuners, keyer, speech processor, phone patch, transciever, power supply, etc.). Shipped conus only, $26 priority mail.

73

5148. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2vos@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032001321900.UAA14773@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149864

>Oh well, we'll still line up at the stores to buy them...
>
>

Which is why we should all have our heads examined!

Mike w2vos

5149. Re: F/S Kenwood TS 711A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: exbooshway@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032001544801.UAA20985@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149865

Brian
I will take it at yor price shipped.
Please contact to arrange payment

5150. FS- Sony Pro-80 handheld SW/VHF scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6esnnt$92g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149866
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.

For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:

* Handheld battery operated unit
* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
* 3 scan modes.
* Am narrow/wide mode
* Fm narrow/wide mde
* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
* Fine tunning control
* Tone hi/low
* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

5151. For Sale: 220 MHz BandPass Cavities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gritelecom@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032004065301.XAA15246@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149867

For Sale: Celwave 220 MHz BandPass Cavities
Six Inch Diameter
Copper Construction / Painted Black
N-Female Connectors
Removed From Celwave Tranmit Combiners/Receiver Multi-Couplers
Like New Condition
Fifteen to Twenty Available
Can be UPS'd.

$75.00 Each (Shipping Additional)

Gordon

5152. Trade my 8874 or 4-400A for your 8873

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: frohro@wwc.edu
Message-ID: <frohro-1903982053350001@10.0.2.15>
Source record: 149868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Before I convert an SB-230 to 8874's I thought I'd see if anyone has an 8873 to trade. Used pulls are fine as long as they still work.

73,

Rob, KL7NA/W7

5153. Re: Icom IC-W32A with accessories brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <FMmQ.320$vN6.2279087@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 149869

Hi Michel, I think the BP-180 will give you 5 watts. If thats the same battery that comes with the radio then it is 5 watts. Also the software is free until March 31.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca wrote in message <6espe5$g95$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I have the following equipment for sale, everything is brand new and still on
>warranty for nearly one year. Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with V/V, V/U and U/U
>operation, cross band repeater and extended receive without hardware mod. It
>comes with a BP-180 battery that gives 3.5 watts output. It gives you 5 watts
>with a bigger battery or outside dc power. Accessories include HM-46 speaker
>mike , CP-12L cigarette lighter adaptor for operation and recharging and
>CSW32 software for programming. A check of the latest prices at HRO gives the
>following:
>
>IC-W32A : $304.95
>HM-46 : $ 59.95
>CP-12L : $ 36.95
>CSW32 : $ 12.95
>
>For a total of $414.80.
>
>I will sell the complete kit only for $325.00 including shipping insured by
>airmail to your door. Please inquire by email. Disregard my previous posting,
>I had forgotten about some accessories.
>
>73 de VE2CJW
>Michel Morin
>Quebec, Canada
>morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5154. HTX-202 TX problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumb@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3511fc91.19144484@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149870

I have an HTX-202. When I hit the PTT, the LED stated TX as if I were transmitting, but the output LED's at the bottom of the screen do not light up and I cannot transmit. Is there something wrong with the finals in my radio?
Mike

5155. WTB: probe for KENWOOD SWR_200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ik8iuu@amsat.org
Message-ID: <351502a7.1974127@news.tin.it>
Source record: 149871

hi,
i'm looking for a probe for my kenwood SWR-200 meter.
im looking for the probe for the HF (1,8-160)
also available to buy the entire meter
73's IK8IUU

Thanks For reading.

Bye,
Claude

5156. tubes for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6et174$k1q$6@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149872

Hi!, I do have on special thih month only,a large variety of
vacuum tubes.(receiving.all purpose,transmitting,audio...ect)
for sale.If interested,please contact me with the number(s)
you need,and we'll do the best to help you out...THANKS
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

5157. looking for IC775DSP guide.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ik8iuu@amsat.org
Message-ID: <351606a3.2994014@news.tin.it>
Source record: 149873

has anyone suggestions ??
i'm looking for a good guide (in english) for my RIG.
tnx

Saluti,
Claudio Rivieccio

5158. FS: Alinco DJ180 VHF H/T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard H Oemar <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <35120029.5971@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 149874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Alinco DJ-180 ser#T165824A, coverage VHF 130-174Mhz, very good
condition. US$115 shipped by FedEx COD to lower 48.
Please email if interested.

Thanks,
Richard

5159. FS: Yaesu FT-80C/CAT HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard H Oemar <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <3511FAE0.7381@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 149875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Yaesu FT-80C/CAT HF transceiver ser# 4L150001 all bands, all modes, continuous Rx 0.5-30MHz, Adj. RF 100W, dual VFO, Noise Blanker, 20dB Attenuator, excellent condition, extra clean, plus orig MH-1B8 hand mic. Detailed spec is available upon request.

USD450 shipped FedEx COD to lower 48.

Please email if interested.

Thanks,
Richard

5160. rch.doc belsom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thibault <thibault.dimanche@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <01bd53ce$072b79a0$c6a2fcc1@default>
Source record: 149876

I rch. technical doc. or shema for a old tranceiver : BELSOM SUPER 600 GTA
tank.
thibault.dimanche@wanadoo.fr
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F4CKW

5161. Re: Kachina Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: disorder@mail.fastlane.net
Message-ID: <35160000.29633066@news.fastlane.net>
Source record: 149877

On 19 Mar 1998 12:39:41 GMT, Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>
>Being involved with computers for a living I always wondered if the
>liability of having a computer based radio is greater than the
>benefit?
>
><snip>
>
>When you start with a radio and add a computer interface and add
>the computers as a control device you add several million transistors
>disk drives, memory, video, disk controllers, Video I/O monitor, cables,
>keyboard, serial & parallel boards, the BIOS, firmware and MILLIONS OF
>LINES OF SOFTWARE CODE to control a radio. I am sure its a technological
>miricle when it all works correctly... But what about when it does not?
>Are you off the air due to a computer problem? Can you run the radio
>without the computer?
>
>
Maybe it is not as bad as it seems.

Granted computer systems fail but one advantage of the PC
world is that reliability is high and most of the pieces that do
fail can be replaced the same day if you live in a big enough
metro area (or within 2 or 3 days if you don't) which beats
having to send your PC back to a YaeComWood for 6 weeks
to be repaired.

As far as compatability goes, I suppose that the source code
for the distributed control software is proprietary to Kachina, Inc.
but I believe that the interface spec is open. If so, anyone with
desire and time should be able to write code to control the Kachina
system, perhaps good enough to sell as a competing software
package to Kachina's. This also means that the control code can
be ported to other existing operating systems as well as future
systems. The radio itself is independent of the OS running the
control software.

A bigger concern may be the hardware interface between the
computer and the control head (that fits in the disk slot of the
PC cabinet). I believe this is RS232 which should relieve any
immediate concerns. And, even if the RS232 interface disappears
from the PC in the near future and your new computer only
supports USB or somesuch, all you would need to replace is the
control head (or maybe just a board in the control head) plus

acquire a new copy of the control software.

The big advantage of a computer based system like the Kachina is that you free the radio from a physical shell that adds cost and limits adaptability. At least for some period of time in the life of a computer based system you should be able to upgrade the system on a module basis. Instead of sending your whole rig back to the manufacturer for an upgrade (assuming that would even be possible) and being off the air for weeks, you would order a new i.f. module or a new dsp module or whatever. When the part arrives, you swap out the old for the new, load the new control software (included with the part, of course), and you are back in business with the latest and greatest.

I suppose what could be is not always what will be but the computer based systems like Kachina look like a big step down a new and really interesting road for ham radio.

Mike W5FTD

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5162. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <35121863.1711188@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 149878

segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>Rob:
>
>have you used the paging facilities on your TH79, looking for someone to page
>to see if it works, and waht does that PAG L key does?

Haven't ever tried to page someone, although enabling paging does
produce a whole melody of DTMF-codes being transmitted. As I'm not at
home at this moment, I can't look into the manual to find out what the
PAG L key does...

I think I'm not that kind of a poweruser :-)

Rob B.

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Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.

5163. Re: Kenwood TH-79A Repeater Offset Help!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3512190f.1882777@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 149879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

"VR2XST" <vr2xst@hotmail.com> wrote:

>> I also heard that you could open up this radio to receive police and
>> stuff on 800 mhz is this true?

Yes it can. You should cut the green wire behind the CTCSS-'door'.
Then, to enable 800-999MHz go to VFO-B and press Function-Power or
Function-Band (one of the two buttons at the upper left front side).

Have fun!

Rob B.

PS I'm not sure 800-999 will work in the American version, I have the
European one (TH79-E).

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Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.

5164. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@broadcst.net>
Message-ID: <35121BD5.69B1@broadcst.net>
Source record: 149880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Philip de Cadenet wrote:
>
> Doc,
> > Nothing is made in
> >> >this country anymore, especially out of wood.
> >> You have'nt been to New England recently.
> >>
> >
> >No, and either has the other 99% of the country. People have to go to
> >school, and take jobs where they live. Not everyone in our country can
> >fit into the two or three cities that still produce hand made wood
> >products.
> I was thinking of all the timber framed houses.
>

Woodshop is not the same as learning all the government laws, building codes and permits needed to build a house. Besides, not many people have the time to build their own house, nor want to do that for a living. Again, teaching how to balance a checkbook, or filling out a tax form (instead of having to go to H&R Block) would be more practical as this is something EVERYBODY can USE.

5165. FS: Uniden Bearcat BC100XLT Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35121F94.1275@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
-(1) VHF Rubberduck Antenna
-(1) UHF Rubberduck Antenna
-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of it over the years. Everything works perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of 10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

5166. Re: 1 watt FM broadcasters (transmitters) $239

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Bellows" <abellows@broadcst.net>
Message-ID: <351224F5.1DCF@broadcst.net>
Source record: 149882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tim Hynde wrote:
> > Not everyone wants to be a woodworker, nor are there enough jobs in that
> > industry for everyone. This is a skill that can be taught in College or
> > Trade School. High School should teach things that EVERYONE will be
> > using no matter WHAT job they end up with.
>
> That's a bit of a stretch... Should we eliminate History?

Sure! I have yet to use any of THAT information in the real world YET!
Besides, I find out now, that all the "history" from school was WRONG
anyway! And they forget to tell you the GOOD stuff that the government
would rather we didn't know!

Does not seem applicable
> to someone who want's to be a nurse, is it really necessary for a brick layer to
> have good grammar, perhaps he could bypass english class. Good math skills would
> not necessarily make a good Crisis Intervention Counselor. What exactly could we
> teach that EVERYONE would use?

How to do your own TAXES (EVERYBODY has to file) How to balance a Check
book, How to go through all the legal crap of buying a house, etc etc.

We could also replace "History" with "Current Government" and explain
what kind of laws are up to be passed, and what can be done to prevent
them as, unlike History, this will affect our future and is something we
can change.

>
> > How many people after High School have all the large expensive machines
> > at there homes that they used in Wood Shop?? What good is this "skill"
> > if you don't have the tools needed?
>
> I don't know what they taught in your High School, but my wood shop and metal shop
> classes taught manufacturing processes, raw material conversion and the like,

HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!

> along with making 'gadgets'. In metal shop we were required to cost out material
> for our metal dustpans, consider our hourly labor cost and figure out how much we
> would need to sell it for to make a profit. Does this seem useless to you?

That is NOT what is done in wood or metal shop!

>
> > It would be just as silly to have a Brain Surgery Class or Slinky Making
> > Class in High School.

>
> Why? I took a drafting class as an elective, while I've never done any drafting it
> sure came in handy when I was selling industrial automation equipment and had to
> deal with design engineers.

Great, but when did the other 99% of the class use it? How to do your
own taxes would be good for EVERYBODY, not just those interested in that
specialized trade.

These sorts of things can be taught in colleges or trade schools, but
MANDATORY school should teach things people can USE. I have yet to use
any of "dodge ball" or "how to worship the american flag laws".

5167. kenwood dps-100 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bertholet Jean-Charles <jessi.bertholet@span.ch>
Message-ID: <01bd53d7$50e06840$76615590@bertholet>
Source record: 149883

I search for my TS850-sat
1 DSP-100 digital-processeur

I think the Kenwood at stopped this materiel

If one kan my oriented thank you

Excuse-my i speach french and very bad english

73's at every

Jean-Charles

5168. WTB MFJ-971 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35122CF4.430998FB@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 149884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to aquirre a MFJ-971 tuner. If you would like to part with
yours, please let me know.
73's
Mike

5169. TFS Delivery Failure:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailtfs@littlewoods.co.UK
Message-ID: <9803200911.AA16180@lhsgfw.littlewoods.co.uk>
Source record: 149885

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The following address could not be delivered
EXT272 @ LHSG-GROUP (Mercer, Sharon GP)
NR067 @ LHSG-BUYING (Neary, Colin HS)
EXT272 @ LHSG-GROUP (Mercer, Sharon GP)
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5170. Re: Re:FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Cook <paulco@uk.uu.net>
Message-ID: <01bd53e8$24f81c80$72011fac@paulco_1.cam.uk.internal>
Source record: 149886

Here's a second mystery!!!!

Just ordered one last week at a big show here in the UK. Seven weeks and
waiting!!
Paid ?1495 GBP. = $2466 USD approx..

Anyone from Yaesu reading this care to explain why we have to pay 27 % more
in the UK for the same equipment!!! 8*(((

73 de Paul, G8XOM

William M Richarz <n4dh@juno.COM> wrote in article
<19980318.133843.7559.0.n4dh@juno.com>...
> I'll clear up the mistery. I've got a FT-847 on back order with HRO.
> Their price was $1819, a fair price I thought, since I was able to see
> the radio at the Charlotte Hamfest. I'll let you know how it plays when-
> ever I get it.
>
> 73 de Bill, N4DH
>
> ____
> You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
> Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
> Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]
>
>

5171. Icom remote control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjo@tekla.fi
Message-ID: <JJO.98Mar20125030@ds1.tekla.fi>
Source record: 149887

How could one control an Icom IC-751 through ONE modem line? The
remote control system should be able to control receive and transmit
frequencies, select modes and filters, and transmit audio into both
directions.
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Jari Jokiniemi, jari.jokiniemi@tekla.fi, OH3BU, OH2MPO
Tekla Oy, Koronakatu 1, 02210 Espoo, +358-9-8879 474

5172. Re: kenwood dps-100 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6etm9p$jm1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149888

dsp-100 is still around, but why not upgrade to the FT1000-MP - that is a beast!!!

That is what I'm saving for now.

Your english is far better than some motherfuckers around here.

Au-ra voir, Monsiuer.

I
n article <01bd53d7$50e06840$76615590@bertholet>,
"Bertholet Jean-Charles" <jessi.bertholet@span.ch> wrote:
>
> I search for my TS850-sat
> 1 DSP-100 digital-processeur
>
> I think the Kenwood at stopped this materiel
>
> If one kan my oriented thank you
>
> Excuse-my i speach french and very bad english
>
> 73's at every
>
> Jean-Charles
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5173. Radio I saw on movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon Rawls <suzuki@inetw.net>
Message-ID: <3512579A.FF70C6D6@inetw.net>
Source record: 149889

I was watching a movie that was about the 2nd civil war if that was the name. It was about a news station that covered what was happening. They had a radio that fit around the ear and had no wires to it it had a small antenna on the unit and I guess it picked up the voice through the ear. because it had no mic. Is this a real radio or just a movie prop. and can you buy it??

5174. FS: Kenwood TS430S HF rig $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerw@usa.net
Message-ID: <6etm47$7nr@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Kenwood TS430 S HF rig for sale. General coverage with WARC.
100 Watts.
Includes hand mic and operator's manual.
It has one problem, which is the documented power output problem.
Ever now and then, it would drop its ouput power to about 5 watts.
After a little while, it fixes itself.
I don't have the time to fix this problem.

I'm selling this AS-IS for $300 + shipping from Los Angeles.
Please call me at 818-882-0101 or email to jerw@usa.net
Thank you.
Jerry Wang W8UPP formerly KE6UUX

below are the documents that describes the problem and fixes.

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
From: ik3huk@sabrina.dei.unipd.it (Diego Serafin)
Subject: TS430 power fault - ANSWERS
Message-ID: <BwuBHK.Kqw@dei.unipd.it>
Sender: usenet@dei.unipd.it
Organization: D.E.I. Universita' di Padova, Italia
Date: Wed, 28 Oct 1992 16:36:56 GMT
Lines: 135

Hi there !
As anticipated, I repost all the answers that came to me about TS-430
power
fault. Thank You Very Very Much to everybody who sent suggestions and
proposed
solutions to the problem. I will open up the radio as soon as possible
and
do what suggested.

MNI TNX AGN ES BEST 73 de IK3HUK Diego. ...-.-

Follows my original posting and answers.

>As you read in the subject I have some sporadic but very annoying troubles
>with my 1988 Kenwood TS430s. This is what happens to my gear (and the same
>occours to the rig of a friend of mine):
>
>Approx. every 3-4 hours of CW operation (while working without any problem)

>the power output drops down to a few watt (tipically duringa pileup and when
>the dx sent 'ik3huk 599...'). During this power-loss the ALC level is low
>(regularly).
>To have back the full power I have to do the following:
>-Turn CARRIER knob fully clockwise (full power position - ALC doesn't move)
>-Key down for several seconds (very looooong time when in pileup)
>
>I sent the radio to a laboratory for repair (and friend of mine did the same)
>but they're not able to reproduce the power-fault when the radio is on their
>table. They cleaned up all the relais, but the RTX is still loosing power.

This sounds suspiciously like a problem I had with my 430 on voice.
It
would behave quite similarly, losing power and becoming distorted on
an
occasional basis. There was a well reported problem with early 430's
where the finals were riveted, but not soldered, and the rivets could
eventually develop a high electical resistance, with ensuing power
problems.
This was diagnosed and corrected by Kenwood early, so I doubt it would
be a
problem in a unit manufactured as late as yours. (I bought mine in
late
1984, and it already had a modified PA -- believe me, I checked!)

My problem turned out to be a marginal connection in the internal
switch
on the XVTR jack on the back of the rig. This is the connector with 8
pins.
The switch is integral to the connector and works when the plug is
inserted.
The fix was to insert and remove the plug in the jack several times.
Since
I have done this, my 430 has never shown this symptom again.

I wish I could claim to have deduced this myself, but it was pointed
out to
me by a friend who read it in a snippet from someone in QST. To
whoever
took the time to send in that suggestion, I am eternally grateful.
Hope
this solves your problem, too.
--
Rob Stampfli rob@colnet.cmhnet.org The neat thing about
standards:
614-864-9377 HAM RADIO: kd8wk@n8jyv.oh There are so many to choose
from.

To all Kenwood users:

The 430 has a corresponding problem to the older rigs:
specifically the 520(S), 820(S), 530S, and 830S rigs....

Power drops while running... if this occurs, tighten the screws on the
driver board and IF board.

Had this happen to me and friends a few times...also watch out for the
coax connector on the back...they get loose too...no lock washer on
the
back.

73,
Tom
wb9rxj@uiuc.edu

Diego,
I had a similar problem with a 430. Mine was
intermittent. Finally one cold day [0c] it
became permanent. I traced my problem to an
open via connection on one of the final transistor
bases. This resulted in that device not getting
a dc return to ground. I re-soldered the via to
my success!

I found it by checking dc bias on each final trans-
istor and found one being different in voltage reading.

Good luck,
regards

George Hawkins

Here is a solution I heard of for a problem like yours. Perhaps it
will be of use to you. Luckily, I have not had any problems with my
TS430S. I'm very pleased with it.

Hope this is of use to you.

73 es GL.... Mark KG7JL

KD7EV advises intermittent power output problems on his '430 was
cured by
installing a more conventional nut on the rear panel UHF style
antenna
connector. Apparently a faulty ground connection at this point
caused a change
in the VSWR which affected the sensing circuit and thus reducing the
RF output
power.

5175. Re: Re:FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <890395046snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 149891

In article <01bd53e8$24f81c80$72011fac@paulco_1.cam.uk.internal>
paulco@uk.uu.net "Paul Cook" writes:

> William M Richarz <n4dh@juno.COM> wrote in article
> <19980318.133843.7559.0.n4dh@juno.com>...
> > I'll clear up the mistery. I've got a FT-847 on back order with HRO.
> > Their price was $1819, a fair price I thought, since I was able to see
> > the radio at the Charlotte Hamfest. I'll let you know how it plays when-
> > ever I get it.

> Here's a second mystery!!!!
>
> Just ordered one last week at a big show here in the UK. Seven weeks and
> waiting!!
> Paid £1495 GBP. = $2466 USD approx..
>
> Anyone from Yaesu reading this care to explain why we have to pay 27 % more
> in the UK for the same equipment!!! 8*(((

I can't find what you're looking at to see a 27% difference. $2466
is 27% more than around $1942, so that's not it. And your 1495
pounds price includes 17.5% VAT (sales tax) so pre-VAT it's 1272
pounds which is say $2112. So I only see around a 16% difference in
the pre-tax retail prices.

There is a cost to getting regulatory approval (CE/FCC) and warranty
and service arrangements and spares set up. In Europe those expenses
will be amortised over a small fraction of the number of sets sold in
the USA. Also the UK set in particular will be different in that it
will be open for transmitting on our 4m band (70 - 70.5MHz) and I
don't know if that just is a matter of jumpers or different firmware
and a totally different model. Does anyone yet know about that?

It's clearly a bit more expensive here, but I think not enough that
it would tempt anyone into getting an unwarrantied set.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

5176. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35125EED.DEDC773B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149892

VAT?

5177. Re: Re:FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Walter H. Denny" <wdenny1831@aol.com>
Message-ID: <DEtQ.282$e5.412332@news2.naplesfl.net>
Source record: 149893

FT-847 HF/6M 100W 2M/430 50W 2399.00 1849.95
ATAS-100 Mobile Antenna .. 349.00 314.95
MD-100A8X Desk Microphone 138.00
DVS-2 Digital Voice Rec. 238.00 214.95
FP-1025A 25A Switching P.S. 199.00 179.95
FP-1030A 30A P.S. w/Meters 269.00 234.95
FC-20 Auto Tuner Coax 299.00 269.95
FVS-1A Voice Synthesizer . 43.00 MMB-66 Mobile Bkt ....
39.00
MH-36D8 DTMF Hand Mic 60.00
YF-115C 455Khz Collins 500 173.00 154.95
YF-115S-02 2.5Khz Fltr .. 173.00 154.95
YH-77STA Stereo Headphones 51.00
Here is Hamstations price list for the Ft-847
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>73 de Bill, N4DH
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>_____
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>Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
>Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]
>

5178. WTB Kenwood Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don West <Don-West@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6etq3h$6u9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149894

Hi,
I would like to purchase an "under utilized":
YK-88CN-1 CW Filter (270 Hz) or
YK-88NS-1 SSB Filter (1.8 kHz).

Please reply to : Don-West@worldnet.att.net

73,
Don

5179. ## Need, ASCII to No 2 convertor program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dragans@eunet.yu
Message-ID: <6etn1j$3co$1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 149895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Thanks for reading this,

I'm looking for the program that can convert text from ASCII to No2
(TTY mode).

Any help highly appreciated.

Dragan Stojanovic
dragans@eunet.yu
yuemb@icc.al.eu.org
GSM: +355-38-2024336

5180. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <6etq9t$m42@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149896

Phil Wheeler wrote:
>
> VAT?

Value Added Tax

(Variable Auto Tuner would work but I have no idea what that would be!)
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****
* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org *
* (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 * mailto:rschaffrath@computer.org *
* http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs * mailto:n2jtx@weca.org *
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5181. Re: water injection for internal combustion engines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nrgrebel@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6etun7$3gm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149897
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

The demonstrator engines that the dealers have will run at least 50% water. The original Briggs engine with the heated aluminum bubble chamber can burn more. Just contact a rep and arrange a demonstration. I was allowed to put whatever I wanted in it and operated controls myself. Unit was torn down and inspected. No hidden tanks no tricks.....

grant

In article <3511B26E.2968@pop.removethistomailme.net>,
jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net wrote:
>
> nrgrebel@hotmail.com wrote:
> >
> > David,
> >
> > I'd love to see which "supporter" has "admitted" this!
> > Anyone that mistakes the GEET for water injection has little understanding
of
> > it. Water injection is an "add on" that simply supplies water to aid
> > combustion. The GEET does not need water at all to work. At the same
time, in
> > a slightly different configuration, it can burn large amounts(up to 85%)
of
> > water with little hydrocarbon fuel. Either way I fail to see how it can
be
> > confused with water injection.
> >
> > Thanks....
> >
> > Grant
> >
> > -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
> ROFL, and how much U-235 do I need to order from my friendly sales rep
> in the Chechen mafia to achieve this "slighly different configuration"?
> :-)
>
> -- jm
>
> --
> Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
> --
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5182. Re: Re:FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6etsoq$4e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149898

We sell to UK 30% more, becaus ethey are mostly fucking assholes who live there.

If you wantdead cheap eqpt. go to Japan or come to USA.

Motherfuckers!!!!!!!!!!

In article <01bd53e8$24f81c80$72011fac@paulco_1.cam.uk.internal>,
"Paul Cook" <paulco@uk.uu.net> wrote:
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5183. Re: F/S Kenwood TS 711A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: exbooshway@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032013452901.IAA01624@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149899

2nd reply, Will take the 711 please contact to arrange shipment

5184. TFS Delivery Failure:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailtfs@littlewoods.co.UK
Message-ID: <9803201408.AA25071@lhsgfw.littlewoods.co.uk>
Source record: 149900

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The following address could not be delivered
EXT272 @ LHSG-GROUP (Mercer, Sharon GP)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
Bruceli @ INDEX-INDEXHOUSE (Li, Bruce IX)
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5185. FS VIKING II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "g.wayne medley" <GWMUD@InfoAve.Net>
Message-ID: <3514A0F5.3163@InfoAve.Net>
Source record: 149553

NICE rig $200 +shipping TNX N4VMV

5186. WTB 35 AMP power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "g.wayne medley" <GWMUD@InfoAve.Net>
Message-ID: <3514A12E.625E@InfoAve.Net>
Source record: 149554

tell me what you have tnx N4VMV

5187. FS FT207/208 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35148C16.4137@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149555

New power supply for FT207/208, Model NC 9B, 13VDC, 45ma. $12.00 plus postage.

5188. want 35 amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "g.wayne medley" <GWMUD@InfoAve.Net>
Message-ID: <351484A8.2C30@InfoAve.Net>
Source record: 149556

want 35 amp power supply tnx N4VMV

5189. Viking II For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "g.wayne medley" <GWMUD@InfoAve.Net>
Message-ID: <35148505.67B3@InfoAve.Net>
Source record: 149557

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Nice VikingII for sale $200 + shipping tnx N4VMV
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5190. Icom SM-8 mic with Kenwood HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfine@earthling.net
Message-ID: <6f251h$2bm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149558

I have an Icom SM-8 mic in use with an Icom rig. It has the capability to operate two radios however. Is there any way to wire the second port to operate a Kenwood TS-450? (I don't really care if the up down switches work) I suspect these are two different beasts and it can't really be done. Thanks for any insight. Steve KB2YWP

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5191. Yaesu Software FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlboggs@gte.net
Message-ID: <6f22lqvhe1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149559

Does anyone have any control s/w for ft-920??????

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5192. Re: HTX-202 TX problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: PC <pcuellar@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6f24iopqn1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 149560

Most likely the finals are bad. Happened same way to mine, fortunately it was under warranty. Also, if you use the radio on a 12 volt supply, take the battery off of it. Read a service bulletin somewhere said that if you were using a 12 volt supply and a battery was connected, it tended to overheat the zenier diodes and munch the finals. Problem supposedly was corrected in later models, but don't count on it.

KB8TRK

5193. WTB: Lowe HF-150 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <3514A6EB.3BBA@nidlink.com>
Source record: 149561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking to buy a Lowe HF-150 shortwave receiver. Must be very
excellent cosmetic, perfect operational condition. Will also consider
purchase of some accessories.

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

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While you're passing out the spam, don't forget to share with these
guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

5194. Re: Yaesu FT-50R...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6f2bru$5fs$1@usenet48.supernews.com>
Source record: 149562
Cross-posted to: linux.dev.hams,linux.act.hams,de.comm.ham,alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>What do you do about adhesive residue? On particularly hot days this
>could become a guncky mess

I haven't had a problem but don't leave it on long. Your right it could be
a problem in the heat.

How about a wide rubber band? A 3/4 inch piece of bicycle inner tube might
do it and wouldn't look too bad.

>>Frank4d wrote in message ...
>>>I am the proud new owner of a Yaesu FT-50R dual band HT. I like the fact
>>>that I can directly clip on a spare battery to my belt when in the
>>>wilderness, because the clip is part of the battery (no case needed).
The
>>>only problem I have with this is that I wish I didn't have to expose the
>>>metal contacts. Does anyone know of a product (a thin piece of plastic)
>>>which clips on to this battery to protect the contacts, yet maintains a
>>>low-profile?

5195. WTB: Wattmeter Elements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lionel Booth <lbooth@comm.net>
Message-ID: <6f262n$1dk$1@fox.comm.net>
Source record: 149563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

WTB

For a Motorola S-1350C Wattmeter. 2-30Mhz 250W range, and VHF elements.
Part numbers begin with ST-12__B. The 2-30 is a ST-1296,

N5LB
--
Lionel Booth - lbooth@comm.net
Bush, Louisiana

5196. FS: Amperex 7788 tubes (2)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hhwarren@erols.com
Message-ID: <6f66ivchu3@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 149564

A pair of new Amperex 7788 tubes. These tubes were used in older Tektronix scope vertical amps. They were hard to get then. They must be close to impossible to get now. Asking $35.00 the pair.

5197. MOBILE POWER MIC. - $25 SHIPPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6f0trkabv3@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 149652

Hello. I have a mobile power microphone make by Lenline for sale at $25 shipped. The microphone is in perfect working condition and good cosmetic condition. Here's all of the information on it:

-Push-To-Talk Button
-Heavy Duty Cord With 5 Pin DIN Plug
-Plastic AND Chrome Screening
-Tone/Volume Control On FRONT
-NO BATTERIES OR POWER SUPPLY NEEDED
-Rugged And Heavy Duty Casing

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW

5198. want info on transworld 12 volt 2-30mhz SS linear, 70 in 500 out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: boeing377@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032118124501.NAA12811@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149653

Is anyone familiar with the Transworld solid state linear amp that runs on 12 VDC, takes 70 watts in and 500 out, 2-30 mhz? It appears to need band info (has plug with band select lines) as well as RF and 12 volts. Are these decent amps? Saw one used for $200, cndx unknown. Does not look like cheap CB type stuff, but the mfr (Transworld) is unknown to me. Any info appreciated.

5199. FS: AEA PK-96 TNC $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Tenison <btenison@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6f106r$91u$0@198.79.30.53>
Source record: 149654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.packet

I have for sale an AEA PK-96 9600/1200 Baud TNC. This TNC contains
AX.25
levels 1&2, Host and KISS modes, an 18K mailbox, Node operations,true
DCD
state machine for open squelch operation, and many other options.Real
good
TNC. I used it for a good while running a personal
BBS without problem.
73/Bruce
btenison@dibbs.net

5200. Kenwood TS 820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curt Grosse <grossc@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6f1075muj1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149655

Just tuned up, works great. $300 plus shipping from NC.

5201. FS: Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <35140246.32436145@news.usol.com>
Source record: 149656
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12 volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find. Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you. Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want to play the auction bidding game.
--
Tim, K8TJ

5202. FS: Mirage D-15-N 440 15W amp $80

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Tenison <btenison@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6f10d3$91u$1@198.79.30.53>
Source record: 149657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Bruce Tenison wrote:
>
> I have forsale a Mirage 440 MHz amp (1 watt in 15 Watts out).
> Mirage asks $185 for these, and AES wants $169.
>
> Here's some of the features
> Special for ATV Service as well as SSB and FM
> All Solid State - No Relays
> No Remote Outlet
> Excellent for H/T's
> Specifications:
> RF Power In
> 250 mW to 2 W
> RF Power Out
> 2 W In 20 W Out
> Current
> 3 Amps nominal
> Size
> 7ï¿½" x 3ï¿½" x 2"
> Weight
> 1.5 lbs.
>
> Used for about a month on 9600 baud packet. Still in great shape.
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RF Power In
250 mW to 2 W
RF Power Out
2 W In 20 W Out
Current
3 Amps nominal
Size
7ï¿½" x 3ï¿½" x 2"
Weight
1.5 lbs.

Used for about a month on 9600 baud packet. Still in great shape.

Bruce
btenison@dibbs.net

5203. short-wave converters for your car.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcgoodman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35140432.9394555@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

you can pre-order now and be one of the first in your area to receive
short-wave in your car. http://www.mindspring.com/~worldwave
They are very close to being ready to ship.

5204. FS Amateur Radio Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark G." <markg@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <6f11a2ffk1@nnrp1.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 149659
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,ba.forsale,ba.misc.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Kenwood TR2400 for parts ($50)
Alpha 78 ($2000)
Kenwood TS180S w/cw and ssb filters ($400)
KLM 160 Watt 2M VHF ($175)
KLM 10M 6el monobander ($300)
Tower Rohn 45 (5 sections + top section w/bearing) best offer

all equipment is in first class shape, and in all cases is "or best offer"

price is fob san jose, ca - the tower and antenna cannot be shipped.

please email me at markg@ten.net

mark/w8mg
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5205. HELP:HTX-212 Mic gain adjustment.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Jackson <mjackson@nji.com>
Message-ID: <35140765.E112F418@nji.com>
Source record: 149660

Greetings and thanks for reading this.

I need to know what pot to twiddle to increase the mic gain on my HTX
212. I have to practically swallow the mic to be heard.

Thanks for any help you can give me.

73 de Mark (N2MID)

5206. FS: Yaesu FT-2200 2 Meter Mobile Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter LePage <peterle@webrdyne.com>
Message-ID: <351411ff.0@news.vitts.com>
Source record: 149661

For Sale: Yaesu FT-2200 2 Meter Mobile Radio

Good Condition - Mobile Bracket, Manual Included - $200.00 or Best Offer
(Can't locate the original cardboard box - only thing missing)

Please email: n1rdb@hotmail.com

Tnx, 73, Mike - N1RDB

5207. Dip meter & other items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: robertc908@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032119234101.OAA24316@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149662

I have the following items forsale or for trade:

Please do not hesitate to make an offer.

1. Solid State NOvex solidstate dip meter, model DM-4061. New, did not come with manual. $50 plus postage. These are currently selling for $99.

2. SIIG i842 SpeedMaster VL SCSI bus master controller. Easy plug and go. Bus Mastering DMA technology. Active termination features. 32 bit wiht floppy controller.New $40 plus postage.

3. Winbond UN-1082 IDE controller. 16550 high speed serial ports. Floppy disk controller, game port and parallel port. VLB. $15, plus postage.

4. SIIG Fast parallel I/O. IEEE 1284 EPP/ECP parallel port Bi-directional. $5 plus postage.

5. SoundBlaster 16 bit plug and play sound card. $40 plus shipping.

All items plus shipping.

Items I am looking for. HeathKIt SB-600 speaker, Allied SP-190 speaker, Yaesu FRG-7000 receiver working or not working good physical condition. Allied AX/SX-190
receiver working or not working good physical condition. Any HeathKit SB acessories.
73's
Bob, W4RLC (formerly WA7OGU)

5208. Dow Key (300ohm) fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OR21EzOV9GA.288@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Ever see a DowKey for 300ohm twinlead? $25

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5209. MFJ Ant Current Probe #206 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <Oo87h0OV9GA.288@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I can't figure out what do do with it either. W/docs $25 & shpng.
or Trade for 28uh rollar inductor.

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5210. ICOM 471-A F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Herb Salls WB1DSW <whftherb@nh.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <35145918.889@nh.ultranet.com>
Source record: 149665

ICOM 471-A for sale - 430 to 450 MHz - Optimized at the top end - newly realiagned - all new tantalum caps - hand mic/manual/box. I take very good care of my stuff - take it for $500 - you ship.
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>From Herb Salls - WHFTHERB@NH.ULTRANET.COM or WB1DSW@WB1DSW.NH.USA.NOAM

5211. Icom IC-W32A brand new with accessories.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <ZJVQ.13$PR4.296391@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149666

I have the following equipment for sale, everything is brand new and still
on
warranty for nearly one year. Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with V/V, V/U and
U/U
operation, cross band repeater and extended receive without hardware mod. It
comes with a BP-180 battery that gives 3.5 watts output. It gives you 5
watts
with a bigger battery or outside dc power. Accessories include HM-46 speaker
mike and CP-12L cigarette lighter adaptor for operation and recharging. A
check of the latest prices at HRO gives the following:

IC-W32A : $304.95
HM-46 : $ 59.95
CP-12L : $ 36.95
For a total of $401.85
.
I will sell the complete kit only for $325.00 including shipping insured by
airmail to your door. Please inquire by email.

73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5212. F.S. Bird Wattmeter and Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: onines@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032120561101.PAA09398@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149667

The following are offered for sale. Two Bird # 43 Thruline Directional wattmeters, serial numbers 127599 and 224960, $170 each.
Elements - $45 each
25 C - 100-250, 25 watts
50 C - 100-250, 50 watts
100 C - 100-250, 100 watts
50 D - 200-500, 50 watts
25 E - 400-1000, 25 watts
250 H - 2-30, 250 watts
All are used but in good condition. Prices include shipping inside CONUS. Tx and 73 to all.
Steve Onines (AC6FR)
114 Veronda Way
Cotati, CA 94931-5368
(707) 664-8199

5213. FS IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <351438AE.575A@hauns.com>
Source record: 149668

Like new IC-751A with book, box, mic. Works and looks like new. $750.

5214. FS FT-900AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <35143887.654D@hauns.com>
Source record: 149669

Yeasu FT-900AT in like new condition with remote kit, mic, book, box, etc. Also Yeasu swivel mount for face. $800.

5215. Yaesu HT battery drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick1959@juno.com
Message-ID: <6f0oek$46l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149670

Maybe someone can enlighten me on this subject.
I have an FT50RD and a VX-1R. Both seem to experience low level battery drain when in the off positon.
I've heard there MAY be something going on that causes this to happen, but have yet to get any concrete evidence of what the real story is.
I sent Yaesu and e-mail regarding this question and this was the reply I received:
>>>>>>Hello Rick, There have been a few confirmed reports of excess current draw on the FT-50R, however am unaware of any problem with the VX-1R. If you would like to send the units to us, we will be happy to check them out. We are located at Yaesu USA, 17210 Edwards Road, Cerritos, CA 90703. Please include your purchase recipt to verify the warranty and a brief description of the problem. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us by e-mail, Fax 562-404-4828 or phone 562-404-2700. Best Regards, John Lynn N6TVN, Customer Service<<<<<<<<
I'm a bit reluctant to send them back to Yaesu because I understand they have an automatic policy to disable cell reception if they find the units capable of such (both can do so).
Does anybody have any thoughts or info about what to do ?
Thanks !
73's
Rick
N1YYH

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5216. Re: ALINCO DJ-S41T (DJ-S11) HOW TO BOOKLET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pete@iserv.net
Message-ID: <6f12j0ibv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149671

Thanks for the informative note, Bob -

In article <35078E1D.1DD@pacbell.net>,
Bob <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>
> SET THE ALARM:
> Hold down the "F" button and press "CALL(BELL)".
> (I can't figure this feature out, all it does is flash
> the bell icon on the LCD when a signal is received.)

On my unit, when this feature is active, every time a signal is received a get a bleep tone. Sounds a lot like a cellphone or somehting. I could see myself using this on a simplex frequency. Every time someone calls for you - Ring Ring!

Now, my question si, does APO (automatic power off) time by when it is set, or from last keypress?

I would prefer the latter, If I don't actually use the unit for X minutes, it shuts off, If I use it, it stays on indefinately...

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5217. Mod: Alinco DJ-S11 Extended Receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pete@iserv.net
Message-ID: <6f144tkmj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149672

Hello -

I saw a number of posts for this mod, so I thought I would post it to the newsgroup.

I have made this mod, and it works fine. I have added a couple of other notes, to the bottom:

I'm curious as to what the other jumper may do....anyone know?

- pete n9ssa

From: KPElecServ@aol.com
Date: Tue, 30 Sep 1997 16:33:16 -0400 (EDT)
To: editor@qrz.com
Subject: DJ-S11 mod

The expanded frequencies for the Alinco two meter DJ-S11 is the same as for the DJ-S41 radio. Remove 7 screws in the back case and battery compartment. Carefully separate case halves. Look for very small SMD green resistor jumper at left side near the middle of board labeled OP/CL. Remove for expanded tx/rx. Expanded frequency range is 136.00 to 173.995 mHz.

(There are two pads here, only the one nearest outside of radio is jumpered. Didn't experiment to see what would happen if the other one or a combination of the two were jumpered but this might be the Mars/Cap mod.)

Art, KC7GF

Notes - 3/21/98 - N9ssa

- DO NOT remove the circuit boards from the front half of the case. You will see the jumper in on the lower left side, where the batteries where.
- The unit does not require a reset after this mod is performed.
- TX range and RX ranges differ:
136 to 151.38 TX.
136 to 173.995 RX.
The display will blink if you try to transmit on a higher freq.

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5218. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: docdc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6f1bg7$had@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149673

In <3513d8a8.0@news1.ibm.net> "Jim" <jnance2@ibm.net> writes:
>
>The shame is, It will sell like hotcakes. So we will be telling the
>Manufacturer.....make cheap
>and remove good features just add some new things like 2 and 440 and
we
>don't care if they are top notch, SUB PAR with lots of useless goody
>features.
>
>Jim KE4WY
>
>
>Bill Clarke wrote in message <3513C236.11B13B8D@mindspring.com>...
>>Compare the specs with the now out of production 990 and you will be
>>disappointed. Neither the new 847 or the 920 compare to the 990. This
is
>>progress?
>>
>>Bill W2BLC

I agree with Bill. The 990 in my shack will sit here for many years
with what is offered as radios today.

5219. WTB: JPS ANC4 Noise Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6pv@sfo.com
Message-ID: <6f1cdr$7pk$2@ramona.sfo.com>
Source record: 149674

I would like to buy a JPS ANC4 Noise Canceller. From non-smoker
only, please. Thanks.
73,
JD
ac6pv@sfo.com

5220. WANTED: Quick charger for FT530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35143923.80FF2785@earthlink.net>
Source record: 149675
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Somewhere, somehow I have lost my drop in charger for my FT530...
SOOOOOO I am in need of one (the wall warts take tooo darn long...
especially the NiMH batteries! :)

EMAIL replies please......not to the Newsgroup..

Tnx
73
Chris
WB5ITT

5221. FYI: Ham Mobile & Motorcycle Pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35143905.58F4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149676

Four excellent pages on Ham mobile and motorcycle operation at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagew.html#MO

Mobile Easy
73
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 70 PAGES AND 2000 LINKS
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

5222. WTB: Service Manual Tek 2445A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <6evoua$f77$2@news.jumpnet.com>
Source record: 149677
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

I would be happy to pay a fair price for a
Service Manual for the Tek 2445A or for a
usable copy of this manual. The manual dealers
don't have any.

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Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com
http://www.widind.com/
http://www.widind.com/auctions/

5223. Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980321165732.22997A-100000@titan.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 149678

Just got this new rig yesterday. So far, I'm fairly impressed with it. It's my first dual-receive unit. That comes in very handy for my work.

First problem is most likely trivial, but I'm curious what others though in regard to my fan for the heatsink. I've noticed that when the power comes on at first, the fan budges a little, but remains motionless. If I transmit, the fan kicks in at the higher speed. After about a minute afer I transmit, the fan falls to a very low idle speed. At one point I turned on the unit, and manually spun the fan blade and it started spinning at it's slow rate. Just wondering if this is a problem to worry about and whot do other units do?

Second, I'm having numerous problems with software configuration. I cannot under any circumstances download data from my radio to the PC. However, I can download/upload with my FT-50R HT just fine. So, I know the serial link is good. Anyone else had problems with the software setup for the FT-8500? Programming memories is a royal pain the butt otherwise.

Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris

5224. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rick L. Ulbrich" <wb0vzw@horizon.hit.net>
Message-ID: <3514430D.33B3@horizon.hit.net>
Source record: 149679

Tom Nicastri wrote:
> The smart shopper can save lots of money by hunting for a bargain.
> Internet allows us to share the prices and see where gouging and excess is
> taking place.
>
> If you like to list price be my guest!
>
> Internet has really turned retail upside down. In a few min. we can surf
> out some pretty good prices. The retailer myth of "support" is more a myth
> than ever before. We know more about a product we buy than the retailer
> most times. In my opinion in most cases the retailr adds little value.
> The hundreds spent buying list price is better spent on overnight mail
> returning the device to the manufacter for replacement or repair.
>
> But for every ass there is a seat so buy where you feel comfortable.
> Pay what you will. Its your money (or it was).
>
> Go forth and spend!
>

Hey Tom, you did not disappoint me. I was right the first time, I was
just pissing off my time. You seem to have no understanding of the fact
that it does not have a damm thing to do with the internet. It has to do
with what it cost to staff a building in the usa to work on these radios
and to pay the going rate on wages and this is to say nothing of the
cost to get a radio type accepted by ours truly the american fcc. So I
guess I have just pissed off some more of my time but no more in the
future since you just don't seem to have the means of being able to
understand that there are multiple factor at work here. Later dude!!

5225. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rick L. Ulbrich" <wb0vzw@horizon.hit.net>
Message-ID: <35144517.5A56@horizon.hit.net>
Source record: 149680

Bill Clarke wrote:
> Compare the specs with the now out of production 990 and you will be
> disappointed. Neither the new 847 or the 920 compare to the 990. This is
> progress?
>
> Bill W2BLC

I have a FT-920 and a FT-890AT both and I have the crystal filters in the 890AT and granted it is an excellent little performer as a receiver but the 920 is still better with the dsp functions. Sometimes we get to wrapped up in numbers. I may have to get my spec sheets out again for the 990 and the 920 but I did not see anything that was earth shaking in the specs when I compared the two, so maybe you can be a little more specific on the numbers that you don't like?

De Rick

5226. FS: Audels New RADIOMANS Guide, 1942

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sommer@smrn.com
Message-ID: <sommer-2103981529530001@ssf-serv1-10.smrn.com>
Source record: 149681

Audel 1942 1st exc 756p + index, ads E.P.Anderson $28pp
Gilt inlay spine. Theory, construction and servicing. Television.
Illustrated.

check, wait clear

5227. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B. Simonin" <bsimonin@nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6f1hq7$6gb@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 149682

Hi Joe,

It seems the fan motor on mine is the same as yours, if I transmit on 25 or 50 watts it takes a fair amount of time to slow down. Sometimes, the fluorescent light in my study reflects of the blades and you can see it moving slowly, stroboscopic effects!

I haven't tried to connect it to my computer!

I also have the FT-51R and love them both!

"73"s

Jim - KD5AEY

Joe Morris wrote in message ...
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>transmit, the fan kicks in at the higher speed. After about a minute afer
>I transmit, the fan falls to a very low idle speed. At one point I turned
>on the unit, and manually spun the fan blade and it started spinning at
>it's slow rate. Just wondering if this is a problem to worry about and
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>However, I can download/upload with my FT-50R HT just fine. So, I know
>the serial link is good. Anyone else had problems with the software setup
>for the FT-8500? Programming memories is a royal pain the butt otherwise.
>
>_____
>Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris
>

5228. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard E Stealey <res@wndev.att.com>
Message-ID: <6f1k3n$a8q@anchor.cis.att.com>
Source record: 149683

Rick L. Ulbrich <wb0vzw@horizon.hit.net> wrote:
: with what it cost to staff a building in the usa to work on these radios
: and to pay the going rate on wages and this is to say nothing of the
: cost to get a radio type accepted by ours truly the american fcc.

Don't forget import duties that the importer has to pay.
If someone mail orders one from Tokyo there will be duties levied on
it as well, won't there?

Rick K2XT

5229. Wtb: TU-5 Kenwood sub-tone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Filipe Ferreira <filipeferreira@mail.telepac.pt>
Message-ID: <01bd551c23359000bac941c2@host.telepac.pt>
Source record: 149684

Wanted sub-tone TU-5 for Kenwood TS-811, only in good condition.
E-mail: filipeferreira@mail.telepac.pt

5230. [SoCal] On Air Code Practice 144.330 simplex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.980321161551.4548E-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 149685

If you're in Southern California, join me, Julian Frost, N3JF and Gordon West, WB6NOA for On the Air Code Practise, beginning Monday 23rd March, 1998 at 8pm. We'll be transmitting on 144.330 simplex and the WA6TWF Super System repeater cross-link which covers an area north of LA all the way down to the Mexican border.

Gordo and I will take four to six weeks preparing students to take their 5-wpm Novice Morse Code exam. After that, we'll be concentrating on increasing code speed for those that want to get their General Class license and pass the 13-wpm exam.

After the code practise, Gordo will host the "News Behind the News" net. An irreverent look at what's happening in the Ham Radio and Electronics industries... done in a way only Gordo can! :-)

So if you want to learn the code, or just increase your code speed, join us each Monday on 144.330 simplex (or on the WA6TWF Super System, if you are a member!) at 8pm. This is the stress free, fun way to learn code!

Talk to you on the air!

73,
Julian, N3JF
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The Gordon West Radio School Home Page --
http://www.gordonwestradioschool.com
##
The Unofficial SIG-Sauer Home Page --
http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/sig/sig.html

5231. Need mod for DSJ41 and DSJ11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6f1lhv$oi3@camel20.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149686

Anyone knows where I can find these mods?

Thanks

Peter

5232. NEED: Heath EUW-27 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tosca@warwick.net
Message-ID: <351c6465.301316543@news.warwick.net>
Source record: 149687
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

NEEDED:

Assembly/service/alignment manual for HEATH EUW-27 Signal
Generator.

Will purchase complete manual or quality copies.

Respond e-mail this address.

Thank you,

--
V. Toscarelli
Executive Vice President
Tosca Electronic Services Inc.
mailto:tosca@warwick.net

5233. FS MC50 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35145A99.2FFF@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149688

Kenwood MC50 Microphone, working. (Note: the on/off switch on the body of the mike is not working, the switch is in the on postion, and the mike works and looks fine.) $45.00 plus postage.

5234. FS SWR & FS Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35145B9F.C0B@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149689

R Mack and Co. SWR and Field Strenth Meter, handles up to 1kw. Aprox 4 3/4" x 2" x 2 1/4". $20.00 plus postage.

5235. FS Kenwood Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35145A1D.228D@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149690

Kenwood SP520 speaker, nice shpape $40.00 plus postage.

5236. Icom IC 746 HF etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.FOX" <jfox@pathcom.com>
Message-ID: <351495D4.DB22535B@pathcom.com>
Source record: 149691

I am wondering if anyone has had a chance to try the Icom IC 746
HF 6 & 2 meter radio ??
I am looking for any info or comments of anyone that has one or has
tried in out.

Thanks, Jim VA3JF

5237. FS:***FT-767gx + extras....$850.00***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f1mjb$19e$1@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149692

Ex.con. Yaesu FT-767gx with SP-767 speaker,MD-1 desk mic,FRB-757 relay box, and the service and owners manual. Both the batteries in the ant.tunner and mainboard have been replaced. Gen.coverage mod. has been done too. Super clean rig with lots of features for onley $850.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5238. Re: Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sean A. Foley" <sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com>
Message-ID: <351470C7.747A36CD@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 149693

I never used slow scan. So, would it sound like a packet burst?

Sean
KF6OAB

Mitch Bogart wrote:

> Great. I always thought this product would happen in the future some time.
> The real questions are:
> 1. How fast can it burst an image? If I'm mobile an using a repeater with
> others waiting to talk, is it a 5 second or a 2 minute delay for me to send or

--
Using cable modem access through @Home network
Live repeater audio on the web!
http://24.0.146.59/
sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com

5239. FT-847 is $1292 in JAPAN !!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351474FD.72257405@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149694

Go to: http://www.hamers.co.jp/webshop/radio/index.html

They have the list price of the FT-847 at 210,000 Yen and a retail or street price at
168,000 Yen. The current exchange rate is 130 Yen to the USA DOLLAR.
168,000\130= $1292 USA DOLLARS

The current street price in the USA is $1820 which is $528 More than in Japan!!
We are getting RIPPED OFF !!!!!

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5240. SATELLITE DOWNCONVERTER on E-Bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <35148353.3EAE@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149695

I have a clean LOW NOISE front end 432-437 Satellite downconverter on
E-Bay at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8541194

Sorry for those of you wh this offends ,but there are people out there
who might want to know... Jordan...

5241. Re: Yaesu FT-50R...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6f1t8p$3vr$1@usenet11.supernews.com>
Source record: 149696
Cross-posted to: linux.dev.hams,linux.act.hams,de.comm.ham,alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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I use electrical tape. It's inexpensive and low profile.
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Frank4d wrote in message ...
>I am the proud new owner of a Yaesu FT-50R dual band HT. I like the fact
>that I can directly clip on a spare battery to my belt when in the
>wilderness, because the clip is part of the battery (no case needed). The
>only problem I have with this is that I wish I didn't have to expose the
>metal contacts. Does anyone know of a product (a thin piece of plastic)
>which clips on to this battery to protect the contacts, yet maintains a
>low-profile?
>
>Please e-mail any responses.
>Thanks

5242. Re: Loud *THUNK* on Astron PS I CURED IT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <351469BB.E0@icss.net>
Source record: 149697

Peter Gottlieb wrote:
>
> kc5mdm@iglobal.net wrote in message <6dub7i$s63$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >Now if I could just find
> >those "loud crackeling noises" when I transmit!! I got the cat out of the
> >powersupply so thats not it!! Murray
> >
>
> Did you get ALL the pieces of the cat out?

A friend of mine started his vintage Corvette and it ran a little rough.
He gunned the engine a few times and everything smoothed out. A few
miles down the road he thought he was at a BBQ.
It seems that a raccoon had crawled up near the fan belt/radiator to
keep warm. The fan blades turned him into a kabob, and the exhaust
manifold could have used some Crisco. It took a very long time to get
all the pieces out.

73, Brian/N0iMD

5243. FS Heathkit Manuals - NOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35147A91.E5C984EA@erols.com>
Source record: 149698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The following Heathkit manuals for sale:

SB-230 Linear Amplifier

SB-303 Solid State SSB Receiver

SB-104 Single Sideband Transceiver Assembly Manual

SB-104 Single Sideband Transceiver Operation Manual

SB-401 SSB Transmitter

HW-104 Single Sideband Transceiver

$10 each, plus $3 shipping

Bob Bethman
N0DGN/4

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Phase 1 \\"""// 4-1000A Amplifier \\"""// Ongoing
(@ @) (Building in progress) (@ @)
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| Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 -- Northern Virginia |
+---+
| Bob Bethman \\\|/// " Mistakes are a fact of |
| N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // life, It is the response |
| rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) to the error that counts"|
+-------.ooo0---Oooo.-----oOOo-(_)-oOOo------.ooo0---Oooo.------+
( ) ( ) Home of the ( ) ( )
\ ( ) / New \ ( ) /
\ _) (_/ "Sasquatch" \ _) (_/

5244. Re: FT-847 is $1292 in JAPAN !!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <wswr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35147B1E.75F0DFC0@erols.com>
Source record: 149699

Ripped off? I think the price is fair. For 4 radios in one.
Add up what you have for radios that cover the same bands
and tell me your getting ripped off.

How much do you think it will cost to get it over here and with
out any warranty.

hershman wrote:
>
> Go to: http://www.hamers.co.jp/webshop/radio/index.html
>
> They have the list price of the FT-847 at 210,000 Yen and a retail or
> street price at
> 168,000 Yen. The current exchange rate is 130 Yen to the USA DOLLAR.
> 168,000\130= $1292 USA DOLLARS
>
> The current street price in the USA is $1820 which is $528 More than in
> Japan!!
> We are getting RIPPED OFF !!!!!
>
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5245. NEED: Heath EUW-27 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tosca@warwick.net
Message-ID: <352782a6.309063189@news.warwick.net>
Source record: 149700
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

NEEDED:

Assembly/service/alignment manual for HEATH EUW-27 Signal
Generator.

Will purchase complete manual or quality copies.

Respond e-mail this address.

Thank you,

--
ï¿½ase ELECTRONICA! ï¿½1976 TE Inc.
mailto:tosca@warwick.net
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* ==PLEASE E-MAIL AS WELL AS POST;*
* ISP HAS BEEN PURGING QUICKLY; *
* MOST RESPONSES ARE MISSED!!== *
****

5246. WANTED AR8000 or the like

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <35148369.9B761DB1@ncia.net>
Source record: 149701

Will trade Collins 75A2>>>>PRO2038>>>PRO33Maybe more if you have the scanner

5247. Need Polaris Industries PA1 rib cable pinouts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ifr@dlcwest.com
Message-ID: <35140c4c.20011842@news.dlcwest.com>
Source record: 149711

Thanks for reading. A friend bought the Polaris Industries PA1 rib and found it doesn't work with his existing cables. Now realize that the radio-side DB25 connector probably isn't wired the same as the Motorola one. Can anyone reply as to the pinouts of the radio-side DB25 connector i,e, GND, BUSY, BUS+, BUS-, BIAS, etc.etc.

Well, may as well throw in the computer-side DB25 if you could.

Thanks again for your time and efforts.

73 de Garnet,
VE5ARC

73 de ifr@dlcwest.com

5248. ****WTB-Motorola Mitrek UHF Radio's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032100535300.TAA06605@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149712

I'm looking for several Motorola Mitrek UHF radio's with the 450-470 band split.
The radios need to be in good working condition. High power units prefered although I could possiblly use a few T44's. Let me know the model number, condition, what accessories if any there would be, price, and your phone number so I can call you.

Thank You
Wayne
KC7ILQ

5249. FS: Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35131352.255C@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner

-1000 channel memory
-AM/NFM/WFM
-Box and Manual

This radio is only 2 months old and has little use.
Asking $325.00 plus shipping.

Email me or Call me (305) 895-4355 between 10am-9pm.

73,
Bill

5250. FS: Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351314B4.45B8@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile

-Stock Mic
-Modified for 11-Meters
-Box and Manual

E-mail or Call me (305)895-4355 between 10am-9pm.

73,
Bill

5251. FS: ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3513167E.692B@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ICOM IC-W32A HT

-New
-TX and RX Modified
-Cloning Cables and Software
-Manual and Box
-Leather Case

Asking $310.OO. E-mail or Call me between 10am-9pm.

73,
Bill

5252. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6ev857$70d@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 149716

The smart shopper can save lots of money by hunting for a bargain.
Internet allows us to share the prices and see where gouging and excess is
taking place.

If you like to list price be my guest!

Internet has really turned retail upside down. In a few min. we can surf
out some pretty good prices. The retailer myth of "support" is more a myth
than ever before. We know more about a product we buy than the retailer
most times. In my opinion in most cases the retailr adds little value.
The hundreds spent buying list price is better spent on overnight mail
returning the device to the manufacter for replacement or repair.

But for every ass there is a seat so buy where you feel comfortable.
Pay what you will. Its your money (or it was).

Go forth and spend!

> Does it really take a rocket scientist to realize that global economy is
> just that, global! If everyone got paid on the same wage scale and paid
> the same amount for goods bought we would not have any reason to, oh
> shit I am just pissing off my time but jeez you need to think about what
> you said a little more indepth with reference to being screwed. I bet
> you don't mind selling stuff we make here to other countries for a high
> dollar and buying stuff back at a low one? Really think about it!!!

5253. Re: HTX-202 TX problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1jkv@exit109.com
Message-ID: <35134fdb.2274450@news.exit109.com>
Source record: 149717

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 05:21:57 GMT, gumb@hotmail.com (gumb) wrote:

>I have an HTX-202. When I hit the PTT, the LED stated TX as if I were
>transmitting, but the output LED's at the bottom of the screen do not
>light up and I cannot transmit. Is there something wrong with the
>finals in my radio?
>Mike
>

It`s possible that your finals are bad. The way to check is to use a
low current 12 volt power suppy to provide the power at the 12 volt
input jack at the top of the radio. Measure the current on tx. A good
htx202 will put out about 5 watts or more on a 12 volt supply.
A GOOD FINAL should draw about 1.3 amps on tx

I hope this infomation might help you

5254. Regency HR-2A & B Crystal Compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd547e$3ad6a580$5f8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 149718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I know I read somewhere that the crystals in these two Regency rigs may not be compatible - true or false?
I know neither is a state-of-the-art rig, but for bang-around simplex and non-toned repeater mobile use they should be fine.
I have a 52-52 pair in the HR-2A I want to put in the HR-2B, neither is working yet and I'm trying to sell the HR-2A and want to make the swap for a different pair before I sell (if they will work OK).
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Thanks for any help! DavidC AA1FA
"Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13

5255. Old Military Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: GoYakKlah <thetruth@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <01bd547e$824033a0$3e6435ce@ronmayer>
Source record: 149719

Is their anyone else into OLD Military Radios ???
I have a garage full and Books on most. I'm cataloging all the FM's & TM's
in case someone wants a copy,
Ron Mayer n0oun
thertruth@southwind.net

5256. Re: Want to build single channel nbfm receiver (147.240 Mhz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: GoYakKlah <thetruth@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <01bd547f$0252c300$3e6435ce@ronmayer>
Source record: 149720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Most scanners get the 2 meter band
thetruth@southwind.net

5257. FS: KENWOOD TM 732 DUAL BANDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdemos@cts.com
Message-ID: <35134404.11209972@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 149721

For Sale: KENWOOD TM 732 DUAL BAND MOBILE

Includes:

* extended rx and tx both bands

* pl encode and decode option

* kit for remoting control head

* Motorola square external speaker (great sound)

Asking $395. Respond by email to: tdemos@cts.com

5258. Re: Kenwood TH-G71A software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: soconnor@mcs.net
Message-ID: <35133d57.3266837@news.mcs.net>
Source record: 149722

Transceiver control is on. I've tried every permuation imaginable.
In theory the cable could be bad, but that's hard to test.

So, you have got the software to work?

On Tue, 17 Mar 1998 09:12:15 -0500, Patrick Hallihan
<phalliha@mail.vt.edu> wrote:

>You need to turn reciever control on. I believe it's menu item 14 or 15
>on the HT's menu.
>--KF4UTT
>
>Sean O'Connor wrote:
>
>> Basically, I can't get the software to work. Under windows NT, it
>> just says it cannot connect to the HT. Under windows 95 when you
>> press connect, nothing happens, no message.
>>
>> I am selecting the proper serial port and I have the official kenwood
>> cable.
>>
>> Has anyone successfully used the Kenwood software for programming the
>> TH-G71A. Are there any special settings I need to set on the HT
>> before this works? The documentation (such as it is) is horrible.
>>
>> Thanks a lot.
>>
>> ---
>> Sean O'Connor
>> soconnor@mcs.net http://www.mcs.net/~soconnor
>
>

Sean O'Connor
soconnor@mcs.net

5259. FS Icom T22A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radysh@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35135da1.3030465@news-server>
Source record: 149723

Icom T22A 2 Meter handheld. Approx 1 year old. Spare nicad pack &
Tucker IC1 Desktop Quick Charger. Excelent shape. (I'm not very active
anymore) $225 for all. You pay shipping. San Diego. Jerry

5260. FS:tubes and schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Cropper <tcropper@ringer.cs.utsa.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd159e$e16d61a0$4a5febcf@tcserver>
Source record: 149724

Need a hard-to-find tube or schematic for that radio restoration?
Check out our website!
http://www.cs.utsa.edu/~tcropper/t-s.htm

Email for the schematic you are looking for!

Toby Cropper

5261. Re: Headstart M-1031-cvga Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: alkrol@MCS.COM
Message-ID: <6evr58fgb1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 149725

> If anyone has a schematic for this Monitor (made by Daewood in the
> Late 80's or Early 90's) please past a reply. The Monitor is good the
> cable went bad and had it fixed at a local shop. They did some thing
> and now they have the colors mixed up and cann't get any information on
> it and have given up and say it's not repariable. I think they got the
> connections wrong on the board or used the wrong cable in the first
> place. I hate to junk the monitor because of a misconnection. If
> someone can help, it would be much appreciated. 73's
> Steve KA9LDC

MDA (Monochrome Display Adapter)
9-pin D-shell connector

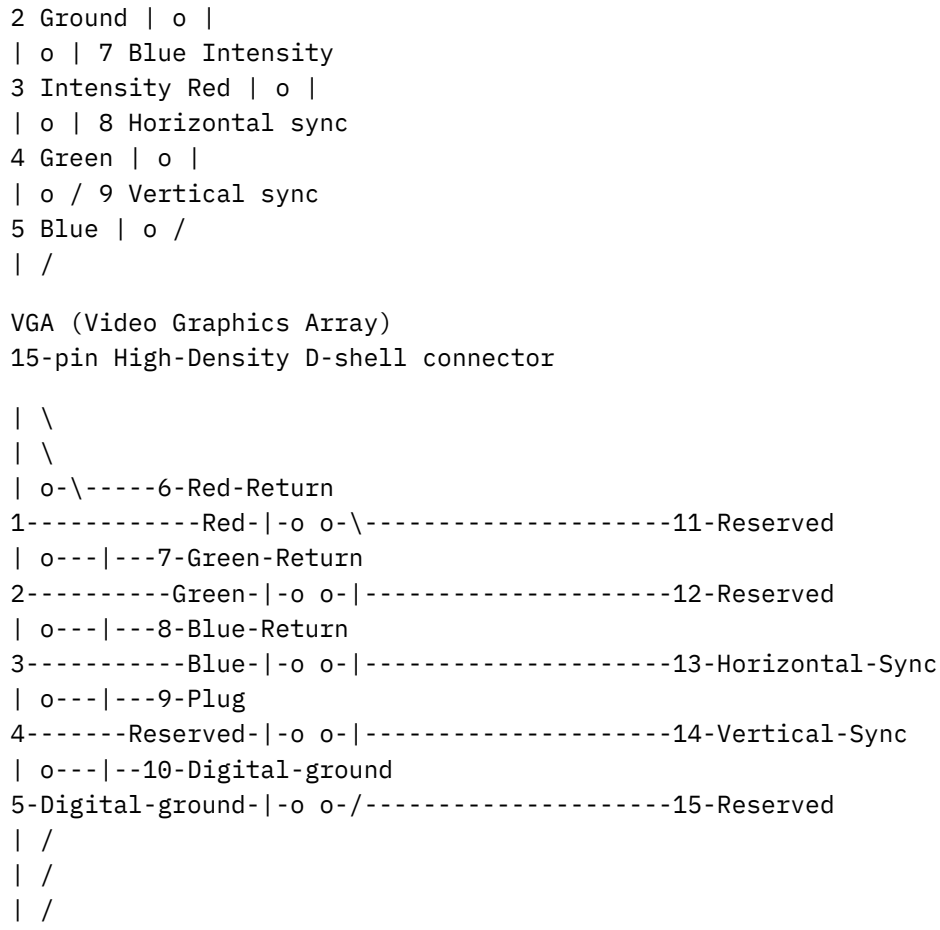
```
| \
1 Ground | o \
| o \ 6 Intensity
2 Ground | o |
| o | 7 Video
3 Not Used | o |
| o | 8 Horizontal drive
4 Not Used | o |
| o / 9 Vertical drive
5 Not Used | o /
| /
```

CGA (Color Graphics Adapter)
9-pin D-shell connector

```
| \
1 Ground | o \
| o \ 6 Intensity
2 Ground | o |
| o | 7 Reserved
3 Red | o |
| o | 8 Horizontal drive
4 Green | o |
| o / 9 Vertical drive
5 Blue | o /
| /
```

EGA (Enhanced Graphics Adapter)
9-pin D-shell connector

```
| \
1 Ground | o \
| o \ 6 Green Intensity
```



VGA (Video Graphics Array)
15-pin High-Density D-shell connector

try and get some money back!

5262. WTB: Collins 312B-3 or 312B-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rtomo@i-2000.com
Message-ID: <6evtiugpc6@news2.i-2000.com>
Source record: 149726

Greetings:

Anyone having either a 312B-3 Speaker or 312B-4 Console for sale? If so &
it's in excellent condx, please email me at ke2uk@i-2000.com

Tnx & 73, KE2UK

All the Best,
Ron

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Ronald A. Tomo, M.P.A., C.C.P., C.N.A.
Director, Information Technologies, Episcopal Health Services Inc.
Adjunct Professor, Long Island University, C.W. Post Center
Res. (516) 679-5386 Voice / TAD - Off. Voice (Mail Also) (516) 228-6273
Internet: rtomo@i-2000.com | rtomo@ehs.org
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5263. Re: HTX-202 TX problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6evt0drv1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 149727

n1jkv@exit109.com wrote:
: On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 05:21:57 GMT, gumb@hotmail.com (gumb) wrote:

: >I have an HTX-202. When I hit the PTT, the LED stated TX as if I were
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: >light up and I cannot transmit. Is there something wrong with the
: >finals in my radio?
: >Mike
: >

: It`s possible that your finals are bad. The way to check is to use a
: low current 12 volt power suppy to provide the power at the 12 volt
: input jack at the top of the radio. Measure the current on tx. A good
: htx202 will put out about 5 watts or more on a 12 volt supply.
: A GOOD FINAL should draw about 1.3 amps on tx

: I hope this infomation might help you

If you have to open the 202 up, check the soldered connections on the PA transistor...they tend to overheat, and thus get lousy..resoldering them may well solve your problem.
Good Luck.

5264. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <yves@usa.net>
Message-ID: <wXGJlHA8g4E1EwLF@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 149728

The price in the UK has been announced at ukp 1,699. Using an exchange rate of $1.60/ukp, that makes the UK price US$2,718.

In article <350F359B.8559B6DE@ix.netcom.com>, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes
>Well it should be. If you go to several Japanese Ham store Web pages you
>will see the
>FT-847 list price is 210,000 Yen and the the retail (street price) is
>168,000 Yen.
>The current exchange rate is 125 Yen to the Dollar. So 168,000 Yen
>equals $1344 USA Dollars. THis is Roughly the price of the closeout
>FT-900CAT. Hmmmmm.
>SO the FT-847 is replacing the FT-900CAT. I will wait till the price is
>corrected.
>Don't get ripped off by paying $1820 for a radio that is being sold for
>$1344 USA dollars
>in Japan. OR. You can Order the FT-847 from several Japanese Dealers
>and BYPASS
>Yaesu USA and the Dealers and save $ 500 !!!
> 73's NS1R Steve
>

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Yves Remedios

5265. PL Tone Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug MacDonald <n7pww@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#T6epvKV9GA.326@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149729

Wanted 100hz. PL tone Vibrasender and Vibrasponder pair.
If you know what they are and you have some, please respond.
Need for Mocom 70 low band on 6 meters.
Doug N7PWW

5266. 220 fm rig!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon Carpenter <carnap@texramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bd54bc$97711f80$5b1490d1@default>
Source record: 149730

im in the market for a 220 fm rig if anyone has one for sale! thanks es 73
de wb5nri. reply to my email addy carnap@texramp.net

5267. Question: Connecting TS-940S to L-4B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Burton <bburton@world.std.com>
Message-ID: <01bd54c6$1ac94de0$4e85dccf@bobburto>
Source record: 149731

Can someone please e-mail me the correct pin connections between the remote plug on a Kenwood TS-940S transceiver and a Drake L-4B?

Thank you, Bob - W8WO
Caledonia, Michigan
bburton@world.std.com

5268. No subject was specified.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: salzburg@ams-sbg.or.AT
Message-ID: <3513AFE5.9BA3B21@salzburg.co.at>
Source record: 149732

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add ham-equip
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5269. FS: QST magazines '36 - '92

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ryoung9399@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032113305301.IAA01599@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149733

Have a bunch of old QSTs. Complete list can be seen at:

http://members.aol.com/ryoung9399

somebody make me an offer I can't refuse,

Thanks, Randy KG5OH

5270. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <billclarke@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3513C236.11B13B8D@mindspring.com>
Source record: 149734

Compare the specs with the now out of production 990 and you will be disappointed. Neither the new 847 or the 920 compare to the 990. This is progress?

Bill W2BLC

5271. Yaesu FT-50R...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: frank4d@caprica.com
Message-ID: <frank4d-ya023180002103980724560001@news.caprica.com>
Source record: 149735
Cross-posted to: linux.dev.hams,linux.act.hams,de.comm.ham,alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am the proud new owner of a Yaesu FT-50R dual band HT. I like the fact that I can directly clip on a spare battery to my belt when in the wilderness, because the clip is part of the battery (no case needed). The only problem I have with this is that I wish I didni¿½t have to expose the metal contacts. Does anyone know of a product (a thin piece of plastic) which clips on to this battery to protect the contacts, yet maintains a low-profile?

Please e-mail any responses.
Thanks

5272. WTB MFJ 989C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jpr@wwn.net>
Message-ID: <6f0l37$d2e$1@news.getonthe.net>
Source record: 149736

Looking for heavy duty antenna tuner such as MFJ 989C or or Vectronics HFT-1500

5273. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3513D68A.41FD9ED@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149737

Update on Grey Market importers into USA.. I checked into two places that claim they import directly from Japan and Bypass Yaesu USA etc. The prices are the same or more than any of the USA Dealers.Hmmmmm. So much for that route. I will now go back on track and try to find a English speaking Japanese Dealer who is willing to ship Overseas to
USA. Yes, at the Akihabara they sell the USA Version radio as well as the European and Japanese Version. I checked another place and the price was also $1340 for the
Yaesu FT-847 so there is no TYPO on the first Dealers page. I have made print outs of these Web Pages and will bring them to the Japanese Exchange Student to translate the fine print and have him help me contact these Japanese Dealer Direct. I'm sure the Dealer
would LOVE TO MAKE $$$$ by selling many radios to us. I will keep all informed.
73's NS1R Steve Hershman

Walter H. Denny wrote:

> FT-847 HF/6M 100W 2M/430 50W 2399.00 1849.95
> ATAS-100 Mobile Antenna .. 349.00 314.95
> MD-100A8X Desk Microphone 138.00
> DVS-2 Digital Voice Rec. 238.00 214.95
> FP-1025A 25A Switching P.S. 199.00 179.95
> FP-1030A 30A P.S. w/Meters 269.00 234.95
> FC-20 Auto Tuner Coax 299.00 269.95
> FVS-1A Voice Synthesizer . 43.00 MMB-66 Mobile Bkt ....
> 39.00
> MH-36D8 DTMF Hand Mic 60.00
> YF-115C 455Khz Collins 500 173.00 154.95
> YF-115S-02 2.5Khz Fltr .. 173.00 154.95
> YH-77STA Stereo Headphones 51.00
> Here is Hamstations price list for the Ft-847
> William M Richarz wrote in message <19980318.133843.7559.0.n4dh@juno.com>...
> >I'll clear up the mistery. I've got a FT-847 on back order with HRO.
> >Their price was $1819, a fair price I thought, since I was able to see
> >the radio at the Charlotte Hamfest. I'll let you know how it plays when-
> >ever I get it.
> >
> >73 de Bill, N4DH
> >
> >_____
> >You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
> >Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
> >Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]
> >

5274. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jnance2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3513d8a8.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 149738

The shame is, It will sell like hotcakes. So we will be telling the
Manufacturer.....make cheap
and remove good features just add some new things like 2 and 440 and we
don't care if they are top notch, SUB PAR with lots of useless goody
features.

Jim KE4WY

Bill Clarke wrote in message <3513C236.11B13B8D@mindspring.com>...
>Compare the specs with the now out of production 990 and you will be
>disappointed. Neither the new 847 or the 920 compare to the 990. This is
>progress?
>
>Bill W2BLC
>

5275. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.....`'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0m99$o5d@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149739

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FS: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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5276. Re: Non RF Noisy Dimmer Switch?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <3513E141.23010AB8@wavefront.com>
Source record: 149740

DavidC wrote:
>
> I have traced some incredible rf noise being broadcast from the two light
> dimmer switches at my QTH.
> Has anyone identified a brand or type of replacement dimmer that does not
> broadcast rf noise?
> Any other common sources and solutions I should track down?
> Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

My experience with any I have tried has been bad. However, look for dimmers where the manufacturer at least makes some comment about RFI on the package. Those aren't QUITE so bad. About all you can do is make sure that they are either full on or full off. They then tend to shut up. Of course, a real switch does the same thing and is cheaper. But you can use the dimmer function when you don't need radio quiet conditions.

Good luck and 73, CJ K0CJ

5277. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600 - full 60-950 MHZ coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0o9o$aut@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-950 MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks, dents, or scratches whatsoever.

Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year. I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes the following:

* Original manual
* Photocopy of service manual
* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
* TV video board installed
* Yaesu AC adaptor
* Original Telescopic whip antenna

This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!

5278. FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0oo2$dgf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and the radio has never been used outdoors.

There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the following:

* Software and computer cable
* AC adaptor
* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
* Telescopic whip antenna

I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

5279. FS- Sony Pro-80 handheld SW/VHF scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0op1$dgf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>
>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>
>* Handheld battery operated unit
>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>* 3 scan modes.
>* Am narrow/wide mode
>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>* Fine tunning control
>* Tone hi/low
>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.

5280. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-MINT in the box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f0pb2$h3s@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149744
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has been unmodified.

There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...

This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the following:

* Original leather carrying case (unused)
* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
* Original manual
* Original rubber antenna

This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

5281. WTD: Yaesu FT 415 or equivalent

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: miracleaud@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032116415401.LAA24416@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149745

Want one in good working condition. Doesn't have to be immaculate, just functioning well. Wife just got her ticket and it will be her first rig. Cheap is good.

Regards
John WB6JKQ
Where are we going and why am I in this handbasket?

5282. Re: Yaesu HT battery drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6f0qln$j0q@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 149746

rick1959@juno.com writes:
>Maybe someone can enlighten me on this subject.
>I have an FT50RD and a VX-1R. Both seem to experience low level battery drain
>when in the off positon.
>I've heard there MAY be something going on that causes this to happen, but
>have yet to get any concrete evidence of what the real story is.

Depends on what you mean by "low level". The FT-50 normally draws some
current from the battery when it is turned off, but the current is well
below 1 mA. This probably drains a battery less than its own self-discharge
rate.

However, some FT-50 owners have noticed currents of 8 or 10 mA when the
radio is turned off. This will discharge a battery in a few days.
Yaesu knows how to fix it (change the value of a few parts in the power
button circuit).

So, to confirm that you have a problem, measure current drawn by the
radio when it is off. If it discharges a battery in a week or less
while turned off, you definitely have a problem.

I don't know of an equivalent problem with the VX-1R. How long does it
take to discharge a battery?

Dave

5283. Re: Radio I saw on movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve9gln@user.nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <3514ea2c.19330579@news.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 149747

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 11:42:15 GMT, Leon Rawls <suzuki@inetw.net> wrote:

>I was watching a movie that was about the 2nd civil war if that was the
>name. It was about a news station that covered what was happening. They
>had a radio that fit around the ear and had no wires to it it had a
>small antenna on the unit and I guess it picked up the voice through the
>ear. because it had no mic. Is this a real radio or just a movie prop.
>and can you buy it??

You can Use an Earphone as a Microphone, Radio shack had a Set of 49
Mhz radios that did this very thing, and they sounded fine, I guess
this type of equipment that you are refering to could be manufacturd
today, but I have no idea who would make such a thing, But yes you can
use a earpiece as a Speaker/Microphone , Your voice resonates up your
jaw bone (short version)

VE9GLN

Glen
Please Remove the "user." from E-Mail Address for proper Reply.

G A Bizeau ve9gln@user.nbnet.nb.ca

- GOD I HATE SPAM MAIL -

5284. Minitor III (three) survey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pwserctr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032116514000.LAA29466@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149748

I would like to take a survey from all the Minitor III (three) dealers. As you may know Motorola has not made available any schematics or part numbers for the Minitor III pager. And as far as I know they do not plan on releasing them (if I am wrong please let me know). We are considering reverse engineering the Minitor III pager in an attempt to provide a schematic.

Here is what you would get.
1. A schematic of the pager, receiver and decoder board
2. Complete diagram of all the parts on the board
3. Motorola part numbers for most of the components. (most of the surface mounted components are a standard value and used in other pagers so Motorola stocks these parts but currently you have no way of knowing the numbers)
4. Some parts are unique to the Minitor III so there would be no way of getting them

I am just taking a survey, not trying to sell anything. Please respond with a Yes you would want it or No you would not, with any comments.

thanks
e-mail : pwserctr@aol.com

5285. Who had that MICOR Test Set for sale?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd54ec$457d5a60$170f9fcf@john>
Source record: 149749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Anyone remember who it was that posted a Motorola
Test Set equipped with the two cord MICOR test
cable assembly?

If not, do *you* have one for sale, or know where
one might be located? (Test Set -OR- cable?)

Thanks very much
John
occupant@ns.net
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5286. WTB: Icom IC-SP4 Speakers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger D. Rines" <rdrines@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3513F9C2.C9D3DB9@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149750

I'm looking to buy two ICOM IC-SP4 Speakers.

Roger...
WB1CFQ

5287. Re: F.S. Bird Wattmeter and Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: onines@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032221542200.QAA26225@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149503

The following are offered for sale. Two Bird # 43
Thruline Directional wattmeters, serial numbers 127599 and 224960, $170 each.
Elements - $45 each
25 C - 100-250, 25 watts (SOLD)
50 C - 100-250, 50 watts (One remaining)
100 C - 100-250, 100 watts
50 D - 200-500, 50 watts (SOLD)
25 E - 400-1000, 25 watts
250 H - 2-30, 250 watts
All are used but in good condition. Prices include shipping inside CONUS.
Tx and 73 to all.
Steve Onines (AC6FR)
114 Veronda Way
Cotati, CA 94931-5368
(707) 664-8199

5288. FS: Uniden MR-8100's eBay!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell Goularte <"jeepham@"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6f415r$eb4@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149504

Please see at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9013237
Thanks and 73' Darrell

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* global warming, is the byproduct of tube audio!

5289. Re: GLB Channelizer 400B???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt Lang <burt@cam.org>
Message-ID: <351588CC.AD189934@cam.org>
Source record: 149505

Eugene Rippen wrote:
>
> I just got a "GLB Channelizer Model 400B"
>
> What is it??
> I guess it is a VFO.
> Sure would like some instructions.
>
> Gene

It is an add-on synthesizer for 2m crystal radios. I have an original
manual if you need copies.

Burt VE2BMQ

5290. Re: FT-Manager CAT SW for Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6f3s3h$1v9$1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 149506

Laurent LABOURIE wrote:
>
> Hello
>
> I uploaded FT-Manager V1.4, latest release of my Windows 95/NT software
> optimized for Yaesu rigs (shareware).
>
> FT-Manager V1.4 now supports :
>
> YAESU FT-757/767/840/890/900/920/990/1000MP/D

I do not have a YAESU HF yet :(, but tell me, what kind
of a Interface are the YAESU HF Transciever using, is it
a ordinary RS232<->TTL level converter, if yes, is it
Full Duplex or Half Duplex like the ICOM CI-V ?

> I am waiting with impatience the Yaesu FT-847 and the ability to interface
> PC & TX at 56000 bauds ! (only 4800 bauds for other transceivers).

Me also :) , then I will be able to use you Software :)

Greetings, ...

5291. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6f42os$evg@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 149507

Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu> writes:
>First problem is most likely trivial, but I'm curious what others though
>in regard to my fan for the heatsink. I've noticed that when the power
>comes on at first, the fan budges a little, but remains motionless. If I
>transmit, the fan kicks in at the higher speed. After about a minute afer
>I transmit, the fan falls to a very low idle speed. At one point I turned
>on the unit, and manually spun the fan blade and it started spinning at
>it's slow rate. Just wondering if this is a problem to worry about and
>whot do other units do?

My 8500 hasn't arrived yet. Soon, I hope. But it is supposed to be
a thermostatically controlled fan. The drive circuitry is probably set
up to supply just enough voltage to keep the fan running when the heat
sink is at room temperature. So if it's stopped it stays stopped, but
once you "goose" it it continues running slowly. Doesn't sound like
a problem to me.

>Second, I'm having numerous problems with software configuration. I
>cannot under any circumstances download data from my radio to the PC.
>However, I can download/upload with my FT-50R HT just fine. So, I know
>the serial link is good. Anyone else had problems with the software setup
>for the FT-8500? Programming memories is a royal pain the butt otherwise.

What software are you using? The 8500 needs ADMS-2, while the FT-50 uses
ADMS-1. Do you have both?

Dave

5292. RT-524A (military)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: TIM <wallace@megalink.net>
Message-ID: <35158F4D.2B55@megalink.net>
Source record: 149508

I have this radio and I really don't know much about the opperation. It has, new and old ssquelch and "x" mode I have found inside of the radio an x mode and normal switch but havn't a clue what it's all about. Tim N3LYT

5293. WANT: Balun 450 to coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lloyd Guyot <lguyot@steelcase.com>
Message-ID: <01bd55e4$2f6e3ca0$0a0110ac@dad>
Source record: 149509

I am looking for a ladderline 450 ohm to coax balun. Do you have one that you're not using and want to get rid of? Lloyd

lguyot@steelcase.com

5294. Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nk5t@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032222412701.RAA04568@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149510

Wanted -meter for HT 32 Hallicrafters. Please contact me a t nk5t@aol.com
Mack

5295. F.S. Yaesu 767 with modules/ plus mobiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ronnie Goodpaster <kt4iy@kih.net>
Message-ID: <6f453p$d1d$1@dbtsvr2.dbtech.net>
Source record: 149511

I have a yaesu 767 hf 160-10 meter base radio with the 2 meter, 6 meter and 70cm band modules. this unit is in excellent condition and comes with the matching SP 767 speaker with filters and the desk and hand mics. I have the boxes and manuals. I'm asking 1500 dollars but will talk trade. I also have a FT2500 2 meter mobile and a Alinco 610-TQ 2 meter/440 mobile for sale.

E-mail with any reasonable offer at: kt4iy@kih.net

5296. Re: Collins Emblems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doran Platt <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351598EB.677A64A6@erols.com>
Source record: 149512

David W. Kammer wrote:

> I have a 30L1 with a "winged" emblem. I notice that most ads
> for Collins equipment mention whether the emblem is winged or
> round, with round selling for more. Why? What's the difference?
> I have wondered this for years and would appreciate someone explaining
>
> to me.
>
> Thanks!
>
> Dave Kammer W8OQ
> dkammer@albion.edu

The round emblem indicates a later series of radios. FYI, another
indicator is whether its an "MCM" chassis or not. The MCM number will
be stamped on the chassis top.

5297. Re: computer-generated RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David VanHorn <dvanhorn@cedar.net>
Message-ID: <6f463b$fm1$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 149513

Richard Eckman wrote in message ...
>I'm having a problem with computer-generated RFI getting into the rig with
>strong interference at a number of places on the HF bands, making DXing
>extremely difficult. I'm sure that others have discussed this in the past,
>but I've not found a recent reference to the problem.

I had similar problems, with three CPUs, two monitors, and a host of peripherals and emulators. (interference^3)

Since I didn't have my usual first choice solution (don't make noise!), I had to apply sheilding and supression. In order to apply this so that it works, Think in terms of optics. Your PC makes noise, and it's sitting in a metal box. In the optical world, you have a light in a mirrored box. The metal REFLECTS signals, it does not absorb the signals. Since the noise is already made, you have to give it somewhere to dissipate harmlessly.

#1: Use FCC certified enclosures. They DO exist. I pay about $79 for mine.
#2: Mount a square of MOS-Foam in the enclosure, where it won't touch the boards. As large as possible. I use the raw sheets from Digi-Key, and cut to fit. (This is the stuff you stick chips in)
#3: Ferrite all power cords, where the equipment may use a switching power supply.

The above three steps make sure the box is RF-tight, and that the radiated noise has a place to dissipate, rather than just bounce around till it finds a way out. The ferrites are lossy at 100kHz+, and accomplish the same effect on powerline conducted noise.

Once the above is done:
#4: Use your RX as a "sniffer" with a small loop antenna at the end of 12' of coax, and search out the remaining emitters. Ferrite as needed. Mouse and keyboard cables are commonly noisy.

#5: If needed, ferrite your antenna cables, to keep your noise from traveling up the shield to the antenna, and back down. It will!

With this approach, I've tamed my office/shack so that I have my noise down from +9 to barely noticable. It gets a little bit higher near the bottom of the AM bcb, but that's because the ferrites I got weren't optimal down there.

While some suggest using transformer ferrites, I would reccomend against it, since they are designed to have low losses, and that's exactly what you DONT want. It would be better than nothing, but not much.

5298. Street Prices in Japan? WARRANTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <35159d7f.146834121@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 149514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 17:03:31 GMT, cute@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie Boy) wrote:

> The warranty for the radios which are bought in Japan are
> "usually" valid only in Japan (not outside of the country).

How true.

I checked Friday out of curiousity and our service department currently has eleven ICOM radios in for service which some clever people purchased outside the U.S. and brought in.

I believe all of these would have been warranty if they had been purchased domestically. We will not be able to charge any of the repairs to ICOM under warranty, which is many hundreds of dollars of repair bills we otherwise would have charged to ICOM instead of the owners.

It's a roll of the dice on service. If you're certain you will not need warranty service, then go ahead and buy overseas, but then don't whine to the service places when they can't put in a warranty claim for your new whatever. We give the owners every break we can, but we have a contract with ICOM we have to observe on warranty repairs.

One repair bill you have to pay for out of your own pocket will cost you more than you saved buying overseas. Maybe a lot more.

The newest models are the ones most likely to need service. If you buy an early production anything, you are serving as a guinea pig. Unless you have a warranty, this can be expensive.

Steve

****
Steve Uhrig, SWS Security, Maryland (USA)
Mfrs of electronic surveillance equip, ICOM sales and service
mailto:Steve@swssec.com website http://www.swssec.com
tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
****

5299. FS: IC-451A & Mirage Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab7iz@triax.com
Message-ID: <6f4ccufta1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149515

For Sale: Icom IC-451A FM/SSB/CW 430-440Mhz transceiver 10W - $400
Mirage D1010 FM/SSB/CW 430-450Mhz 10->100W amp - $230

Both work great. Sold separately shipping is extra, as a pair $630 free shipping.

Respond via email if interested.

Rex
ab7iz@triax.com

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5300. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.....`';

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f483b$esb@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149516

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,,: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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5301. FS: Turner 254HC Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <3515a428.4050605@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 149517

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Turner 254HC Microphone with Ceramic Element.
Add your own mike connector. $30, shipped CONUS.
73, Dick, W1KSZ
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5302. TX 250 Need Info, schematic, specs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Heffner <clint@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <3515B3EE.7A130DDF@erinet.com>
Source record: 149518

Hello All.
I have a 10(10/11) meter amplifier which I would like to find some info about. The only markings resembling a model number say TX 250.... has switches for on/off, preamp on/off, am/ssb, and hi/med/lo. I am assuming it was made for sale in another country or was homemade from a commercial print. It does have what looks like a serial number inside of it.
Any info would be appreciated... Thanks.

Clint -- KF8MZ
clint@erinet.com

5303. Want: DAIWA CNA-1001 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Rulon <timrulon@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3515B902.6910@erols.com>
Source record: 149519

Needed,

Manual/schematic for my Daiwa CNA-1001 automatic antenna tuner.
I have had this unit since new but misplaced the manual some time back.
Current Daiwa supplier has been less than helpful. If you have one
of these units around any help would be greatly appreciated.

Tim - Wa2KQD timrulon@erols.com

5304. FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3515B97E.84DCB017@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149520

Personally, I find this an interesting radio, and may eventually buy one
-- to replace my TS-570D, TS-60S, and TM-255. OTOH:

Does anyone else find it strange that what appears to be a base radio
is tunerless, and has an optional tuner which seems intended for mobile
operation (only)?

Am I missing something? Is Yaesu going to come out with an FT-847AT,
right after lots of folks buy an FT-847??

Phil

5305. Re: Yaesu FT-50R...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-2203982106480001@207-172-193-51.s51.as5.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 149521
Cross-posted to: linux.dev.hams,linux.act.hams,de.comm.ham,alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <frank4d-ya023180002103980724560001@news.caprica.com>,
frank4d@caprica.com (Frank4d) wrote:

>I am the proud new owner of a Yaesu FT-50R dual band HT. I like the fact
>that I can directly clip on a spare battery to my belt when in the
>wilderness, because the clip is part of the battery (no case needed). The
>only problem I have with this is that I wish I didn't have to expose the
>metal contacts. Does anyone know of a product (a thin piece of plastic)
>which clips on to this battery to protect the contacts, yet maintains a
>low-profile?
>
>Please e-mail any responses.
>Thanks

Whats the point of covering the front contacts? theres hundreds of radios
with drop in charge contacts that are always exposed... in fact, the 50r
has a set of those charging contacts on the bottom. no need to worry, the
chances of something actually creating a bridge.

-Dan
KC2BGZ

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

5306. Re: Yaesu FT-50R...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mondoray <mondoray@netway1.mdc.net>
Message-ID: <3515CA66.806719E0@netway1.mdc.net>
Source record: 149522
Cross-posted to: linux.dev.hams,linux.act.hams,de.comm.ham,alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Try Saran Wrap

Frank4d wrote:

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> that I can directly clip on a spare battery to my belt when in the
> wilderness, because the clip is part of the battery (no case needed). The
> only problem I have with this is that I wish I didnï¿½t have to expose the
> metal contacts. Does anyone know of a product (a thin piece of plastic)
> which clips on to this battery to protect the contacts, yet maintains a
> low-profile?
>
> Please e-mail any responses.
> Thanks

5307. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980322201153.18243B-100000@titan.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 149523

On 22 Mar 1998, Dave Martindale wrote:

| My 8500 hasn't arrived yet. Soon, I hope. But it is supposed to be
| a thermostatically controlled fan. The drive circuitry is probably set
| up to supply just enough voltage to keep the fan running when the heat
| sink is at room temperature. So if it's stopped it stays stopped, but
| once you "goose" it it continues running slowly. Doesn't sound like
| a problem to me.

I agree. Since the heatsink never even gets warm while sitting in receive mode, I'm not going to worry about it. It sufficiently cools when I start trnsmitting.

| What software are you using? The 8500 needs ADMS-2, while the FT-50 uses
| ADMS-1. Do you have both?

Yes, I have both. I just tried a 2nd computer (my roommates laptop) and could not get any data to pass. Could be a cable problem. Going to see if the vendor can ship another one to me. If that does not fix it, I'm looking at a bad interface on the radio--ugh!

Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris

5308. FS FT-900AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <3515AE4E.3DB4@hauns.com>
Source record: 149524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Excellant Yaesu FT-900AT with book, box, mic, etc. $750 shipped.

5309. FS Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <3515ADB6.2A11@hauns.com>
Source record: 149525

Kenwood YK-88A AM filter for 430, etc, $50. YK-88SN narrow SSB filter
for 830,530,430, etc, $65. Prices are shipped.

5310. FS:***FT-767gx + extras...$850.00***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f4eqo$3en$1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149526

Ex.con,Yaesu FT-767gx with matching desk mic,speaker,and more. Price is $850.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5311. FS:***Galaxy Saturn 2 mobile radio***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f4fhc$3fv$1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149527

Mint con. Galaxy mobile rig. Has freq. counter,roger beep,var.pwr.,etc.
Covers 25.615-28.315 on am,fm,ssb. Price is $200.00 + shipping. This
would make a great 10 meter rig by switching the mixing xtal.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5312. FS/FT:Ten-Tec Omni A/accys/$400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Crew <dc@citynet.net>
Message-ID: <6f4hkh$2bs$1@news.citynet.net>
Source record: 149528
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hi all,

I have for a friend the following radios:

You may email me or call him at (304) 855-4678.

Ten-Tec Omni A HF rig with matching external VFO, Vintage hand mic :) and operators manual for each item. Radio is solid state with analog dial (NO TUBES!!) Sent to Factory in 1990 for a checkup and tune-up (have documentation on that) Radio was purchased new in 1979 and has worked like a champ. 160-10 meters, 3 cw filters, ssb filter, full break-in QSK. VFO allows rx of 2 freqs. simultaneously, tx/rx from radio or vfo or vice/versa. Also in vfo are 4 crystal slots for fixed channels. runs 100 watts on 12vdc using 16amps for full output! Radio is a 9 out of 10..
PRICE IS $400 SHIPPING INCLUDED.
Will trade for the following:
Prefer solid state radio!!
Yaesu 757GX
Kenwood TS820/TS830/TS530, or similar. (looking for something with DIGITAL DISPLAY, IF SHIFT and NOISE BLANKER) with vfo or speaker or whatever... let me know what u have (excellent condition, please!!)
thanks,
Randy

5313. FS/FT: Icom IC-W21AT dualband HT $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Crew <dc@citynet.net>
Message-ID: <6f4iql$2ts$1@news.citynet.net>
Source record: 149529
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hi again,
Have for sale for a friend the following radio:

IC-W21AT handheld dualbander. Includes speaker/mic, veh. power cord, hi and low cap. batteries. HAS INTERMITTENT TX AUDIO PROBLEM.. it transmits fine, but no audio sometimes. Audio cuts out with no rhyme or reason, but we suspect the speaker/mic jack as the culprit. this is the radio with the 'telephone' whisper mode so u can hold radio like handheld cellular phone. it has a mic in the radio and another mic in the battery pack for this purpose. the radio works great with dual in-band rx, cross band retransmit and rx, lots-o-features for Mr. Fix-it. PRICE IS $125 INCLUDING SHIPPING

Will also use this as 'boot' for the other radio trade (see ten tec ad)
will also trade for a 1kw (rated at more than 600 watts) antenna tuner, prefer roller inductor tuner like a MFJ tuner or a Dentron Supertuner.
Wish list: prefer Drake Model MN-2700 tuner.
please email me or call Slade Sowers at (304) 855-4678
thanks,
Randy

5314. WTB "Mint" MT-3000A tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <3515D5DC.6261@stc.net>
Source record: 149530

Looking for a Dentron MT-3000A tuner in mint condition with no problems.
Can have some scratches on case but meters and front panel must be mint.
Also no corrosion on chasis inside. If you have one that really looks
great and has no problems let me know condition and price.
--
73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

5315. Re: Yaesu Software FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Hinkle <ae4rg.nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f4l34$342$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 149531

jlboggs@gte.net wrote:

> Does anyone have any control s/w for ft-920??????
>
> try f6dex's software at

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/f6dex/

73
Barry AE4RG
--

http://www.qsl.net/ae4rg
Please remove the .nospam from reply to address when responding.

5316. fs alpha 78

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tandy Way <tandyway@ij.net>
Message-ID: <01bd55f7$e3fc7ca0$LocalHost@tandyway>
Source record: 149532

for sale alpha 78 amplifier. 3 tube model 8874 tubes easy 1500 watts out
no tune or manual tune. late production model $1800 plus half shipping
cost.
tandy way k4ysn email or call evenings after 18:00 eastern time
813-962-4105

5317. fs mfj packet box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tandy Way <tandyway@ij.net>
Message-ID: <01bd55f8$eb441580$LocalHost@tandyway>
Source record: 149533

I have a box which is wired for the pk232 and the kenwood vhf radios like
the tr9000 that uses the R.J.45 modular mike plug to switch between
microphone and tnc. $10 email only.
tandy way K4YSN

5318. us robotics 144 modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tandy Way <tandyway@ij.net>
Message-ID: <01bd55f9$405a0160$LocalHost@tandyway>
Source record: 149534

I have a usr currier 14.4 modem external. no book no power supply both are
obtainable from usr now called 3 comm $15
email only please. tandyway@ij.net
Tandy K4YSN

5319. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <3515DA35.3787@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 149535

Regarding the fan "problem," it is the EXACT same situation with the FT-8000 and the FT-8100. No spin without a keyup first, then high for a min or so, then low speed forever. (or until you stick a q-tip i nthe fan to stop it, then it stays off until you key the rig again..._

Pete -- KA2YDY

5320. Re: Icom IC-T8A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Hinkle <ae4rg.nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f4lv3$8a2$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 149536

James O'Brien wrote:

> S. Covey wrote:
> >
> > Thanks, it worked great!
> > dan begin wrote in message <6elolh$o35$1@demon.uunet.ca>...
> > >
> > >
> > >go into VFO mode
> > >
> > >turn radio off
> > >
> > >hold BAND and SQL and turn the radio on..
> > >
> > >The receive is now 50-230 300-999
> > >
> > >
> > >Dan VE2BHN
> > >
> Allright. Does anyone know the internal mod that unblocks celluar and
> enables 220 transmit? The dealers have it but they will not release it.
> Have seen modified rigs that have this capability. But it is not a
> keypad mod,like the extended rx. Thanks in advance,Jim

I don't have any info on the mods, but you CAN hear cellular on the images.
Just tune 960~980 MHz. Let me know if you find the tx mods.

73
Barry AE4RG
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http://www.qsl.net/ae4rg
Please remove the .nospam from reply to address when responding.

5321. Kenwood filters FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuartl73@aol.com
Message-ID: <6f4qih$v8e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149537

I have many Kenwood filters for sale, some brand new. Please inquire.
Stuart K6YAZ

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5322. TS-730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4rrn@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6f4krkofi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149538

How is the TS-730 reset after the general coverage mod is done? I do not have the manual for it.

Thanks.
KF4RRN

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5323. Kenwood manuals FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuartl73@aol.com
Message-ID: <6f4qao$uq6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149539

I have many original (some new) Kenwood service and operating manuals.
Please ask for what you need.
Stuart K6YAZ

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5324. fs kenwood tm255

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tandy Way <tandyway@ij.net>
Message-ID: <01bd560c$51370b00$fe2a04d1@tandyway>
Source record: 149540

I have a kenwood tm255 multimode 2 meter transceiver. 10 watts or 45 watts output. 100 memories more. installed the ctcss and voice boards. $500 will talk. contact Tandy K4Ysn
email or call 813-962-4105 after 6 pm eastern time.

5325. Re: IC-3210A HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6f4s12$d70@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149541

Are you sure receive is O.K.? Due to their age, some 3210H experience
failure of tantalum capacitors in UHF PLL circuit. Sometimes PLL unlocks
only in transmit. If you can detect a transmit signal on a nearby receiver
(but no detectable power output) your radio has a bad PA, possibly bad power
module. Otherwise, you have bad tantalum capacitors near UHF VCO. I believe
they are labeled C87 and C97, but am not sure.

Carl Smith wrote in message <6epu5t$b0h$1@gte1.gte.net>...
>Has anyone had experience with failure of the uhf transmit function of
>the IC-3210A? There are 5 of these transceivers in my qth that have
>failed. Uhf receive works ok, 2 meter
>transmit and receive works fine. Any will be appreciated
>
>Carl/K5SO
> e-mail: cwsk5so@gte.net
>

5326. Re: Icom IC-W32A with accessories brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6f4rd0$brp@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149542

BP173 is 9.6V battery, and it will give you full power when used with T7A (4W) and W32A (5W). BP180 has lower voltage, and W32 can put out about 3W with it.

Adnan, Icom America

Greg Ottria wrote in message ...
>
>Hi Michel, I think the BP-180 will give you 5 watts. If thats the same
>battery that comes with the radio then it is 5 watts. Also the software is
>free until March 31.
>
>Greg Ottria KE6PTP
>Castro Valley California
>Gottria@inreach.com
>http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
>
>morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca wrote in message
<6espe5$g95$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>>I have the following equipment for sale, everything is brand new and still
>on
>>warranty for nearly one year. Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with V/V, V/U and
>U/U
>>operation, cross band repeater and extended receive without hardware mod.
>It
>>comes with a BP-180 battery that gives 3.5 watts output. It gives you 5
>watts
>>with a bigger battery or outside dc power. Accessories include HM-46
>speaker
>>mike , CP-12L cigarette lighter adaptor for operation and recharging and
>>CSW32 software for programming. A check of the latest prices at HRO gives
>the
>>following:
>>
>>IC-W32A : $304.95
>>HM-46 : $ 59.95
>>CP-12L : $ 36.95
>>CSW32 : $ 12.95
>>
>>For a total of $414.80.
>>
>>I will sell the complete kit only for $325.00 including shipping insured
by
>>airmail to your door. Please inquire by email. Disregard my previous
>posting,

>>I had forgotten about some accessories.
>>
>>73 de VE2CJW
>>Michel Morin
>>Quebec, Canada
>>morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
>>
>>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
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5327. Yaesu FT-50R Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Fongemie <fongemie@mountainguidesalliance.com>
Message-ID: <3515d745.0@news.neis.net>
Source record: 149543

Hi All,
I'm just getting into this Ham Radio stuff and I just bought a Yaesu FT 50R radio. The sub display can show the battery voltage, but in doing this mine shows 10+volts when charged and the radio quits way before the 4 volts like the book suggests. How can I have a reading of over 10 volts when my battery is only 9.6 volts?

Also, how are Ni Cads? Do I need to fully charge and fully drain the battery when using?

Any recomendations for a good antenna substitute that is still fairly small?

Thanks,

Jeff Fongemie

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AMGA Certified Mountain Guide

5328. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6f4sk5$ean@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149544

I replied to you the same day you left this message, but it never made it to
the server. You can't get more than 10W on 2m with 706.

Adnan, Icom America

Nelson wrote in message <01bd521c$8fd67380$520148ca@nelson>...
>Tks a lot !
>
>Then I hv to buy an external amp instead of changing PA unit inside the
>rig.
>
>73
>
>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
><350eb918.96053854@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>> On 17 Mar 1998 04:40:43 GMT, "Nelson" <neltang@hotmail.com> wrote:
>> >ANYBODY KNOW HOW TO MOD OR CHANGE COMPONENT TO MAKE MY RIG IN HIGH POWER
>OF
>> >100W (OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND.
>>
>> You can't. The driver stage is used as the final on the 2m band. The PA
>won't
>> work on 2m. That's why it is only 10 watts.
>>
>> Gary
>> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>>

5329. Alpha 77SX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary weber <k7qbm@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35157E37.189D@mindspring.com>
Source record: 149545

I am still looking for an Alpa 77-SX. If you have one and want to sell it, please e-mail me with your phone number. Also interested in large home brew amps that are professionaly built. Gary Weber, K7QBM

5330. Re: Positive experience with Icom repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6f52ge$r07@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149546

Hello Joe,

I'm glad you were satisfied with our service!

Adnan, Icom America Service

Joe wrote in message <3515FCA8.65FFC93B@flinet.com>...
>Hello all, I feel it is important to impart any info. of a positive
>nature when it occurs in the world of amateur radio, and it has for me!
>I had to send in my IC-738 rig for out of warranty repair (it would not
>transmit audio and receive would intermittently cut out). I sent it in
>next day express on Monday, they got it Tuesday, fixed it Wednesday,
>shipped it Thursday, and back to me it arrived on Friday of the same
>week! That is the fastest turnaround I could have ever imagined. I
>figured I would be without my radio for at least a month. But I am happy
>to say it was just four days. If more companies had this kind of
>efficiency in repair time, we would all be singing praises. IMHO, I am
>happy with Icom, and will consider their products in the future based on
>this very positive happening!
>
>Cheers!
>
>Joe
>

5331. TFS Delivery Failure:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailtfs@littlewoods.co.UK
Message-ID: <9803212356.AA00319@lhsgfw.littlewoods.co.uk>
Source record: 149565

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The following address could not be delivered
POSTMASTER @ LHSG-INFOSERVCS
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POSTMASTER @ LHSG-INFOSERVCS
POSTMASTER @ LHSG-INFOSERVCS
POSTMASTER @ LHSG-INFOSERVCS
POSTMAS
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5332. TFS Delivery Failure:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailtfs@littlewoods.co.UK
Message-ID: <9803212357.AA01547@lhsgfw.littlewoods.co.uk>
Source record: 149566

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The following address could not be delivered
POSTMASTER @ LHSG-INFOSERVCS
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POSTMASTER @ LHSG-INFOSERVCS
POSTMAS
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5333. Who had a MICOR testset for sale?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5526$1ab17e80$710f9fcf@john>
Source record: 149567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Anyone remember who it was that posted a Motorola
Test Set equipped with the two cord MICOR test
cable assembly? The set (or cord with the RED and
WHITE plugs) for aligning mobiles?

If not, do *you* have one for sale, or know where
one might be located? (Test Set -OR- cable?)

Thanks very much
John
occupant@ns.net
..

5334. VHF antenna w/sma connector ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032200350401.TAA14876@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149568

Anyone know where a vhf antenna w/ sma connector can be founf-my FT 50 is lonely w/o one. Thanks

5335. For Sale: 220 MHz Duplexers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gritelecom@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032200411100.TAA11940@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149569

Manufactured by Aerial Facility Laboratories (England)
220-225 MHz
12 Reject Cavities (Six in RX & Six in TX) All Silver Plated
N-Female Connectors
500 Watt Power Capability
Designed for 1 MHz Split (1.6 MHz is no problem)
Heavy-Duty Construction
Consists of Two 19" Rack Modules. Each Module 10" high and approx. 23" deep
Total Weight 55 pounds for both modules.(Can ship in two UPS boxes)
Can PreTune before shipping.

$375 Per Set (Shipping Additional)

Gordon

5336. Re: FT-847 Price is Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032200451800.TAA16534@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149570

The cost of shipping and duties from Japan or elsewhere in the world to get a grey market Ft-847 that would have no USA warranty of any kind seems silly and foolish just to try & save a hundred or two on an almost two thousand dollar item. Imagine if this brand new model was D.O.A or had an operational quirk right out of the box. You would be assured a $100-$300 repair bill. People complain that there aren't enough places in the US to go see & buy hamstuff, yet this attitude would chase the rest of the stores out of the country. I wonder if this guy would try to beat Sears out of $200 for a $1880 lawnmower by having it shipped in from japan with no warranty. Sorry but doesn't this seem "Rube Goldberg" type silly to anyone else???

5337. KENWOOD HT 78 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Malara Jr <kb2ubo@borg.com>
Message-ID: <01bd552c$78769040$0d2562ce@default>
Source record: 149571

KENWOOD HT TH78 440/2M $225 OR B.O.SHIPPED OR TRADE TOWARDS 440/2M MOBILE

5338. Here's Where To Get Shipping Estimates Online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd552d$da9f3c80$608a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 149572
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

I just checked on shipping a 145lb, 15x15x20 inch box from NY to NH, the rates vary widely, FedEx $95., RPS $53., UPS $65.
If we all did more shopping around for price we might have a tiny impact on driving prices down a little!
Here are the urls:
FedEx: http://www.fedex.com/us/rates/
RPS: http://www.shiprps.com/rrr/rrrmain.htm
UPS: http://www.ups.com/using/services/rave/rate.html
-- 73, DavidC AA1FA
"Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13

5339. Great Looking Yaesu 990 AT DC modle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032201095001.UAA16770@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149573

I have a good Yaesu 990 Hf rig, with Tuner and it is the DC modle.
Looks and works great....
$ 1,125.00 and I pay shipping to you UPS
Thanks and 73
K5JOE

5340. FOR SALE - NICE TUNER CHEAP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5ixe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032201265001.UAA23675@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149574

For sale in excellent condition MFJ-941 tuner ., 300 watts with watt meter and swr meter. 70.00 dollars and i will pay shipping. cointact n5ixe@aol.com
Thanks

5341. Yaesu XF-D Filter for FT 1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032201420500.UAA22309@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149575

I have a new in the box 2.0 Narrow SSB Filter for the 3rd Stage IF in a
FT-1000 Yaesu...it is the XF-D Unit (YF-110SN)
I sold the radio that I was gonna put it in.
$ 140.00 I pay shipping to you Priority Mail US Post Office.
K5JOE
Thanks and 73

5342. misc 800 radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: byronh102@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032202251300.VAA29617@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149576

Subject: Misc. 800 MHZ radio's
From: byronh102@aol.com (Byronh102)
Date: Sat, Mar 21, 1998 21:04 EST
Message-id: <1998032202045900.VAA00514@ladder03.news.aol.com>

This is what I have..

4 Bendix King model LPX2101 $100 ea. no battery $25 extra for charger LTR

5 Johnson model 8565 $150 with charger LTR

3 Standard model 581 $125 no charger LTR

1 Standard model 582 $125 no charger Motorola Format

3 Motorola GTX $250 with charger

3 Johnson model 8600 mobiles with keypad mike no brackets $150 LTR

5 Midland model 70-915 mobiles regular mike no brackets $100 ea conventional
only

you prepay I pay shipping If C.O.D. you pay shipping

Thanks,
Byron
Byronh102@aol.com

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Thanks,
Byron
Byronh102@aol.com

5343. *RS HTX-100 Speaker Audio Probem, please HELP!*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032203532700.WAA19475@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149577

Hey there...

I have Realistic HTX-100 10 meter mobile. The problem is the following: I cannot control the volume on the radio. It doesn't matter where I set the Volume knob, the sound is always very low from the internal speaker. I have tried headphones and same problem. The only way I can really hear the radio is if I connect it to an external amplifed speaker (if it's not amplified the sound is same as it is from internal speaker). The RX and TX fine, and all controls work fine. Any ideas? I do have the schematic for the radio, but don't know where to even start to look. Any input on this subject, or on the HTX-100 in general, is very much appriciated. I'm hoping to upgrade to Tech Plus in May, and really want to get this radio fully working, so PLEASE HELP!! Thanks.

73s,
N3ZVM (Eugene)
TeenHam@aol.com

5344. Standard 528A HT&Accys For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032203564700.WAA20078@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149578

Standard 528A dual band handie with nicad, charger, manual, dc adapter, carry case and vox headset including shipping all for $300.00/obo

Full 800 Mhz receive, crossband, and much more. Radio is in excellent condition, seldom used. Excellent product and value for a new ham!!

Thanks,

Ed Hutton N3KEX

5345. USED POLICE RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6f202a$6v0$5@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 149579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but will consider all. I buy non working units also, including parts. Please reply by E Mail for a prompt reply.

5346. Re: Radio I saw on movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdcole@engineer.com
Message-ID: <35148c6a.5021520@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149580

On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 11:42:15 GMT, Leon Rawls <suzuki@inetw.net> wrote:

>I was watching a movie that was about the 2nd civil war if that was the
>name. It was about a news station that covered what was happening. They
>had a radio that fit around the ear and had no wires to it it had a
>small antenna on the unit and I guess it picked up the voice through the
>ear. because it had no mic. Is this a real radio or just a movie prop.
>and can you buy it??
>

That's Refered to as an EarMic. Their are a couple being made for Ham
HT's.

Ron
N5HYH

5347. Re: N1LSW WHY CHEAT OTHER HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwalter7@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032205501701.AAA04047@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149581

Send him a virus and crash his computer. Then call the cops on him.

5348. Re: Yaesu FT-50R...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmk~~arse#@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3514a7f8.2881017@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149582
Cross-posted to: linux.dev.hams,linux.act.hams,de.comm.ham,alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What do you do about adhesive residue? On particularly hot days this could become a guncky mess. Not trying to shoot you down Mark, but I have not had good luck with electrical tape coming off cleanly (maybe I'm buying too cheap a grade :-}).

Try some stretch wrap made for wrapping foodstuffs. A small patch that wraps partiall around the case might be the ticket. No residue and quite reusable. You might be the brunt of a few good natured jabs, but you will not short out your battery pack inadvertantly. Which, by the way, is made tougher from the get-go as Yaesu was smart enough to recess the contacts.

Hope this helps.
73,
Howard KE6MAK
On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 18:23:09 -0800, "Mark Grandstaff" <grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu> wrote:

>I use electrical tape. It's inexpensive and low profile.
>
>
>Frank4d wrote in message ...
>>I am the proud new owner of a Yaesu FT-50R dual band HT. I like the fact
>>that I can directly clip on a spare battery to my belt when in the
>>wilderness, because the clip is part of the battery (no case needed). The
>>only problem I have with this is that I wish I didn't have to expose the
>>metal contacts. Does anyone know of a product (a thin piece of plastic)
>>which clips on to this battery to protect the contacts, yet maintains a
>>low-profile?
>>
>>Please e-mail any responses.
>>Thanks
>
>

5349. /\/\ot. MRTI 1000PHONE PATCH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6f2dc3$a6i@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149583

Like new MRTI 1000 phone patch (L1340) for sale. Internally very clean (a 10), minor scratches on top cover; otherwise blemish free. Want $325 which includes COD freight to continental US.

5350. ping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd6esz@quick.NET
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980322000132.5753B-100000@shell.quick.net>
Source record: 149584

Is this list still on?

5351. WANT:NOISE BLANKER SCHEMATIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6f2gf1$db6$2@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149585

Hi! I am looking for someone who could send me a schematic of
any "noise blanker" model that I could built and install on
my DRAKE TR-4,your help will be greatly appreciated.
THANKS......73
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

5352. WANTED: ATLAS 210X RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6f2gfm$db6$5@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149586

Hi! I am looking for to buy a HF rig "ATLAS 210X" with the noise
blanker on it,if you do have one in good working order,please let
me know,Thanks in advance........73
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

5353. Astatic Mike Cable Pinouts--Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig and Gloria Novak <craig_novak@abraxis.com>
Message-ID: <3514A8B5.53D6@abraxis.com>
Source record: 149587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thank you for reading this.

I am re-building a 25 year old Astatic Silver D104 mike.

Does anyone know the pin-out from the Astatic base to an Icom (I have a 736 with the 8-pin male connector).

Any assistance appreciated.

73
Craig Novak
KU4PL

5354. Re: Astatic Mike Cable Pinouts--Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig and Gloria Novak <craig_novak@abraxis.com>
Message-ID: <3514AA57.6FFF@abraxis.com>
Source record: 149588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Craig and Gloria Novak wrote:
>
I just found out my answer: Astatic has a Web site where all the
manufacturers pin outs are listed.

Way to maximize customer support Astatic!

73 Craig
KU4PL

5355. WTB: ANTENNA ROTATOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032208542101.DAA25876@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149589

Hello,
I am looking for a use rotator with controller that will rotate a Cushcraft A4S. Turning radius is 18.4 and weight is 37lbs. Wind load 5.50.

Anyone have a rotator/controller that they wish to sell that will support this antenna??

I am down on cash so not looking to spend to much for it....

Please let me know what you have... Thanks

Jeffrey - N9MXT1

5356. WTB: 10' TRIPOD CHICAGO AREA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032208584701.DAA21739@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149590

Hello,
I want to put back up my yagi that used to be on a 10' tripod on the roof. Just moved to another location and the old 10' tripod stayed with the old house. Does anyone have a 10' tripod or tower that they wish to sell and living in the chicago/suburban area??

Please let me know... Thanks... Jeffrey - N9MXT1

5357. where can i find theese newsgroups through e-mail?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980322043630.29204G-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 149591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

hi there, the subject says it all. i want all theese news groups to be
e-mailed to me in digest format. thanks. hope i get some e-mail on this.

random access internet shell account
standerd disclaimers apply.
e-mail dana@randomc.com

5358. Kantronics Tnc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Derek Johnson <Derek@dekg0ahj.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <CpcWNXAhoOF1Ewmh@dekg0ahj>
Source record: 149592

Wanted Kantronics kpc 9612 must be in good working order (like me) Hi..

****
* derek@dekg0ahj.demon.co.uk *
* g0ahj@gb7nwi.ampr.org. *
* Prestbury Cheshire *
* 01625-268094 *
****

5359. Wanted Analog Satreceiver !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees Brommersma <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <890570238.285260@guust>
Source record: 149593

Hello there,

I (Cees) am looking for a Analog satellitereceiver.

The reciever must have the following spec's:

1) Analog receiver
2) Freq-range 950 - 2150 Mhz
3) C-Band receiving (Video inverse)
4) Video different I.F Bandwidth's (not a must)
5) Audio frequency's left and right independently tunable
6) 2 LNB connectors (not a must)
7) Menu on screen
8) 200 memory-canals or more.

If you have or know something Please let me know !!

Bay bay <> Cees <> Holland.

5360. Re: Icom SM-8 mic with Kenwood HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <890565886snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 149594

In article <6f251h$2bm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> sfine@earthling.net writes:

> I have an Icom SM-8 mic in use with an Icom rig. It has the capability to
> operate two radios however. Is there any way to wire the second port to
> operate a Kenwood TS-450? (I don't really care if the up down switches work)
> I suspect these are two different beasts and it can't really be done.
> Thanks for any insight. Steve KB2YWP

I'd say it could be done without too much trouble, but you will need
to supply the DC bias voltage to the electret insert while you're in
the Kenwood position. Maybe you can keep the Icom rig running and
bridge that line on the change-over switch or maybe use a 9v battery
for the Kenwood position.

If you ask the general question: How to use any Icom mike, even the
the SM-6 or HM-12, with a Kenwood rig I think the same tricks can be
used for the switched SM-8.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

5361. TM-V7 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6f2tpkmgo1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 149595

I am looking for the EZ Clone Software for the TM-V7,
as I understood it can not be purchaised any more.

Is anyone willing to sell it ?

Thanks in advance,

Greetings, ...

5362. Re: Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6f31kh$9f4@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 149596

Sean A. Foley <sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com> wrote:
: I never used slow scan. So, would it sound like a packet burst?

No, it sounds like a "warble" (sp?)

: > 1. How fast can it burst an image? If I'm mobile an using a repeater with
: > others waiting to talk, is it a 5 second or a 2 minute delay for me to
: > send or

Good question....I suspect that since the resolution is quite a bit less
that the SSTV pictures sent over HF, that it may be quicker than HF, but I
don't know.

--
Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

5363. Help! Timewave audio filter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6sfg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032213130000.IAA02794@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149597

Help! Timewave audio filter.

I have a timewave audio filter built into the Yaesu speaker console and do not have any instructions on how to program or operate it.
If you have a Timewave, could you please FAX or e-mail me the operators manual or copy it and send it to me via e-mail. I would be very grateful and more than happy to reimburse you for your time and expense.

my fax # is 804-237-5199
phone # is 804-239-3752

Sincerely,
Bruce Braun
President: Creative Teleproductions, Inc.
Web site:http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html

5364. HP 694C,Sony 2010, Pro 51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <6f3234$drb1@news.i2020.net>
Source record: 149598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have forsale or trade the following:

HP 694C Colorjet Printer (with 1000 sheets of paper). (Bought new in Feb, I need a laser printer)
Sony 2010
(In the box with all accessories).
Pro 51 Scanner (yes it does cellular) (With manual and charger)

Any item I sell or trade is guaranteed to be in excellent to new condition or your money back.

N5PW

5365. Re: HTX-202 TX problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1bug@mint.net
Message-ID: <35150f8a.12954830@news.mint.net>
Source record: 149599

marc_k@walrus.com (marc_k) wrote:

>n1jkv@exit109.com wrote:
>: On Fri, 20 Mar 1998 05:21:57 GMT, gumb@hotmail.com (gumb) wrote:
>
>: >I have an HTX-202. When I hit the PTT, the LED stated TX as if I were
>: >transmitting, but the output LED's at the bottom of the screen do not
>: >light up and I cannot transmit. Is there something wrong with the
>: >finals in my radio?
>: >Mike
>: >
>
>: It`s possible that your finals are bad. The way to check is to use a
>: low current 12 volt power suppy to provide the power at the 12 volt
>: input jack at the top of the radio. Measure the current on tx. A good
>: htx202 will put out about 5 watts or more on a 12 volt supply.
>: A GOOD FINAL should draw about 1.3 amps on tx
>
>: I hope this infomation might help you
>
>If you have to open the 202 up, check the soldered connections on the PA
>transistor...they tend to overheat, and thus get lousy..resoldering them
>may well solve your problem.
>Good Luck.

Although it's hard to understand why it happens, I have fixed several
HTX-202's that had this problem by resoldering the connections on the
final transistor. This seems to be a common problem if the HT has been
run on 12 or 13v in the hi power position.

Paul

5366. Re: Yaesu HT battery drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick1959@juno.com
Message-ID: <6f382oanh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149600

Hi Dave,
Thanks for the info.
Battery drain seems to be somewhat inconsistent. Although I would say that it is generally more than a week between charges when they are left off. Maybe there is no problem, just an expectation on my part that a charge should last more than, or at least, a month when they are shut off.
I don't have the equipment (or skill) to measure battery drain, so I'll need stick with the time factor as a judgement.
Maybe I need to "bite the bullet" and simply remove the batteries when I'm not going to use them for a week or more.
The VX-1R seems to have about 2 weeks between charges when off. The FT50 runs anywhere from 1 to 3 weeks when shutoff.
One other thing is I'd heard there is there is a difference in discharge rates for the FT50, dependent on how HOW it is shutoff. For example, one thing I heard is that if you shut it off then turn it back on for a few seconds then shut it off again, there is a distinctly lower discharge rate than shutting it off once. Know anything about this ?
Thanks again for your help.
73's,
Rick
N1YYH
In article <6f0qln$j0q@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>,
davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:

> Depends on what you mean by "low level". The FT-50 normally draws some
> current from the battery when it is turned off, but the current is well
> below 1 mA. This probably drains a battery less than its own self-discharge
> rate.
>
> However, some FT-50 owners have noticed currents of 8 or 10 mA when the
> radio is turned off. This will discharge a battery in a few days.
> Yaesu knows how to fix it (change the value of a few parts in the power
> button circuit).
>
> So, to confirm that you have a problem, measure current drawn by the
> radio when it is off. If it discharges a battery in a week or less
> while turned off, you definitely have a problem.
>
> I don't know of an equivalent problem with the VX-1R. How long does it
> take to discharge a battery?
>
> Dave
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
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5367. 70' motorized crank up tubular tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032214132501.JAA08645@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149601

Tower For Sale. My friend is a ham who just passed away. He had just ordered and
received a U.S. Towers 70 foot fully motorized crank up tubular tower. It includes the indoor
control box to raise and lower the tower automatically .It is brand new and was not installed.
He paid $6000 + shipping. His wife would take $4000. You can call me at 516 486 1861.
We are in New York on Long Island. KB2VX Rob. Thanks 516 486 1861 qin2@aol.com.

5368. Re: HTX-202 TX problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gordon D. Skiffington" <skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <351559E7.4B49@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 149602

Howdy guys....Only ever worked on 1 HTX202....Had same prob and I concur with your observations .....Had a bad solder joint in the final area.

That was about 6 years ago so might date the problem...perhaps the new ones are ok.

5369. FS: Kam-Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Preston Truett <apt@jazz.cybermedia>, net
Message-ID: <351524b5.0@207.53.87.9>
Source record: 149603

Kam-Plus for sale $100.00 + Shipping

K4DDJ

Mailto:apt@jazz.cybermedia.net

5370. WTB: Allied AX-190 or SX-190

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Bissell <swb1@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd55a1$27ad3400$44401ed1@swb1.flash.net>
Source record: 149604

Looking for Allied SX-190 of AX-190 also Kenwood TS-520
--
Steve Bissell KC5TFL
President & Wire Chief
Confederate Radio Communications Union
Dedicated to Clean and Lawfull Radio Communications

5371. Re: FT-847 is $1292 in JAPAN !!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6f39nsphs1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 149605

hershman wrote in message <351474FD.72257405@ix.netcom.com>...
>Go to: http://www.hamers.co.jp/webshop/radio/index.html
>
>They have the list price of the FT-847 at 210,000 Yen and a retail or
>street price at
>168,000 Yen. The current exchange rate is 130 Yen to the USA DOLLAR.
>168,000\130= $1292 USA DOLLARS
>
>The current street price in the USA is $1820 which is $528 More than in
>Japan!!
>We are getting RIPPED OFF !!!!!
>
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
If things are so wonderful in Japan, why are you still here?

5372. info-ATLAS 350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: slimg29@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f37b8aiq1@newsd-141.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149606

can anyone please e-mail me about this radio? tx and rx coverage,power
ect...how much would one go for used? thanks, <glenn>

5373. HEATH AND OTHER items on E-Bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <351538BB.4981@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149607

Hi I have the Following HEATH GEAR , KW Tuner, Satellite Downconverter
on E-Bay
These items are for bid at E-Bay they Include HEATH WATTMETERS
A KW-109 1KW Tuner with meter a 1200/2400 Baud Packet TNC some very RARE
tubes an MFJ Audio Filter Collectors Code Tapes and other items... Thank
you...at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8541194

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8555540

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8930926

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8930065

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8929336

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8928308

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8928162

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8927732

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8803795

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8728522

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8679058

These items are for bid at E-Bay they Include HEATH WATTMETERS
A KW-109 1KW Tuner with meter a 1200/2400 Baud Packet TNC some very RARE
tubes an MFJ Audio Filter Collectors Code Tapes and other items... Thank
you...

5374. Icom IC-W32A and accessories brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <dgaR.28$PR4.787014@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149608

I have the following equipment for sale, everything is brand new and still
on warranty for nearly one year. Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with V/V, V/U and
U/U operation, cross band repeater and extended receive without hardware
mod.
It comes with a BP-180 battery that gives 3.5 watts output. It gives you 5
watts with a bigger battery or outside dc power. Accessories include HM-46
speaker mike and CP-12L cigarette lighter adaptor for operation and
recharging.
A check of the latest prices at HRO gives the following:
IC-W32A : $304.95
HM-46 : $ 59.95
CP-12L : $ 36.95
For a total of $401.85.
I will sell the complete kit only for $325.00 including shipping insured by
airmail to your door. Please inquire by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5375. Minitor I or II, Looking for...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <emw28@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6f3bc1$g52@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149609

Hello.

I am looking to purchase a Minitor I or II pager (with charger) with the frequency of 154.070 already in place. The PL tone function and quick-call capabilities are not needed as I would like all transmissions on this particular frequency to come through.

I would prefer a used Minitor, but would welcome hearing about any new pagers that are at a decent price and can be shipped 154.070 capable.

Thanks for any suggestions or assistance!

Ed emw28@aol.com

5376. WTB: Drake TR-7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3hrm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <6f3f7ohpg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149610

I'm looking for a Drake TR-7A + Accy's in excellent to mint condition. Must include : PS-7, MS-7, Noise blanker and filters. Thanks, Bob Szejk--WA3R

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5377. Re: Icom IC-T8A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35153478.4A83@mindspring.com>
Source record: 149611

S. Covey wrote:
>
> Thanks, it worked great!
> dan begin wrote in message <6elolh$o35$1@demon.uunet.ca>...
> >
> >
> >go into VFO mode
> >
> >turn radio off
> >
> >hold BAND and SQL and turn the radio on..
> >
> >The receive is now 50-230 300-999
> >
> >
> >Dan VE2BHN
> >
Allright. Does anyone know the internal mod that unblocks celluar and
enables 220 transmit? The dealers have it but they will not release it.
Have seen modified rigs that have this capability. But it is not a
keypad mod,like the extended rx. Thanks in advance,Jim

5378. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <351534F3.2EEA@mindspring.com>
Source record: 149612

hershman wrote:
>
> Well it should be. If you go to several Japanese Ham store Web pages you
> will see the
> FT-847 list price is 210,000 Yen and the the retail (street price) is
> 168,000 Yen.
> The current exchange rate is 125 Yen to the Dollar. So 168,000 Yen
> equals $1344 USA Dollars. THis is Roughly the price of the closeout
> FT-900CAT. Hmmmmm.
> SO the FT-847 is replacing the FT-900CAT. I will wait till the price is
> corrected.
> Don't get ripped off by paying $1820 for a radio that is being sold for
> $1344 USA dollars
> in Japan. OR. You can Order the FT-847 from several Japanese Dealers
> and BYPASS
> Yaesu USA and the Dealers and save $ 500 !!!
> 73's NS1R Steve

They will still make you pay duty on it before it can clear customs.

5379. Re: FS Heathkit Manuals - NOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351539A1.62E7C6A8@erols.com>
Source record: 149613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bob Bethman wrote:

> The following Heathkit manuals for sale:
>
> SB-230 Linear Amplifier
>
> SB-303 Solid State SSB Receiver ** SOLD **
>
> SB-104 Single Sideband Transceiver Assembly Manual
>
> SB-104 Single Sideband Transceiver Operation Manual
>
> SB-401 SSB Transmitter ** SOLD **
>
> HW-104 Single Sideband Transceiver
>
> $10 each, plus $3 shipping
>
> Bob Bethman
> N0DGN/4
>

When I said NOS, I meant New - Out of Stock. These have done nothing
but sit on the bookshelf. They haven't even been opened, much less used

to build the gear.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN/4

5380. wtb: Kenwood accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Poole <pooles@arkansas.net>
Message-ID: <6f3b5i$fu7$1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 149614

I have just reciently aquired a Kenwood TR-2500 HT and would like very much to pick up some of the accessories. The items that I would like to find are as follows.

ST-2 Base Stand
MS-1 Mobile Stand
TU-1 Programmable tone encoder
BT-1 Battery Case

If the price is right I would also like to buy the VB-2530 RF Power Amplifier. If anyone has these items for sale please contact me by e-mail. The e-mail address follows.

pooles@arkansas.net

73s
Tracy Poole KD5DBE

5381. FS: BC 100xlt 100ch Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35153F5D.7A94@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat BC 100xlt Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
-(1) VHF Rubberduck Antenna
-(1) UHF Rubberduck Antenna
-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

Radio Features -100 Channels
-10 Ch./bank, 10 banks
-Weather Search
-29-54, 118-174, 406-512 Mhz
-Band Search

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of it over the years. Everything works perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of 10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

5382. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600 - full 60-950 MHZ coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3f9r$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-950
>MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks,
>dents, or scratches whatsoever.
>
>Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year.
>I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes
>the following:
>
>* Original manual
>* Photocopy of service manual
>* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
>* TV video board installed
>* Yaesu AC adaptor
>* Original Telescopic whip antenna
>
>This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would
>like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!

5383. FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3faq$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149617
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

5384. Re: FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-MINT in the box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3fd1$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>been unmodified.
>
>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>
>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>following:
>
>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>* Original manual
>* Original rubber antenna
>
>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>has not been modified at all. Iwould like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

5385. FS- AOR 3000A - Unrestricted Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3fhh$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
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>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

5386. FS- Sony Pro-80 handheld SW/VHF scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f3fbm$odm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149620
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>>
>>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>>
>>* Handheld battery operated unit
>>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>>* 3 scan modes.
>>* Am narrow/wide mode
>>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>>* Fine tunning control
>>* Tone hi/low
>>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.
>

5387. FS: ICOM PS-15 & SP-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032217164600.MAA04797@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149621

ICOM PS-15 Power Supply
- Some minor scratches on sides but face looks excellent
- Owners manual with schematic
- $110 shipped

ICOM SP-3 Speaker
- Some minor scratches on sides but face looks excellent
- Original box but no styrofoam (bubble wrapped)
- $55 shipped

Package deal on both for $150 shipped

Norm
Ae4cz@aol.com
Biloxi, MS
(228) 436-3568

5388. FS: SAM Callsign CD $12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032217181000.MAA09571@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149622

I received a SAM CD with a new radio I purchased and use the Flying Horse CD so do not need this one. I will mail to you for $12. Date on CD is Jan 98.

Norm
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Biloxi, MS
(228) 436-3568

5389. Re: FS Heathkit Manuals - NOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351549CA.F8093639@erols.com>
Source record: 149623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> Bob Bethman wrote:
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> > The following Heathkit manuals for sale:
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> > SB-104 Single Sideband Transceiver Operation Manual
> >
> > SB-401 SSB Transmitter ** SOLD **
> >
> > HW-104 Single Sideband Transceiver
> >
> > $10 each, plus $3 shipping
> >
>
> When I said NOS, I meant New - Out of Stock. These have done nothing
> but sit on the bookshelf. They haven't even been opened, much less
> used
> to build the gear.

These are ORIGINAL, they are NOT used. I do not like the wordmint as it implies STILL wrapped in original packaging without touch by human hands. These MAY have a VERY LITTLE rubbing around the edges as they are paperback and have been on the bookshelf and have been moved from shelf to shelf on the odd occasion.

>
>
> Bob Bethman
> N0DGN/4

5390. Re: Ham Radio "Street Prices" in Japan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <351541b0.2462778@news.total.net>
Source record: 149624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I don't have any objections for buying the radios in Japan, but here
are some tips you want to consider:

In Japan...

- Some rigs only transmit 10W HF or 50W HF. 10W HF for no
coders and 50W for 5 WPM JA operators. The most rigs sold in Japan
are either with 10W or 50W capability... not many with 100W. Make
sure you get the one what you want...

- The band allocations in Japan are completely different from
the ones in North America. ie. 144-146 MHz for 2m, 4630 KHz CW,
7000-7100 Khz etc. ->
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/intl.htm for more info.

- The warranty for the radios which are bought in Japan are
"usually" valid only in Japan (not outside of the country).

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 10:39:37 -0500, WK1V <jjm@shore.net> wrote:

>hershman wrote:
>
>> hershman wrote:
>>
>> > I Personally know this guy folks and he works at HAM RADIO OUTLET. Of course he
>> > will tell you to buy locally. He makes $$$$ doing it. I left the Web page info about
the
>> > FT-847 costing $1320 at Japanese Exchange student today. He said he will read all the
FINE
>> > PRINT and get back to me on Monday. I will post my results of what I will do. In fact
I
>> > will post the Web address of the Japanes Dealer with the $1320 FT-847 later
tonight!!!!
>> > You can see for yourself !!!
>> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
>Yup! I stand to make millions and millions telling people to buy "locally." Hersheyman, I
>thought you were an idiot, no longer do you have to prove it to me.
>
>I do not speak for any radio dealership nor do I stand to make one red cent suggesting
people
>buy domestically; "locally" was your word. Besides I think your
creditbility.....woops...I
>stand corrected....you have NO credibility.
>

>I want to know Hershyman....just how many radios YOU have purchased directly from Japan? In the
>past couple of years of your telling everyone they are getting ripped off...just how many times
>have you said, "I'm going to find out what the price is in Japan and buy from there."...? How
>come you have NOT in fact purchased any radios directly from Japan? How come Steve? Why don't
>you back up your words with action instead of spewing horsepucky? How come Steve Hershman is
>telling everyone to purchase their radios directly from Japan and he has not spent one red cent
>doing so himself?
>
>Hersheyman, why don't you tell the good people how many times you have gone to your "local"
>candy store and have seen me working there. You don't know anything do you? You only act like
>you do. You keep trying to buddy up to me with your email to get information from me so that
>you can tell everyone you have a source and then you'd twist any source's words around to fit
>your own needs....Please don't email me and ask me anything, I just ain't gonna tell you.
>
>I'll be waiting to hear about your first purchase of a radio directly from Japan. Then I want
>the details about any duties and taxes you paid, the freight and handling, and then I want a
>diode by diode comparison of your new radio with one purchased domestically. Then, when your
>radio ever breaks down within the first year, tell us where you are going to send it for
>repair. Do you think you are going to get an English printed manual with it? Oh, that's
>right....Hersheyman speaks and reads Japanese.....he sees all knows all....but he doesn't do
>anything about except talk.....
>
>--
> jim
> -=wk1v=-
>
>

Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)

http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

5391. WTB: Manuals for Mot. STX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD6VEX@Hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6f3lliohk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello, I am looking for Service Manuals, Theory/Maintinance Manuals and any other manuals for my Motorola STX Model NO. H35STC5170AN. Thanks

Stephen

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5392. FS: ICOM SM-5 Mics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032217333801.MAA07556@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149626

I have two ICOM SM-5 desk mics for sale:

- Preamp mic for older IC-730, 740, and others
- Original box and manual/schematic for both
- Both work great and have the 8 pin Icom plug

- One is in excellent condition with no scratches for $55 shipped

- Other has minor scratch on base and has the first ring of the flexible gooseneck slightly disjointed. Flexible neck still works fine and mic looks good but not as nice as the other one. $40 shipped.

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5393. Re: WANTED AR8000 or the like

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <35154F9E.93B35A3D@ncia.net>
Source record: 149627

I also have a Radio shack DX392 like new,this is the rcvr built by
Sansean for RS and is the identical to the 818CS>>see it at this URL
http://www.sangean.com/ATS818CS.htm

5394. Re: Minitor I or II, Looking for...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmtmn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032218102300.NAA18270@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149628

Sounds like Bloomington, MN Fire Dept.
Am I right?

5395. WTB: Kenwood TS-130S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka3vsp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032218302301.NAA21516@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149629

Wanted: Kenwood TS-130S HF xcvr in good to mint condx.
Please respond via email with details including condition, price, accessories,
your phone number.

Thanks,

Brian Pasternak
ka3vsp@aol.com

Philadelphia, PA

5396. Re: FS:NEW ICOM IC-T8A 2/6/440 HT w/wide receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3515560D.2F12C762@earthlink.net>
Source record: 149630

This is the 2watt model NOT the 5 watt one right?

Chris
WB5ITT
(Im waiting on the 5 watt model)

Bruce A. Langos wrote:
>
> New in the box. This is a 2M,6M, and 440 radio with wide receive also.
> Almost as small as the VX-1R.
>
> This unit is new. Will ship anywhere in the US for $295.00 This is anywhere
> from $30.00 to $70.00 cheaper that you will find the unit at dealers.
>
> Thanks
> Bruce

5397. Re: FT-847 Price is Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032218575800.NAA21395@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149631

This is a stupid argument. No one is getting "ripped off". With shipping & customs duties, the price for a grey market ft-847 is going to be close enough, and why is it such a mystery that it's a little cheaper in the country that it is made in?? I'm sure oranges are cheaper in florida, but are the rest of us that don't live in florida getting "ripped off" everytime we buy them locally? How about ordering a TV direct from Korea no warranty to save some money too? I agree this is a pretty dumb penny-wise, pound-foolish attitude.

5398. Re: WTB: 10' TRIPOD CHICAGO AREA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <35155F3D.4713@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 149632

N9mxt1 wrote:
>
> Hello,
> I want to put back up my yagi that used to be on a 10' tripod on the roof.
> Just moved to another location and the old 10' tripod stayed with the old
> house. Does anyone have a 10' tripod or tower that they wish to sell and
> living in the chicago/suburban area??
>
> Please let me know... Thanks... Jeffrey - N9MXT1
I really suggest you to go to a local tv shop who does antenna work or
2-way radio shop. The freight and the cost of tripod will be more than
it is worth. Also depending of the rust condition of it . Mike....

5399. Re: Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathryn Mataga <ke6i@junglevision.com>
Message-ID: <3515607E.A45CF7EC@junglevision.com>
Source record: 149633

Maybe more like 5 or six cats -- screaming mercilessly for about a minute.

Sean A. Foley wrote:
>
> I never used slow scan. So, would it sound like a packet burst?
>
> Sean
> KF6OAB
>
> Mitch Bogart wrote:
>
> > Great. I always thought this product would happen in the future some time.
> > The real questions are:
> > 1. How fast can it burst an image? If I'm mobile an using a repeater with
> > others waiting to talk, is it a 5 second or a 2 minute delay for me to send or
>
> --
> Using cable modem access through @Home network
> Live repeater audio on the web!
> http://24.0.146.59/
> sfoley@cx30186-a.dt1.sdca.home.com

5400. FS: Kenwood TS-850 Service Manual, Kenwood TS-450/690 Instruction Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4dh@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980322.140502.7559.0.n4dh@juno.com>
Source record: 149634

TS-850-AT Service Manual sent Priority Mail $28.
TS-450S/TS-690S Instruction Manual Priority Mail $13.

Thanks & 73 de Bill, N4DH

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Bill Richarz <N4DH> ex WA4VAF | Internet: wricharz@charlotte.infi.net
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Charlotte, NC 28227 | Phone: (704) 545-9368
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5401. Ham Radio Crossword Puzzzle Now Online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb6siv@nospam.cyberg8t.com
Message-ID: <wb6siv-2203981117290001@host-136.pm3-3.cyberg8t.com>
Source record: 149635

Test your knowledge of ham radio theory by participating in the first interactive online ham radio crossword puzzle. You can access the crossword puzzle through the Raymond Sarrio Site @ http://www.sarrio.com and follow the links to the Puzzle. 73's and good luck, Ray

--
Market without spam! Visit the Raymond Sarrio Newsgroup Clipping Service @ http://www.sarrio.com/sarrio/newsgroup.html

5402. FS: Timewave 599zx dsp $290.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Neuman <cneuman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bd55c8$9d1d3880$6466d6ce@cneuman.ix.netcom.c0m>
Source record: 149636

New condition. Have dsp in my new radio and don't need this one.

You pay shipping.

Chris

5403. FS: Zaurus and EVERYTHING!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ricb@SpamSpam.com
Message-ID: <ricb-ya023480002203981147450001@nntp.best.com>
Source record: 149637
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.handhelds,comp.sys.palmtops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.forsale,aol.commerce.computers.forsale,comp.forsale,comp.forsale.computers,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.pilot

This package goes beyond complete. Check out the list below, both Windows and Macintosh platforms are covered, and all the accessories you could want (well, all the accessories _I_ ever wanted. :-)

Everything is in great condition, well cared for, ready to use. The Zaurus itself is in pristine condition, no scratches; it's lived in the padded leather case all it's life.

I've put the current prices from the Rupp catalog (www.mobilescape.com) rounded up to the nearest dollar) beside everything so you can see what a great deal this is.

If everything was purchased new today this would be over $1000 worth of organizer and extras,.

First $450 offer gets it. If you can't afford $450, send me your best offer, I'll consider it. Please don't send me offers on parts, I want to sell this as a bunch.

So what's it include?
Zaurus ZR-5800: 2MB RAM, Modem, Backlight, Spreadsheet, Compuserve link, Addresses, Notes, Calendar, etc. ($400)

Two Cases:
Deluxe leather case ($60)
Soft Naugahide case ($10)

2 PC connector cables ($50 each)
1 Mac connector cable ($50)
1 PC Infrared connector cable ($90)
2 AC Power supplies ($15 each)

1 MB PCMCIA Card (~$130)

Oak desk stand and stylus ($50)

Zaurus link software PC ($15)
Zaurus link software Mac ($15)

Game Pack: Poker, Othello, Mastermind ($50)

Extra (Damaged) ZR-5800, for spare parts(?) ($???)

Back-Issues of Digital Ink magazine - Tons of Zaurus use tips. (Year's subscription was $30)

Reply to the address _below_ after you've removed the spamblock spaces.

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r i c b @ b e s t . c o m

5404. FT-Manager CAT SW for Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laurent LABOURIE <llabourie@nordnet.fr>
Message-ID: <6f3oi6$iv6$1@news.nordnet.fr>
Source record: 149638

Hello

I uploaded FT-Manager V1.4, latest release of my Windows 95/NT software
optimized for Yaesu rigs (shareware).

FT-Manager V1.4 now supports :

YAESU FT-757/767/840/890/900/920/990/1000MP/D
Including : full real-time monitoring, Web cluster, Log-book, band scope,
Short Wave data base, rotator control ... and fixes...
To download at http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/f6dex

I am waiting with impatience the Yaesu FT-847 and the ability to interface
PC & TX
at 56000 bauds ! (only 4800 bauds for other transceivers).

Soft990 MS-DOS SW (freeware) always available for
Yaesu FT-840/890/900/920/1000MP/D

Best 73 - Laurent F6DEX

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http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/f6dex

5405. Rich vs. N1LSW JACK KOMISAREK=BEWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Francer <francer@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd55cb$72dab5e0$cfd171d1@francer>
Source record: 149639
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Rich:
I suggest that you send a written complaint to the U.S. Attorneys' Office in Concord, New Hampshire. This probably would force N1LSW to hire a attorney. Thankyou for alerting us honest people.

Charles Francer

5406. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f3q15$5ur$3@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 149640
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

John Lidstrom wrote:
>
> to call a Motorola Astro a scanner is .....a bit of a stretch. The Astro
> is
> a full blown top drawer public safety portable, needs to be externally
> programmed by SOMEONE ELSE (lessin' ya'll got the software key)
> and will do a wonderful job of listening to digital audio until they
> encryption
> key is changed.
> But then, so will my Soundblaster Awe64. Or so I'm told.
> John
>

The next advent of scanners will be DSP. Think of a CD player. About three chips: DSP, filter and amp. A reconfigurable receivers are now just hitting the market (Icom PRC-1000, WinRadio). This could be shrunk to handheld size. Four or five chips: RF amp, IF amp, DSP for detection and filtering, and AF amp plus an embedded microprocessor to run it. If you knew how the transmitted signal was encoded and how to program that particular receiver, you could decode anything. Plus add new features at will. Which is why we have not seen DSP modems as it would move us from buying boards to software for new modes.

Purdue is pushing DSP training in both EE and EET. Much of the old hardware hacking is gone. Even logic circuits are now programable chips. DSP has become the standard for front ends of broadcasting audio, CDs, video, telephone filtering. It is everywhere.

How are they going to stop us when we can build a reprogrammable, reconfigurable receiver?

> Rimshot wrote:
>
> > Jack wrote in message <35163544.25454286@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
> >
> > >>I have, and use, a digital scanner. It is called a Motorola Astro
> > >>Mobile.
> > >
> > >Check out:
> > >http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/8539/GSMINDEX.HTM
> > >
> > >very interesting...
> >
> > Okay, has anyone heard of this?

> > Very interesting indeed
> > --
> > Rimshot

5407. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2wb@bellsouth.NET
Message-ID: <35156F9E.3DFD@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149641

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subscribe ham-equip
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5408. Re: FS Heathkit Manuals - NOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351570B5.63ECE46F@erols.com>
Source record: 149642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> SOLD **
> > >
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> > >
> > > HW-104 Single Sideband Transceiver ** SOLD **
> > >

They are ALL sold. Thanks to all.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN/4
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5409. computer-generated RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: r.s.eckman@larc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <slrn6hasd9.8vh.r.s.eckman@eos1.larc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 149643

I'm having a problem with computer-generated RFI getting into the rig with strong interference at a number of places on the HF bands, making DXing extremely difficult. I'm sure that others have discussed this in the past, but I've not found a recent reference to the problem.

Basically, my computer (a Pentium 133 unit with a 15" Mag monitor) is located on the same table as my HF rig. When the computer is on, loud (S9+) noise is present on the HF bands at various discrete frequencies. I tried plugging the rig into a distant AC socket (several rooms over with an extension cord), but the problem was still evident. I tried several other permutations and then thought to disconnect the video cable. Almost all of the noise disappeared. So, it's apparent that the noise is being radiated by the video cable and not through the AC lines. I'm still somewhat mystified why the rig is picking up this noise. The cable from the monitor to the computer is hardwired to the monitor (like many inexpensive monitors) and therefore it's difficult to try to install a torroid at the monitor end of the cable. Applying some snap-on torroids at the video card end doesn't seem to have much effect.

I've also verified that I have the same problem with my other computer on the other side of the radio room (which has a Nokia 15" monitor). Disconnecting the video cable elminated almost all interference on HF.

I assume that others have encountered a problem similar to this. Any advice on how to eliminate it? I would really like to use the computer with a real-time logging program, but the noise renders the rig generally unusable when the computer is on.

Thanks in advance.

Richard Eckman KO4MR
Hampton, VA
r.s.eckman@larc.nasa.gov

5410. Re: computer-generated RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351574D0.7311B905@erols.com>
Source record: 149644

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> real-time

> logging program, but the noise renders the rig generally unusable when
> the
> computer is on.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Richard Eckman KO4MR
> Hampton, VA
> r.s.eckman@larc.nasa.gov

Richard,

Actually I think you'll find that it is not simply the cable. My
experience has been that it is direct radiation from the CRT.
I have watched and listened as the display scrolled by that
it broke the squelch on my HT about eight feet away.

I am afraid that you will either have to hunt for a tempest
type monitor, or could perhaps place a grounded copper
window screen around/in front of the screen.

If indeed it is wholly the cable, try to find some Scotch 3M
shielded braid. I believe it used to be called Scotch #24 (or #34)
at a local electrical supply store. Wrap it around the cable,
with a slight overlap. It will interlock. Take the other end to
a good ground.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN/4

Phase 1 \\"""// 4-1000A Amplifier \\"""// Ongoing
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| Amateur Radio Operator N0DGN/4 -- Northern Virginia |
+---+
| Bob Bethman \\\|/// " Mistakes are a fact of |
| N0DGN/4 \\ ~ ~ // life, It is the response |
| rbethman@erols.com (/ @ @ /) to the error that counts"|
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\ ( ) / New \ ( ) /
\ _) (_/ "Sasquatch" \ _) (_/

5411. Re: digital mode scanners, are available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Troy Nichols <nichols@nichols.netkonect.co.uk>
Message-ID: <351593FE.2827@nichols.netkonect.co.uk>
Source record: 149645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

When will we see a TNC built on a PCMCIA card?

5412. Re: azden help !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: lordell@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032221044901.QAA12839@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149646

Mr Ni-Cad in Wisconsin carries Azden memory batteries-W1PNH

5413. Re: Minitor III (three) survey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracker557@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032221085801.QAA13552@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149647

Yes, I would like such information to be public.

My EMS team is considering puchacing several of these.

5414. Ameritron Al-811 amp FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032221115001.QAA18862@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149648

Hello'
I purchased this amp but I dont use it.It is mint and has the 10 meter mod done.
It is packed in its original double box from Ameritron.All paperwork inside.$530.
I will ship. Rob kb2vx 516 486 1861

5415. FS: ALINCO DJ-X10E Comm Receiver & Other stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <mkparamedic@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f3url$8b7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149649

DJ-X10E, NEW unit, 2 batteries, 115V charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8976551

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Fluke 8020b Handheld Multimeter

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8910215

****

RS Frequency Counter

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8763900

****

Magellan Pioneer GPS, 12 Sat tracking

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8880962

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5416. Re: computer-generated RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: matti@istar.ca
Message-ID: <i8fR.80$p74.427243@NewsRead.Toronto.iSTAR.net>
Source record: 149650

In article <slrn6hasd9.8vh.r.s.eckman@eos1.larc.nasa.gov>, r.s.eckman@larc.nasa.gov (Richard Eckman) wrote:
>I'm having a problem with computer-generated RFI getting into the rig with
>strong interference at a number of places on the HF bands, making DXing
>extremely difficult. I'm sure that others have discussed this in the past,
>but I've not found a recent reference to the problem.
>
-snip-
>I assume that others have encountered a problem similar to this. Any advice on
>how to eliminate it? I would really like to use the computer with a real-time
>logging program, but the noise renders the rig generally unusable when the
>computer is on.
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>Richard Eckman KO4MR
>Hampton, VA
>r.s.eckman@larc.nasa.gov

Hi Richard -

I have had the same kind of problems with my Dell computer monitor (made by Samsung), and I was never able to get rid of the interference at the source. I tried ferrites on the monitor cable and power cable, and even shielding the monitor itself with grounded aluminum foil.

But here are two techniques that may help. First, if you are having problems with interference on a specific frequency, you can simply shift the interference by changing the refresh frequency of the monitor. I do this from the control panel in Windows. This doesn't get rid of the interference; it simply shifts it out of the way.

The other solution is something like the MFJ-1026 or the ANC-4 Antenna Noise Canceller. These devices can mix the interference received from the computer on a noise sense antenna out of phase with the signal received on your main antenna, resulting in cancellation of the interference. I use the MFJ-1026, and I can sharply null out my computer monitor harmonics. I don't use this method too often because I use my MFJ-1026 to null out other more problematic noise here (these devices can only work on one noise source at a time).

Good luck and 73,

Matti VE7BDX

5417. Collins Emblems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David W. Kammer" <dkammer@alpha.albion.edu>
Message-ID: <351580AD.FF2@alpha.albion.edu>
Source record: 149651

I have a 30L1 with a "winged" emblem. I notice that most ads
for Collins equipment mention whether the emblem is winged or
round, with round selling for more. Why? What's the difference?
I have wondered this for years and would appreciate someone explaining
to me.

Thanks!

Dave Kammer W8OQ
dkammer@albion.edu

5418. Re: Yaesu 847 Hows it work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35172088.9F496771@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149353

I suspect no one has one yet.

Phil

5419. FS Knwd TM-741+6M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <blupo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f77d6$62g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149354

I have a TM-741 with 6meters for sale. This radio has been mobile since
I bought it new 5 or 6 years ago and it does show some wear. It has a
minor problem, when first turned on
"PF-1" shows on display, and the VFO, MEM,CALL buttons on the
microphone dont work
After PF-1 goes out, radio works fine. Microphone cord is stretched.
Will have to check to see if I have the box and manual.

On the brighter side I had it on my tech's service monitor, and it still
preforms as per manufactures specs on output power, and recieve
sensitivity.

I am selling this rig "as is" for $495 + SHIP, complete with all 3 bands
6m,440,2m
I will NOTsell the 6m module seperatly unless someone wants to but the
radio as a dual bander for $295 + SHIP

If interested call Bill, WR2M at 973-770-0242 eves and weekends, or
973-584-6550 business hours.
73

5420. FS: ICOM 735 + AT-150 + SM-8 +++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <35171FF8.1573D152@idt.net>
Source record: 149355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

FOR SALE: ICOM 735, AT-150 Auto Tuner, SM-8 Mic, etc.
One-owner ICOM 735 (ser #11631) includes SM-8 desk mic,
handheld mic, built-in keyer (EX243) & 500Hz (FL-32) filter,
plus matching AT-150 HF Full Automatic Antenna Tuner. All
manuals included. Buyer pays all shipping
charges..... $750!

CJH
KI7EW

5421. Drake B-Line $400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Ostroy <nojunk@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <35172036.5878@nospam.net>
Source record: 149356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap;,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Complete Drake B-Line

T-4XB, R-4B, AC-4 Power Supply, and MS-4 speaker.

In excellent condition. Both rx and tx cover 80/40/20/15/10 meters.
RX also has crystals for 160, 30, 18, 12, and 10CW, for transceiving.

Tubes are not new but tx puts out full power on 80 to 15,
slightly less on 10. Will throw in a spare set of finals.
Recently (1996) replaced the high voltage capacitors in the AC-4 supply.

I am the second owner (since 1978) and the rig has only been lightly used.
No contesting. Cosmetically it is very clean (non-smoker) and includes
original manuals.

Best offer over $400. Prefer local pick-up, but will consider
shipping if the price is right.

Dan Ostroy K2UL
packet k2ul @ k2ul.#snj.nj.usa (good)
email k2ul @ juno.com (better)
phone 609 890-9266 7-10pm EST (best)

Do Not auto-reply to the anti-spam address in the message header.

5422. Re: WANT:NOISE BLANKER SCHEMATIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3517227F.398C@icss.net>
Source record: 149357

epirtyak@bcinternet.com wrote:
>
> Hi! I am looking for someone who could send me a schematic of
> any "noise blanker" model that I could built and install on
> my DRAKE TR-4,your help will be greatly appreciated.
> THANKS......73
> Eric Pirtyak
> Kelowna BC, Canada
>
> Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

Try Wilderness Radio. I think they have the "Buzz Not" kit.
Brian/N0iMD

5423. Help: high density Linear PS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Naor <QVR1.PETE@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f79s1$php@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149358

I am trying to locate the vendor for the highest density (W/in3) for
linear output power supply?!

Please post or Email reply!
Thanks,
Peter Naor
QVR Designs

5424. Re: Icom T8HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6f790d$bfi@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149359

It can't, and there are no mods.

jbilow@juno.com wrote in message <6f7263djv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>HI! I hope someone can answer this. Can this radio monitor 42-47 MHz?
Where
>can the mods be found?
>Thanks,
>jb
>jbilow@juno.com
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5425. Does Anyone Know N1LSW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <tbolt@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35172C46.6602A7CA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Does Anyone Know Jack Komisarek N1LSW, New E-mail Address? His old address n1lsw@ncia.net ... is no longer active !!!

5426. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathryn Mataga <ke6i@junglevision.com>
Message-ID: <351732D5.7416B33C@junglevision.com>
Source record: 149361

Yeah, I have TR-2200a sitting in my close. Crystal 2m radio. Bought
it in the early 80's.

DavidC wrote:
>
> Trio is the old name of Kenwood, in fact you will find some Kenwood-Trio
> labels on older gear. Never heard of a Drake link.
> 73, DavidC AA1FA
>
> > Ken <landau@ymail.yu.edu> wrote in article
> <EqAy0w.D23@news2.new-york.net>...
> > Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

5427. ALPA 77SX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary weber <k7qbm@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3516A5FD.4E1A@mindspring.com>
Source record: 149362

Want to buy Alpa 77sx. Please email with your phone number. My email is k7qbm@mindspring.com G. Weber

5428. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6f7ctk$pg8$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 149363

Ken wrote in message ...
>Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
>**********
****
>
>I recently picked up 2 broken Trios at a hamfest and am Trying to find
>out more about them. One has a Case that says Drake and it fits like a
>glove.
>
>I'm wondering if it is a Drake indeed or a foreign knock off.
>If you've heard of it or have a manual or schematic please email me.
>
>73,
>Ken
>landau@ymail.yu.edu
The radio was made by Kenwood. Kenwood built the same radio for Drake, and
they
sold it under the Drake TR-22C label. Kenwood used to be Trio-Kenwood in
the 70's
and early 80's, and used the Trio name in markets outside the US.

5429. WTB: Old 40CH SSB CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan <doblera@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <35174550.7A4@cadvision.com>
Source record: 149364

Hi, I am looking for a couple of old SSB CB's for a Ham radio conversion project.

I am looking for:

Colt 480,485DX,890,1000,1200
HyGain 2705,2785,3108
Lafayette SSB80,SSB120,SSB140
Midland 78-976,79-892

or any other CB having the Chassis # PTBM048AOX or PTBM058COX

Thanks and 73
Allan VE6XK

5430. Help finding IC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry <ewing@arn.net>
Message-ID: <35171ABB.B8DAC5D0@arn.net>
Source record: 149365

Does anyone know where I can order a TL594CN?
Can't get it locally, ECG doesn't list it, neither does
Mouser. Please email direct. Thanks
Larry

5431. STANDARD HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee <lnorvill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351740E4.3060@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149366

I have 6 Standard C934L series ht units, all crystaled in the 47MHz range,. We plan to re crystal them and use them for communications in our stock car racing team.... I have handmikes for these units (model # CMP635) but does anyone out here happen to have the pinout's for the mic sets???? We would like to use them with MilSpec Aircraft headset units......any help would be appreciated. Thanks,

Lee Norville KD6KCD

5432. FS: MOTOROLA SYSTEMS SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ira H. Sachs" <irasachs@wwa.com>
Message-ID: <35174340.7EBEB6FE@wwa.com>
Source record: 149367

I have two Motorola Systems Sabers for sale.
Excellent working condition. These are up and running
in the 440 mhz ham bands.

$750 each or $1400 for the pair.

Ira WB9HNV

e_mail to irasachs@wwa.com.

5433. Re: Data Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Francis A.Ney", Jr <croaker@nycap.rr.com>
Message-ID: <VA.00000074.0002dd3c@nycap.rr.com>
Source record: 149368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> From: Mike Karlesky <karleskm@river.it.gvsu.edu>
> Date: Thu, 19 Mar 1998 01:47:55 -0500
>
> I'm new to the radio world, and I need some help with data radios. I am an
> engineering student and I have a project that I am working on where I
> essentially need a 3-4000 foot serial cable. Obviously, I would like to do
> this with data radios or radio modems. The commercial products I have come
> across are extremely expensive - $1500 for a pair of radios and usually
> overkill in capability for my needs. I only need to transfer a couple k
> worth of data every few minutes.
>
> Could anyone give me ideas on how to transmit serial data for a reasonable
> amount of money with a mile or two line of sight range?

If you can get a couple of students with ham licenses to help out, something like this would be tailor-made for packet radio on 2m or 70cm. Equipment may already be available for loan, or you would need two HTs and two packet boxes, plus associated connections, total cost to you would be roughly half of the commercial product.

Failing to find hams, you could always go to Radio Schlok and get a pair of iternerant-band HTs and do the same thing. A pair of 1w radios would be more than enough to do what you need to do.

Frank Ney N4ZHG WV/EMT-B VA/EMT-A LPWV NRA(L) GOA CCRKBA JPFO
Are you ready for Y2K? Read "Time Bomb 2000" by Ed Yourdon
Abuses by the BATF http://www.access.digex.net/~croaker/batfabus.html

5434. FS: TenTec SP-325 shortwave receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <351759F9.22DE@nidlink.com>
Source record: 149369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: TenTec SP-325 general coverage shortwave receiver

This is the military version of the RX-325, built under contract for the Navy.

Covers .5 to 29.999. mHz

Digital readout

About half the size of an Icom R71 or JRC receiver

keypad frequency entry

64 memories

Tuning knob

Memory scan and tune

AM/FSK/USB/LSB/CW

Switchable AGC

Includes 3 filters: .5, 2.8 and 6 kHz -- very nice filters

Filters can be switched independently of receive mode

Includes built-in a.c. supply

Include: factory manual (op and maintenance) and 19" rack cabinet adapters

Radio is in truely excellent condition and works like a champ

$375.00 plus UPS

Thanks,

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost, $USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov

Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

5435. Kenwood TM-742

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Message-ID: <35174F8E.461B@anv.net>
Source record: 149370

Hello,

I am selling my Kenwood TM-742 which includes: triplexer; triband antenna; DFK-4 remote kit.

Band included: 2 meters; 70 cm. and 1.2 ghz

This was my XYLs radio. She almost never used it. This radio is a year old with very little use.

I am asking $800.00 OBO for the entire set. I have manuals and original boxes etc.

I will trade for a used Icom IC-706 or a new Alinco DX70TH. Page me at (702) 668-2259 Interested parties only please.
--
NOEL LOZADA N6JFO
n6jfo@pinoyham.org

5436. NIR-12 vs Timewave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <3517520C.81E34C62@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 149371

Anybody have any experiences on which is a better mousetrap? I listened to a demo at a ham convention a couple of years ago and was impressed. Too impressed, it seemed to good to be true. Just wondering what others have experienced on this.

5437. Re: D-104 Silver Eagle microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2303982213120001@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 149372
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <6f7gfn$1fm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
hermperez@worldnet.att.net (Herm Perez) wrote:

>$110.00 or best offer, in new condition, never used.

AES will sell you a real new one for only $100.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/w7di/

5438. Re: Cross-Band Repeater - FT51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6f7ngl$8lg@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 149373

"VR2XST" <vr2xst@hotmail.com> writes:
>My HT FT-51R cannot set as cross-band repeater even I hv try many time of
>flwg procedure:
>
>1) Hold rpt set/ (REV) while turning on the power
>or
>2) Hold rpt mno (6) while turning on the power

Is the radio already configured for full-duplex operation? I.e. can you
transmit on one band and receive on the other simultaneously? For this
to work you need at least:

- one VHF and one UHF frequency selected

- both bands turned on

- DUPLEX mode set

In particular, check the DUPLEX setting. I normally have it turned
off, since I don't *want* to hear one band when I'm transmitting
on the other. But for cross-band repeat, it seems it must be turned on.

Dave

5439. Re: Yaesu FT-50R Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6f7o2l$8mu@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 149374

>> Yes! Comet SMA-3! It costs a little more, but the performance is much
>> better than the stock antenna. Very flexible too.
>
>What do you think about the SMA 503?

I have both. The SMA-3 seems like a slightly better antenna in the ham bands than the 503, but both are much better than the stock antenna. However, the 503 is now on the radio virtually all the time. The extra convenience of the very flexible whip (no more antenna poking me in the ribs or armpit) more than makes up for the possibly slightly lower performance.

All of the above applies to ham bands only. I seldom use the radio even for receiving outside the bands. The SMA-3 does have a reputation as a good antenna for wideband use, and it's rated for 900 MHz transmit as well as 146 and 440. The SMA-503 is rated for transmit on 146/440 only. However, Comet rates both as usable for receiving 118-160, 250-290, 360-390, 420-470, and 820-960 MHz.

Dave

5440. Re: Need AM filters for FT101 series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: spammers@must.die.com
Message-ID: <wsandersEqAA0v.8qA@netcom.com>
Source record: 149403

Was there ever an AM filter provided by Yaesu? The manual for my FT101E shows the empty filter positions simply bypassed by capacitors, and mentions no AM filter. The 101E shipped with the 2400 Hz SSB filter and the CW filter was the only option I knew of. Of course there could be 3rd part filters..

-w

5441. Yaesu 847 Hows it work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6f68lp$bgi@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 149404

Lots of chatter going around about the 847 no real facts.

If you have one - How is the HF reveiver?
Have you owned other HF rigs?
What are you comparing it to?

Any problems or missing features?

Please no - My friends brothers uncle says...

5442. FS: Icom W2A dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <**skydvr@**cris.com>
Message-ID: <6f68cm$3mu@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 149405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,pnw.forsale

The following package is for sale. All are in excellent condition, both
in appearance, and operation.

1. Icom IC-W2A dual band HT for 2m/440mhz
2. BP-84 battery pack for the above
3. BP-90 alkaline battery case
4. HM-70 speaker/mic
5. BC-72 drop-in desk charger
6. Battery cup for the BP-84 to fit the W-W Associates
Master Charger Ia or IIa
7. Battery cup for the BP-84 to fit a Jbro Telepower charger/
analyzer/conditioner

The above items include the boxes, and manuals $385 shipped CONUS

Thanks,
Steve WA7HAA

5443. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <351e9e3d.53901416@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 149406

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 17:04:45 -0500, Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu> wrote:

>Just got this new rig yesterday. So far, I'm fairly impressed with it.
>It's my first dual-receive unit. That comes in very handy for my work.
>
>First problem is most likely trivial, but I'm curious what others though
>in regard to my fan for the heatsink. I've noticed that when the power
>comes on at first, the fan budges a little, but remains motionless. If I
>transmit, the fan kicks in at the higher speed. After about a minute afer
>I transmit, the fan falls to a very low idle speed. At one point I turned
>on the unit, and manually spun the fan blade and it started spinning at
>it's slow rate. Just wondering if this is a problem to worry about and
>whot do other units do?
>
>Second, I'm having numerous problems with software configuration. I
>cannot under any circumstances download data from my radio to the PC.
>However, I can download/upload with my FT-50R HT just fine. So, I know
>the serial link is good. Anyone else had problems with the software setup
>for the FT-8500? Programming memories is a royal pain the butt otherwise.
>
>____
>Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris

I have the FT-8000, does similar things. Turn it on, the fan doesnt
come on. Transmit, goes into high speed while transmitting. Unkey,
fan returns to a slow idle speed.

-Mike

5444. Re: TM-V7 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <351d9d78.53704933@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 149407

On 22 Mar 1998 11:48:04 GMT, Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton)
wrote:

>I am looking for the EZ Clone Software for the TM-V7,
>as I understood it can not be purchaised any more.
>
>
>Is anyone willing to sell it ?
>
>
>Thanks in advance,
>
>
>
>Greetings, ...

Or for that matter, just copy it. If the company is out of business I
don't really think anyone is going to care. I don't even think the
software ever came out, actually, and if it did, its going to be a
pain finding someone that has it. I'm in the same position.

-Mike

5445. Kenwood IF-232C Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Molus <marcus@fdldotnet.com>
Message-ID: <3516a908.0@tornado.tcccom.net>
Source record: 149408

Seem to have misplaced the documentation for this item. Can someone tell me if the computer cable to this thing needs to be a null modem cable, or a standard modem cable?

Thanks in advance.

Mark Molus
N9KQP

5446. FS: Collins Radio Catalog's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <351db0be.42766889@news2.humboldt1.com>
Source record: 149409

Hi,
I have some Collins Amateur Radio Equipment catalogs for sale. List as follows,

1. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment catalog. Feb. 1961, 13 pages.

2. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment Catalog. June 1963, 29 pages.

3. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment Catalog. Nov. 1964, 23 pages.

4. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment pricing schedule. Aug. 1966, 13 pages.

5. Collins Mechanical Filters, general catalog. march 1964, 21 pages

6. Collins 75A-3, 8 page flyer. (Add) Jan. 1953

7. Collins KWS-1, 75A-4, SC-101 4 page flyer.

All these books are in very good to new condition. "No musty smell"..

I will sell All for $100.00 (Will not split up).

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

Thank You,
Boyd N6DMF

5447. FS: Ken TM-742A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: daclark@lni.net
Message-ID: <6f6h29$p0d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149410

Hi everyone and thanks for reading this msg.
I have a TM-742A triband transciever 2mtr/440/6mtr in excellent condition, It has been moded to rx 800Mhz and has a fourth antenna lead for an 800Mhz antenna, so ALL possible mods have been preformed! Comes with the fancy mic, manual, orginal box and all the factory goodies! I will ship to con US for only $700.00.
tnx
73 Best Wishes
Al KD8Z

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5448. Re: DX DYKE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis M LaFon <n5hdq@wf.quik.com>
Message-ID: <3516B8E0.BE86482B@wf.quik.com>
Source record: 149411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Are you heterophobic ?

Dewayne Moore wrote:

> James...
> Please take your cross-posting, homophobic, BS elseware.
> I'm sure .equipment, .homebrew, and .dx are NOT the right NG's to
> spout your drivel.
> >qrz dx dyke
>
> Dewayne "Duck" Moore
> WB5BNQ
> duckman_osu@ionet.net
> http://www.ionet.net/duckman_osu/

--
Curtis .. N5HDQ .. http://wf.quik.com/n5hdq

Todd Little said:
" 5 WPM is either no-code or know-code, and if it's the latter, why
wouldn't 1 WPM or 1 WPD be sufficient? What's clear is that
you can't have it both ways."
This is why some of us pro coders are against changing the code
requirement. It seems some people don't want to compromise,
it's all or nothing with them.

5449. Re: Comments on IC-746??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstroppe@uhl.uiowa.edu
Message-ID: <6f6d6olba1@flood.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Source record: 149412

Boy! That's just what I was thinking.

john
WA0VYZ

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John Stroppel | Internet: jstroppe@uhl.uiowa.edu
The University of Iowa - Hygienic Lab | Amateur Radio: WA0VYZ
Oakdale Research Campus, OH-M7A | Voice: (319) 335-4500
Iowa City, IA 52242 | Fax: (319) 335-4555

5450. FS: Astron RS20M Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Preston Truett <apt@jazz.cybermedia>, net
Message-ID: <3516b835.0@207.53.87.9>
Source record: 149413

Astron RS20M Power Supply $75.00 +Shipping
Used very little new 4/17/97

K4DDJ, Preston
Mailto:apt@jazz.cybermedia.net

5451. FS: AEA SWR-121 Antenna Analyzr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Preston Truett <apt@jazz.cybermedia>, net
Message-ID: <3516b932.0@207.53.87.9>
Source record: 149414

AEA 121 Antenna Analyzr with Software $300 + Shipping

K4DDJ, Preston

Mailto: apt@jazz.cybermedia.net

5452. FS: Vibroplex Iambic Black Std Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Preston Truett <apt@jazz.cybermedia>, net
Message-ID: <3516b9b4.0@207.53.87.9>
Source record: 149415

Vibroplex Iambic Black Std Keyer $95 + Shipping
Used very little Old timer going back to bug.

K4DDJ, Preston

Mailto:apt@jazz.cybermedia.net

5453. FS: MFJ-1112 Multiple DC Outlet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Preston Truett <apt@jazz.cybermedia>, net
Message-ID: <3516ba0e.0@207.53.87.9>
Source record: 149416

MFJ-1112 Multiple DC Outlet $18.00 + shipping

K4DDJ, Preston

Mailto:apt@jazz.cybermedia.net

5454. Estate Sale W9PRS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankjg@mci2000.com
Message-ID: <3516BE34.751E@mci2000.com>
Source record: 149417

To all who purchased equipment under Estate of W9LVC
It seems to pour when it rains
I just got my Fathers sitution taken when it seems I have another to take care of. Therefore I will be a little slow getting out all the equipment that was ordered.

I will be in Northern Calif for 4 days but will be back weekend.
I am very sorry to all but will do my best to get as much out today as I can.

Thanks All

Frank Goddard
W9LVC
1042 Red Bark Rd
Santa Maria,CA 93454
805-922-4404
frankjg@mci2000.com

5455. AR8000 new shipped $425

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3516BFC4.B9CF6776@ncia.net>
Source record: 149418

Check this URL
http://www.bander.com/export/exscan.htm

5456. Re: AR8000 new shipped $425

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3516C0EB.A91B0196@ncia.net>
Source record: 149419

disregard I found them new for $425 shipped

5457. Re: Does DSP makes any significant difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f6fao$l3m$3@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 149420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> I know producers push this DSP stuff, just to move their products. I have a
> NRD 525, which does not have DSP on it, I'm thinking of upgrading to FT1000-MP
> , not only for DSP only, but it's oe of the major reasons, because FT1000-MP's
> got what the producers call Enhanced DSP.
>
> My beef is with all this DSP and EDSP stuff, can someone clarify the
> cost-benefit for forking out in excess of 10,000 dollars just for EDSP.
>
> Producers may not respond
>

At those prices, no. But DSP, in large production runs, is much
less expensive than hard wired boards. I have telephone switching
circuits done in DSP that are even cheaper to produce in mass than
op amp filter (RC) circuits. Different tones are loaded into data
tables, no adjustments needed (that is most of the cost savings).

5458. Portable Antenna Tester (Covers 7Mhz to 510Mhz) VHF & UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rte@NOSPAM.ilink.nis.za
Message-ID: <6f6c8r$571$1@ilink3.nis.za>
Source record: 149421
Cross-posted to: za.ads.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Brand New Portable Antenna Analyzers for sale.

Active VSWR meter giving direct readings of both
VSWR and % reflected RF power. It is designed to
check the exact resonent freq. of any antenna, HF,
VHF & UHF.
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meter, with a switch for 2 freq. ranges and 2
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Transmitter sees it, plus the frequency is swept
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at rte@nis.za
or call (011) 882-9182 or 882-0762
or Fax 882-9182
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5459. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-850 Service Manual, Kenwood TS-450/690 Instruction Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4dh@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19980323.152445.7559.3.n4dh@juno.com>
Source record: 149422

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 14:04:34 EST n4dh writes:
TS-850-AT Service Manual sent Priority Mail $28.
TS-450S/TS-690S Instruction Manual Priority Mail $13.

Thanks & 73 de Bill, N4DH

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Bill Richarz <N4DH> ex WA4VAF | Internet: wricharz@charlotte.infi.net

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5460. Re: DX DYKE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <3516BD7F.19C8@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 149423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Curtis M LaFon wrote:
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> Are you heterophobic ?
>

Are you aware that this newsgroup has a charter?

-- jm KE5FX

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Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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5461. Re: High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Aughenbaugh II <stan.aughenbaugh@mci.com>
Message-ID: <3516CB2C.A60@mci.com>
Source record: 149424

b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:
>
> On 1998-03-12 dgf@netcom.com(DavidFeldman) said:
> dg>Picked up a tektronix high voltage o-scope probe a while back - it
> dg>has provision to be filled with a dielectric liquid/gas/vapor stuff
> dg>to increase it's HV capability (10kv without, 25kv or so with the
> dg>stuff). What is this stuff?
> dg>Can you get it anymore, or is it CFC and not available?
> dg>73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com
>
> Could be air. In the '60s we (military) had radar transmitting gear in
> metal containers with a bicycle valve. To reduce the chance of sparkover
> you just pumped the thing up with air with a bicycle pump. Not during
> damp conditions of course!
>
> ============ ===== ===== BILL J. ===== ===== ============
> GM8APX, qthr EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, UK
>
> Piscis nequam est nisi recens
>
> Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered

Seems that years ago when I was HV research, we used sulfer hexaflorine.
Iif I spelled it right) Funny stuff, fill a balloon with it and the
belloon just 'plops' on the floor. Anyway, we used the gas in probes and
spark gaps to control arc points and insulate.
Have fun!
--
Stan Aughenbaugh II
KF0NC
Colorado Springs,CO
"I'm positive that 90% +/- 5%, with 80% confidence,
that all statistics are made up"

5462. Re: High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Aughenbaugh II <stan.aughenbaugh@mci.com>
Message-ID: <3516CB81.39AF@mci.com>
Source record: 149425

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5463. Re: DX DYKE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <3516BEDC.7FDF@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 149426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

James O'Brien wrote:
>
> qrz dx dyke

Why in the world have you chosen to add rec.radio.amateur.homebrew to
this thread? This newsgroup has a charter; please respect it.

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

5464. Need mods for Yaesu 8500 and VX-1R, and Kenwood th79a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab5ew@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032321514500.QAA15977@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149427

I need the mods for the Yaesu 8500 and the VX-1R and also the Kenwood TH79a asap. Please E-mail them if possible

Thanks

73's

Robert
ab5ew

5465. Re: Yaesu FT-50R Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980323161857.22508Z-100000@titan.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 149428

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998, Jeff Fongemie wrote:

| I'm just getting into this Ham Radio stuff and I just bought a Yaesu FT 50R
| radio. The sub display can show the battery voltage, but in doing this mine
| shows 10+volts when charged and the radio quits way before the 4 volts like
| the book suggests. How can I have a reading of over 10 volts when my battery
| is only 9.6 volts?

Very normal. Actually, my batteries indicate 11.2 when they're pulled
fresh of the charger. At about 6.0V it starts to drop off rapidly.
Finally, at 3.5V it dies.

| Also, how are Ni Cads? Do I need to fully charge and fully drain the battery
| when using?

Periodically. Definitely don't leave it in the charger for several days.
Do try to drain the battery before recharging when convenient. If you get
a rapid charger, make sure it's an 'intelligent' charger--make sure it
prevents overcharging the battery.

| Any recomendations for a good antenna substitute that is still fairly small?

Yes! Comet SMA-3! It costs a little more, but the performance is much
better than the stock antenna. Very flexible too.

I've enjoyed my FT-50R for 1.5 years--great little radio and has tolerated
my abuse (dropped on ground/concrete) several times with no ill effects.

Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris

5466. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-- $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6lla$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Price reduced to $275 for quick sale!

>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>been unmodified.
>
>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>
>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>following:
>
>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>* Original manual
>* Original rubber antenna
>
>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

5467. FS: Yaesu FT-990 HF Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Truman Williams, Jr." <nn4c@callsign.net>
Message-ID: <3516F0E5.D702B750@callsign.net>
Source record: 149430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:
Excellent condition Yaesu FT-990 w/built-in power supply, antenna tuner,
and 500Hz filter. Comes in original box w/manual and schematics.
$1500.00 plus shipping (Shipping shouldn't be more than $25 in U.S.)

Email: truman@bama.ua.edu
Thanks.

5468. FS- AOR 3000A Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6lml$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>
>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>following:
>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

5469. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600 - full coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6lnj$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-905
>MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks,
>dents, or scratches whatsoever.
>
>Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year.
>I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes
>the following:
>
>* Original manual
>* Photocopy of service manual
>* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
>* TV video board installed
>* Yaesu AC adaptor
>* Original Telescopic whip antenna
>
>This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would
>like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!

5470. FS- AOR 3000A - Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6m17$9pp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

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>
>* Software and computer cable
>* AC adaptor
>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>* Telescopic whip antenna
>
>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!

5471. Icom T8HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbilow@juno.com
Message-ID: <6f7263djv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149434

HI! I hope someone can answer this. Can this radio monitor 42-47 MHz? Where can the mods be found?
Thanks,
jb
jbilow@juno.com

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5472. HELP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: meandew@erols.com
Message-ID: <6f71v2$d9i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149435

I am new to amateur radio and am looking for a used good inexpensive
portable
dual band. Any suggestions???
Your expert opinions would be welcome.

Send
replies to: meandew@erols.com

Thanks,

Howard.

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5473. Re: Yaesu FT-50R...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmk~~arse#@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3516ed3b.1392631@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149436
Cross-posted to: linux.dev.hams,linux.act.hams,de.comm.ham,alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 22:35:06 -0800, "Mark Grandstaff"
<grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu> wrote:

>>What do you do about adhesive residue? On particularly hot days this
>>could become a guncky mess
>
>I haven't had a problem but don't leave it on long. Your right it could be
>a problem in the heat.
>
>How about a wide rubber band? A 3/4 inch piece of bicycle inner tube might
>do it and wouldn't look too bad.

Hey, now that's a darn good idea! I even have an old one laying
around someplace to give it a try.

Thanks!
Howard KE6MAK
>
>>>Frank4d wrote in message ...
>>>>I am the proud new owner of a Yaesu FT-50R dual band HT. I like the fact
>>>>that I can directly clip on a spare battery to my belt when in the
>>>>wilderness, because the clip is part of the battery (no case needed).
>The
>>>>only problem I have with this is that I wish I didn't have to expose the
>>>>metal contacts. Does anyone know of a product (a thin piece of plastic)
>>>>which clips on to this battery to protect the contacts, yet maintains a
>>>>low-profile?
>
>
>

5474. Autek WM 1 opinions as pep meter ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6f6q1m$1ebo$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 149437

I am looking to buy a watt meter that is fairly accurate on ssb pep.
The NYE station monitor is probably about the best, but they are hard to
find and expensive. I have heard the the Yaesu YS-60 is supposed to be
fairly good also. But having seen the ads for the Autek WM 1 in QST for
$129, I am now very curious about the quality and performance of that meter.
I am looking for any opinions on this meter from those who own them or have
used one. Thanks for any help.
--- Steve N9ROU

5475. Trade motorola software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcr@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3516ec01.10181701@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149438

Would like to trade p200/ht600 software for mt1000 or sabre
software
bcr

5476. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.....`';,,,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6ref$1bj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149439

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,,: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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5477. AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris44046@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032323454001.SAA05563@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149440

For Sale: ADI AT-600HP radio with all accessories, including battery, antenna, manual, and wall charger. Shipped anywhere in the U.S. for $225.00.

5478. Re: Autek WM 1 opinions as pep meter ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032323495401.SAA12214@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149441

I like mine alot.

Kï¿½MB

5479. Re: A inexpensive Repeater Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Shanks <n1vbn@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd56b0$7831bbc0$5d7833cf@n1vbn>
Source record: 149442

Try this web site http://www.mindspring.com/~otterson/nhrc3/index.html This is a small repeater controller company comprised of hams who came up with a better idea. A repeater controller with all the features you want for well under the price you would think. Check out their web site. You can build a full controller following their plans for around $60.00 or buy one ready to go for around $150.00!! AND they will work with any repeater. I personally don't own one but there are a number of repeaters in the area using them.

--
xn1vbn@bit-net.com
N1VBN IS MY HAM RADIO CALLSIGN
Remove the X to reply. Done to spoil
automated e-mail spammers.

Brian Ward <bward@rrcc.mb.ca> wrote in article
<01bd4dc8$25633ae0$500d70cc@default.rrcc.mb.ca>...
> I am looking for an inexpensive repeater controler to use on my 6 Meter
> Repeater. It only has to have Time Out Timer and CW ID. But will look
at
> others. I do not want a kit, nor do I want information about kits. I
have
> looked into these. If you have what I require for sale, please email me
> with the information.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Brian Ward
> VE4RBL
>
> bward@rrcc.mb.ca* ########## to reply to me remove the
*
> from the
> ########## end of my email address.
>

5480. Re: FS: Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3516EC2D.38DA@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Ranger 2950 10 Meter Mobile is no longer available.

73,
Bill

5481. Re: FS: ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3516EC9B.2CD3@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Icom IC-W32A is no longer available.

73,
Bill

5482. Re: FS: Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3516ED16.7A8E@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radio Shack 2042 Base Scanner is no longer available.

73,
Bill

5483. FS TS-130S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <3517083B.7FFB@hauns.com>
Source record: 149446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Kenwood TS-130S station with AT-120, VFO-120, SSB and CW filters, and books, box, two mic,etc. Works fb. $525 for the whole thing.

5484. ! QUESTION...Kenwood Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Galgano, KF4WCL" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <3516FFAC.5F55@america.net>
Source record: 149447

Hi Group....
Does anyone out there have any info on a Kenwood PS-30 Power Supply.
I purchased one of these along with a Kenwood Rog at a local hamfest
this weekend, and it had no manual.
What I need to know is what is the Amp rating of this power supply?
Also, If anyone has a manual for the PS 30, I would appreciate a copy
made if you have access to a copier.
Thanks in advance for your help.
John
KF4WCL

5485. Icom IC-W32A with accessories brand new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6f79v7$o1l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149448

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A ht with a CP-12L cigarette lighter adapter, HM-46 external microphone, instruction manual and original box. This is a true dual band ht that can receive V/V, V/U or U/U simultaneously. It does crossband repeat and can be opened up for extended transmit and receive. It has a lighted keypad, menu system and online help system on the display. The included battery is the BP-180 that gives 3.5 watts. It can give you 5 watts with a BP-173 battery or the included CP-12L adapter. This stuff is brand new and still on warranty, all bills of sale are included. A check of HRO prices would put the total value at over $400. U.S. Offers over $300. U.S. will be considered. The price will include shipping insured by airmail. I cannot ship C.O.D. from Canada to the U.S., postal regulations do not allow that. Other ways can be found. If interested, contact me by email.

73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

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5486. spark supressor question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: arsenio@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f70igiff1@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149449

I have a Becker Mexico SW radio installed in my 1984 car and there's a lot of EMI present. I will have the electrical system checked, but I understand this will not be enough to eliminate the problem. Can someone help me find a dealer in NYC where I can buy and have the SPARK SUPRESSOR installed? Is it easy enough for a handyman like me to install it? I checked with Radio Shack and they do not sell the product.

Arsenio Fornaro arsenio@webtv.net My HP about Shortwave and Real Audio Radio: http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Launchpad/2074

5487. FS Tear Drop Navy Key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <351714F2.15BA@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149450

Tear drop navy key, with navy knob. Made by Grummer Wilson. Cast base, chrome plated arm. Needs refinishing - someone painted it gold. $15.00 plus postage.

5488. Wanted Duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buddy Mclawhorn <buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <35171D69.68A4@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 149451

I am still looking for a 2-meter duplexer(pass/reject)
If anyone knows of one please contact me.
Thanks
Buddy
Kc4umo
buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com

5489. Re: Yaesu FT-50R Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6f76fh$t4t@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149452

NiCd memory is pretty much a myth for most normal use. There are some very rare cases where memory effect can occur if the battery is constantly charged and discharged to exactly the same place (e.g. a satellite that uses the Sun to recharge and has a consistent duty cycle of sunlight and darkness.

One thing that is actually pretty bad for NiCd's is if you really drain them. Some people will make it a point to drive the batteries down beyond where they will turn the radio on or turn the drill etc. This is advice based on the myth. However, that can actually cause some of the cells to reverse polarity. Once or twice and you can be forgiven. Do it more often and you will damage the battery and shorten it's life or cycle.

Bill
n2asa

>
>| Also, how are Ni Cads? Do I need to fully charge and fully drain the
battery
>| when using?
>

5490. Re: Kenwood's new SSTV ?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6f4b1rpdh1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 149453

Slow scan TV signals sound like a warble. It takes about 90 seconds to send an SSTV picture using Scottie 1 or Martin 1, two of the more popular "modes" of transmitting. There are faster modes but the resolution is not as good. Listen on 14.230 or 14.233 to hear SSTV signals. Wait a few minutes if you don't hear anything. There may be someone on you can't copy.

SSTV pictures have half as many lines as regular TV and their size is approximately 320 by 240. The resolution as about 140 dpi.

Ken, AC4VV

>I never used slow scan. So, would it sound like a packet burst?
>
>Sean
>KF6OAB
>
>Mitch Bogart wrote:
>
>> Great. I always thought this product would happen in the future some
time.
>> The real questions are:
>> 1. How fast can it burst an image? If I'm mobile an using a repeater
with
>> others waiting to talk, is it a 5 second or a 2 minute delay for me to
send or
>
>

5491. FS Drake TR-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg9il@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032300530100.TAA27883@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149454

TR-3 in fair working condition. Have a parts rig with good finals. no p/s or spkr. Manual copy.....$85 + shipping from Chicago

Kevin

5492. Re: WANTED: Quick charger for FT530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb6siv@nospam.cyberg8t.com
Message-ID: <wb6siv-2203981702010001@host-150.pm3-3.cyberg8t.com>
Source record: 149455
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <35143923.80FF2785@earthlink.net>, "Christopher (Chris) W. Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net> wrote:

> Somewhere, somehow I have lost my drop in charger for my FT530...
> SOOOOOO I am in need of one (the wall warts take tooo darn long...
> especially the NiMH batteries! :)
>
> EMAIL replies please......not to the Newsgroup..
>
> Tnx
> 73
> Chris
> WB5ITT

Hi Chris visit the Raymond Sarrio Company @ http://www.sarrio.com follow the links to the "chargers" page where you will find for all the details.
73's Ray

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Market without spam! Visit the Raymond Sarrio Newsgroup Clipping Service @ http://www.sarrio.com/sarrio/newsgroup.html

5493. Re: RT-524A (military)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Norris <badgerNOSPAMMAGE@telalink.net>
Message-ID: <Q3jR.2455$5e.4127292@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149456

TIM wrote in message <35158F4D.2B55@megalink.net>...
>I have this radio and I really don't know much about the opperation. It
>has, new and old ssquelch and "x" mode I have found inside of the radio
>an x mode and normal switch but havn't a clue what it's all about. Tim
>N3LYT

The NEW and OLD selections are as follows:

NEW "ON" - 150hz pl required to open RX, 150Hz tone on TX
NEW ""OFF" - open rx squelch, 150Hz tone on TX

OLD "ON" - Carrier squelch on RX, No tone on transmit
OLD "OFF" - open squelch RX, 150Hz tone TX

The X MODE connector is for use with secure voice and data
equipment interface with the RT-524.

If I can find the manual I have somewhere around here, I can
give you the pinout of that connector.

POWER is 8 watts LOW and 35 watts HIGH, tx tube filaments
and HV supply disabled in OFF position for battery conservation.

Good Luck

Tom Norris
badger@telalink.net

http://www.telalink.net/~badger/millist/mi.html

5494. WTB: 950 SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BILL SALERNO <W2ONV@WORLDNET.ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <6f4eud$i0o@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149457

LOOKING TO BUY A 950 SDX WITH A SERIAL NUMBER STARTING WITH 6 OR HIGHER
\....w2onv@worldnet.att.net or (201)368-3655 or fax (201) 368-2460 ...
BILL SALERNO w2onv ..listen every morning 6 to 9 am on 14178 C.U.

5495. FS: Yaesu FT-5100 $350 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032302250800.VAA10072@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149458

I had this rig sold but the buyer backed out. Its back up for sale:

Yaesu FT-5100 mobile rig
- dual band 2m/440
- 50w/5W on 2m, 35w/5w on 440
- MH-27 lighted touch tone mic
- Cross band repeat
- V/U, V/V, U/U reception on dual channels
- 9600 baud packet ready
- 94 memories (47 per band)
- Automatic repeater shift
- DTMF paging
- Excellent condition, never mobile
- Mic, mounting bracket, power cord, original box & manual included

$350 shipped

Norm
ae4cz@aol.com
Biloxi, MS
(228) 436-3568

5496. FS: Vocom Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ne2e@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032302274901.VAA10600@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149459

Hello all
Have a Vocom UHF amp model UVC030-2
2 watts input gives 30 watts, its a commercial grade amp 50.00 shipped

FRED

5497. Info on HP 616 Sig Gen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5bi@flash.net
Message-ID: <6f4j7c$6fr$4@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 149460

Anybody have info (specs) on HP 616A 2-4GHz sig gen?
I have opp to pick one up cheap - unknown condx.
Afraid it might use obsolete acorn tube in cavity osc, etc.,
and cost me several appendages to rehabilitate.
Gary w5bi@flash.net

5498. Need info Yaesu FTC 2640 diode matrix??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0dg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032303082300.WAA23287@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149461

Help Needed.
I need a diagram on how to program the frequencies on the Diode Matrix board on

on a Yaesu FTC 2640!
Rig was donated to local volunteer fire dept. with no manual.
Thanks
Don N0DG

N0DG@aol.com

5499. Anyone use MFJ-1796?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdt2@po.CWRU.Edu
Message-ID: <6f4l52$fu6$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 149462

If anyone has or is using MFJ's Model 1796 6 band vertical antenna (2,6,10,15,20,40), please forward your comments to me regarding this antenna as I am considering it for my base station.

Thanks,

Mike/K8FOX

5500. Murch UT-2000A Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <3515da4b.18042925@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 149463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

Just bought a Murch UT-2000A tuner - what a pretty beast inside!!

Seems like I've heard of at least one or two mods for that tuner - something about "SPC" - anyone know what that's all about and what the mod is?

Another semi-related question: When I first hooked it up, I ran my dipole directly to the tuner and went though the various bands, tuning for 1:1 SWR and writing down the settings.

I then added a 5-position coax switch and an 18 inch coax jumper between the switch and tuner, along with hooking another dipole to the switch. I found that the tuner settings were completely different for 1:1 SWR after adding the switch and short length of coax - considerably less inductance was required on all bands. Why would adding the switch make such a huge difference??

Thanks & 73,

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

5501. Parting out HW104/SB104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: au@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6f4nc0$oo2@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Complete radio, but has bad 11 volt regulator on "g"? board. Exciter seems to be ok. PA probably is ok. I have a spare PA and also the extender cards. Let me know what you are looking for.

George
N7BUI

5502. Amps/Boatanchor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <3515b349.150625298@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 149465

Ham equipment for sale.....

600W Peak, 400W continuous output, wideband, class A linear amplifier designed for 15-150 MHz. Average drive required for full output is only 15W. Single drawer unit includes Kilovac relay COR switching, adjustable time delay, and accessory switching. Amp utilizes a wideband splitter/combiner combo, auto bias switching, thermal protection, and uses MOSFET transistors. Amp delivers extremely clean signal and is overdesigned to provide 100% duty cycle at 400W output. Requires 28VDC @ 70A peaks for a power source. Asking $500 or best offer. I would also consider a trade for a solid state HF transceiver.

Pride 250W SSB / 100W AM/FM output HF (160-10M) solid state base amplifier with power supply, receive preamp, status LED's, etc. Uses 12W to drive. $150.

250W minimum output, all mode 80M-6M solid state base amplifier with built in power supply. 15W drives it to full output. It includes a variable drive attenuator. $250 O.B.O.

250W PEP / 100W continuous output 6M amplifier. Solid state base design with built in current limiting power supply. Includes meter, ALC/VSWR protection, receive preamp, and only requires 2W of drive for full output. Asking $150 O.B.O.

Gonset GSB-100 transmitter (80-10M). Works great, cosmetically fine. Has AM; PM; SSB; & CW modes. I will even throw in a second unit that's good for spare parts. Due to the weight of this item, I will not ship. $150 O.B.O.

If interested, please reply via E-mail at wizard@eskimo.com

KC7IYU

5503. Wide Band Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: danny n woodruff <danwood@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5617$776fe3e0$27751ed1@demc1>
Source record: 149466

For those of you looking for another source of radios may want to look at the Midland LMR series radios. Model 70-342BXL, front mount, Model 70-442BXL, rear mount covers the amateur band. Model 70-442BXL rear mount, covers the amateur band. Both models may need a little tweeking. These are 40 watt, 80 channel radios. I have used these models using a low frequency of 144.00 to 162.00 mhz without any problems.

This model radio is now coming onto the surplus market at very good prices.

FYI,
Tnx
Dan

5504. FS/FT: 220V Variac

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: robertc908@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032304564200.XAA07242@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149467

I have a Powerstat variable autotransformer for sale. Type 3PN2168 50/60 hz, single phase. 3.5 amps .98 kva. This units is in one of the rounds type cases with mouting at bottom. Has calibrated knob on top and twistlock socket for the output. Unit is fused. Has on/off toggle switch. $70 PP. Will accept swap of equal value or cash.

I could use SP-190 Allied Speaker, AX/SX-190 (non working ok as long as complete and good physical condition, Yaesu FRG-7000 same applies. Please do not hesitate to make offer.
73's
Bob, W4RLC (formerly WA7OGU)

5505. FS: Yaesu FT757GX $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bog@flagstaff.az.us
Message-ID: <3515e704.7478874@news.infomagic.com>
Source record: 149468

I'm selling my FT757GX and FP757 heavy duty power supply. The rig is in very good condition and was factory overhauled a couple of years ago. I'm the original owner and have the manuals, hand mike, and 2 extra power cables.

73

Bruce Grubbs
N7CEE
bog@flagstaff.az.us

5506. FS: KENWOOD TM 732 DUAL BAND MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdemos@cts.com
Message-ID: <3515f06d.49657802@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 149469

For Sale: KENWOOD TM 732 DUAL BAND MOBILE

Includes:

* extended rx and tx both bands

* pl encode and decode option

* kit for remoting control head

* Motorola square external speaker (great sound)

Asking $395. Respond by email to: tdemos@cts.com

5507. Positive experience with Icom repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <mitstoll@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <3515FCA8.65FFC93B@flinet.com>
Source record: 149470

Hello all, I feel it is important to impart any info. of a positive nature when it occurs in the world of amateur radio, and it has for me! I had to send in my IC-738 rig for out of warranty repair (it would not transmit audio and receive would intermittently cut out). I sent it in next day express on Monday, they got it Tuesday, fixed it Wednesday, shipped it Thursday, and back to me it arrived on Friday of the same week! That is the fastest turnaround I could have ever imagined. I figured I would be without my radio for at least a month. But I am happy to say it was just four days. If more companies had this kind of efficiency in repair time, we would all be singing praises. IMHO, I am happy with Icom, and will consider their products in the future based on this very positive happening!

Cheers!

Joe

5508. Anderson Power Poles Connectors For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd6esz@quick.NET
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980323000713.29719A-100000@shell.quick.net>
Source record: 149471

Anderson Power Poles for sale: 52 for $20 includes 30 amp silver plated
contacts and all the roll pins. Call: (714)851-8176 wd6esz@quick.net
73, Rich

5509. Re: Regency HR-2A & B Crystal Compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@NOSPAM.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <3516318c.4940538@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 149472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Try contacting some of the major crystals manufacturers. They can probably help
you as they once sold a lot of these and may remember.

Try JAN Crystals in particular.

You can get all the addresses & phone numbers from:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mega/xtals.htm

All the best - AF4K

Recently, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:

[[I know I read somewhere that the crystals in these two Regency rigs may not
[[be compatible - true or false?
[[I know neither is a state-of-the-art rig, but for bang-around simplex and
[[non-toned repeater mobile use they should be fine.
[[I have a 52-52 pair in the HR-2A I want to put in the HR-2B, neither is
[[working yet and I'm trying to sell the HR-2A and want to make the swap for
[[a different pair before I sell (if they will work OK).
[[--
[[Thanks for any help! DavidC AA1FA
[["Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that
[[you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13
[[

5510. FS: Uniden Bear Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: st1055@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032310221600.FAA08149@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149473

For Sale Uniden Bear Tracker Model BCT-10

The Worlds Smallest Mobile Scanner

Features:
Highway Patrol Alert With Strength Meter
Highway Patrol Coverage
Local Police Coverage
Preprogrammed Scanner Covers All 50 States Plus Canada
9 Level Strength Meter
Compact & Lightweight
Instant Weather
Built-in Speaker
Windshield / Visor Mountable

Comes with: 12 V Cigarette Lighter Cable, Stubby Antenna, Remote Suction Cup Antenna, Visor Clip Mounting Bracket And Manual With Warranty Card.

Asking $100.00 + Shipping
If Intersted E-mail Me At
ST1055@aol.com

5511. Yaesu VX-1R ADMS-1D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christer Peters&#65533;n <cardex@hem.passagen.se>
Message-ID: <35163C5B.672E3363@hem.passagen.se>
Source record: 149474
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Im looking 4 the software ADMS1D to the Yaesu VX-1R.
Can any one help me out on this.

73....DE...SM7SUB / Christer.

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

5512. FS: Misc. Tube Ham Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032310522700.FAA03759@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149475

I have the following Radio, and electronic equipment for sale. Reasonable offers or trades for radio and Pentium computer EQ. will be considered. All working last time tested unless noted. Shipping is extra.
Thanks

• Tempo-1- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. Looks good and works well. 100W output. $200

• Swan Cygnet 270B Transceiver (80-10 Meters). Looks Good and works well. On scale of 1/10 it would be 8-9. This rig has an internal Power supply. $250

• Swan 350 Transceiver (80-10 Meters). Looks Good and works well. On scale of 1/10 it would be 8-9. This rig has an external Power supply. $250

• Motorola VHF Remote All tube Model: PA8270J SER.NO: 8697. There is also a tone Signal and intercom control on front below speaker. This is the type that was used by police and fire dispatchers in the past. Don't know if it works. $50

• Heathkit HW 101, 80-10 meter transceiver. No Power supply. It is receiving, but not transmitting. Not able to test. Looks are 7/10. As is $80.

• Hallicrafters Model S-108 SW Receiver with a calb. Ham band spread. Looks good works well.$75

• MFJ Rtty/CW Computer Interface Model MFJ-1224, used for copying code from the radio to your computer. $50

• Pearce Simpson, Guardian 23- All tube CB Transceiver/with mobil power cord and mounting bracket. Looks and works Good. $100

• Traynor, Group Two B- Audio Amp Head. High/ Low mic. in puts. Master volume, volume, bass, treble and tone shaper controls. $125

• Channel Master- Tube Stereo Receiver (Model 6612) and matching amp (Model 6601) Looks good and plays on FM. AM not working. $150 for both.

• Sams CB Photofact- Several volumes, some continuos: numbers as follow: Continuos 57- 65. Individual 70,72,80,88,93,98,104,120,122,128 178,190,226.Will sell all or 10 for $3.50 each+ shipping. Single volumes are $8 plus shipping.

• AR Inc.- Stereo Amp, all solid state. $100

5513. Icom IC-756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Edward H. Scissons " <psa@sk.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <01bd5650$e9cde840$0c55a58e@scissons.sk.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149476

I have just purchased an Icom 756 with no additional filters. Am interested in adding a filter for CW and would appreciate feedback from users as to prefered filters. Also, is it possible to add a narrow ssb filter in one position and a narrow cw filter in the other? If so, what seems to be the best combination?

****
Ed Scissons VE5VX
Ph.. (306) 653-2305
Fx. (306) 934-3959
eMail psa@sk.sympatico.ca OR edward.scissons@usask.ca

5514. FS: Yaesu FT-990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Truman Williams, Jr." <nn4c@callsign.net>
Message-ID: <35166B01.421C3FC2@callsign.net>
Source record: 149477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:
Excellent condition Yaesu FT-990 w/500Hz filter, built-in PS, and
built-in tuner. $1400+shipping cost. (36lbs - should be between $13 and
$23 shipping.)

Email: truman@bama.ua.edu
Thanks.

5515. DX DYKE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35165809.42C6@mindspring.com>
Source record: 149478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Melissa wrote:
>
> In article <6d676b$9ml$1@as1000.javanet.com>, "Burt"
> <burt@innocent.com> wrote:
> >
> >Raynard Merritt wrote in message <34f69733.0@news.mountain.net>...
> >>I see the infamous Burton Fisher is a celebrity in this news group
> as
> >well:)
> >>He loves being around hams doesn't he.
> >
> >
> >
> >As a boring individual among the lay population I come here, among
> hams,
> >where here even a bore like me in the rest of society can feel
> like a king
> >among the greatest social losers on the planet.
> >
> >And Steve lies .
> >
> >Burt
>
> For someone who hates ham radio and wants to abolish it, you sure
> must be a glutton for abuse hanging out here. Looking for love in
> all the wrong places Burt?
>
> Have you renewed your membership to Jews For Hitler yet, hatemonger?
>
> --
> Of course that's just my opinion.
> Anyone who doesn't agree with me is clearly wrong. :-)
>
> Melissa My web pages: http://www.amnix.com/~melissa/links.htm
>
> To email me, remove the spam proofing character on both sides of the @ in my address.
>
> My posting to Usenet does not imply permission, or a request, to email me,
> though kind supportive comments are always welcome. (To email me, remove
> the spam proofing character on both sides of the @ in my address.)
> Hostile, harassing, religious harassment and/or abusive email may be posted
> and result in complaints to your provider.
qrz dx dyke

5516. IC-706 Remote Programming Commands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Dubner <dubner@comtch.iea.com>
Message-ID: <3515a805.0@news.iea.net>
Source record: 149479

Has anyone else experimented with homebrew software to control the Icom IC-706 transceiver via RS-232? I'm curious if you've discovered any commands other than the 10 in the manual's skimpy information.

The table on page 39 lists commands 05 through 10 (hex). I found out that "commands" 00 and 01 (and possibly others in the range of 02 - 04) are sent by the radio to return "status", e.g. 00 and 01 for frequency and mode respectively, corresponding to 05 and 06, which set frequency and mode.

What I'd really like to know is how to control some of the radio's more esoteric features: setting alphanumeric names for the memories, changing CW speed, changing power, etc. Has anyone found any "hidden gold" in the command table?

73,
Joe

Joe Dubner K7JD | 5755 E. Dodd Road | dubner@iea.COM
| Hayden Lake, ID 83835 | +1 208 772-5367

5517. Re: Regency HR-2A & B Crystal Compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: DENNIS AND CONNIE BAKER <wbfim@sound.net>
Message-ID: <3516B82D.8B3@sound.net>
Source record: 149480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bry wrote:
>
> Try contacting some of the major crystals manufacturers. They can probably help
> you as they once sold a lot of these and may remember.
>
> Try JAN Crystals in particular.
>
> You can get all the addresses & phone numbers from:
>
> http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mega/xtals.htm
>
> All the best - AF4K
>
> Recently, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>
> [[I know I read somewhere that the crystals in these two Regency rigs may not
> [[be compatible - true or false?
> [[I know neither is a state-of-the-art rig, but for bang-around simplex and
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> [[I have a 52-52 pair in the HR-2A I want to put in the HR-2B, neither is
> [[working yet and I'm trying to sell the HR-2A and want to make the swap for
> [[a different pair before I sell (if they will work OK).
> [[--
> [[Thanks for any help! DavidC AA1FA
> [["Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that
> [[you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13
> [[

I beleive that the HR-2A use 12 Mcs crystals and the HR-2B uses 8 Mcs
crystals. The receiver uses the same crystals.

Dennis
KE0QM

5518. Re: DX DYKE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: duckman_osu@ionet.net
Message-ID: <35166387.1933732@news.ionet.net>
Source record: 149481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

James...
Please take your cross-posting, homophobic, BS elseware.
I'm sure .equipment, .homebrew, and .dx are NOT the right NG's to
spout your drivel.
>qrz dx dyke

Dewayne "Duck" Moore
WB5BNQ
duckman_osu@ionet.net
http://www.ionet.net/duckman_osu/

5519. Re: Icom IC-756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Baxter <XXXsbaxter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f5oe4epg1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 149482

I am using the 500 hz filters (9 Mhz & 455 khz IF) for CW in my 756. With the dual pass band tuning you can narrow the 500 hz filter down to about 250 hz. The standard 2.4 khz SSB filter narrows down to about 1.8 khz with dual pass band tuning. Also with CW you have 320,160,80 hz audio filters. In my opinion, except for CW, you do not need additional filters.

73, Sean
K3XT

Dr. Edward H. Scissons <psa@sk.sympatico.ca> wrote in article
<01bd5650$e9cde840$0c55a58e@scissons.sk.sympatico.ca>...
>
> I have just purchased an Icom 756 with no additional filters. Am
> interested in adding a filter for CW and would appreciate feedback from
> users as to prefered filters. Also, is it possible to add a narrow ssb
> filter in one position and a narrow cw filter in the other? If so, what
> seems to be the best combination?
>
> **********
> Ed Scissons VE5VX
> Ph.. (306) 653-2305
> Fx. (306) 934-3959
> eMail psa@sk.sympatico.ca OR edward.scissons@usask.ca
>

5520. FS: Heath equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: danieljs <danieljs@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <35166615.B6F5EF9F@pdq.net>
Source record: 149483

June 22, 1995

Here is a trip back in time to the vacuum tube era.

Handcrafted Heathkit SB102 Transceiver with SB600 power supply.
Including free standing SB620 Vector Scope. And thats not all.
This package includes SB650 Nixie tube Frequency Display. And an HM102
SWR meter. Astatic Model 10-C Microphone on desk stand. The equipment
looks to be in good condition, though it has not been fired up in a
while. You will need to locate the manuals elsewhere. If you are
interested in this complete base station bargain package call Daniel
at 713 523-0515 in Houston, Texas and make me an offer.

5521. Re: Icom IC 746 HF etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Baxter <XXXsbaxter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f5oroepg2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 149484

You can listen on the ICOM users net on 14.317 at 1200 on Sundays (noon EST) to AB4OJ net control. I ask the same question last Sunday about the IC-746. A few hams have the radio on the air and the reports so far are good. Nothing wrong with the radio so far. However, it takes about 6 months after a radio is released before any problems are known.

73, Sean
K3XT

J.FOX <jfox@pathcom.com> wrote in article
<351495D4.DB22535B@pathcom.com>...
> I am wondering if anyone has had a chance to try the Icom IC 746
> HF 6 & 2 meter radio ??
> I am looking for any info or comments of anyone that has one or has
> tried in out.
>
> Thanks, Jim VA3JF
>
>

5522. Help with Standard 510A Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-2303980831430001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 149485

Greetings, does anyone out there have the source or the actual mod for the freq. expansion for this radio? Tnx in advance, please email.

5523. SWAN SS200 INFORMATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <3516704A.CBEEA9A5@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 149486
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I just bought a Swan SS200, that I understand (from the guy I bought it from) that it is rare. I am trying to get information on this unit, how many were built?, mods for it? Any quirks?
The radio was in pretty good shape, but needed alignment, and now works pretty good. Looking for additional information.
Frank Krozel
27 West 235 Lennox Rd.
Wheaton, IL 60187
KG9H

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5524. 220VAC power strips ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <351677BE.1BD7@stc.net>
Source record: 149487

Who makes 220VAC power strips with built in surge protectors and where
can I get one. Putting 220vac in the shack for my amps and would like to
find one of these.
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73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

5525. Re: SWAN SS200 INFORMATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351677B4.AB6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149488

Frank Krozel wrote:
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> from) that it is rare. I am trying to get information on this unit,
> how many were built?, mods for it? Any quirks?
> The radio was in pretty good shape, but needed alignment, and now works
> pretty good. Looking for additional information.
> Frank Krozel
> 27 West 235 Lennox Rd.
> Wheaton, IL 60187
> KG9H
>
> ----------
>
> Name: vcard.vcf
> Part 1.2 Type: text/x-vcard
> Encoding: 7bit
> Description: Card for Frank Krozel

Hi Frank -- try Brock Publications -- see URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageu.html

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 70 PAGES AND 2000 LINKS
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

5526. Standard C528A forsale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott P. Elmore" <"gbrc--granny's basement record co--"@home.com>
Message-ID: <35167A34.9EA99A6E@home.com>
Source record: 149489

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Standard C528A Deluxe Twin-Band handheld for sale!
Dual band antennae
UHF Only antennae
battery
charger
lapel mike
Original owner's manual

$300/best offer
I pay shipping to you.
email this address or respond here
--GBRC
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5527. Need AM filters for FT101 series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert.Piland@msfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <Robert.Piland-2303980931080001@128.158.161.100>
Source record: 149490

Still looking for AM filter...s for FT101 series
I have tons of CW's and SSB's . . .

73's
Robert,
KE4TFL

5528. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michal Retelewski <sq3gne@friko2.onet.pl>
Message-ID: <6f5ut2$j2k$1@rekin.onet.pl>
Source record: 149491

hershman wrote:
>
> Don't get ripped off by paying $1820 for a radio that is being sold for
> $1344 USA dollars
It seems that you don't REALLY know what does the phrase 'ripped off' mean.
Let me explain you: We can talk about ripping off when you have to pay $3000
for the radio sold in Japan for $1344 or in US for $1820.
And that's what we have here in Poland.I have to pay $3000 if I would like
to have one of those FT-847.Consider that we earn less (MUCH less) than
you do in US.
Think about it next time you'll be about to write that kind of rubbish.

> and BYPASS
Don't you think that shipment costs as well ?

> Yaesu USA and the Dealers and save $ 500 !!!
So why you don't you start such a lucrative business: importing FT-847.

73 de SQ3GNE
Michael

5529. Re: Murch UT-2000A Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35167f9f.133522074@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 03:48:29 GMT, martyt@pobox.com (Marty Tippin) wrote:

>Just bought a Murch UT-2000A tuner - what a pretty beast inside!!
>
>Seems like I've heard of at least one or two mods for that tuner -
>something about "SPC" - anyone know what that's all about and what the
>mod is?
>
>Another semi-related question: When I first hooked it up, I ran my
>dipole directly to the tuner and went though the various bands,
>tuning for 1:1 SWR and writing down the settings.
>
>I then added a 5-position coax switch and an 18 inch coax jumper
>between the switch and tuner, along with hooking another dipole to the
>switch. I found that the tuner settings were completely different for
>1:1 SWR after adding the switch and short length of coax -
>considerably less inductance was required on all bands. Why would
>adding the switch make such a huge difference??

Do you have a balun at the dipole feedpoint. If you don't, you need one
to keep common mode currents off the outside of the shield. Changing
the length of that path effectively changes the length of the antenna.
18 inches generally won't make enough difference to notice even if
the outside of the coax shield is "hot". But connecting the coax shield
from the other dipole does.

The shield of the coax for the second dipole is always connected by the
switch body, and it is substantially lengthening the effective common
mode path. And the second dipole is probably acting as a parasitic
element to the active dipole too, and that detunes the active antenna
through shared common mode currents on the joined coax shields.

The cure is to make sure you're using good choke baluns at the
feedpoints of the antennas to suppress common mode currents,
and that you're careful to route the coaxes so that they aren't
getting induced currents on their shields from each other's
antennas.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5530. ICOM T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lent1 <gte900f1@acme1.gatech1.edu1>
Message-ID: <35168359.2A91CFDC@acme1.gatech1.edu1>
Source record: 149493

I am thinking about buying this radio and would like to hear some comments regarding it. It seems really cool and MIL810 also. something I can use camping and in the mountians. I was going to get an FT50 util someone showed me this one. 6m is much more useful to me than the standard 2/440m combo. It would be nice if it was a true bual band or at least a primary and a secondary. (monitor two or more bands at once) and it they should make a longer lasting battery back. something around 1200mah. So what are some of the bugs, cool stuff and mods, are you happy, etc.
please reply to: gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove nospam one's to reply);
73,
Eddie, KS4TY

5531. Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f60lv$hh6$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 149494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Remember a few years back when everyone was talking about
under $500 HF transceivers to be sold at Radio Shack.

Well, they are coming. First SGS Corp, now ADI Premiere.
So let us get the fear machine in gear. Cheap gear = CBers.

What the manufacturers are looking at is incouraging Technician
Class Hams to upgrade. And there are a lot of them out there.
A thing to note is that much of the equipment has been aimed at
the high end contester, not the beginner. What made some of the
old (70s/80s) transceivers so popular was the market they targeted.

I am glad to see someone with marketing sense.

From Newsline (20 Mar 98):

The $500 HF Radio

Last week we told you about the under $600 high frequency
transceiver. Now comes word that another company may soon
an under $500 radio available to the ham radio community.
That company is ADI Premiere.

Take a look at amateur radio HF rigs today and you'll see
mostly high-end contest models. Prices in the thousands with
dozens of features and front panels full of knobs and switches.
Premier Communications, maker of ADI radios, believes that's
enough to keep some hams off the low bands. So, Premier is
thinking about going simple by offering an easy-to-use HF rig
at or below $500.

"We're basically targeting it toward the codeless licensees that
have come in during the last decade. We are approaching 10 years
now of the code-less license. Of course the number of upgrades are
very low, so we are targeting those guys. Trying to give those guys
a real obtainable thing from them to go after that upgrade." Ken Collier,
KO6UX.

Ken Collier, KO6UX, is Premier's assistant sales manager. He says the
company is getting a lot of response from its request for comments from
hams about what features they want in a low cost HF rig.

"Basically what we're looking for is what we can cut out of a radio without
severely impacting those, the sales of the radio." Collier

Of course, low cost means the radio would lack certain features like
advanced signal processing. But Collier says the new model would

include general coverage receive capability. The company knows the price would have to be right.

"We'd like to keep the cost under $500 retail. And that is actual selling price. That's not the suggested retail price. Suggested retail is going to be somewhat higher than that. Whether or not we can actually do that remains to be seen, but the engineering staff would be pretty optimistic." Collier

Collier says Premier may decide later this year on whether to bring the cost and complexity of HF communications down to perhaps the lowest ever.

While ADI may wind up being the first to break the $500 barrier, another company has already come close. As reported last week, the Bellevue, Washington based SGC Corporation has announced that it has developed a new twenty watt out high frequency transceiver that carries a manufacturers suggested retail price of only $595.

(Via Newsline)

5532. FS: Yaesu G-800SDX Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Eller <reller@novagate.com>
Message-ID: <6f63f2eqq0@205.138.138.112>
Source record: 149495

Brand new Yaesu G-800SDX med/hvy duty antenna rotor with 125' 5-wire cable.
AES price for rotor alone is $429. Will sell rotor and cable for $325 +
shipping or pickup in Holland, Michigan. E-mail or call (616) 399-7255
6-10pm EST.

Robert Eller, N8KER

5533. Signal Meters and Speech Inversion Descramblers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032316542500.LAA05464@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149496

Speech Inversion can be descrambled utilizing a balanced
modulator/demodulator circuit.
We manufacture a Frequency Inversion Descrambler in wired and tested and
kit form as well as Signal meter's for Scanners. Our Descrambler is
tunable from 2400 to 4700 Hz.

CTP Descramblers
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

5534. Re: FS: ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
Message-ID: <351690E7.6A4@bills2way.com>
Source record: 149497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brand new units are selling for $299.00 with a free cable and software.
I'll offer you $240, or 20% under new for a used unit, plus shipping and
COD.

BFoy wrote:
>
> ICOM IC-W32A HT
>
> -New
> -TX and RX Modified
> -Cloning Cables and Software
> -Manual and Box
> -Leather Case
>
> Asking $310.OO. E-mail or Call me between 10am-9pm.
>
> 73,
> Bill

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Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com
http://www.bills2way.com
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5535. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6f63rq$9ee@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 149498

The radio is made in China. So much for labor costs.

You are really out of step with the times.

Work on the radio? Its all disposable surface mount plug and play. There are no servicable parts. Only replaceable boards. You can train a chimp to fix a computer now.

Too bad you still retain the image of a real radio technician fixing things with meters and all that. Its 1998 and you are still in the early 1960s.

How you could sympathize with a hollow shell of a corporation that uses cheep labor from around the world and justify there not passing along the savings from Asian market crash to consumers while they suck up the profit from our pocket is beyond normal understanding.

The world is just not that complicated. You must profit from all this somehow.

Rick L. Ulbrich <wb0vzw@horizon.hit.net> wrote:
> Hey Tom, you did not disappoint me. I was right the first time, I was
> just pissing off my time. You seem to have no understanding of the fact
> that it does not have a damm thing to do with the internet. It has to do
> with what it cost to staff a building in the usa to work on these radios
> and to pay the going rate on wages and this is to say nothing of the
> cost to get a radio type accepted by ours truly the american fcc. So I
> guess I have just pissed off some more of my time but no more in the
> future since you just don't seem to have the means of being able to
> understand that there are multiple factor at work here. Later dude!!

5536. DX70T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronfisher1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032317032400.MAA06604@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149499

Does anyone know if there is a mod to increase the power of the 6 meter section as in the new DX70TH model?

Ron KA1SRZ

5537. Yeasu CPU-2500 Service Manual ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gauger@dsuper.net
Message-ID: <35168fed.7337057@news.dsuper.net>
Source record: 149500

Hi

I try to put my hand on the Yeasu CPU-2500 service manual or at least
his electrical schematic.
I have some repairs to do on it, and I fly blind without this
schematic that is not still available from Yeasu.

Thanks in advance for your collaboration and excuse my English.

Gilles Auger (VE2DRW)
gauger@dsuper.net

5538. Comments on IC-746??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: GHANSON@Maine.edu
Message-ID: <98082.114031GHANSON@Maine.edu>
Source record: 149501

Anyone out there have an Icom IC-746 yet? I understand the west coast HRO's have sold some. Any comments? Was I a fool to order a new radio that hasn't been out for a year and debugged?
You know what they say about a fool and his money!! Thanks for reading and 73....Greg/W1XZ.

5539. Tube Deals!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: showman612@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032317581800.MAA18848@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149502

Three used Westinghouse 8032 $20 for ALL 3

2 NOS RCA 6146B/8298A
1 NOS Westinghouse 8298
3 used Westinghouse 8298 - $45 for ALL 6 Tubes

2 NOS GE 7984 Compactron's $12 for BOTH

Used Amperex 5894 $15

NOS Motorola 5Z3
Used Sylvania 5Z3
NOS National 5Z3
Two used National 5Z3 - $12 for ALL 5 tubes

Two NOS RCA Nuvistor 7587 $30 for BOTH

e-mail if interested
prices include shipping in Cont. US

5540. Want: Alinco DX-70T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: xhduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <3514975d.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 149547

Looking for a used Alinco DX-70T HF+6m transceiver.

State condition, included options/accessories and price.

Please DO NOT AUTOreply.
Send a NEW message to hduff@ica.net

5541. Yaesu Ft 8100 R Freeband Mod Now Avalible

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _Mac_ <mcgyv@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35161A2E.299@hotmail.com>
Source record: 149548

Software mods for the FT8100 ver:1.00 date 03/98

Ingra-Beton@t-online.de and mcgyv@hotmail.com

The FT8100 uses a little bit differend aproach for
the up/download. It is not possible to change the
Country Codes via Software. The firmware and EEPROM
is a little bit bigger so a secure check can be
done and if the Hardware configuration won't match,
the FT8100 is refusing to accept the data file.

There must be anyway either a Secret menu or at
least 3 Jumpers for setting the country code.

But as usually Software rules, so it is possible
to move the lower and upper limits for RX and TX.

With this way the FT8100 will FULL OPEN and can
be used on all Frequencies for RX and TX where
the Hardware will allow it.

You will get a FREEBAND mod and the good thing
is that the ARS will still work.

To make the mod you will need the ADMS 2D Software
and a HEX editor or just visit:

http://ww2.sd.cybernex.net/~mcgyv/

where you can download the allready patched .RDF file
It does not matter what Hardware mod you have (or have
done) or for witch country your FT8100 is configured.

Technicaly you are only moving the limits for
the Frequecny dealing.

Make a .RDF file and edit it with a HEX editor.

The values on the following addresses are defining
the lower and upper limits for RX and TX on the
VHF and UHF bands

Band Lower limit adr Upper Limit adr
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VHF RX 0A66 and 0B2A 0A6A and 0B2E
UHF RX 0A76 and 0B8F 0A7A and 0B93

VHF TX 0A6E 0A72
UHF TX 0A7E 0A82

Value example:

VHF RX 0050 0280
UHF RX 0280 0650
VHF TX 0050 0280
UHF TX 0280 0650

If you insert the values from the example in the
abouve addresses, the FT8100 will be opened for
RX and TX from 50-280MHz and 280-650MHz.

After modification the following results are
mesured.

RESULTS:
Upload: Free.rdf & Stock.tpl (see web page:
http://ww2.sd.cybernex.net/~mcgyv/)

VHF:

RX 50.00 to 109.995 TX red light active on 80.00 to 109 (not
sure if it really TX'ing)
Also all the digits "X" are flashing.
Example: 50.XX to 109.XX

RX 110.000 to 136.995 Same as above, but has the "AM"
displayed.Also all the digits "X" are
flashing.But this is only between
110.XX to 111.XX twoards the 110.8 MHZ
range, the
flashing seems to slow down in "pulse"
(notblinking as fast.)

RX 137.00 to 210.630 Does TX but not tested for RX on a scanner.

RX 201.630 the .630 starts to flash. The 201. does not flash.

RX from 201.63 to 205.995 flashes, however still unknown if it is true
TX.

RX 206.00 to 280.00 TX but unknown if it is true TX

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UHF:

RX 280.000 to 550.000 TX light is on, but need to chek for true
TX

RX 551.00 to 650.000 TX light is on, but need to chek for true
TX, also 551.XXXto 650.XXX blinks

RX 750 to 869.00 NO TX

When at 750.00 , if you cycle backwards...you end up at 550.00...rotate
forware to get to the 600.00MHZ band

RX 894.00 to 1330.00 No TX

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Remember, the Mars/cap mod is not required to do this mod.

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digital cooperation between:

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USA - mcgyv@hotmail.com

East and West, together on the Net.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: _Mac_ <mcgyv@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <351618C4.2FE4@hotmail.com>
Source record: 149549

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5543. VX-1R questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael J. Smith" <mjs@now-online.com>
Message-ID: <sRhR.278$X%2.2826922@reader1.cleveland.iagnet.net>
Source record: 149550

I have a few questions , maybe someone can help me out. Have you found that that Dual Watch does not work right? Is this normal? And is there a known problem with scaning when you put VHF and UHF freqs. in one band? And it seem it acts different when you start scaning with up or down button. Like if you use the scan down key it scans right over freqs. in the UHF band and sometimes locks up and starts flashing. I have done a software mod that allows me to put freqs. in one band. I have also a problem with the CW ID sending my call and then sending 0's endlessly, the only way to stop it is to shut it off.

Thanks

Mike mjs@now-online.com

5544. FS in Aust. ** Yaesu FRG 7700 Comms RX + Accessories **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gilly@camtech.net.au
Message-ID: <3515a904.13467294@news.camtech.net.au>
Source record: 149551
Cross-posted to: aus.radio,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yaesu FRG 7700 Comms RX plus matching
VHF Converter and Active antenna.
0-30Mhz - Digital Readout

All in good condition.

Receiver only:-
$ 350.00

Receiver with converter and Active antenna:-
$400.00

Can arrange freight

Alan VK5BWG

Ph 08 86436455 (About most of the time !)

5545. Re: VHF antenna w/sma connector ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6f4akq$pb0$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 149552

YUP - - - Get a Comet SMA3! It's actually a tri-band antenna with some gain on two meters and 70 cm. It does an excellent job and it looks quite nice on the radio.
Ken

>Anyone know where a vhf antenna w/ sma connector can be founf-my FT 50 is
>lonely w/o one. Thanks
>

5546. FS:HT mic's & SWR/Power meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <KB1CMG@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <3518364C.10C05C3F@HOTMAIL.COM>
Source record: 149253

iCOM HM-75A speaker mic. new in box $69.
ADI SPM-300 speaker mic. new in box $29.
Daiwa SWR/Power meter CN-460 $79. like new

Or best offer

Mike

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <KB1CMG@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <35183643.51E3B285@HOTMAIL.COM>
Source record: 149254

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ADI SPM-300 speaker mic. new in box $29.
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Or best offer

Mike

5548. FS/FT Motorola MT-1000 Lowband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bsher19577@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032423172900.SAA02010@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149255

I have for sale or trade a very good condition MT-1000 handheld with scan and touch tone pad. It is a high split 42-50mhz version. I would take $250 cash or trade for equivilent ham gear.

Please e-mail your responses.

Thanks
Barry

5549. Icom sp20 F.s.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032423540300.SAA11669@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149256

mint with original box

$165.00 plus $10.00 shipping

kh6fhx lem 808 982 7872

(this is my second and last sp20 for sale)

5550. FS: Yaesu 8000 2M/440 mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: humv@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <6f9roi$7ga$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149257

V+V,U+U,V+U,U+V
56 ch per side
5/10/50W VFH,5/10/35W UHF
9600 baud ready w/ plug in the back
backlit DTMF mike,mobile bracket
large display
extremely wide receive 110 to 1300MHZ am aircraft detect,cell blocked but mod available
In excelent condition, inc. box
375 shipped CONUS
Bill, KB9MMR

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5551. WTB TS-940 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick - WD8CEB <DickWD8CEB@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f9luu$fdf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149258
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Looking for an ORIGINAL TS-940 Service Manual (No Copies).
Send E-Mail Stating Cost.

Tnx,

DickWD8CEB@worldnet.att.net

Dick

5552. FS MODULES FOR FT-767

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond Tompkins <raymond.tompkins@snet.net>
Message-ID: <35185DDB.77FA3EC9@snet.net>
Source record: 149259

I HAVE TWO MODULES BRAND NEW ONE 6 METER FOR $250.00 AND ONE 440-B
WHITCH IS 430 TO 440 FOR $320.00 TNX FOR READING 73 K1RAY 860
5825915

5553. FS: IC-706 MK I

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Gordon <xlr8@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6f9p4q$7cj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149260

IC-706 MK I for sale...$550.00 Firm

1) Yellow wire mod is already done. Out
of band receive is excellent.

2) Includes: MB-62 Mobile mounting bracket
MB-63 Mounting bracket for remote head
OPC-581 separation cable
Box and manual

3) Shipping is on me.

John Gordon
xlr8@worldnet.att.net

5554. Re: Cross-Band Repeater - FT51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Justin Reed <jreed@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <35187ED6.26347E86@midusa.net>
Source record: 149261

Greg Ottria wrote:

> I had the same problem as you and sometimes it works and sometimes it
> doesn't. I don't think there is anything wrong with it I just think we
> don't have something in the right mode.
>
> Believe this or not... but i actually run in to the same problem on my 51
> today! Here is how to correct the problem....

Hold <FM> and push 9 (DUP) until you see the DUP in the display. (NOT flashing) This places you into DUPLEX mode, which is what you MUST be in to cross band repeat. Next, you follow normal procedure of setting your channels, etc, then power up the radio and hold the 6 (RPT) key. If your radio is receving a signal while you power up, it won't repeat it until the carrier drops. The very next transmission it hears will be repeated. Example, when powering up in cross band with 162.55 weather freqency, it won't repeat it unless you loose the signal and pick it up again.

hope this is clear. Remember- DUPLEX mode.

> Greg Ottria KE6PTP
> Castro Valley California
> Gottria@inreach.com
> http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
> VR2XST wrote in message <01bd56d2$fc676f80$8f0148ca@nelson>...
> >Anybody can help !
> >
> >My HT FT-51R cannot set as cross-band repeater even I hv try many time of
> >flwg procedure:
> >
> >1) Hold rpt set/ (REV) while turning on the power
> >or
> >2) Hold rpt mno (6) while turning on the power
> >
> >Pls adv any Mod is necessary to make my HT work on Cross-band Repeater.
> >
> >Tks
> >
> >73

5555. Re: Icom IC-756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fa50q$e46@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149262

FL 101 is a good narrow CW filter, and yes you can add both SSB and CW filters.

Adnan, Icom America Service

Dr. Edward H. Scissons wrote in message
<01bd5650$e9cde840$0c55a58e@scissons.sk.sympatico.ca>...
>
>I have just purchased an Icom 756 with no additional filters. Am
>interested in adding a filter for CW and would appreciate feedback from
>users as to prefered filters. Also, is it possible to add a narrow ssb
>filter in one position and a narrow cw filter in the other? If so, what
>seems to be the best combination?
>
>**********
>Ed Scissons VE5VX
>Ph.. (306) 653-2305
>Fx. (306) 934-3959
>eMail psa@sk.sympatico.ca OR edward.scissons@usask.ca

5556. Re: FS/FT: Icom IC-W21AT dualband HT $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fa4qq$d68@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149263

Your "no TX audio" problem is probably due to damage to bottom flex cable
connecting logic board and connect unit where battery terminals are located.
I'd say somebody damaged it trying to get the radio apart, it is not as easy
as it seems!

The Crew wrote in message <6f4iql$2ts$1@news.citynet.net>...
>Hi again,
>Have for sale for a friend the following radio:
>
>IC-W21AT handheld dualbander. Includes speaker/mic, veh. power cord, hi and
>low cap. batteries. HAS INTERMITTENT TX AUDIO PROBLEM.. it transmits fine,
>but no audio sometimes. Audio cuts out with no rhyme or reason, but we
>suspect the speaker/mic jack as the culprit. this is the radio with the
>'telephone' whisper mode so u can hold radio like handheld cellular phone.
>it has a mic in the radio and another mic in the battery pack for this
>purpose. the radio works great with dual in-band rx, cross band retransmit
>and rx, lots-o-features for Mr. Fix-it. PRICE IS $125 INCLUDING SHIPPING
>
>Will also use this as 'boot' for the other radio trade (see ten tec ad)
>will also trade for a 1kw (rated at more than 600 watts) antenna tuner,
>prefer roller inductor tuner like a MFJ tuner or a Dentron Supertuner.
>Wish list: prefer Drake Model MN-2700 tuner.
>please email me or call Slade Sowers at (304) 855-4678
>thanks,
>Randy
>
>

5557. FS:HA-2, HA-6, P-26ps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Radabaugh <brianrada@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <351828E5.F65E7738@earthlink.net>
Source record: 149264

I have for sale a Hallicrafters HA-2 two meter transverter, a HA-6 six meter transverter and the matching P-26 ac power supply that powers both units. These are mid 60's vintage tube units. The transverters both work well and are in excellent physical condition. $200 plus shipping for the package.

Contact Brian at 425-745-8607 or via e-mail. Seattle area

5558. Re: TM261

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <351898B0.4F9E@onramp.net>
Source record: 149265

David Rust wrote:
>
> Is there any mod out there to extend the transmit range of the TM261A past
> the 152.meg where it stops? I bought it thinking it would go up to 174.
> but not so?? Anyone with any ideas. wa0lkf@gte.net

It will only go to 173.995

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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5559. Re: FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3518AB34.C8B92714@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149266

KO6MW@*.vidiot.org, [remove, *, to, reply] wrote:

> Did you notice that Yaesu is going to be offering the ATAS 100
> Screwdriver antenna? It will supposedly be continuously tunable from
> 80 Meters to 70 Centimeters and will be driven on the shield of the
> coax by the FT847. For a mobile setup, in theory, you wouldn't need
> an Antenna Tuner.
>
> Price on the ATAS 100 is a bit steep, however... reported to be $325
> or so.
>
Sure, but this does not look like a contender for mobile rig of the
year! Seems more suitable for a base radio. Why no base AT options,
then?

Phil

p.s. -- $325 is steep; but I believe the AT-180 for 706MkII is priced at
above $500. But it does tune standard near-resonant (unbalanced feed)
base antennas (up to 6 meters only) quite well

5560. WANT: ATLAS 210X HF RIG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6f7m95$10i$3@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149303

Hi! I am looking for to buy a HF rig "ATLAS 210X" with the noise
blanker on it,if you do have one in good working order for a descent price
(I do not really need the console)
Please let me know,Thanks in advance.....73
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

5561. Re: D-104 Silver Eagle microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <35215e6e.27863705@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 149304

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 22:13:12 -0800, dick@libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
wrote:

>In article <6f7gfn$1fm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
>hermperez@worldnet.att.net (Herm Perez) wrote:
>
>>$110.00 or best offer, in new condition, never used.
>
>AES will sell you a real new one for only $100.
>
>73, Dick

I can also go to the local cb shop and get the TUG-9 for $70 or
so, new. This also has the "older" crystal head, which tends
to be better anyways... in some applications.

-Mike

5562. Yaesu FT1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: MM <defaultuser@domain.com>
Message-ID: <3517710A.B510A86@domain.com>
Source record: 149305

Hi

Anyone with good/bad experiences with the FT1000MP I would like to hear
from you!

73
Per
OZ5ABO

E-mail: pbr@maersk-medical.com

5563. Use of low impeadence mic instead of high impeadence mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: psam@giraffe.ru.ac.za
Message-ID: <psam.200.3517800C@giraffe.ru.ac.za>
Source record: 149306

Does any one know how to adapt a low impeadence mic (600 ohm) for use on a rig that requires a high impeadence mic?

5564. Re: Autek WM 1 opinions as pep meter ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jnance2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35178607.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 149307

I had one for about 4 years and it was very nice. I liked the PEP meter movement. Only two complaints, on 40 meters RF affected power meter and I used numerous chokes and beads.
This did help somewhat. Also the meters are not lighted. Both the SWR and Power meters are self calibrating and compared against by digital bird RF power analyst it appeared to be quite accurate. I had purchased mine used at a hamfest fot $50. Well worth it.

Now use a Nye RFM003, its meters are lighted, no RF getting into the metered movement,
self calibrating, Both meters appear to be very accurate compared against by Bird RF power analyst. Love the peak hold and ALO lockout. No complaints.

73 de KE4WY Jim

PhilRut1 wrote in message
<1998032403453300.WAA24222@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>
>>I like mine alot.
>>
>>K&#65533;MB
>>
> Ditto that- I have two of them and they work great!
>
>Phil--K1HS
>
>

5565. who had hs-5 headphones for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd569b$1b2a0460$7d794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 149308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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i lost the address of the person who had the kenwood hs-5 headphones for
sale.please e-mail me.
73 jack n9iif
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5566. FS or Trade: Standard C5900DA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-2403980632370001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 149309

I have an absolutely mint 5900DA, comes with:

CAW 592 5M ext. cable for Mic/Speaker
CAW 591 3M cable for Display
CMB 5900 Mounting bracket for Display.

This radio was bought for mobil use, bought a new car and changed my mind. Less than an hour's transmit time on it, never out of shack and cable extension kits are in unopened packages, will ship for 775.00 or BO, will consider swap for 742 w/220 or 642 w/440.

5567. Re: Yaesu FT1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Baxter <XXXsbaxter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6f88ep$3nd$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 149310

Friend of mind owns a FT1000MP and he loves it. He is a very finicky CW operator.
The only problems he has found are the following:
1) CW memory keyer does not work well. Have tried operation on more than one 1000MP.
2) On FM mode widest filter in 1000MP is 6 Khz so audio is low in the FM mode.

Other than these two issues, this is a very nice radio.

73, Sean
sbaxter@gte.net

MM <defaultuser@domain.com> wrote in article
<3517710A.B510A86@domain.com>...
> Hi
>
> Anyone with good/bad experiences with the FT1000MP I would like to hear
> from you!
>
> 73
> Per
> OZ5ABO
>
> E-mail: pbr@maersk-medical.com
>
>

5568. Icom IC-W32A dual bamd ht new for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <_zNR.133$PR4.2024645@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149311

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with a
CP-12L cigarette lighter power adapter, HM-46 microphone, BP-180 battery and
instruction manual. Here are some specs:
true dual band receive V/V, V/U or U/U
crossband repeater mode
receives from 118 to 174 and 400 to 470 normally
receive range can be expanded by a simple keypad sequence
I get cellular images perfectly from 600 to 999.995 mhz
200 alphanumeric 8 character memories
backlighted keypad
full CTCSS transmit and receive and scan to identify while receiving
can be programmed by computer, software included
transmit frequency range expandable by a simple hardware mod
5 watts output with 12 volts D.C. or BP-173 battery
3.5 watts output with included BP-180 battery
power saver mode and auto power off function
tone scan, tone squelch and pocket beep operation
dtmf memory
auto repeater function
A check of HRO puts the price at over $400. with the included accessories.
I will let it go for the best offer over $300. U.S. shipping included by
airmail.
Still on warranty for one year, this is new equipment.
If interested, contact me by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5569. FS:Yaesu FT990at,ac-dc,spkr6,md1,$1395

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6KKT@nospam.com
Message-ID: <351fbbe2.3489425@news.frazmtn.com>
Source record: 149312

For sale: Late model FT990AT(12/110v), external
spkr (SP6),desk mic (MD1), manuals, boxes. Unit is
in excellent condition. $1395.
73, Jesse, W6KKT (805-242-7650) email:
w6kkt@frazmtn.com

5570. *****WTB: Motorola MITREK UHF RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032414154501.JAA05235@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149313

I'm looking for several Motorola Mitrek UHF radio's with the 450-470 band split.
The radios need to be in good working condition. High power units prefered although I could possiblly use a few T44's. Let me know the model number, condition, what accessories if any there would be, price, and your phone number so I can call you.

Thank You
Wayne
KC7ILQ

5571. Re: Cross-Band Repeater - FT51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cluett@mv.mv.com
Message-ID: <6f8g7paqb1@pyrite.mv.net>
Source record: 149314

In article <01bd56d2$fc676f80$8f0148ca@nelson>,
VR2XST <vr2xst@hotmail.com> wrote:
>Anybody can help !
>
>My HT FT-51R cannot set as cross-band repeater even I hv try many time of
>flwg procedure:
>
>1) Hold rpt set/ (REV) while turning on the power
>or
>2) Hold rpt mno (6) while turning on the power
>
>Pls adv any Mod is necessary to make my HT work on Cross-band Repeater.
>
>Tks
>
>73

Must turn DUPLEX ON. manual doesn't tell you this.
good luck. Jim W1PID
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5572. Re: Cross-Band Repeater - FT51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jachim@jachsys.resnet.mtu.edu
Message-ID: <slrn6hfiui.man.jachim@jachsys.resnet.mtu.edu>
Source record: 149315

Jim Cluett <cluett@mv.mv.com> spewed forth:
>My HT FT-51R cannot set as cross-band repeater even I hv try many time of

you heave try?

>flwg procedure:

flag waving procedure?

>Pls adv any Mod is necessary to make my HT work on Cross-band Repeater.

plus advance?

Must turn DUPLEX ON. manual doesn't tell you this.
good luck. Jim W1PID

Come on people, this isn't packet or cw, you can spare the extra letters to at least make it readable.

Matthew

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"Bestiality is OK, as long as you and the beast consent."
- Rush Limbaugh, tweaking Clinton supporters

| Matthew T. Jachimstal KG9LF CS Major Michigan Technological University
| Secretary/Treasurer MTU Student Chapter of ACM email: mtjachim@mtu.edu
| QSL/Contest Manager Husky Amateur Radio Club W8YY (W8C Jan28-31, 1998)
| Voice: 906-487-3997 <*> [\] WWW: http://jachsys.resnet.mtu.edu
| PGP ID: 683F741D FP: 8B 6A 03 A3 E2 5C 71 64 93 D0 22 17 0E 2B C6 AF

5573. using headset with 8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lacart@internetmci.com
Message-ID: <6f8ks8$4cd$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149316

I have used in the past my 50r ht with a vox headset on my motercycle(with the vox turned off) as I sometimes need to nicely tell other drivers some things...anyway my dilemma is I would like to interface my headset from the 50r ..seeing I have the junction box it seems that it might not be too difficult(famous last words)to use with the 8500 as the seperation kit will make it a nifty installation on the Gold Wing.
Thanks, Art N1VGT

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5574. Knwd HS-6 'Phones Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa5tn@apex2000.net
Message-ID: <6f8pvc$8l8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149317
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Kenwood HS-6 lightweight headphones posted here for sale
have been sold. Thanks to all who responded. 73 de Bill-K5VO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5575. FS: HTX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: itzack@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6f8rkb$a5j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149318

Hello,

I have a nice HTX-100 10-meter rig for sale. I have rig,mic,mounting bracet,
and manual for $125 + shipping. It works well and 10 meters is really starting
to pick up. If you are interested e-mail me or call.
73,
John Ayres Kc4npd
(803)821-0329

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5576. Re: Comments on IC-746??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3517d0b9.198323144@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149319

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 11:40:31 EST, <GHANSON@Maine.edu> wrote:
>Anyone out there have an Icom IC-746 yet? I understand the west coast
>HRO's have sold some. Any comments? Was I a fool to order a new radio
>that hasn't been out for a year and debugged?

Somebody has to do it. I'm just glad it's you instead of me. :-)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5577. Re: FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3517cea2.197788179@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149320

On Sun, 22 Mar 1998 17:23:10 -0800, Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Personally, I find this an interesting radio, and may eventually buy one
>-- to replace my TS-570D, TS-60S, and TM-255. OTOH:
>
>Does anyone else find it strange that what appears to be a base radio
>is tunerless, and has an optional tuner which seems intended for mobile
>operation (only)?

No, I don't find it strange. Internal tuners are usually a joke anyway. They have a very limited matching range, and can't handle balanced line at all. The "optional tuner" is a screwdriver type mobile antenna. It is a joke too. It is only 37 inches tall. How well do you think that'll work?

>Am I missing something? Is Yaesu going to come out with an FT-847AT,
>right after lots of folks buy an FT-847??

Look in the box and see if there's enough empty space in there to fit a tuner. Doesn't look like there could be enough room to hold any reasonable HF tuner. A good tuner is generally bigger than a Japanese radio.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5578. FS***Bird 43P & 5K hf slug***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f8hjg$7gc$1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149321

As new (less than a year old) Bird 43P peak and avg. reading wattmeter. Has the 5000H slug (this is the 5000 watt 2-30mhz. slug). Comes in the original box with the manual. I've only used this meter maybe 10 hours...as I said... as new. Still has the same batteries as when I got it! Price is $375.00 + shipping

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5579. Re: FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3517D467.EBC3DF82@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149322

Gary Coffman wrote:

>
> No, I don't find it strange. Internal tuners are usually a joke anyway. They
> have a very limited matching range, and can't handle balanced line at all.

Gary, I cannot agree with you on that one. The AT in my TS-570D matches my G5RV on all bands from 10 thru 80. It matches my Hy-Gain tri-band beam (fairly narrow trap design -- TH3) and my DX-77, too, across the band on all bands where they are designed to work.

Without the AT, I would be manually manipulating my MFJ tuner (which is in bypass position) every time I changed bands or frequencies.

Agree .. would not be a good choice for balanced. but I don't feed my beam and vertical with balanced line. Re the G5RV, balanced would be better, but it does what I need it to do.

BTW -- tuner in my old TS-440 worked almost as well, albeit slower. External AT-180 for my 706MkII is equal to the one in my TS-570D.

So, my experience is that ATs are a good thing. I wish the 847 had turned out differently in that regard. The option they are offering seems ridiculous.

Phil

5580. Re: High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <6f8k7c$hr0@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 149323

SF6 is the current flavor

In article <3516CB2C.A60@mci.com>, stan.aughenbaugh@mci.com says...
>
>b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:
>>
>> On 1998-03-12 dgf@netcom.com(DavidFeldman) said:
>> dg>Picked up a tektronix high voltage o-scope probe a while back -
it
>> dg>has provision to be filled with a dielectric liquid/gas/vapor
stuff
>> dg>to increase it's HV capability (10kv without, 25kv or so with
the
>> dg>stuff). What is this stuff?
>> dg>Can you get it anymore, or is it CFC and not available?
>> dg>73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com
>>
>> Could be air. In the '60s we (military) had radar transmitting gear
in
>> metal containers with a bicycle valve. To reduce the chance of
sparkover
>> you just pumped the thing up with air with a bicycle pump. Not
during
>> damp conditions of course!
>>
>> ============ ===== ===== BILL J. ===== =====
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>> GM8APX, qthr EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND,
UK
>>
>> Piscis nequam est nisi recens
>>
>> Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Registered
>
>Seems that years ago when I was HV research, we used sulfer
hexaflorine.
>Iif I spelled it right) Funny stuff, fill a balloon with it and the
>belloon just 'plops' on the floor. Anyway, we used the gas in probes
and
>spark gaps to control arc points and insulate.
>Have fun!
>--
>Stan Aughenbaugh II
>KF0NC

>Colorado Springs,CO
>"I'm positive that 90% +/- 5%, with 80% confidence,
> that all statistics are made up"

5581. FS: Yaesu FT-767 HF & 2 meters + extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6f8i8t$7gu$1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149324

Have an ex.con. FT-767gx with the 2 meter board,SP-767 speaker,MD-1 desk mic,FRB-757 relay box, and both the owners and the service manuals. Price is $850.00 + shippng.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5582. Re: Yaesu FT-50R Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. McCuen" <tmccuen@csi.com>
Message-ID: <3517CC16.513@csi.com>
Source record: 149325

>I'm just getting into this Ham Radio stuff and I just bought a Yaesu FT 50R
>radio. The sub display can show the battery voltage, but in doing this mine
>shows 10+volts when charged and the radio quits way before the 4 volts like
>the book suggests. How can I have a reading of over 10 volts when my battery
>is only 9.6 volts?

Just remember that each nicad cell has a full voltage of 1.2v each (so
a 9.6 pack will have 8 cells at 1.2v each)

After a full charge and before the cell settles, the voltage can be 1.4v
per cell (so 1.4v x 8 = 11.2v which is abt the max you'll see after
full/long charge)

A nicad cell is considered used when the cell gets down to the voltage
of 1v (so the pack would be used up for basic needs at abt 8v...and
you'll see a really fast drop off of voltage at this level)

>Also, how are Ni Cads? Do I need to fully charge and fully drain the battery
>when using?

For charging (with the wall warts, not the newer smart chargers)here's
how to fiq the charge time...
Nicads charge at an 80% rate...so take the charge output of yr wall wart
and divide it in the rating of the battery for time in hours and then
add 20% time.
exp; 1000ma battery, 100ma charger (assume its the right charger for the
battery so v isnt considered)
1000/100 = 10 hours of charge time + 2 hours (20% time) for total of 12
hrs!

Remember that over-charging and running the cells below 1v can be real
killers to the battery packs.... With care the pack should be good for
300-500 charges which is a few years in real use.
PS; nicads self-discharge at 1-2% a day so even if not used , you should
prob charge them at least once a month. I rotate 2 batteries for max
use(and a spare of course).

good luck
Tom aa2vk

5583. Biggest Ham and Computer Fest on East Coast This Weekend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lynch <jlynch@bcpl.net>
Message-ID: <3517DE30.761379F2@bcpl.net>
Source record: 149326

The Greater Baltimore Computer ahd Hamfest is coming to the Timonium Fairgrounds on March 28 and 29 (Saturday and Sunday). All three buildings (Cow Palace, Exhibition Hall and 4H Building) will vendors of Computer and any other electronic gear you can think of. PLUS the entire inner parking lot is full of tailgaters!
One of the biggest computer and ham fests in the entire country. Best prices available with show specials! Great food! Tickets are $5 per a day or $8 for the weekend.
You have to see this show to believe it.
Rain or Shine.
Questions, call 410 -HAM-FEST for voice or fax back information any time

24 hours a day. Or check out the Hamfest Home Page,
http://gbhc.org/

News! Icom and Kenwood will have factory displays at the show!

Sponsored by the Baltimore Amateur Radio Club

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73s
John Lynch
N3ZNU and retired BUFF driver

5584. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3517d192.198540435@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149327
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 10:43:45 -0800, Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>Remember a few years back when everyone was talking about
>under $500 HF transceivers to be sold at Radio Shack.
>
>Well, they are coming. First SGS Corp, now ADI Premiere.
>So let us get the fear machine in gear. Cheap gear = CBers.
>
>What the manufacturers are looking at is incouraging Technician
>Class Hams to upgrade. And there are a lot of them out there.
>A thing to note is that much of the equipment has been aimed at
>the high end contester, not the beginner. What made some of the
>old (70s/80s) transceivers so popular was the market they targeted.
>
>I am glad to see someone with marketing sense.

Yeah, but lets see if they do it right. SGC did *not* do it right.
A basic HF transceiver needs to be 100 watts right out of the
box. You need that if you ever want to drive an amp, and you
need that if you want to compete on an even footing with
other amateurs running barefoot. Another QRP rig misses
the target. Now making the rig 100 watts costs about $100
extra, but that's non-negotiable as far as I'm concerned,
even if it forces the street price above $500.

Ideally, I'd like to see a big enough heatsink fitted that
a fan would not be necessary. There's no need to make
this radio the size of an IC-706. It should be targeting the
low end desktop.

The bit quoted below about leaving out high technology
also completely misses the mark. High technology is
cheaper, if done intelligently. A $5 DSP chip can give
you what costs over $175 to do with analog. The new
Kachina radio, while not in the target price class, still
points the way toward how to build a modern radio. Do
all the heavy duty filtering, processing, and mod/demod
in software. The only thing analog in the radio should be
the RF front end and the audio output stages.

I'd like to see almost all mechanical controls removed
from the radio. They're expensive due to the interconnects,
are the most failure prone components, and should be
replaced by a multifunction membrane touchpad. With
intelligently written control software, that can be more

flexible than mechanical controls, and cheaper too.

Note that next to the PA, the largest cost of this
radio is in the firmware. That can be pared back to
basic functionality in the base radio to hit the target
price. If the firmware is stored in eeprom, feature
upgrades could be sold and downloaded into the
radio over the internet.

(The base radio need be no better than an old
Galaxy V or SBE-34.)

And ADI could offer a software development kit so that
independent firmware could be developed for the radio.
I'd pay up to $200 extra to have that.

A radio like this could be built to sell for a street price
of $475, but I'd be willing to go as much as $575 for the
base radio. ADI could offer higher profit accessories for
the radio, such as an external autotuner. Keyer firmware
could be an extra cost upgrade, more filter choices could
be an extra cost upgrade, direct PACTOR mod/demod
could be an extra cost upgrade, etc. Even if the margin
on the base radio is paper thin, money could still be made
on it via these optional firmware features.

Gary

>From Newsline (20 Mar 98):
>
>The $500 HF Radio
>
>Last week we told you about the under $600 high frequency
>transceiver. Now comes word that another company may soon
>an under $500 radio available to the ham radio community.
>That company is ADI Premiere.
>
>Take a look at amateur radio HF rigs today and you'll see
>mostly high-end contest models. Prices in the thousands with
>dozens of features and front panels full of knobs and switches.
>Premier Communications, maker of ADI radios, believes that's
>enough to keep some hams off the low bands. So, Premier is
>thinking about going simple by offering an easy-to-use HF rig
>at or below $500.
>
>"We're basically targeting it toward the codeless licensees that
>have come in during the last decade. We are approaching 10 years
>now of the code-less license. Of course the number of upgrades are
>very low, so we are targeting those guys. Trying to give those guys
>a real obtainable thing from them to go after that upgrade." Ken Collier,
>KO6UX.
>

>Ken Collier, KO6UX, is Premier's assistant sales manager. He says the
>company is getting a lot of response from its request for comments from
>hams about what features they want in a low cost HF rig.
>
>"Basically what we're looking for is what we can cut out of a radio without
>severely impacting those, the sales of the radio." Collier
>
>Of course, low cost means the radio would lack certain features like
>advanced signal processing. But Collier says the new model would
>include general coverage receive capability. The company knows the
>price would have to be right.
>
>"We'd like to keep the cost under $500 retail. And that is actual
>selling price. That's not the suggested retail price. Suggested retail
>is going to be somewhat higher than that. Whether or not we can
>actually do that remains to be seen, but the engineering staff would
>be pretty optimistic." Collier
>
>Collier says Premier may decide later this year on whether to bring
>the cost and complexity of HF communications down to perhaps the lowest
>ever.
>
>While ADI may wind up being the first to break the $500 barrier, another
>company has already come close. As reported last week, the Bellevue,
>Washington based SGC Corporation has announced that it has developed a
>new twenty watt out high frequency transceiver that carries a manufacturers
>suggested retail price of only $595.
>
>(Via Newsline)

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5585. Re: FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KO6MW@*.vidiot.org
Message-ID: <3517e995.73844314@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 149328

>>Does anyone else find it strange that what appears to be a base radio
>>is tunerless, and has an optional tuner which seems intended for mobile
>>operation (only)?

Did you notice that Yaesu is going to be offering the ATAS 100
Screwdriver antenna? It will supposedly be continuously tunable from
80 Meters to 70 Centimeters and will be driven on the shield of the
coax by the FT847. For a mobile setup, in theory, you wouldn't need
an Antenna Tuner.

Price on the ATAS 100 is a bit steep, however... reported to be $325
or so.

73 es gud luck!
de KO6MW
Glendale, CA

5586. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cj <cj@boi.hp.com>
Message-ID: <3517EB03.220E@boi.hp.com>
Source record: 149329

I too have been looking at either the TH-79A(D)H or the TH-G71A. I'm almost always somewhere near the fringe of repeater reception (lots of mountains to get in the way), so having higher power available is handy. What I would like to know is, on either one of these, is the max power available with a battery, or only if you use a car adapter? They seem to come with batteries which only allow lower output power.

Also, I think I like the idea of dual receive (TH-79), but I like the idea of more memories on the TH-G71 too. In reality, the 82 memories (or whatever) on the TH-79 are probably more than enough though. Any thoughts on this? How many memories do most people use (I'm still used to my old Icom 02-AT, which only has 10, which is WAY too few...).

Also, as for dual receive, what's the main advantage of this feature? You can, obviously monitor both bands at once, which could be nice. I assume it's possible to transmit on one band and receive on the other (full duplex), can the TH-G71 do this?

Kenwood also mentions something about being able to control a TM-V7A remotely via DTMF with the TH-G71. Why can't you do that with the TH-79?

-cj

|cj@boi.hp.com | KD6AEG |
|===|
Hewlett-Packard	Give a man a beer
Enterprise Storage Solutions Div.	and he'll waste an hour
11413 Chinden Blvd. M/S 831	Teach him to brew
Boise, ID 83714	and he'll waste the rest of his life.

5587. Re: six meter rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: spam_be_gone@spam.org
Message-ID: <3517ec99.1174384@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149330

i built the ten-tec 1208 transverter and love it. The only thing i don't like is that the rig i use it with (a 757gxII) doesn't put out enough on it's xvtr output to drive it. The 1208 can be driven w/ 5 to 10 watts i think.. can't remember.. been a while since i built it, but i opted for the 10 watt drive. The pain in the rear is that i have to decrease my drive by a pot inside the 757 from 100 to 10. The 1208 works best in the lower portion of the band (SSB, CW) and that's all i use it for. But, when 6m is open, i've talked over 1000 miles via sporadic-e w/ just 10 watts and a dipole in my attic.

Shelby KE4AKA
sporadic@IHATESPAM.mindspring.com

>Hi...I'm thinking of purchasing some 6 meter equipment and would like to
>hear from anyone who's had experience with one or more of the following:
>
> a) Ten-Tec transverter
> b) MFJ's 6 meter SSB rig (an "adventure radio") I believe
> c) MFJ's 6 meter FM rig
>
>I only have enough $$$ to buy one of the above, so I'm interested in
>knowing the advantages/disadvantages of FM and SSB, how well the
>transverter works, what kind of activity I can expect on 6 meters,
>considering that I'll be running it from the car with a ground plane,
>and anything else that might be important. I'd appreciate any info.
>Thanks...
>
>Rob KB4ZGU

5588. Re: Use of low impeadence mic instead of high impeadence mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3517f0b6.206513879@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149331

On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 09:42:37 GMT, psam@giraffe.ru.ac.za (MR A MULDER) wrote:
>Does any one know how to adapt a low impeadence mic (600 ohm) for use on a
>rig that requires a high impeadence mic?

Sure. Use a 600:10k audio transformer. UTC used to make these in an octal plug-in package, and Switchcraft offers them in an inline package with male and female XLR connectors so you can just plug it into the mic line. Check with any pro music store, or Tech America, Newark, etc.

Gary
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5589. Re: Autek WM 1 opinions as pep meter ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Person <ki6bq@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3517fd3f.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 149332

Have Yaesu YS-60 and the Autek. Love the Autek a lot. Big easy to read meters. And the price is really pretty good.

Doug -- W4DXV

5590. FS: Yaesu FT-470 handie w/lots of extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa6tn.tmneal@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3518ffdb.9429959@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149333

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Yaesu FT-470 dual band 2mtr, 450mhz handie talkie
NC-37 Cradle Quick Charger
PA-6 Car Adapter/Charger
New 1400mah ni-cad battery
All perfect shape $225.00 firm

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To reply via e-mail, remove (aa6tn.) from e-mail address
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5591. SWAN MB-40 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <3518028F.D0F1A4DC@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 149334
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I am looking for a Swan MB-40A or plain. Frank KG9H

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

5592. Kenwood TM-G707A Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Moroney" <bob.moroney@lmco.com>
Message-ID: <351806CB.3E8C@lmco.com>
Source record: 149335

Does anyone have any information on the Kenwood model TM-G707A dual band mobile transceiver (shown in the Kenwood ad in the April '98 QST)?

It looked like some sort of follow-on to the TM-V7A, perhaps with the same chassis but an orange vs. blue display. It looked like the display uses larger characters than the TM-V7, at the expense of being able to show two frequencies/memory names at once.

The ad was very lite on any detailed information, concentrating more on telling readers how they'd be transported to a new level of cruising (!?) or somesuch. There's no information on the Kenwood web site, at least that I could find yesterday. I haven't tried calling Kenwood yet, but thought I'd check here first.

Any information/insights? How does it compare/differ from the TM-V7, or is it a replacement? Could it just be Kenwood's answer to the aging baby boomers' need for magnifying glasses to read the average LCD display? Or was it Kenwood's contribution to the April Fools issue of QST???

Cheers, Bob K9CMR

5593. Re: High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkeyes@mtnhome.com
Message-ID: <6f9blq$p1q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149336

In article <3516CB81.39AF@mci.com>,
stan.aughenbaugh@mci.com wrote:
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> b.h.jarvis@hw.ac.uk wrote:
> >
> > On 1998-03-12 dgf@netcom.com(DavidFeldman) said:
> > dg>Picked up a tektronix high voltage o-scope probe a while back - it
> > dg>has provision to be filled with a dielectric liquid/gas/vapor stuff
> > dg>to increase it's HV capability (10kv without, 25kv or so with the
> > dg>stuff). What is this stuff?
> > dg>Can you get it anymore, or is it CFC and not available?
> > dg>73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com
> >
Sounds like sulfur hexafluoride (SF6). It is still used by HV labs, utilities
and such. I don't know about a source. I would ask Textronix about the
specified material, as I may be all wet!
SF6 is inert and has no restrictions, but I wouldn't want to breath it, etc.
Jim Keyes, WA1TQG/5

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5594. FS: Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony White <twhite@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <6f97kq$5rv$1@usenet43.supernews.com>
Source record: 149337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Due to overabundance of projects I am selling the following items:

Kenwood R-2000. This BC-30MHz shortwave receiver is in excellent condition. Comes with manual. $300 plus shipping.

Bearcat BC760XLT, pre-ban model. This scanner radio is in excellent condition. Comes with antenna, charger, and copy of manual. $125 plus shipping.

* Hallicrafters SX-104. This 30-50MHz boatanchor receiver is in excellent cosmetic condition and good working condition. $75 plus shipping.

* Hallicrafters SX-105. This 152-173 MHz boatanchor receiver is also in excellent cosmetic condition and good working condition. $75 plus shipping.

* Special deal - take the pair for $125 plus shipping. (Sale pending)

Realistic DX-75. This GC boatanchor receiver is in very good-excellent cosmetic condition and good working condition. Includes an original (NOT a reproduction) instruction book. This is when Radio Shack was still Radio Shack, and not a Tandy division. $50 plus shipping. (Sale pending)

DenTron MT-2000A Antenna Tuner. 3kW PEP antenna tuner. This unit is in good cosmetic and working condition. $125 plus shipping.

Cobra 148GTL-DX CB transceiver. Excellent condition, including all original documentation and box. $250 plus shipping.

Marko 10-40M mobile linear. 75W, AM/SSB. Condition unknown. Take a chance? $25 plus shipping.

I need to get out of the radio business, so I would prefer outright sale to trades. Delivery possible in north Texas, eastern Oklahoma, or northwest Arkansas. If interested, or for more information, email me at twhite@cyberramp.net. Thank you.

5595. YAESU FT-51R Mod. and opinions wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Veit <christian.veit@netway.at>
Message-ID: <6f93htmuq1@news.netway.at>
Source record: 149338

I am thinking about buying the YAESU FT-51R Handy.
Has anyone some experience with it which he would share with me?
And maybe does someone know something about the Modification of this Handy?
Thanks very much in advance
Christian (OE3CVU)

5596. Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <mitstoll@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <35181138.DA03B0A@flinet.com>
Source record: 149339

Which one of these two new radios would you buy? I have been considering both since hearing about them. I am also of the notion to just wait and see which radio has the least quirks and/or bugs before considering. Gotta love all this new tech. that has radios with more features than ever before. Price quotes I have gotten have been 1830-1850 for the Icom and 1820-1850 for the Yaesu.

Cheers!

Joe

5597. Re: computer-generated RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Worthlin <rst579@uswest.com>
Message-ID: <6f95dr$149@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149340

If you run old ham DOS slow stuff like a logging program, or an RTTY or terminal program for a Packet setup ect. then consider an old laptop. The LCD screen is silent on the radio. My old Zenith 286 Supersport runs at 12Mhz and also no birdies on the radio. I got it at a swapmeet for $40. It takes 10 seconds (My birdie prone Wintel takes 2 minutes) to boot from a cold start which is handy to check the log quickly when your just monitoring with the puter off. My only drawback is a small 20 meg hard drive so no large ham database, although a 40 meg drive would fit a SAM database. If you can find a 386 then you could use a ZIP drive and that would be the cats meow.

In article <slrn6hasd9.8vh.r.s.eckman@eos1.larc.nasa.gov>,
r.s.eckman@larc.nasa.gov (Richard Eckman) wrote:
>I'm having a problem with computer-generated RFI getting into the rig with
>strong interference at a number of places on the HF bands, making DXing
>extremely difficult. I'm sure that others have discussed this in the past,
>but I've not found a recent reference to the problem.
>
-snip-
>I assume that others have encountered a problem similar to this. Any
advice on
>how to eliminate it? I would really like to use the computer with a
real-time
>logging program, but the noise renders the rig generally unusable when the
>computer is on.
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>Richard Eckman KO4MR
>Hampton, VA
>r.s.eckman@larc.nasa.gov

Hi Richard -

5598. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6f955k$b8n@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 149341

You have to wonder if the 847 has 2m, 440, 6 & HF and cross band repeat - you should be able to carry on an HF qso from your hand held while you are in radio range of your 847! This depends how much remote control yaesu built in to the 847.

Should be cool if they did it right.

Joe <mitstoll@flinet.com> wrote:
> Which one of these two new radios would you buy? I have been considering
> both since hearing about them. I am also of the notion to just wait and
> see which radio has the least quirks and/or bugs before considering.
> Gotta love all this new tech. that has radios with more features than
> ever before. Price quotes I have gotten have been 1830-1850 for the Icom
> and 1820-1850 for the Yaesu.

> Cheers!

> Joe

5599. Re: Murch UT-2000A Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <3517c970.9157241@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 149342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 15:40:01 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:
>
>The shield of the coax for the second dipole is always connected by the
>switch body, and it is substantially lengthening the effective common
>mode path. And the second dipole is probably acting as a parasitic
>element to the active dipole too, and that detunes the active antenna
>through shared common mode currents on the joined coax shields.
>
>The cure is to make sure you're using good choke baluns at the
>feedpoints of the antennas to suppress common mode currents,
>and that you're careful to route the coaxes so that they aren't
>getting induced currents on their shields from each other's
>antennas.

Hello Gary,

I recently completed phase I of my "ground frame" or "ground window"
project. All coax lines are now passing through a set of bulkhead
connectors mounted on a well earthed "ground frame" just outside the
shack. This gives a good ground to the outer shield at that point.

I was surprised how much it changed the behaviour of the tuning on all
bands and all antennas. It also alleviated some RFI problems.

I still need some advice on phase II, which is getting my power
outlets for the rig and the PC moved over to the "ground frame", or as
near to it as possible. Is it appropriate to mount outlet boxes on
the wall for 110v and 220v and have the steel shells of those boxes
going direct to the "ground frame" ? If so, what do I do with the
ground wire from the service panel that would normally go to those
outlet boxes?

73 de Bob, W9DMK
Change "nobody" to w9dmk for e-mail.

5600. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccox@No-SPAM-Please.uhc.com
Message-ID: <6f96ravmu1@pike.uhc.com>
Source record: 149343

GJUDD (GJUDD@prodigy.net) wrote:
:
: sold it under the Drake TR-22C label. Kenwood used to be Trio-Kenwood in
: the 70's
: and early 80's, and used the Trio name in markets outside the US.
:
Actually, they only used the named Trio in G-Land and Japan. I don't know
the reason for using it in Japan but Kenwood was a registered trademark
for a domestic consumer electronics company in Blighty, and was therefore
unusable by Trio.

They switched to the Kenwood name there too in the late 80's.

My very first two metre rig was a TR-2200G, and I picked up one of the
Drake OEM'd 22C's a couple of years ago at a local hamfest when I was
overcome by a wave of nostalgia!

The TR-22C was slightly different in that it had an internal nicad
charger, whereas the Trio TR-2200G didn't. Perhaps that was peculiar
to the UK model, though.

They made a follow-on model called the TR-2200GX which I believe was
identical to the TR-2200A. It had a more sensitive receiver, provision
to use their external VFO (similar to that available for the TR-7200
mobile rig, and an RF output of 2 watts, rather than just 1. It also
had a removable telescopic whip which could be replaced by a rubberised
helical. Many UK amateurs modified their 2200(G)'s to gain similar
functionality by removing the telescopic whip, and installing a BNC
socket in its place.

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Chris Cox, N0UK/G4JEC NIC Handle: CC345
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LINUX - aka Microsoft Windows/NT - The Final Service Pack

5601. WTT: Office97 for equip.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Hursh <jhursh2544@vax2.winona.msus.edu>
Message-ID: <6f93cp$15p$1@Urvile.MSUS.EDU>
Source record: 149344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the full install, Professional Edition MS Office97, never opened (still in shrinkwrap!). I would like to trade this for some radio equipment. I'm looking for 2m and HF equip. mainly, but will consider all propositions.

please e-mail inquiries: jhursh2544@vax2.winona.msus.edu

5602. Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem: SOLUTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980324155221.1142L-100000@titan.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 149345

Big thanks to...

Kenneth R. Teleis <ken@teleis.com>
Pete McGreevy <pmcgreev@mail.idt.net>

...for their assistance. In short the fan problem is common among many various models, so I guess this is just a feature. :) The fna will not move on power-up, will run at high speed at first key-up and a minute thereafter, then fall down to a slow speed indefinitely.

On the software side, the problem was with the cable. Apparently many ADMS-2D packages are coming out with the cable misconfigured. If you open up the shell on the DB9 connector, there are 2 wires--red and brown. The brown wire should near the outside edge, and the red on the inside. Mine (and others) are showing up in reverse. If you can solder just switch the wires. I did this and all is well in Yaesu programming land.

Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris

5603. TU-5 KENWOOD WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Filipe Ferreira <filipeferreira@mail.telepac.pt>
Message-ID: <01bd5764$58eb3e80$b5c941c2@host.telepac.pt>
Source record: 149346

Wanted,dead or alive, TU-5 sub-tone units for TS-711 and TS-811. E-mail: filipeferreira@mail.telepac.pt

5604. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6f99bt$57kk$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 149347

Joe - It depends what your interests are in the hobby. The FT-847 has 430mhz all mode capability while the IC-746 does not. The IC-746 has a built in antenna tuner and quad conversion receiver and therefore is probably a more serious hf radio. The big advantage about having 430mhz all mode is that you will be able to work high orbiting satellites. One might say so what right now, but when AMSAT finally gets Phase 3D in orbit (hopefully this year) it will be a huge event for amateur radio and there will be a lot of interest in working that bird because of its world wide coverage. The FT-847 is ready to work that satellite now with the proper antennas of course. 430mhz ssb will be the MAIN uplink frequency for Phase 3D. Of course you could always get a IC-746 and then a separate 430mhz all mode rig for satellite work, but then you are talking probably several hundred extra dollars even for good used gear that can put out 35 watts or more on 430mhz all mode, and it will not be near as convenient as having it all in one rig for tracking your duplex uplink/downlink frequencies. My two cents.
---- Steve N9ROU
Joe wrote in message <35181138.DA03B0A@flinet.com>...
>Which one of these two new radios would you buy? I have been considering
>both since hearing about them. I am also of the notion to just wait and
>see which radio has the least quirks and/or bugs before considering.
>Gotta love all this new tech. that has radios with more features than
>ever before. Price quotes I have gotten have been 1830-1850 for the Icom
>and 1820-1850 for the Yaesu.
>
>Cheers!
>
>Joe
>

5605. Fan for my Kenwood TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: olav@robin.no
Message-ID: <6f9aqi$o3b$2@troll.powertech.no>
Source record: 149348

The fan on my Kenwood TS-520 is showing signs of age and I am afraid it shall soon let me down. Seems to be difficult to locate in my vicinity. Is there anybody out there who have spare fan available or good ideas about where to obtain such?

Kind regards
LA2GKA Olav
olav@robin.no

5606. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V98 #344

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana@randomc.COM
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980324164345.27055C-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 149349

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random access internet shell account
standerd disclaimers apply.
e-mail dana@randomc.com
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5607. who had hs-5 headphones for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd56be$bf83c1e0$e9794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 149350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

the 5 station who i made a deal with on the kenwood hs-5 headphones please contact me i lost yor mailing address.
thanks 73 jack n9iif

5608. Icom T8A / HP MOD available?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrex@quik.com
Message-ID: <6f9ju4$m8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149351

Are there any other mods for this new HT? I have the new ICOM T8A/HP (high power)and am looking for a mod for it. Any will do but would appreciate BOTH a TX and RX MOD. If you can direct me to a site that has "up to date" MODs...that may help also.

In exchange, I have the IC 207H TX/RX MOD if someone wants it...

Thanks and 73's,

KF4TSF

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5609. HF-8040 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry L. Limle" <larry_l_limle@aud.alcatel.com>
Message-ID: <351835E5.5D2B@aud.alcatel.com>
Source record: 149352

I am still looking for a manual on these antenna tuners.

CU-2294/TSC-60(V)
FSN 5895-01-159-5159
ROCKWELL/COLLINS PN 622-3515-001

Larry Limle KC5IRX

5610. Re: Kenwood VC-H1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toshio Torii <cqdx@can.bekkoame.or.jp>
Message-ID: <6f5vfc$780$1@fu1.bekkoame.or.jp>
Source record: 149375

You can get information from this

http://www.hi-ho.ne.jp/~jf1qci/vch1.htm

(but written in Japanese.)

And there is another cool one, TS-570 home page

http://www.bekkoame.or.jp/~cqdx/

Toshio Torii JA6QXW

5611. Re: TNC For DX PacketCluster Use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Shanks <n1vbn@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd56b9$0529b5c0$5d7833cf@n1vbn>
Source record: 149376

Try the Kantronics KPC-3 it will do 10 users on vhf with no problem. I just tried my KPC-3 and no problem at all. You have to set maxusers to 10 first then set users to 10.

--
xn1vbn@bit-net.com
N1VBN IS MY HAM RADIO CALLSIGN
Remove the X to reply. Done to spoil
automated e-mail spammers.

Steve <kc0uh@pcisys.net> wrote in article <34F8026D.3626A807@pcisys.net>...
> Some of the local DX'er are trying to put together a DX PacketCluster
> but are having a problem finding a TNC to be used. The DX PacketCluster
> docs say the use a Kantronics KPC2 or KPC4 also the DRSI TNC (no longer
> made). Anyone have any of these items? If so please send me an E-Mail
> at kc0uh@pcisys.net with your price. If anyone knows where another TNC
> was configured for use with the PacketCluster program sure would like
> that information if possible and maybe a point of contact.
> Only requirement we have is that the TNC must allow at least 10 users at
> one time on VHF.
> Thanks
> Steve
>
>

5612. FS-Universal M-400 Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f6t8j$eef@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an excellent (brand new condition) M-400 that I have no need for, which I acquired as part of a package deal. It comes with the AC adaptor and original manual. The unit has no scratches, nicks or dents. The unit currently sells for $399 new, I would like to sell it for $150 shipped, or best offer.

Here are some basics from the original owners manual:

Shortwave reception modes include:

* baudot 45, 50, 57, 75 and 100 baud.
* ASCII 75, 100 adn 150 baud.
* SITOR A & B automatically selected by AUTOR.
* FEC-A 96 and 144 baud.
* SWED-ARQ S, M and L lengths.
* FAX (to printer port) 120 LPM 576 IOC

For VHF/UHF enthusiasts, the following capabilities are featured:

* ACARS Aviation message/telemetry mode.
* POCSAG Digital pager mode.
* GOLAY Digital pager mode.
* CTCSS (PL) Decoding 41 standard codes.
* DCS (DPL) Decoding 104 standard codes.
* DTMF Decoding 16 digits.

5613. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-- $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f700p$1vs@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Price reduced to $275 for quick sale!
>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
>>
>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>
>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>* Original manual
>>* Original rubber antenna
>>
>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>

5614. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-- $275 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f701q$1vs@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Price reduced to $275 shipped and insured to lower 48 States!
>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
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>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
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5615. Re: Yeasu CPU-2500 Service Manual ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6f7132$b78$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 149380

gauger@dsuper.net (Gilles Auger) wrote:

>Hi

>I try to put my hand on the Yeasu CPU-2500 service manual or at least
>his electrical schematic.
>I have some repairs to do on it, and I fly blind without this
>schematic that is not still available from Yeasu.

>Thanks in advance for your collaboration and excuse my English.

>Gilles Auger (VE2DRW)
>gauger@dsuper.net

I bought a Service Manual for the CPU-2500 on the web at :

http://www.sarrio.com/sarrio/rsman3.html

Yaesu (MAINT) CPU-2500R Transceiver $19

Rudy Sarrio is good to deal with and very prompt! Check out his web page! All his manuals have a cover and all relvant schematics are duplicated TWICE, which is a real nice touch!

Steve
WB7PSD

5616. WANTED: Collins 51J4 or R-388A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: l.mclaughlin@popmail.csuohio.edu
Message-ID: <6f725jhgr4@csu-b.csuohio.edu>
Source record: 149381

WANTED: Collins 51J4 or R-388A

Can pay up to $250 for a unit in good physical & operational condition with standard accessories. Candidly, I realize the prices of these Collins/military models are all over the map, but this is what I can afford to pay. May not find one on the net, but maybe I'll run into one via another source.

Email with details if you have a unit you wish to sell at this price.

Have Hewlett Packard Laser Jet II printer could swap as well. Can provide details on HPLJII if you're interested. This is one of HP's most desirable/dependable printers and least expensive to operate. Supported by Windows 95 as well.

Thanks

5617. IC271H manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Halffast <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bd56cb$cbf4a680$94e7f2cd@default>
Source record: 149382

I am looking for the operating manual for an Icom IC271H, a copy would do.
I am posting this for a friend and will pass on any info to him asap, and
will reply for him by direct Email. Thanks for reading.

5618. Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: landau@ymail.yu.edu
Message-ID: <EqAy0w.D23@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 149383

Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
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I recently picked up 2 broken Trios at a hamfest and am Trying to find
out more about them. One has a Case that says Drake and it fits like a
glove.

I'm wondering if it is a Drake indeed or a foreign knock off.
If you've heard of it or have a manual or schematic please email me.

73,
Ken
landau@ymail.yu.edu

5619. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: James M Allen <jmallen01@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6f77gddbl1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 149384

landau@ymail.yu.edu (Ken) writes: > Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
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> out more about them. One has a Case that says Drake and it fits like a
> glove.
>
> I'm wondering if it is a Drake indeed or a foreign knock off.
> If you've heard of it or have a manual or schematic please email me.
>
> 73,
> Ken
> landau@ymail.yu.edu
>
>
A Drake???? Trio is the orig. name for Kenwood. You might check them for shop manuals ,etc.

Jimmy
KC7BDP

5620. WTB : DRAKE R-8 VHF CONVERTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN-MARIE CHERRY <jmc@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <01bd56d3$fdbdbb40$1816eec3@Jammy>
Source record: 149385

Hi gang,

WTB : DRAKE R8 VHF CONVERTER and DRAKE MS8 external speacker.

Please email direct
--
Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

5621. Sold-Universal M-400 Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f73mr$sck@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thank you for your interest!

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>for, which I acquired as part of a package deal. It comes with the
>AC adaptor and original manual. The unit has no scratches, nicks or
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>* SITOR A & B automatically selected by AUTOR.
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>* SWED-ARQ S, M and L lengths.
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>* DCS (DPL) Decoding 104 standard codes.
>* DTMF Decoding 16 digits.

5622. Cross-Band Repeater - FT51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: VR2XST <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd56d2$fc676f80$8f0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 149387

Anybody can help !

My HT FT-51R cannot set as cross-band repeater even I hv try many time of
flwg procedure:

1) Hold rpt set/ (REV) while turning on the power
or
2) Hold rpt mno (6) while turning on the power

Pls adv any Mod is necessary to make my HT work on Cross-band Repeater.

Tks

73

5623. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd56d2$2261d640$6e8a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 149388

Trio is the old name of Kenwood, in fact you will find some Kenwood-Trio
labels on older gear. Never heard of a Drake link.
73, DavidC AA1FA

> Ken <landau@ymail.yu.edu> wrote in article
<EqAy0w.D23@news2.new-york.net>...
> Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

5624. ?ICOM IC-W32A DUAL BAND HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jng2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032403302201.WAA21703@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149389

Does anybody own one of these and can e-mail me some infor on it? I heard that it has alpha? Is this true. Also what is the scanning rate. How many channels does it have. Thanks

Jeff
JNG2000@AOL.COM

5625. HELP: Suegestions for dual band ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jng2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032403333001.WAA16228@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149390

I am looking to get a dual band ht. Must be 5 watts and be able to cover VHF and UHF commerical bands. I am also interested in alpha naming. I am interested in new units but if you have something for sale send me a e-mail with what you got. Thanks for your help.

Jeff
JNG2000@AOL.COM

5626. Re: Autek WM 1 opinions as pep meter ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032403453300.WAA24222@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149391

>
>I like mine alot.
>
>Kï¿½MB
>
Ditto that- I have two of them and they work great!

Phil--K1HS

5627. D-104 Silver Eagle microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermperez@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f7gfn$1fm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149392
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

$110.00 or best offer, in new condition, never used.

Please call collect 305-447-0534 (nights or weekends) for
more details, please try again if answering machine picks up..

Orlando Martin
Senor Fish Inc.
Miami, Fl

5628. ic-745

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jprocyk@direct.ca
Message-ID: <351736b6.3367684@mail.direct.ca>
Source record: 149393

I was just wondering if anybody out there has had any *bad*
experiences with this radio. I can get onef with ssb,cw filters and a
fm module for $500 USD. I was wondering was kind of features this
radio has and if anyone has a picture of the rig could they please
send it to me.

-73
-VE7HHS Vancouver Bc Can.

5629. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032404461200.XAA27594@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149394

And, Drake bought them from Trio, and pasted a Drake label on 'em.

Kinda like Henry Radio putting a Tempo label on the Yaesu ft-200.

K�MB

5630. Re: Cross-Band Repeater - FT51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <kNHR.45$Od3.363754@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 149395

I had the same problem as you and sometimes it works and sometimes it doesn't. I don't think there is anything wrong with it I just think we don't have something in the right mode.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
VR2XST wrote in message <01bd56d2$fc676f80$8f0148ca@nelson>...
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>Pls adv any Mod is necessary to make my HT work on Cross-band Repeater.
>
>Tks
>
>73

5631. WTB: HS-18 headphones (ANDRE read)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: duckman_osu@ionet.net
Message-ID: <351746bb.57353503@news.ionet.net>
Source record: 149396
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,alt.military.collecting

Wanting to buy a set of HS-18 headphones in good shape.
E-mail me condition and price. Thanks!

Dewayne Moore, WB5BNQ
duckman_osu@ionet.net
Check out my AN/ARC-5 site at:
http://www.ionet.net/~duckman_osu/

(Andre, if you read this, please resend your e-mail message to
me...I'm sorry, I accidently deleted it while trying to send a reply.
<stupid grin> I am very interested in your phones!)

5632. FS-NIB Bearcat 2500XLT - $250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f7hfg$kap@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
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>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
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>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!

5633. FS- One Sony Pro-80 handheld left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f7hd0$kap@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>>I have two (2) Sony Pro-80s for sale. They are both in excellent
>>cosmetic and electrical condition. Each comes with the original
>>manual, VHF adaptor, leather carrying case, battery holder, nicads,
>>and antenna. Would like to sell for $175 each + actual shipping cost.
>>
>>For those unfamiliar with the Pro-80, here are some basics:
>>
>>* Handheld battery operated unit
>>* 40 memories in any combination of sw/am/fm/vhf freqs.
>>* 3 scan modes.
>>* Am narrow/wide mode
>>* Fm narrow/wide mde
>>* Upper/Lower ssb mode with knob adjustment
>>* Fine tunning control
>>* Tone hi/low
>>* Squelch/auto squelch adjustment
>>* Frequency coverage from 150khz - 30 mhz
>>* Also covers 115.15 - 223.00 mhz with included VHF converter.
>

5634. Buy Sell Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ltjlee@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032406333001.BAA17277@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149399

If you are looking to buy sell or trade equipment stop by my page at http://members.aol.com/ltjlee/ham .html here you can place FREE ads...yes FREE ads and I promise that this is not on of those sites that tells you it is free and the trys to get your credit card number. Give it a shot.

73
KC0BID

5635. FS: Uniden Bear Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: st1055@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032406474800.BAA18909@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149400

For Sale Uniden Bear Tracker Model BCT-10

The Worlds Smallest Mobile Scanner

Features:
Highway Patrol Alert With Strength Meter
Highway Patrol Coverage
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5636. six meter rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rah1@hopper.unh.edu
Message-ID: <slrn6hemm2.inc.rah1@hopper.unh.edu>
Source record: 149401

Hi...I'm thinking of purchasing some 6 meter equipment and would like to hear from anyone who's had experience with one or more of the following:

a) Ten-Tec transverter
b) MFJ's 6 meter SSB rig (an "adventure radio") I believe
c) MFJ's 6 meter FM rig

I only have enough $$$ to buy one of the above, so I'm interested in knowing the advantages/disadvantages of FM and SSB, how well the transverter works, what kind of activity I can expect on 6 meters, considering that I'll be running it from the car with a ground plane, and anything else that might be important. I'd appreciate any info. Thanks...

Rob KB4ZGU

5637. WANT: ATLAS 210X HF RIG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6f7m9u$10i$5@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149402

Hi! I am looking for to buy a HF rig "ATLAS 210X" with the noise
blanker on it,if you do have one in good working order for a descent price
(I do not really need the console)
Please let me know,Thanks in advance.....73
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

5638. Re: Kenwood TM-G707A Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Moroney" <bob.moroney@lmco.com>
Message-ID: <35192011.55AB@lmco.com>
Source record: 149203

Wolfgang, thanks very much for the pointer to the "www.kenwoodcorp.com" site. Silly me, I was looking at the "www.kenwood.net" site, and expecting to find the information in the Amateur Radio pages there!! Ah, well... Maybe Kenwood will get "all" their sites synched up some day, but at least now I can go to the hamfest this weekend armed with a bit more knowledge. It looks like the TM-G707A/E is a functionally slimmed-down version of the TM-V7, with a larger display font for us farsighted old guys, probably at a lower price point than the TM-V7. Thanks again!

Best regards, Bob K9CMR

U. W. Brandenburg wrote:
>
> Did you try
>
> http://www.kenwoodcorp.com/i/products/amateur/fmmobile/tmg707.html
>
> Vy 73 de Wolfgang DH7BG

5639. Re: FT-847 Price is $1344 Dollars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3519235c.241805722@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149204

On 23 Mar 1998 16:50:02 GMT, Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:
>You are really out of step with the times.
>
>Work on the radio? Its all disposable surface mount plug and play. There
>are no servicable parts. Only replaceable boards. You can train a chimp to
>fix a computer now.
>
>Too bad you still retain the image of a real radio technician fixing
>things with meters and all that. Its 1998 and you are still in the early
>1960s.

PC repair is normally done at the board level because the boards
are commodity items. It is cheaper to replace the board than the
labor cost of doing component level repair. But that isn't the case
for radios. The boards are not commodity items. Production runs
are short, and some of the analog parts on the boards are expensive.
So they are still repaired at the component level. Fortunately, surface
mount technology makes that easier than in the days of thru-hole
components.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5640. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT-$250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fb7nt$rro@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

$250 shipped within the lower 48 States!
>>
>>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>>been unmodified.
>>>
>>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>>
>>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>>following:
>>>
>>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>>* Original manual
>>>* Original rubber antenna
>>>
>>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>>
>

5641. FS- Unblockes AOR 3000A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fb7qd$rro@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>
>>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>
>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Software and computer cable
>>* AC adaptor
>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>>* Telescopic whip antenna
>>
>>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>

5642. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <35193524.7B27@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149207

N9ZTR wrote:
>
> Best solution,,, buy a small 100w 2m amp.
> the PA in that radio is just about maxed out.
>
> These small amps can be driven with 10w. and put out 100w.
> They cost about 199.00
>
> Dave
DON'T USE AN AMP ON 2 METERS WITH A 706 UNLESS THERE ARE NO WEAK SIGNAL GUYS WITHIN 50 MILES OF YOU!! YOU'LL GET NOTHING BUT COMPLAINTS... they sound terrible with 10 watts and if you amplify that it just gets MUCH WORSE!!!... Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

5643. Icom IC-W32A dual band ht new for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <YL9S.210$PR4.2812860@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149208

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with a
CP-12L cigarette lighter power adapter, HM-46 microphone, BP-180 battery and
instruction manual. Here are some specs:
true dual band receive V/V, V/U or U/U
crossband repeater mode
receives from 118 to 174 and 400 to 470 normally
receive range can be expanded by a simple keypad sequence
I get cellular images perfectly from 600 to 999.995 mhz
200 alphanumeric 8 character memories
backlighted keypad
full CTCSS transmit and receive and scan to identify while receiving
can be programmed by computer, software included
transmit frequency range expandable by a simple hardware mod
5 watts output with 12 volts D.C. or BP-173 battery
3.5 watts output with included BP-180 battery
power saver mode and auto power off function
tone scan, tone squelch and pocket beep operation
dtmf memory
auto repeater function
A check of HRO puts the price at over $400. with the included accessories.
I will let it go for the best offer over $300. U.S. shipping included by
airmail. I cannot ship c.o.d. from Canada to the U.S., other arrangements
can be made.
Still on warranty for one year, this is new equipment.
If interested, contact me by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5644. Still looking for Standard 510A freq. expansion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-2503981117260001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 149209

Anybody out there have it?

5645. FS: Yaesu FT-470 handie w/lots of extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa6tn.tmneal@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <351a3406.24820409@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149210

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Yaesu FT-470 dual band 2mtr, 450mhz handie talkie
NC-37 Cradle Quick Charger
PA-6 Car Adapter/Charger
New 1400mah ni-cad battery
All perfect shape $225.00 firm

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To reply via e-mail, remove (aa6tn.) from e-mail address
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5646. Alinco DX70T Experience?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Fred H. Naumann" <fnaumann@micron.net>
Message-ID: <3519390E.AC1FE1FD@micron.net>
Source record: 149211

Do any of you have hands-on experience with the Alinco DX70T. I'd appreciate any comments, whether good or bad.

\73...Fred Naumann, N7ACB (please reply to: fnaumann@micron.net)

5647. Re: TM-V7 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc@aargh.mayn.de
Message-ID: <z+d3C*xRh@aargh.mayn.de>
Source record: 149212

In article <6f9nh7$et3$1@news.netlabs.net>, Thomas M. Swift writes:

> I just bought a TM-V7, and Kenwood told me that they were writing
> their own software. If I heard them correctly, they will be posting
> it on the web and making it available for free. The cable to link the
> rig to the PC will have to be purchased.

I'm not sure what's talked about here, but when you want to control the V7 from your PC, I'm developing an interface right now. It's an I2C slave and connects to the LCD interface.

5648. FS Tek 2213A oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fbhc5$lof@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149213

Hi All
I have a for sale.
Tek 2213A oscilloscope 60MHz
Good working and mint condition.
$ 400.00 plus shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

5649. Re: FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KO6MW@*.vidiot.org
Message-ID: <3519474c.163457953@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 149214

On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 22:59:00 -0800, Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Sure, but this does not look like a contender for mobile rig of the
>year! Seems more suitable for a base radio. Why no base AT options,
>then?

I believe that an Antenna Tuner is an option at around $250ish dollars
for the FT-847. The radio is supposed to be approximately the same
size as the Kenwood TS570, which wouldn't make a bad mobile.

I myself would prefer the FT-900CAT for a mobile because of the
detachable faceplate, but I would consider the FT-847 later. I also
wouldn't buy this radio anytime during the first 6 months to a year of
Production for the US Market.

73 es gud luck!
de KO6MW
Glendale, CA

5650. FS Tek oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fbhlr$nb0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149215

HI All
I have a for sale
TEK 475 scope 200MHz $ 350.00 plus shipping
TEK 465M " 100MHz $ 245.00plus shipping
TEK 466 " 100MHZ $ 340.00 plus shipping
Good working codition and without Probes
Thanks

5651. Re: High voltage dielectric gas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: whester@nyx.nyx.net
Message-ID: <890850007.592863@iris.nyx.net>
Source record: 149216

I have a Tektronix P6015 Probe, 1000:1 attenuation, rated at 20Kv DC or RMS, with maximum pulse voltage of 40Kv.

It was provided with a can of High Voltage Dielectric Fluid, Fluorocarbon 114 (C2 CL2 F4) to fill the probe. The Tektronix part number on the can is 252-0120-00. There is also a warning in the instruction book not to use any other type of fluorocarbon fluids, because dangerous pressures may develop.

The fluid charge of the probe is visable through the transparent nose of the probe when the probe tip is pointed down. Any liquid visible is indication of proper pressure inside the probe.

The instruction book has a copyright date of 1974.

73, Bill, N0LAJ

--
Bill Hester, Amateur Radio N0LAJ, Denver CO., USA
Please route replies to: whester@nyx.net

5652. FS: KENWOOD TS820

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: anthony gallo <Tonygallo-kc2wt@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fbjcm$sm0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149217

FS: Kenwood TS-820 with matching vfo
MC-50 mike excellent working condition
Asking $400
Please respond to my e-mail at
tonygallo-kc2wt@worldnet.att.net

5653. FS: HY_GAIN ANTENNA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: anthony gallo <Tonygallo-kc2wt@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fbjft$sm0@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149218

FS: Hy-Gain 10 and 15 Meter Duo band antenna
with Alliance dual speed rotator includes all
manuals Asking $200 Please respond to my e-mail
at tonygallo-kc2wt@worldnet.att.net

5654. FS Kenw. TS-140S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: modemzap@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032518595301.NAA19603@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149219

FS: Kenwood Ts-140s
160-10mtrs WARC
100watts (adjustable)
General Coverage receiver
LSB,USB,CW,FM,AM
31 memories
stock mic up/down control
power cord
owners manual
Excellent conditon
$475

5655. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@usa.net
Message-ID: <6fbq2r$s49$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote a lot of good stuff, which I clipped.

Then he said a dumb thing:

>
> (The base radio need be no better than an old
> Galaxy V or SBE-34.)
>

If a radio "no better than" a Galaxy V or SBE-34 were available today, even at a retail price of $300, they would not be worth taking home.

Even in their day, they were low-end, drifty, barely acceptable equipment, and outclassed by most every other rig available at the time.

Hans

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5656. FS: ICOM Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351959E8.1C96225A@idt.net>
Source record: 149221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

FOR SALE: ICOM 735, AT-150 Auto Tuner, SM-8 Mic, etc.
One-owner ICOM 735 (ser #11631) includes SM-8 desk mic,
handheld mic, built-in keyer (EX243) & 500Hz (FL-32) filter,
plus matching AT-150 HF Full Automatic Antenna Tuner. All
manuals included. Buyer pays shipping charges.....
$750!

CJH
KI7EW

5657. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: houle.jean-marie@ireq.CA
Message-ID: <v03130300b13f1186be3c@[204.19.49.46]>
Source record: 149222

>Yeah, I have TR-2200a sitting in my close. Crystal 2m radio. Bought
>it in the early 80's.
>
>DavidC wrote:
>>
>> Trio is the old name of Kenwood, in fact you will find some Kenwood-Trio
>> labels on older gear. Never heard of a Drake link.
>> 73, DavidC AA1FA
>>
>> > Ken <landau@ymail.yu.edu> wrote in article
>> <EqAy0w.D23@news2.new-york.net>...
>> > Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Drake had a similar radio called TR-22

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Jean-Marie Houle houlejm@ireq.ca
Institut de recherche d'Hydro-Quebec Tel (514) 652-8083
1800 Boul Lionel Boulet Fax (514) 652-8435
Varennes, Quebec
Canada, J3X 1S1

5658. Kenwood TR-2500 Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Poole <pooles@arkansas.net>
Message-ID: <6fboll$47p$1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 149223

I have just reciently aquired a Kenwood TR-2500 HT and would like very much to pick up some of the accessories. The items that I would like to find are as follows.

ST-2 Base Stand
MS-1 Mobile Stand
TU-1 Programmable tone encoder
BT-1 Battery Case

If the price is right I would also like to buy the VB-2530 RF Power Amplifier. If anyone has these items for sale please contact me by e-mail. The e-mail address follows.

pooles@arkansas.net

73s
Tracy Poole KD5DBE

5659. -Schematic needed Tandy DX-390 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Galgano, KF4WCL" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <351965FC.5461@america.net>
Source record: 149224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Hi Group,
I'm posting this message for my Dad. He has a Tandy/Realistic DX-390 receiver that quit working. He's looking for a schematic so he can repair it. Can anyone help???????
Replys by E mail please.
Thanks,
John Galgano
KF4WCL

5660. F/S TS-930 SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <3518DDBF.4299@swbell.net>
Source record: 149225

I have a very nice ts-930 for sale ,2# seral, many updates by kenwood,no filters,works very good...$700 Bob

5661. Re: IC-706 Remote Programming Commands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: h0444xrp@blablarz.hu-berlin.de
Message-ID: <35183b6a.52141765@newshost.rz.hu-berlin.de>
Source record: 149226

On 23 Mar 98 00:08:37 GMT, Joe Dubner <dubner@comtch.iea.com> wrote:

>Has anyone else experimented with homebrew software to control the Icom
>IC-706 transceiver via RS-232? I'm curious if you've discovered any
>commands other than the 10 in the manual's skimpy information.
>
A while before, someone directed me to AMSAT Hawai IIRC, there is a
slightly larger pdf document with a few more commands explained...

73! de Olaf

--
Olaf Fichtner, DL7UND, JAIG#133 HU Berlin, Chinese&Japanese Department
DF0BLM page at http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/dd6uts
Please delete "blabla" in the address for correct reply...

5662. Yeasu 840 parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bearcat@cloudnet.com
Message-ID: <35191BFA.5F1786B@cloudnet.com>
Source record: 149227

Looking for a good mail order company with low prices to get parts for my ft-840. Actually a couple so I can compare prices. Tnks. Randy

5663. FS: Palomar TX-50 HF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5e45$53558840$50f21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 149228

Palomar TX-50 3-30Mhz Broad banded Ampifier.

In very good condition . 60 Watts output.

Selling $60. shipped.

Marty WA2MC.

FS. Tram diamond 60... 23 CH> AM and SSB radio in very good condition
$100 shipped

5664. Info on Motorola Saber HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clifford Conklin <REMOVETHISconklin@rtp.ericsson.se>
Message-ID: <3519865C.6837@rtp.ericsson.se>
Source record: 149229

I have a Motorola Saber HT and need some feedback as to what would be the best way to get it programmed (outside of paying a shop $35.00 each time). I wonder what most of you guys that own Motorola do to get it programmed. Does anyone know of a good place on the web to find documentation on Motorola HT's? Please respond to:

conklin@rtp.ericsson.se

Thanks and '73,

Cliff Conklin WA2LMC

5665. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <35197AE9.F02F62B5@wavefront.com>
Source record: 149230

Jordan Arndt wrote:
>
> N9ZTR wrote:
> >
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Well, it depends on what you are doing. I use one here to drive a Radio Shack amp on FM. I have the 2m power out set to 5 watts and there is no problem whatever. By the way I AM a weak signal guy.

On the other hand, if you use it to drive one of the many so-called linear amps full out on SSB and try to use RF switching to boot, then there will be plenty of complaints. However, if you use hard switching for the amp and keep the drive down so that the amp is relatively linear, it shouldn't be much of a problem. It'd be a good idea to check with your weak signal ham neighbors to be sure that the drive really is low enough for linearity.

(The careful reader may note that I am not really all that much a believer in linear brick amps! They are possible, but many if not most folks overdrive them.)

Good luck and 73, CJ K0CJ

5666. Kenwoos TS-440s for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032521480400.QAA17282@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149231

Kenwood TS-440s with microphone, manual, power cable. Updated by Kenwood factory
service. Excellent condition.$625 I'll ship.KB2VX Rob 516 486 1861 qin2@aol.com. (NY)

5667. Re: TS-820S AUX band switch ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: captal123@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032522471101.RAA27434@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149232

>Does anyone know the actual use of the AUX band on a TS-820?

I have a TS-830 with an aux band position, so for whatever it's worth this is what my op manual says.....

"An AUX receive band is also available.
Coilpack (Receiver front-end) and PLL components must be
installed and aligned for the specific receive frequency range
desired"

73s AL K2DYH

5668. Re: wtb: Kenwood accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6fc1jn$n7h$2@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 149233

In article <6f3b5i$fu7$1@news-in.anc.net>,
"Tracy Poole" <pooles@arkansas.net> wrote:
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>
>If the price is right I would also like to buy the VB-2530 RF Power
>Amplifier. If anyone has these items for sale please contact me by e-mail.
>The e-mail address follows.
>
>pooles@arkansas.net
>
>73s
>Tracy Poole KD5DBE
>
>
>

-------------I had also tried to get a battery pack and tone encoder but no
replys last year.

I have the base charger and mobil holder/charger but am not selling them.

If you nead to use the PL tone and most repeaters use the same tone you can
just set the trim pot via a scope --- which is how mine was set for the
107.2 tone used in my area.

Good luck,

73,

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

5669. trunktracker, Alinco DR-130 2M mobile and GE-PCS edacs radio for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Thorpe <no@spamjerk.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5843$0abaa860$0db584cc@jack>
Source record: 149234
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Uniden trunktracker scanner for sale. $175.00. Perfect condition including the box and manuals.

I also have a Alinco DR-130 2M mobile rig for sale. Asking $200.00 for this unit. In good shape. Comes with mounting bracket and appropriate plugs. Also comes with radio shack magnet mount mobile antenna

GE-PCS radio for sale. Will work with EDACS systems. Have this programmed for Denver Co and Westminster CO, receive only. This is a hobby radio for me. Will sell for $400.00 firm.

Will sell all radios at once or one at a time. If you're interested, please email me at

N0VLD@yahoo.com

for those of you who don't know. the 0 in N0VLD is a zero, just incase you're not familiar with ham callsigns.

Jack

5670. Re: Realistic/Tandy DX-390

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <351991BB.7E2F@stc.net>
Source record: 149235

Try this
http://139.60.219.10/search97cgi/s97is.dll

Look close and there is a tbl shooting document

Bob

John Galgano, KF4WCL wrote:
>
> I'm looking for a schematic for a Realistic/Tandy DX-390 receiver.
> I hope some one out there can lend a hand.
> Thanks in advance for your help.
> E mail replies please.
> John
> KF4WCL

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73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

5671. Schematic Needed Realistic/Tandy DX-390 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Galgano, KF4WCL" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <35199048.51D0@america.net>
Source record: 149236

Hi Group,
I'm looking for a schematic for a Realistic/Tandy DX-390 receiver.
I hope some one out there can lend a hand.
Thanks in advance for your help.
E mail replies please.
John
KF4WCL

5672. Realistic/Tandy DX-390

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Galgano, KF4WCL" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <351990E0.6048@america.net>
Source record: 149237

I'm looking for a schematic for a Realistic/Tandy DX-390 receiver.
I hope some one out there can lend a hand.
Thanks in advance for your help.
E mail replies please.
John
KF4WCL

5673. FT-51R DUALBAND W/ACCESS FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032523594501.SAA07339@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149238

FOR SALE: Yaesu ft-51r dual band ht alpha display w/5w batt orig box &
accessories & unfilled warranty card. No "mods" ever done. Great condition,
used very little. Accessories also included Maha slim 2w NImI BATTERY, Maha
drop-in ft-51 rapid charger nicad/nimi, Yaesu 12v radio lighter adaptor, 2pc.
of "the pouch" neoprene case 1 for radio w/each batt size. I pay shipping cash
only cod ground UPS. $425/all. E-MAIL if interested.
for reference.....radio= $315, rapid chgr= $45, NiMi battery=
$30, 12v cradle=$19, 2 pouches=$15 shipping= n/c(will cost me about
$18).....don't want to seperate as i have no need for the accessories after
the radio is sold.
Current new discount "Street Prices" on this stuff --- radio 5w new
=$480 rapid chger new = 70 NiMi batt new =59 12v cradle new =38 pouches
new=32/2 +SHIPPING =$680+ Approx if purchased new

5674. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hoodlaw@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <6fccc3ctl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149239

In article <EqAy0w.D23@news2.new-york.net>,
landau@ymail.yu.edu (Ken) wrote:
>
> Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
>
****
*
>
> I recently picked up 2 broken Trios at a hamfest and am Trying to find
> out more about them. One has a Case that says Drake and it fits like a
> glove.
>
> I'm wondering if it is a Drake indeed or a foreign knock off.
> If you've heard of it or have a manual or schematic please email me.
>

I got one (Trio Kenwood TR-2200);the Drake version was made for Drake by
Kenwood (I think) - exact same radio as best I can recall. I bought mine new
around 1977 - my 1st 2 meter rig. Crystal, 10 channels, mobile style case,
Nicads, telescoping antenna. I got the mobile mounting bracket for free as a
promo. I probably have a manual somewhere if you need a copy -- E-mail me.

73, KM4AF -- Chip.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5675. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3519AF6D.77DF@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149240

CJ wrote:
>
> Jordan Arndt wrote:
> >
> > N9ZTR wrote:
> > >
> > > Best solution,,, buy a small 100w 2m amp.
> > > the PA in that radio is just about maxed out.
> > >
> > > These small amps can be driven with 10w. and put out 100w.
> > > They cost about 199.00
> > >
> > > Dave
> > DON'T USE AN AMP ON 2 METERS WITH A 706 UNLESS THERE ARE NO WEAK SIGNAL
> > GUYS WITHIN 50 MILES OF YOU!! YOU'LL GET NOTHING BUT COMPLAINTS... they
> > sound terrible with 10 watts and if you amplify that it just gets MUCH
> > WORSE!!!... Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...
>
> Well, it depends on what you are doing. I use one here to drive a Radio
> Shack amp on FM. I have the 2m power out set to 5 watts and there is no
> problem whatever. By the way I AM a weak signal guy.
>
> On the other hand, if you use it to drive one of the many so-called
> linear amps full out on SSB and try to use RF switching to boot, then
> there will be plenty of complaints. However, if you use hard switching
> for the amp and keep the drive down so that the amp is relatively
> linear, it shouldn't be much of a problem. It'd be a good idea to check
> with your weak signal ham neighbors to be sure that the drive really is
> low enough for linearity.
>
> (The careful reader may note that I am not really all that much a
> believer in linear brick amps! They are possible, but many if not most
> folks overdrive them.)
>
> Good luck and 73, CJ K0CJ
The problem with the IC-706 on 6 and 2 is the poor 3rd order IMD about
25db down... and people seem to think that heir wattmeters should be
near full scale when they use ssb I have not heard a clean 706 even a
markII ... anyways as far as linaers go garbage in = MORE garbage out
especially in the BRICKs we see today... 73 de Jordan...

5676. RE IC820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3519B023.42DC@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149241

Does anyone recall the name or e-mail address of the person who had the IC820H with 2 meter outpu problems... please e-mail me... 73 de Jordan VE2SWL/VE6...

5677. ICOM IC-R10 Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James C. Garland" <4CX250B@MIAVX1.MUOHIO.EDU>
Message-ID: <3519A2D3.18CC@MIAVX1.MUOHIO.EDU>
Source record: 149242

Hi Gang,

I've just acquired a little Icom ICX-R10 receiver which is the little one that looks like a handi-talkie, but covers 0.5MHz to 1300MHz, I bought it to take with me on an overseas trip this susmmer. Are there any programming or modifications for the radio that I should know about? The European version has expanded frequency converage, and I'm guessing might be selected by a keyboard initialization sequence. However, I don't have any info on the radio, other than what's in the user manual.

Thanks,

Jim W8ZR

5678. FS PS-53

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <3519C5AA.5EBA@hauns.com>
Source record: 149243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Like new Kenwood PS-53 power supply. $125.

5679. FS Kenwood TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Hugg <chashugg@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3519E857.5EF9@earthlink.net>
Source record: 149244

Like new TS-570D for sale, used very little, perfect, box, manual, mic, $950. Charlie, K5MBX

5680. Reflections... (not the RF kind :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <3519D986.7A2EECE0@together.net>
Source record: 149245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

I was just fortunate enough to be the benificary of some old QST's from
a friends' Grandfathers estate...

So.. I grabbed the Dec 1959 issue off the top of the stack... here are
some observations and thoughts:

The Collins KWM-2 Was HOT! Lots of ads for it.. and only $1095.00...
A Hornet 3-Band, 3-Element Beam was $49.95...
A Spaulding 48' Tilt-Over tower was $176.21...
Radio Shack was selling Collins Equipment (75S-1 Rcvr, 32S-1
Xmtr, 312B-4 Spkr), only $27 Down...
Burgess Battery Company was still in business...
"CB" was not a dirty word, and 11Meter gear was being
advertised
(of course you needed a license for CB then too
... :)
Heathkit had not yet reached it's pinnacle with
regard to ham gear...
(They had nothing to compare with Collins/Gonset,
etc. top of the line stuff)...

There were a lot more of the little cartoons spread throught QST (I miss
those! let's get them back in QST! Jeeve's we need you!)

Found a real neat/interesting design for a 1KW linear.. :)

Most of the businesses advertising in Dec 1959, are no longer in
business.....
But... they have been replaced by new companies selling similar
products...
So... what does that tell us?

Speaking of the "cartoons"... miss those scruffy looking cats that let
us spot those "Strays"... which were one of the more enjoyable aspects
of QST to read :)

Here's a few choice strays from Dec, 59'

"K4PPR, whose last name is Beam, lives at 73 Grid Drive"

"WA2BWT reports the FCC's sense of humor is still in high gear. They
issued WV2BRA to his cousin, a YL."

"W2YVP says he got a QSL from W1RJA confirming a QSO that took place
eleven years ago, but doesn't
tell us how come it took so long to get the card."

"W1SS conducted tests with several other members of the SDL net on
the morning of the eclipse in
New England, Oct. 2. H reports that he himself was in the path of
the darkened area and that all the
net stations he worked were outside the path of the eclipse. All
these stations reported sizeable
increases in his signal strength during the period of the eclipse."

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Also got a copy of the 1956 Radio Amateurs Handbook....

The "Amateur's Code" changed a bit... "Gentlemanly" is now
"Considerate"... an appropriate change..
other wording has been "modernized" ....

It seems as though too many hams today ignore the code, especially the
"Considerate" and "Friendly" parts... If the flames and name calling in
these newsgroups are any indication...

The ARRL seems to be more interested in marketing ARRL products than
anything else... I went up to the ARRL web site, and tried to find the
Amateurs Code... couldn't find it... (I did find out how to order an
ARRL coffee mug...)

Tom
KB1CGA

5681. Re: Need AM filters for FT101 series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4qhh@gate.net
Message-ID: <3519475f.7824231@news.gate.net>
Source record: 149246

Yes, Yaesu made an sold the XF-30B AM filter, 6Khz wide Rx....
It or the CW filter was optional & only "1" filter would fit the
board... Fox Tango-Club - one time supplied a switchable 2 filter,
adapter board... Haven't seen one in years...

Food for thought.

Tom 73'

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 18:00:30 GMT, spammers@must.die.com (KF6IIU)
wrote:

>Was there ever an AM filter provided by Yaesu? The manual for my FT101E
>shows the empty filter positions simply bypassed by capacitors, and
>mentions no AM filter. The 101E shipped with the 2400 Hz SSB filter and
>the CW filter was the only option I knew of. Of course there could be
>3rd part filters..
>
>-w
>

5682. Ripoff Conclusion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gpewitt@execpc.com
Message-ID: <6fbujm$f29@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 149247
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono

I received the radio today. I also received a letter from Mr. Lessa
stating that he was not going to send the radio and containing a check
for the full amount. I checked out the radio which was rather ugly but
works well enough.
It seemed worth the money so I am keeping it and have returned Mr. Lessa's
check. Of the dozen messages I received with comments on Mr. Lessa
3 were favorable and 9 were not. One was quite funny and I wish I had
permission to reproduce it here. I sent the original check on
Jan 8th and received the radio on March 25th. So, end of story.

5683. FS: Collins 180L Var. Inductor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <35184db2.4352581@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 149267

Original buyer changed his mind, so here it is again :
Variable Ribbon Inductor sub-assembly from Collins 180L Antenna
Tuner. 28 uh total inductance. Driven by 28 vdc motor. Fair Radio
had these for $35 at one time.
$25 plus UPS on 10# from 02173
73, Dick, W1KSZ

5684. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9ztr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032500242900.TAA17024@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149268

Best solution,,, buy a small 100w 2m amp.
the PA in that radio is just about maxed out.

These small amps can be driven with 10w. and put out 100w.
They cost about 199.00

Dave

5685. FS:2 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5786$434d1040$74f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 149269

i have a very nice radio shack htx-212 45 watt mobile
with the following..box,manual.micand mobilr bracket,also power cord
never mobile
price: 160.00 shipped
might do trading on something interesting
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

5686. Re: Yaesu FT1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6sfg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032500492100.TAA21350@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149270

I produced the promotional and training videos for Yaesu USA.
I put the radio through it's paces and was, and still am, thoroughly impressed.
What can I say!
It is a terriffic! piece of ham gear...well worth the price!
I've also overheard several amateurs on the air that have owned the Icom and
Kenwood competition that like the 1000 mp best.
Those radios are also fine products and that's not to say that the other radios
may appeal to some more than the Yaesu, but when you hear of those that have
the disposeable cash to choose whatever they LIKE most and choose the Yaesu
product, That's a pretty solid endorsement!
Sincerely,
W6SFG
http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html
Bruce Braun
President: Creative Teleproductions, Inc.
Web site:http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html

5687. Realistic HTX-202 - 2 meter hand held VHS FM TRANCEIEVER Great Price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: stan26@unicomp.net
Message-ID: <351b578c.285608@news.unicomp.net>
Source record: 149271

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Realistic HTX-202 - 2 meter hand held VHS FM TRANCEIEVER
great shape, very little use, all parts, extra batery pack
Sells for $249.99 NEW I will let it go for $125.00 obo.
stan
stan26@unicomp.net
Irving, Tx
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5688. Re: YAESU FT-51R Mod. and opinions wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <nqZR.307$Od3.984477@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 149272

Check out http://www.ocpapsych.com/ft51mod.htm for the complete list of mods.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

Christian Veit wrote in message <6f93htmuq1@news.netway.at>...
>I am thinking about buying the YAESU FT-51R Handy.
>Has anyone some experience with it which he would share with me?
>And maybe does someone know something about the Modification of this Handy?
>Thanks very much in advance
>Christian (OE3CVU)
>
>

5689. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f9osf$3vc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149273

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,,: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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5690. FS: Kenwood 711 Allmode 425.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6f9p4n$3vc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149274

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Kenwood 711 2 MTR AllMode
No PL.
Price: 425.00
Reply E-Mail.
Rich
```

5691. TS-820S AUX band switch ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: !*dimitrip@tiac.net
Message-ID: <35186555.17640913@news.ecom.net>
Source record: 149275

Does anyone know the actual use of the AUX band on a TS-820?
There no reference to it in the Operations or Service manual. Is it a
"make it whatever you want " band . Probabaly not...but what are the
options?

TIA
Dimitri P.

5692. Sparta Console

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Kaeding <randyk@parrett.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5794$fc15b7e0$b1e41ece@default>
Source record: 149276

I know this is somewhat off topic, but I know there are many other hams out there that are also in the broadcast field.

I am looking for the schematic for a Sparta AS-40 Console and the Sparta MAS-50 Amplifier.

Any help?

Randy, K8TMK
"One of the Hams at Heathkit"

5693. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: leeh@interaccess.com
Message-ID: <35186e79.1216239@nntp.interaccess.com>
Source record: 149277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 17:06:09 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 10:43:45 -0800, Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>>Remember a few years back when everyone was talking about
>>under $500 HF transceivers to be sold at Radio Shack.
>>
>>Well, they are coming. First SGS Corp, now ADI Premiere.
>>So let us get the fear machine in gear. Cheap gear = CBers.
>>
>>What the manufacturers are looking at is incouraging Technician
>>Class Hams to upgrade. And there are a lot of them out there.
>>A thing to note is that much of the equipment has been aimed at
>>the high end contester, not the beginner. What made some of the
>>old (70s/80s) transceivers so popular was the market they targeted.
>>
>>I am glad to see someone with marketing sense.
>
>Yeah, but lets see if they do it right. SGC did *not* do it right.
>A basic HF transceiver needs to be 100 watts right out of the
>box. You need that if you ever want to drive an amp, and you
>need that if you want to compete on an even footing with
>other amateurs running barefoot. Another QRP rig misses
>the target. Now making the rig 100 watts costs about $100
>extra, but that's non-negotiable as far as I'm concerned,
>even if it forces the street price above $500.
>
>Ideally, I'd like to see a big enough heatsink fitted that
>a fan would not be necessary. There's no need to make
>this radio the size of an IC-706. It should be targeting the
>low end desktop.
>
>The bit quoted below about leaving out high technology
>also completely misses the mark. High technology is
>*cheaper*, if done intelligently. A $5 DSP chip can give
>you what costs over $175 to do with analog. The new
>Kachina radio, while not in the target price class, still
>points the way toward how to build a modern radio. Do
>all the heavy duty filtering, processing, and mod/demod
>in software. The only thing analog in the radio should be
>the RF front end and the audio output stages.
>
>I'd like to see almost all mechanical controls removed

>from the radio. They're expensive due to the interconnects,
>are the most failure prone components, and should be
>replaced by a multifunction membrane touchpad. With
>intelligently written control software, that can be more
>flexible than mechanical controls, and cheaper too.
>
>Note that next to the PA, the largest cost of this
>radio is in the firmware. That can be pared back to
>basic functionality in the base radio to hit the target
>price. If the firmware is stored in eeprom, feature
>upgrades could be sold and downloaded into the
>radio over the internet.
>
>(The base radio need be no better than an old
>Galaxy V or SBE-34.)
>
>And ADI could offer a software development kit so that
>independent firmware could be developed for the radio.
>I'd pay up to $200 extra to have that.
>
>A radio like this could be built to sell for a street price
>of $475, but I'd be willing to go as much as $575 for the
>base radio. ADI could offer higher profit accessories for
>the radio, such as an external autotuner. Keyer firmware
>could be an extra cost upgrade, more filter choices could
>be an extra cost upgrade, direct PACTOR mod/demod
>could be an extra cost upgrade, etc. Even if the margin
>on the base radio is paper thin, money could still be made
>on it via these optional firmware features.
>
>Gary
>

While costing slightly more than the $500 target, an existing radio
that meets these specs is the ICOM-707. I obtained mind for $730.

Lee
KB9RYF/AA

5694. Re: six meter rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6f9r8e$em5@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 149278

Robert A Herschbach <rah1@hopper.unh.edu> wrote:

: a) Ten-Tec transverter
: b) MFJ's 6 meter SSB rig (an "adventure radio") I believe
: c) MFJ's 6 meter FM rig

: I only have enough $$$ to buy one of the above, so I'm interested in
: knowing the advantages/disadvantages of FM and SSB, how well the
: transverter works, what kind of activity I can expect on 6 meters,
: considering that I'll be running it from the car with a ground plane,
: and anything else that might be important. I'd appreciate any info.
: Thanks...

You didn't say *which* transverter. I have the 2 meter to 6 meter version. It works just fine. I run mine SSB from the house, but the manual states that Ten-Tec expected it to be run FM with an HT as the driver. Be aware that there is limit to the drive input on the transverter. If you plan on using your existing mobile rig on low-power it should work, but be careful not to key-up on high power...nasty things will likely happen.

As far as FM vs SSB thats a big question. Is there any FM activity in your area? You can check with a scanner (most will receive 6 meter FM signals) but don't expect the same activity as is found on 2 meters. SSB operaton is generally for more distance/week signal type work and likely to be horizontally polarized (while FM is generally vertically polarized)

The spec info on the MFJ FM "data" radio say nothing of CTCSS encode (or maybe as an later "option") This is something that you are likely to *need* as most FM repeaters (at least in this area) have tone access to prevent garbage from tripping the repeater.

I understand that the MFJ SSB radio works ok. Understand that is analog tuning and does not cover the entire 6 meter band, but within its limits is a good "starter" radio.

When the band is open 5 or 10 watts will reach out many states away.

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Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"

5695. TM261

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa0lkf@gte.NET
Message-ID: <199803250308.VAA07398@smtp2.mailsrvcs.net>
Source record: 149279

Is there any mod out there to extend the transmit range of the TM261A past
the 152.meg where it stops? I bought it thinking it would go up to 174.
but not so?? Anyone with any ideas. wa0lkf@gte.net

5696. -FS- Kenwood Service Manuals/TM-721A/TS700S/TH25A/....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@x2.alliance.net>
Message-ID: <6f9unv$4i3$1@News.Alliance.Net>
Source record: 149280
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale....

All Manuals are originals, (no photocopys).

Kenwood TS-700S Operating Manual $10.00

Kenwood TM-721A/E Service Manual $14.00

Kenwood TH-25A/AT/E Service Manual $12.00

Kantronics KPC-4 Tech.Referance Manual $3.00

Realistic Pro-2021 Scanner Owner's Manual $4.00

All are Clean and complete....

....I also need $2.00 shipping.(USA48)

Email me...

Ron Sibbitt N8LMT

n8lmt@x2.alliance.net

5697. Re: ic-745

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dejim@mail.execpc.com
Message-ID: <35188f88.96811682@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 149281

ian...the 745 was icom's top of the line twelve years ago or so.
that's when i got mine. it is still my primary rig. solid,
well-built, and reliable. of course, you must evaluate the particular
unit you're considering acquiring. but in general, it's a classic,
and if you can get one in good shape for 500 dollars (u-s or
canadian?) grab it.

dejim in minnesota. thanks, el nino.

On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 04:27:01 GMT, jprocyk@direct.ca (Ian Procyk)
wrote:

>
>-VE7HHS Vancouver Bc Can.
>

5698. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: park@cascade.kriss.re.kr
Message-ID: <6fa38i$1uu$1@usenet.kreonet.re.kr>
Source record: 149282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <35186e79.1216239@nntp.interaccess.com>,
Neuralmancer <leeh@interaccess.com> wrote:
>On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 17:06:09 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:

>>A radio like this could be built to sell for a street price
>>of $475, but I'd be willing to go as much as $575 for the
>>base radio. ADI could offer higher profit accessories for
>>the radio, such as an external autotuner. Keyer firmware
>>could be an extra cost upgrade, more filter choices could
>>be an extra cost upgrade, direct PACTOR mod/demod
>>could be an extra cost upgrade, etc. Even if the margin
>>on the base radio is paper thin, money could still be made
>>on it via these optional firmware features.
>>
>>Gary
>>
>
>While costing slightly more than the $500 target, an existing radio
>that meets these specs is the ICOM-707. I obtained mind for $730.
>
>Lee
>KB9RYF/AA

While not offered in the US market, there is another one.
Take a look at
http://www.chollian.net/~hl1aqs/rig.htm
It says it costs 880,000 Korean Won.
Recent Dollar/Korean Won exchange rate has been fluctuating
between 1400 - 1600 Won/Dollar.

I have seen the rig at one of the Hamfests here in Korea.
I didn't like it too much mainly due to the poorly done cosmetics.
Being tuned the radio just for 3 minutes, I have no idea about its performance.

If interested, contact with the company directly.
The web page has contact information.

Regards,

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�� �� �� (Yongsup Park) | +82-42-868-5397(O), 5032(F)
Surface Analysis Group, KRISS | park@kriss.re.kr
P.O. Box 102, Yusong | http://www.surface.kriss.re.kr/~park/
Taejon, 305-600, KOREA | Amateur Radio: DS3GLW

5699. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT - $250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fa27d$l90@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
>>
>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>
>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>* Original manual
>>* Original rubber antenna
>>
>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>

5700. Dualband Antenna Ideas??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumb@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3519916a.1528702@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149284

I am looking to build a dualband antenna in my attic and was wondering
if anyone had any plans for one that would work. Please reply via
email:
Gumb@hotmail.com

5701. Yaesu FRG-8800 Schematic/Service Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbojczuk@dlcwest.com
Message-ID: <3518b3e2.3877872@news.dlcwest.com>
Source record: 149285

Greetings!

Does anyone have a copy of the schematic/service manual for the FRG-8800 that you can photocopy or scan for me? I will pay all expenses including postage. At the very least I would like to get a hold of a copy of the schematic for this radio. If you could help me out I would really appreciate it. Thanks in advance!

Don B.

5702. Rubber Duckie is WAY TOO BIG.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3518BD24.E1C08CB@hevanet.com>
Source record: 149286

I read a lot of posts requesting better antennas for the new smaller
handehld transceivers.
What I wanted was a SMALLER antenna.
What about getting rid of the duck altogether? And wire is cheap.
There's a pix and more information on what I did at
http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u/ant.html
miker
--
Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

5703. Re: TM-V7 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tswift@infi-pos.com
Message-ID: <6f9nh7$et3$1@news.netlabs.net>
Source record: 149287

Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton) wrote:

>I am looking for the EZ Clone Software for the TM-V7,
>as I understood it can not be purchaised any more.

>Is anyone willing to sell it ?

>Thanks in advance,

>Greetings, ...

I just bought a TM-V7, and Kenwood told me that they were writing
their own software. If I heard them correctly, they will be posting
it on the web and making it available for free. The cable to link the
rig to the PC will have to be purchased.

Tom W2BD

5704. Re: FS: IC-706 MK I

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980325092052O1.EAA00721@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149288

I will buy your 706 Icom
kilo5joe@aol.com
Thanks and 73
K5JOE
Joe in Little Rock,, AR

5705. Audio Amplified Chips for HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: VR2XST <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd57cd$23a88200$a60148ca@nelson>
Source record: 149289

I am looking for the Chips NJM2073M (Audio amplify) for my HT C520 and TA7368F for my HT C150. Anybody can help me how/where I can order these Chips.

Thanks a lot

73

5706. Re: Yaesu FT1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6falassae1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149290

Can you distinguish the goodness of the EDSP as to DSP on other boxes?

In article <19980325004921 00.TAA21350@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
w6sfg@aol.com (W6SFG) wrote:
>
> I produced the promotional and training videos for Yaesu USA.
> I put the radio through it's paces and was, and still am, thoroughly
impressed.
> What can I say!
> It is a terriffic! piece of ham gear...well worth the price!
> I've also overheard several amateurs on the air that have owned the Icom and
> Kenwood competition that like the 1000 mp best.
> Those radios are also fine products and that's not to say that the other
radios
> may appeal to some more than the Yaesu, but when you hear of those that have
> the disposeable cash to choose whatever they LIKE most and choose the Yaesu
> product, That's a pretty solid endorsement!
> Sincerely,
> W6SFG
> http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html
> Bruce Braun
> President: Creative Teleproductions, Inc.
> Web site:http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5707. Re: Make A Fortune with Bulk Emails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Krywonizka <not.gonna.h@ppen.spammers>
Message-ID: <3518DC85.A60E6E82@ppen.spammers>
Source record: 149291
Cross-posted to: rec.pyrotechnics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Phil wrote:

> Agincourt, Ontario,
> Canada, M1V 1V0

I'm ashamed to live in the same country as this @$$hole.

I can think of a few things we could send him through the mail that
would activate upon opening the package, but disclosing what that would
be on this newsgroup might not be too politically correct. ;-)

Stay green,

Andrew K.

Visit pyrotechnics.info - Home to pyrotechnics on the internet!
http://www.pangea.ca/~gryphon
(soon as the new gTLD's are active, the URL will change appropriately)

Find me on ICQ: 5025799
E-mail: gryphon <at> autobahn <dot> mb <dot> ca

"Gun control: Occupational Health and Safety regulations for criminals"

5708. DRAKE STATION FOR SALE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6faktg$3ab$1@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149292

Hi! I do have for sale a DRAKR TR-4 and the RV-3 remote vfo,and
the power supply,they are all in excellent working and looking condition
no tune-up required,just has been done, give about 200 watts out.
comes with manual.(finals have been not to long ago)
ASKING: $400.00 U.S. Thanks 73
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

5709. F.S. KENWOOD TS830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6faktm$3ab$2@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149293

Hi! I do have for sale a KENWOOD TS-830S for repairs or parts
(my knoledge in repair is not good) might be a simple thing.
it is complete and all toghther,phisically look good.
Comes with manual and service book.
ASKING: $200.00 U.S. plus ship.
THANKS........73

Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

5710. Re: VC-H1 Kenwood Visual Communicator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dadanish@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fapobvsm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149294

In article <6epc9d$mq6$1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>,
"Mitch Bogart" <mbogart@rampageinc.com> wrote:
>
>
> Daniel Abranko wrote in message ...
> >In article <6ei42frdv1@winter.news.erols.com>, "Kent Hufford"
> ><khufford@erols.com> wrote:
> >
> >>First the Paula Jones report this last Friday, now I get my APR 98 QST on
> >>Sat. .. almost too much in one weekend.
> >>
> >>On the back of the QST is the VC-H1 Visual Communicator. Neat stuff!!! Why
> >>had not some one thought about this before. Jee more toys!
>
> Great. I always thought this product would happen in the future some time.
> The real questions are:
>
> 1. How fast can it burst an image? If I'm mobile an using a repeater with
> others
> waiting to talk, is it a 5 second or a 2 minute delay for me to send or
> receive a
> picture.
In the ad (which i read closely as I got excited over it :-) it says that it
"offers full compatibility with all of the standard SSTV formats." Sounds
like however long it takes to do a "normal" SSTV image will be the same for
here.
>
> 2. How cheap can these things get. There is a mass market for digital
> cameras
> so the components benefit from quantity price reduction. The market for a
> microphone
> with digital camera, though is much smaller.
Yeah. I was unable to find a price, not in QST nor on the 'net.
>
> Still, if the answer to question 1 is < 10 seconds and the answer to
> question 2
> is < $100, then I think these things should take the 2 meter ham community
> by storm.
Yeah! That would kick! :-)
>
> I would love for that to happen and then, while driving, send some images to
> my
> club repeater with instructions to email them to me at work!
>

> I'm looking forward to everyone else's 2 cents and especially anyone with
> any
> additional info on this thing. Internet searches do, indeed turn up zilch.
Yeah. I couldn't find anything about this.
>
> Mitch KA1KL
>
>
Chris N2YYZ

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5711. FS: Ham Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032511492501.GAA03011@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149295

I have the following Radio, and electronic equipment for sale. Reasonable offers or trades for radio and Pentium computer EQ. will be considered. All working last time tested unless noted. Shipping is extra.
Thanks

• Tempo-1- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. Looks good and works well. 100W output. $200

• Swan Cygnet 270B Transceiver (80-10 Meters). Looks Good and works well. On scale of 1/10 it would be 8-9. This rig has an internal Power supply. $250

• Swan 350 Transceiver (80-10 Meters). Looks Good and works well. On scale of 1/10 it would be 8-9. This rig has an external Power supply. $250

• Motorola VHF Remote All tube Model: PA8270J SER.NO: 8697. There is also a tone Signal and intercom control on front below speaker. This is the type that was used by police and fire dispatchers in the past. Don't know if it works. $50

• Heathkit HW 101, 80-10 meter transceiver. No Power supply. It is receiving, but not transmitting. Not able to test. Looks are 7/10. As is $80.

• Hallicrafters Model S-108 SW Receiver with a calb. Ham band spread. Looks good works well.$75

• MFJ Rtty/CW Computer Interface Model MFJ-1224, used for copying code from the radio to your computer. $50

• Pearce Simpson, Guardian 23- All tube CB Transceiver/with mobil power cord and mounting bracket. Looks and works Good. $100

• Traynor, Group Two B- Audio Amp Head. High/ Low mic. in puts. Master volume, volume, bass, treble and tone shaper controls. $125

• Channel Master- Tube Stereo Receiver (Model 6612) and matching amp (Model 6601) Looks good and plays on FM. AM not working. $150 for both.

• Sams CB Photofact- Several volumes, some continuos: numbers as follow: Continuos 57- 65. Individual 70,72,80,88,93,98,104,120,122,128 178,190,226.Will sell all or 10 for $3.50 each+ shipping. Single volumes are $8 plus shipping.

• AR Inc.- Stereo Amp, all solid state. $100

5712. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6faub8$205@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 149296

Because the 847 has 440 but I think most people would want 440 for other reasons.

I envision when I go on vacation I can bring one radio and set it up and have 440, 2m, 6 and hf. I will bring a small switching power supply and not have to transport extra radios etc.

Where I live there is lots of 440 activity. The popularity of dual band mobil rigs indicates we are not alone in wanting more bands in a single package.

You have to assume the other vendors are scrambling to bring 440 into there rigs. The MarkII already is giving $100 rebate and lots of freebies. I would think we will see 440 standard on these rigs within 6 months.

The cross band repeat that will allow you to acces hf from a hand held it too attractive to pass up (for me).

5713. IC-756 magazine reviews ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: xhduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <3518ff39.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 149297

Looking for references to reviews on the Icom IC-756 transceiver.

Please DO NO AUTOreply.
Send a NEW message to hduff@ica.net

5714. WTB AEA DSP-2232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Barnett <lbarnett@claimsware.com>
Message-ID: <01bd57f7$b2ef2e80$133a88d1@c238.globalvision.net>
Source record: 149298
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I just recently came across a used AEA DSP-2232 and am very pleased with the unit. Now my buddy wants one. No new equipment dealers seem to have them in stock.

Anybody got a DSP-2232 for sale? Please reply with price, condition and location. Reply to me and I'll pass on the info.

lbarnett@claimsware.com

73,

Lee, KJ4BF

5715. FS KLM satellite antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Barnett <lbarnett@claimsware.com>
Message-ID: <01bd57f8$3d0e5fa0$133a88d1@c238.globalvision.net>
Source record: 149299
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Due to a recent purchase, I now have an extra set of KLM satellite antennas for sale.

KLM 2M-22C and KLM 435-40CX

These are the current, top of the line, models.

$200.00 plus shipping for the set.

Please reply to: lbarnett@claimsware.com

73,

Lee, KJ4BF

5716. Re: Kenwood TM-G707A Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "U. W. Brandenburg" <brg@acm.org>
Message-ID: <351906D6.CA83C64E@acm.org>
Source record: 149300

R.Moroney wrote:

> telling readers how they'd be transported to a new level of cruising
> (!?) or somesuch. There's no information on the Kenwood web site, at
> least that I could find yesterday. I haven't tried calling Kenwood

Did you try

http://www.kenwoodcorp.com/i/products/amateur/fmmobile/tmg707.html

Vy 73 de Wolfgang DH7BG

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U.W. Brandenburg / E-Mail: brg@acm.org

5717. Re: Murch UT-2000A Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3519096a.235162231@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 20:49:34 GMT, nobody@crosslink.net (Robert Lay) wrote:
>On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 15:40:01 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>>
>>The shield of the coax for the second dipole is always connected by the
>>switch body, and it is substantially lengthening the effective common
>>mode path. And the second dipole is probably acting as a parasitic
>>element to the active dipole too, and that detunes the active antenna
>>through shared common mode currents on the joined coax shields.
>>
>>The cure is to make sure you're using good choke baluns at the
>>feedpoints of the antennas to suppress common mode currents,
>>and that you're careful to route the coaxes so that they aren't
>>getting induced currents on their shields from each other's
>>antennas.
>
>Hello Gary,
>
>I recently completed phase I of my "ground frame" or "ground window"
>project. All coax lines are now passing through a set of bulkhead
>connectors mounted on a well earthed "ground frame" just outside the
>shack. This gives a good ground to the outer shield at that point.
>
>I was surprised how much it changed the behaviour of the tuning on all
>bands and all antennas. It also alleviated some RFI problems.

Well, now you know why. If you improve the balance of your antennas,
the ground window will make much less difference in the tuning, and your
antennas will work more like they are designed to work too.

>I still need some advice on phase II, which is getting my power
>outlets for the rig and the PC moved over to the "ground frame", or as
>near to it as possible. Is it appropriate to mount outlet boxes on
>the wall for 110v and 220v and have the steel shells of those boxes
>going direct to the "ground frame" ? If so, what do I do with the
>ground wire from the service panel that would normally go to those
>outlet boxes?

Bring the safety wire from the entrance panel to the ground window
first and bond it there before going on to the outlet boxes. The hot
wires also must go to the ground window *first*, get suppressed there,
and then go on to your outlet boxes. Power is no different than your
coaxes in this regard. It has to go to the ground window first, then
go on to the equipment in the shack.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5718. FS-KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G Melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6fb2l6$7ef$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 149302

KENWOOD TM-733A DUAL BAND 144/440 FM FOR SALE GOOD CONDITION HAVE BOX IN
BOOK $425.00 CALL GABE AT
1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT

n1hhf@110.net

5719. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6feikb$ki3@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 149004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>>K0HB@usa.net wrote:
>>>Gary Coffman wrote

Why don't you guys consider getting yourselves some hand tools and components, and build your own radios. You'd gain some valuable experience, save money, and wouldn't look like such appliance operators.

Jeff

5720. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6fei4s$k9h@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 149005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Go to your nearest Radio Shack that is also the district clearance center.
You can buy NIB discontinued scanners for a fraction of their original
price.

Jeff KH2PZ (Note header: fol-ups directed to .scanner)

5721. FC: Yaesu FT80C/CAT HF Xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: RH Oemar <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <351A8685.74E4@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 149006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Yaesu FT80C/CAT HF tranceiver, 2 yrs old, all bands, Tx/Rx 0.5-30MHz
continuous, USB/LSB/CW/AM, 100W (adjustable), VG & xtra clean, plus
MH-1B8 hand mic but w/o manual and original box. US$425 shipped FedEx
COD.

Please email if interested.

73,
Richard

5722. FS Fluke 85RF Probe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gerba <pgerba@crl3.crl.com>
Message-ID: <6fe5rljcc4@nnrp1.crl.com>
Source record: 149054

Fluke 85RF High Frequency Probe, new w/instructions. $55 shipped in lower 48.

pete

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Peter Gerba
pgerba@crl.com

5723. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Anderson" <dmanders@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6fe678$n1j@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149055

The TR2200, also known as a TR22 was made by Trio Communications of Japan
and sold in the U.S. with a Drake label. Very nice, very old, very low
power crystal 2 meter radio. Finding a manual or service for it could be
difficult.

Dave WA6KHH
wa6khh@qsl.net

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Ken wrote in message ...
>Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
>**
****
>
>I recently picked up 2 broken Trios at a hamfest and am Trying to find
>out more about them. One has a Case that says Drake and it fits like a
>glove.
>
>I'm wondering if it is a Drake indeed or a foreign knock off.
>If you've heard of it or have a manual or schematic please email me.
>
>73,
>Ken
>landau@ymail.yu.edu
>
>

5724. FS/T Stndrd C558A Dual H/T+Acc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Woodley <woody1@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <351AA02B.87D942E9@teleport.com>
Source record: 149056

For Sale or Trade for a Yeasu VX-500 with Keypad or
a nice 6 Meter All Mode.

Item Retails???
(1) Standard C558A Dual Band (2m/.70m) HT Radio $500.00 ish
(1) 12v battery (CNB152, 600 mAH) $99.95
(1) 7.2v battery (CNB151, 700 mAH) included
(1) Alkaline Case for 6 AA's (CBT151) 22.95
(1) 12v cigarette lighter adapter (CMA550) $15.00 ish
(1) Standard Rapid Charger (CSA181A) $109.95
(1) Radio Shack Patch mic. $free
(2) Rubber duck antennas (the origianal and a 2nd) $included/free
(1) MFJ dual band mag mount antenna (unknown model) $20.00 ish
(1) BNC to SO239 adapter $free
(1) Grip-o-matic HT Holder $5.00 (maybe)
(1) Original Owners manual.
Most original boxes they came in.
==========
$772.85 Retail New

All for sale for $375.00 plus Shipping and any COD charges.
Unit is approximately 2yrs old. Good working condition.

Contact information.

Brian, KC7LWZ
Email at woody1@teleport.com
Packet at KC7LWZ at KC7KFE
Home QTH is Salem Oregon 97301

5725. Re: VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas May <mayt@gw.twc.com>
Message-ID: <01bd58bd$b3cc0f00$0fc68e97@tmay.wiltec.twc.com>
Source record: 149057

The VX-1 is never really off. The CPU is always scanning for a key press. When the "power key" is pressed, the CPU wakes up the rest of the radio. If the CPU is not functioning correctly, it may not be scanning the power key. You could try removing the battery, and then WHILE HOLDING IN THE POWER KEY, re-insert the battery. When power is first applied, the CPU should make at least one pass over the input keys. (You could also try holding the M/V AR keys and replacing the battery, just in case your power switch is bad!)

Good Luck.
KA3GYI

Ieong Weng Kei <tico@macau.ctm.net> wrote in article
<351A5708.54E0@macau.ctm.net>...
> Hello All,
>
> Please let me know how to fix the problem of VX1R,
>
> can't power on after fully charge, I try to hardware
> reset, but still can't power on.
>
> thanks in advance if you can tell me how to fix this problem.
>

5726. Re: Reflections... (not the RF kind :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb9gkz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032619150600.OAA23233@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149058

Great observations...

I think I know why the ARRL is so busy selling coffee mugs
and trinquets...they have already "sold out" ham radio.

Pat, WB9GKZ

5727. ***Yaesu FT-767 HF & 2 meters..$850.00***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fe5sndln1@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149059

Yaesu FT-767gx in ex.con. with SP-767 speaker with filters, MD-1 desk mic, FRB-757 relay box, and both the service an owners manual. Price is $850.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

5728. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fe98g$70s$3@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 149060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 14:42:34 -0600, K0HB@usa.net wrote:
>
> >Gary Coffman wrote a lot of good stuff, which I clipped.
> >
> >Then he said a dumb thing:
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> >>
> >> (The base radio need be no better than an old
> >> Galaxy V or SBE-34.)
> >>
> >
> >If a radio "no better than" a Galaxy V or SBE-34 were available
> >today, even at a retail price of $300, they would not be worth
> >taking home.
> >
> >Even in their day, they were low-end, drifty, barely acceptable
> >equipment, and outclassed by most every other rig available at
> >the time.
>
> A lot of hams cut their teeth on the old Galaxy. I did. It was a lot
> more stable than a lot of the tube equipment out there in the same
> price class (much better than my NC190 drift-o-matic), it packed
> an astonishing 400 watt PEP (input) rating into a small (for its day)
> box, and it was *cheap*. Selectivity wasn't great, third order intercept
> was wretched, etc, but it sufficed as a cheap way to go SSB mobile
> in the tube days. Its only real competition was the KWM-2 and the
> TR-3, both of which were much more expensive.
>
> Today, even the cheapest rig will be synthesized, so drift is no
> longer an issue. If they follow my suggestion to go to DSP early
> in the radio, selectivity as sharp as you desire will be just a
> firmware upgrade away. Dynamic range may be less than a
> top of the line radio, but hey, what do you expect for 500 of
> today's dollarettes?
>

Gary:

I have looked into building a DSP receiver. I figure four or five
ICs: RF stage, Mixer/IF stage, DSP for filtering and detection,
and an AF stage plus a microprocessor to run things.

The hard part would be programming. But what you have is a reconfigurable receiver that can have any mode added.

DSP is becoming the heart of communications. A typical CD player has a DSP chip, filter chip and audio chip. DSP is used in the audio front ends for FM broadcasting transmitters.

It would be easy to make a DSP transceiver. It would really drop the cost. Of course you have already made that point.

5729. Re: IC706 - HELP - MOD HIGH POWER (100W OR 50W) IN 144MHZ BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@htl.net>
Message-ID: <351B158B.B4C358C7@htl.net>
Source record: 149061

Jordan Arndt wrote:

> The problem with the IC-706 on 6 and 2 is the poor 3rd order IMD about
> 25db down... and people seem to think that heir wattmeters should be
> near full scale when they use ssb I have not heard a clean 706 even a
> markII ...

Well the new IC746 is -10db 3rd order on 50MHz!!!!!!!!
Even worse!

5730. ft 50 button

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. McCuen" <tmccuen@csi.com>
Message-ID: <351A90FB.1D36@csi.com>
Source record: 149062

Yaesu just sent me a replacement button for the FT50 (new version is shorter to prevent acc turn-on of radio)

Ok, so what are the steps to disassemble the radio to swap the power button??

Tnx in advence
Tom aa2vk

5731. Re: Advertisment Icom IC746 ï¿½1399 New

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@htl.net>
Message-ID: <351B10B1.18A846B9@htl.net>
Source record: 149063
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Martyn wrote:
>
> Special Deal price from Multicomm 2000 New Icom IC746 H.F.+6+2 Transceivers
> at our very special price of ï¿½1399 Also Special deals on all MFJ products.
> Save over ï¿½100 on the MFJ 989C ï¿½275 and save ï¿½80 on the MFJ259 Analyser
> ï¿½149
> Please feel free to visit our web site at http://www.multicomm2000.com
> We ship world-wide FAST
> Sorry if we have offended anyone by our advertising

Hmmmmm!
I had a message passed to me today to say that Multicomm 2000 are no
longer Icom authorised UK dealers!

5732. FS/FT: KENWOOD TS520 HF $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Crew <dc@citynet.net>
Message-ID: <6feclb$192$1@news.citynet.net>
Source record: 149064
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have a TS520 hf rig I would like to sell or trade for a good HT... would
like an older dual-band, but will take newer 2m. An MT1000 would be perfect
as well (VHF, complete).
the 520 works great, face in good cond., case fair (cosmetic, no dents)
Will sell outright for $200.
email for details or phone number!
thanks,
Randy

5733. WTB: Philips oscilloscope manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre Constantineau <pierre@cmpe.ubc.ca>
Message-ID: <351ABE99.4B6FB544@cmpe.ubc.ca>
Source record: 149065

Hi,
I have a Philips oscilloscope model PM3233 which I do not have any manual for.
It is a 0-10Mhz scope - two channels

I am ready to pay for copies and shipping

Thanks

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Pierre Constantineau B.Eng Email: pierre@cmpe.ubc.ca
M. Applied Sciences Candidate Phone: (604) 822-2913
Flash Smelting Group Fax: (604) 822-4750
Centre For Metallurgical 111-2355 East Mall
Process Engineering Vancouver, BC, Canada
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5734. Re: RE IC820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620503101.PAA06055@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149066

I dont know if it was John W, a friend of mine here in Little
Rock, AR has an 820H Icom, that only does 6 watts on 2meter.
He was gonna sell for $ 850.00
If that was him , email me back.
kilo5joe@aol.com

5735. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032620574001.PAA04025@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149067

Where did you get the information that you can crossband
repeate to HF on the 847? It only states that it will do
full crossband duplex, that is not crossband repeating.
K5JOE
PS but I hope it will.

5736. Atlas 350 XL Manual??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. M. 'Puck' Motley W4PM" <hmmjr@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351AC4A1.4652@erols.com>
Source record: 149068

A friend needs a copy of the manual for the Atlas 350XL transceiver. A photo copy would be just great.
Thanks,
Puck, W4PM

5737. djg1e mod's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donatien Charlot <dcharlot@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <351AC1AD.3EDC@club-internet.fr>
Source record: 149069

hello,
i'm searching for DJG1E mod's for extentend receive range.
Thank's

5738. IC-745 on E-BAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <351AD21D.15DD@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149070

I have my IC-745 Fully loaded on E-Bay at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9201738

take a look... you won't be dissapointed...

5739. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>
Source record: 149071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm

5740. s-53 schematic source

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: koehl <koehl@et.anl.gov>
Message-ID: <351ACA42.66AD@et.anl.gov>
Source record: 149072

Setting up email and news

This section gives you some background about Internet protocols and the preference items you use to set up your email
and news services. Upcoming sections describe mail and news services in more detail.

Before you can exchange email or access any newsgroup news, you need to tell the Netscape application how to make the
appropriate connection to the server computer handling various protocol. Where your World Wide Web server uses uses
the HTTP protocol to transport page information, your outgoing and incoming Internet mail servers use mail protocols
(SMTP and POP3) and your Usenet news server uses a news protocol (NNTP).

Do you know the name of your email servers and news server? If not, you will have to find out from your service provider,
systems administrator, or resident know-it-all. After specifying the names of these servers as preference items in the
Servers panel, Netscape software lets you send and receive email and newsgroup postings.

Here are some of the preferences you can set in the Options|Mail and News panels.

In the Servers panel, specify your mail server names in the Outgoing Mail (SMTP) Server field and the
Incoming Mail (POP3) Server field. You should specify local mail servers, if available. Often, the same server
name is appropriate for both fields and the name can be as simple as mail. You should also enter your email id (the
part of your email address to the left of the @ symbol; not the entire address and without the @ symbol) in the POP
User Name field.
In the Servers panel, specify your news server name in the News (NNTP) Server field. You should specify a local
news server, if available. Often, the name can be as simple as news.
In the Identity panel, specify your name, email address (the entire address including the @ symbol), and your
reply-to address (if you want mail replies sent to a different address than your email address) in the designated
fields. This and other information provided in the panel establishes your identity to those who receive your mail and
news messages.
In the Organization panel, specify whether you want mail and news messages threaded and the method messages
are sorted. By default, news messages are threaded and mail messages are not. When messages are threaded,
replies are displayed adjacent to the original message and other replies to the original

message. When messages are
unthreaded (the box unchecked), replies are displayed according to the sorting order without regard to the position
of the original message or other replies.
In the Appearance panel, specify font characteristics of your message text and quoted text. By default, when you
reply to a message, the original text is quoted (restated) with each line preceded by the > symbol. You can specify
the style and size of the quoted text in your messages. You can also specify the layout of the window panes.
In the Composition panel, specify whether you want your replies to automatically quote the original message, and
whether you want a copy of your messages automatically sent to yourself, sent to another email address, or stored
on a disk file.

Receiving and sending email

To display the Mail window and access email features, choose Window|Netscape Mail. Or, as a shortcut, you can click
on the mail icon (the small envelope in the bottom-right of the Netscape and News windows).

When you open the Mail window, Netscape checks the server and retrieves any new mail. To receive mail, you'll have to
enter your email password each session (or specify in the Mail and News|Organization panel that your password be
remembered across sessions).

After Netscape has initially checked the mail server for messages, Netscape can periodically recheck the server and inform
you if any new messages have arrived. However, Netscape does not automatically retrieve these additional messages from
the mail server. To retrieve new messages, press the Get Mail toolbar button or click the mail icon.

A setting in the Mail and News|Servers panel determines how often Netscape automatically checks the mail server for
new messages. You can also click on the mail icon from the Mail window to manually check the server and retrieve new
messages.

Netscape informs you of the availability of new messages using the mail icon.

Before you've checked for mail (for example, before you've opened the Mail window or if you haven't supplied your
password), you'll see a question mark (?) adjacent to the envelope. This indicates Netscape cannot automatically
check the status of the mail server.
After you've check for mail, you'll see the envelope alone. This indicates there are no new messages for you.
Subsequently, when Netscape automatically checks the mail server and finds new messages for you, you'll see an
exclamation point (!) adjacent to the envelope. This indicates that new messages are

available for retrieval. On
Macintosh, you'll also be notified of new messages by a mail icon flashing in the menu bar.

The Mail window contains three panes: a mailbox pane, a message header pane, and a message pane. Click on an item in
the mailbox pane (such as the Inbox) to display the mailbox contents in the message header pane. Click on an item in the
message header field to display the message contents in the message pane.

Occasionally, you'll want to select multiple message headings, for example, to move messages to the trash. To select
multiple, contiguous message headings, hold down the Shift key as you click on an item. To select multiple, noncontiguous
message headings, hold down the Ctrl key as you click on an item. (On Macintosh, use the Shift key to select
noncontiguous items). When two or more message headings are selected, the message pane is empty.

The Mail window and the Message Composition window, described in subsequent sections, contain menu items, toolbar
buttons, and clickable icons to let you compose, view, organize, store, and deliver your mail in varied ways. Menu items
offer the full set of features. Toolbar buttons provide basic mail features such as getting mail, deleting mail, composing mail,
replying to mail, and displaying your messages. Small, clickable icons in the message header pane let you highlight
individual messages as read or unread, and flagged or unflagged.

Using the Mail window

The mailbox pane and message header pane are organized in columns. Columns in the mailbox pane state a mail folder
name, the number of unread messages it contains, and the total number of messages it contains. Columns in the message
header pane state the sender name, its flagged status, its read status, the subject line, and date.

You can resize panes by positioning your mouse between two panes (the cursor changes shape) and dragging.

You can click on column titles in the message heading pane to temporarily rearrange items according to Sender, Subject,
or Date. You can also use the View|Sort hierarchical menu to sort or thread messages so that replies are positioned
adjacent to original messages. To arrange messages to your preferred criteria by default (that is, every time you open up
the Mail window), you must set the preference items in the Mail and News|Organization panel.

You can resize columns by positioning your mouse between two column headings (the cursor changes shape) and
dragging. It's best to adjust the leftmost column first, because resizing a column repositions all the columns to the right. On
UNIX, choose Options|Save Options to retain changes.

Choose File|New Folder to display a dialog for creating a folder in the mailbox pane. You can drag messages from the
message heading pane into a folder in the mailbox pane. Alternatively, you can select a message, then use the
Message|Move hierarchical menu item to put a message into a folder. The Message|Copy item lets you put a copy of a
message into a folder without moving the original.

The Edit menu contains items for deleting selected messages and folders. Deleted items are put into a Trash folder.
Choose Empty Trash Folder to permanently delete the contents of the trash.

Here are other basic features you'll find in the Mail window:

Searching in messages: Choose the Edit|Find menu item to search for text in the message header or content
panes. When the first occurrence of matching text is found, the message is selected and displayed in the message
field. Choose Edit|Find Again for additional occurrences.
Email addresses: Choose Message|Add to Address Book to insert the address of the sender of the selected
message into your Address Book.
Marking messages: The Message menu also contains items that let you mark messages as read or unread, and
flagged or unflagged. When you wish to mark or flag multiple selections, the menu item is more convenient than
clicking on the small icons in the pane.
Navigation: The Go menu contains items for navigating among adjacent messages, unread messages, and flagged
messages.
Viewing messages: The Options menu contains items that help determine the content of the message heading and
message panes. You can specify that the message heading pane Show All Messages or Show Only Unread
Messages. You can have header information displayed within each message by checking the Show All Headers
item. Use the Document Encoding menu item if you wish to select alternative character sets. On Windows and
Macintosh, menu changes are automatically preserved for subsequent sessions. On UNIX, choose Options|Save
Options to preserve menu changes.

Using the Message Composition window

You create and send both email and newsgroup messages in the Message Composition window. Many different actions
produce the Message Composition window and, when appropriate, the Netscape application fills in certain fields
automatically.

Sometimes you'll see highlighted links in the email and news messages you read. That's because the Netscape software
automatically detects the text of a URL and converts the text to an HTML link. Any URL text

you enter in the Message
Composition window is automatically seen as a highlighted link by the recipient of your message.

Choose the File|New Mail Message menu item to display the empty Message Composition window. The window
has its own menu items, clickable buttons, and fields for your message's address, headings, and content. You can set
which fields are visible by checking items in the View menu.
Choose File|Mail Document (or File|Mail Frame) to display the Message Composition window with fields filled
and the current page automatically attached. The Content field contains the current page's URL, the Subject field
contains the page title, and the Attachment field displays the file name of the attached page.
Choose a mail or news reply option to display the window with the address field filled in. You might also reply to
pages and messages by clicking a mailto link or button.

Typically, you'll use the Send To field for the address of the primary recipient, the Cc field for additional recipients, the
Subject field for briefly describing the message, and the Attachment field for including a page or disk file with the
message. If you've specified a text file containing your signature in the Mail and News|Identity panel, your signature is
appended to the message field in all of your mailings.

You need to know the Internet mail address of where to send your email. Internet addresses typically contain a user name
followed by the @ symbol (pronounced "at"), followed by mail server location name. For example, to send email to this
company, enter info@netscape.com.

You can create, edit, and store addresses, singly or in a folder list, in the Address Book window. Addresses are
maintained in the Address Book window similarly to how bookmarks are maintained in the Bookmark window.

Commonly, you'll send mail by replying to other mail. By default, the original text appears as quoted text (each line
preceded by the > symbol), though you can turn this feature off in the Composition panel. You can also quote a message's
text by choosing the Message Composition window's File|Include Original Text menu item or paste in a clipboard
selection as quoted text by selecting Edit|Paste as Quotation.

Pressing the Attach button produces a dialog box that lets you send email with a file attachment. An attachment is a
separate document sent along with the email message. The dialog box buttons let you select a page URL or a file. You can
choose to send a page as is (embedded with the HTML instructions that format Internet pages) or converted to plain text.
After completing the dialog box (you can list multiple attachments), the attachment is

ready to be sent along with your
message.

The Mail window offers options that let you send mail immediately or defer delivery. Typically, you'll want to send
messages immediately if you're connected to the network. However, to reduce connection time, you can compose
messages offline and defer sending mail until the next time you're connected.

When the Mail window's Options|Immediate Delivery menu item is checked, the Message Composition window offers
a Send Now toolbar button and menu item (Send button on Windows and UNIX). This allows messages you've written to
be sent over the network immediately. Press the Send Now button or choose File|Send Now to transmit the message and
any attachments to the recipient.

When the Mail window's Options|Deferred Delivery menu item is checked, the Message Composition window offers a
Send Later toolbar button and menu item (Send button on Windows; Later button on UNIX). This allows messages
you've written to be stored in your Outbox folder (deferred) until you explicitly specify that the contents of the Outbox be
sent. Press the Send Later button or choose File|Send Later to store the current message in the Outbox folder on your
disk for transmission at a later time. Choose File|Send Mail in Outbox to distribute deferred messages.

Receiving and sending news

To display the News window, choose Window|Netscape News. The News window operates similarly to the Mail
window. If you skipped the previous pages on exchanging and composing mail, you might want to go back and read these
now. Like mail, you create your news messages in the Message Composition window.

People post messages (send their news) to newsgroups. Throughout the Internet, you'll find the newsgroup terms
"message", "posting", and "article" used interchangeably.

Newsgroups are organized by subject; each newsgroup has a name intended to reflect the topic of discussion for its
messages. The Usenet is the collection of all newsgroups; it is the Internet's multifaceted bulletin board especially designed
for people to communicate news with one another on special interest topics.

The News window contains three panes: a newsgroup pane, a message header pane, and a message pane. Click on an
item in the newsgroup pane to display a listing of messages in the message header pane. Click on an item in the message
header field to display each message in the message pane.

When you open the News window, the set of newsgroups you have specified in the Options menu is displayed in the

newsgroup pane. You can choose the Show All Newsgroups menu item to see the broadest selection of available groups.
However, the number of newsgroups is so large that you might prefer to limit your newsgroup pane to subscribed
newsgroups.

You can quickly access your favorite newsgroups without searching through the thousands of available groups by
subscribing to newsgroups. The easiest way to subscribe to a newsgroup is to, first, display all newsgroups (choose
Options|Show All Newsgroups) in the newsgroup pane, then locate each newsgroup you want ready access to and
check the Subscribe check box beside the newsgroup name.

After you subscribe to your favorite newsgroups, you can choose the Options|Show Subscribed Newsgroups or
Options|Show Active Newsgroups menu item so that, each time you open the News window, the newsgroup pane
displays only your chosen newsgroups. Active newsgroups are subscribed newsgroups that contain new messages.

There are alternative ways to subscribe if you know a newsgroup's URL. Each of the following displays the newsgroup
name in the newsgroup pane.

Enter the newsgroup URL in the location field of the Netscape main window.
Choose File|Add Newsgroup and type the newsgroup URL in a dialog box.
Click on a link to a newsgroup or newsgroup message.

You still must check the Subscribe box if you want the newsgroup to be displayed in the pane in subsequent news
sessions.

5741. FREEWARE CHAPARRAL MC115 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees Brommersma <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <890951938.674111@guust>
Source record: 149073

Hello there

I (Cees) am looking for the latest firmware for the Chaparral MC115
satellitereceiver.
I hope that someone can get this for me !!

Thanks a lot for reading and I will be waiting ....

5742. wtb: balun for MN-4C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Waguespack <kz5y1@eatel.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3a31$5a0de5c0$46cd7cce@anthonyw>
Source record: 149074

Looking for balun for MN-4C which is no longer available from Drake.
73,
Tony, KZ5Y

5743. MODS wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: akiraly@studi.unizh.ch
Message-ID: <351ad613.0@rzunews1.unizh.ch>
Source record: 149075

Hi!

I'm looking for following modifications:

President Lincoln: -100KHz offset mod for repeaters on 29.xxx MHz FM
Emperor TS-5010 : -100kHz offset mod for repeaters on 29.xxx MHz FM
Icom 706 japanese 'j' version: TX between 25-28MHz. (With standard
modification there's tx from 1.5MHz-25MHz and 28MHz-30MHz but no
TX between 25MHz-28MHz...)

bye & 73, Andras (HB9LFQ)
--
/* Kiraly Andras
FIDO : 2:301/709.23
EMAIL: akiraly@studi.unizh.ch
AX25 : HB9LFQ @ OE9XPI.AUT.EU
Running Linux on a Cyrix P200+ System
*/

5744. rci-2970 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmb <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5878$0a937e40$88794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 149076

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10 meters 100 watts,mobile bracket manual.....$225.00
thanks jack
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5745. fs: 8877 Power Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd590c$dda50120$508a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 149077
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have several 8877's that I have come by in a trade. They are good full power medical pulls. The going price for good pulls is $250. and that is what I am asking. I expect to be getting a near-nos 8877 (older stock tube, out of the box only to test, then right back in the box), asking $500. for that one. Asking prices are plus shipping. -- 73, DavidC AA1FA E-mail or call: 603-894-1174

5746. Re: Regency HR-2A & B Crystal Compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Barley <lbbarley@feist.com>
Message-ID: <01bd58ab$2083c380$a607f7c6@default>
Source record: 149078
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The HR-2A uses the following: TRANSMIT: XMIT FREQ/ 24 - example:
146.94/24 = 6.1225 MHZ

RECEIVE: (receive freq. - 10.7)/ 3 - example: (146.94 - 10.7)/ 3 =
45.41333 MHZ

This informatin taken from Section 1.8 Crystal Specifications of Service
Manual for HR-2A.

Bruce KB0PZD
lbbarley@feist.com

DENNIS AND CONNIE BAKER <wbfim@sound.net> wrote in article
<3516B82D.8B3@sound.net>...
> Bry wrote:
> >
> > Try contacting some of the major crystals manufacturers. They can
probably help
> > you as they once sold a lot of these and may remember.
> >
> > Try JAN Crystals in particular.
> >
> > You can get all the addresses & phone numbers from:
> >
> > http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mega/xtals.htm
> >
> > All the best - AF4K
> >
> > Recently, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
> >
> > [[I know I read somewhere that the crystals in these two Regency rigs
may not
> > [[be compatible - true or false?
> > [[I know neither is a state-of-the-art rig, but for bang-around
simplex and
> > [[non-toned repeater mobile use they should be fine.
> > [[I have a 52-52 pair in the HR-2A I want to put in the HR-2B,
neither is
> > [[working yet and I'm trying to sell the HR-2A and want to make the
swap for
> > [[a different pair before I sell (if they will work OK).
> > [[--
> > [[Thanks for any help! DavidC AA1FA
> > [["Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in

believing, that
> > [[you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans
15:13
> > [[
>
> I beleive that the HR-2A use 12 Mcs crystals and the HR-2B uses 8 Mcs
> crystals. The receiver uses the same crystals.
>
> Dennis
> KE0QM
>

5747. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <351AE4B5.24C8@netdoor.com>
Source record: 149079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A converter will do the trick, but you would be much better off to just buy a scanner with aviation freqs (most all have this). You will spring for 100-150 bucks, AND you can listen to the police, hams at 2meters, weather, and on and on.....

Butch KF5DE

5748. FT:7/8 Inch air-dielectric hardline with Andrews microwave "N" fittings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f84baa970a00e7c9896bb@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 149080

Will trade you 150 feet of 7/8 air dielectric plus microwave quality "N" connectors that I have for 150 feet of 3/4" foam dielectric with "N" connectors that you have. My connectors are the ones with the little screw fittings for trimming the SWR (I think). This will have to be pickup only, because of size and weight, in Myrtle Beach, SC. Will consider outright sale for enough cash to purchase the stuff I need. Can deliver to Winston-Salem N.C. area the first week of April.

I've seen the connectors I have in a catalog- and they sell for about $300 apiece- so don't go offering me $100 for the stuff- you won't even get a return e-mail!

73 all, -Web in Myrtle Beach, SC
kr4wm@bigfoot.com

5749. Who could have guessed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <351AFE10.FC2944FF@together.net>
Source record: 149081
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

From March 1959 QST - Letters:

Quote:

Editor QST:

All hams know that 11 meters is no longer an amateur band, but few know what its new use is or how it might be an even better "ham-band" than it used to be.

The major portion of the band was divided into 22 channels for two-way communications use under the new Class D Citizens' Rules. Basically the rules are as follows: no operator's license is needed; a station license is necessary, but it may be obtained by filling out a simple form; the license is for equipment only and all units are classified mobile; 0.005T frequencey tolerance; t watts maximum power, a.m. only; lea-in 25 feet maximum.

Most hams don't see the possibilites that this presents. First of all, equipment can be home-built. As five watts is the power limit, there can't be any "millionaire stations" drowning you out. All units will be on the same basis. Furthermore, since no operator's license is needed, the wife can use the rig and so can the kids.

As for crowded channels, tone-modulation is permitted to operate squelch systems; you can't do this on the ham bands. There will be a good deal of experimenting to get a feceiver that will dig down for the weak signals. Conversations are allowed with all stations and there isn't any law stopping you from having channel switching. In the real ham spirit, there will be many more chances for helping out the outher guy in both relaying messages when he is out of rang with his home station and in giving help with repairs. A second class phone license will be needed for servicing or aligning the equipment, but any ham shoul d have little trouble passing this test.

Just imagine: no more kilowatt interference, no more multi-kilobuck rigs and no more swishing v.f.o.s! I don't know about the rest of hamdom, but I've filed for my Class-D license and have started on the new rig.

For the full rules and regulations drop a dime in an envelope along with a request for a copy of FCC Rules, Part 19, to the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D.C. See you on 11.

--Arthur Human, W2HQQ/1

:End Quote

The thing about this letter that amazed me the most.. was you could get something from the government printing office for a dime, and second you could put a dime in an envelope and it would not be stolen before it reached it's destination..

As to Arthurs opinions... wouldn't it have been nice if "CB" turned out the way he envisioned it.. according to the FCC Database Arthur is now living in Florida and still has a valid license.. If your reading this Arthur... I'd love to hear your thoughts today :)

And a few "Stray" for those of you who asked :)

"The seven-year-old girl called out to her mother, "mom, you'll have to shut off that food mixer because you're bothering Mr. Moody's (K4VFM) short-wave radio. I just heard him sa so on the television." K4VMT."

"When G3LWS (also ex-ZC4FB) was operating from the South Shetlands as VP8CZ several years ago, he discovered one day (after having successfully maintained schedules with the rest of the world for 12 months) that there was a six-inch gap in what were supposed to be feed-through insulators carrying the antenna through the wall of the building. So, except for some sort of capacity coupling through that gap, he was in effect operating with an antenna that consisted of about 18 inches of wire between the transmitter and the inside end of the feed-through insulator."

Enjoy :)

Tom
KB1CGA

5750. WTB:Logikey K1 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O'Mara's, Bill & Lori" <w4rm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <351B0493.DCDCC91F@erols.com>
Source record: 149082

Hi, I am looking for a logikey k-1 keyer. If you have one forsale
please let me know.

73 Bill W4RM

5751. MLA-2500 amp Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <351B04F9.5021@stc.net>
Source record: 149083

I am trying to get a Dentron MLA-2500 amp working correctly. Have some questions. Driving it with a FT-1000D

Book talks about maybe needing to remove swamping resister (R1) if you are running a solid state rig. Thats all it says. Gives you no clue as to what you would notice so you would know to remove the input swamping resistor.

What should I see driving it with say 130 watts in. The grid ma never goes above 50ma no matter what I do. Book says to keep it under 200ma. Need general info on running this amp. Power in/out. Typical plate/grid ma etc.

Should I cut out swamping resister. Not enough info in manual (typical operating characteristics etc).
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73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

5752. Re: Kenwood TH-G71A Programming cable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: w0sxi@pop.primenet.com
Message-ID: <351b0e09.2224550@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 149084

On Wed, 26 Nov 1997 13:20:41 -0600, "Jeff Goebel" <jg-heg@rrnet.com>
wrote:

>I just got my new Kenwood Th-G71A and have gotten the MCP-G71 software from
>Kenwood's website. The readme file in the software mentions a PG-4P cable
>is needed to program the radio. My dealer doesn't have any information on
>the cable yet.
>
>Does anyone know of where to get the PG-4P cable or how to make one?
>
>Thanks,
>Jeff N0VHB
>jg-heg@rrnet.com
>
HRO has them in stock.
73
Bill

5753. FS TS-130 stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <351B1287.19A4@hauns.com>
Source record: 149085

Kenwood TS-130S, works great, $325. VFO-120 matchs TS-120 and TS-130 radios, will work with 830 and 530 also, $100. AT-120 small ant tuner with mobile bracket, $75. VFO and Tuner are like new, rig is pretty nice. With books, etc.

5754. FS Filters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <351B11A5.5681@hauns.com>
Source record: 149086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Another set of Kenwood filters. YK-88SN and YK-88C for 130,120,830,
etc. $65 each shipped.

5755. AES Shipping FT847's Today (3/26)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Rasmussen <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#NQ8YKRW9GA.128@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi Guys,

I just got off the phone with AES Las Vegas. They have one FT847 left today that is not spoken for. Yours for only $1899 and the first phone call. They sent out 4 that were on backorder today. Looks like all the questions about the new rigs will finally be answered!

73,
Don WB8YQJ/6
Carlsbad, Ca.

5756. 144, 440, 900 dome ants

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <e84k$eSW9GA.328@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner

I have 3 ants for car top in plastic wedges/domes for @ 144, 440
and 900 mhz. $20 ea or $50 set.

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5757. Ant Current Probe $30

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uMf3sfSW9GA.328@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

MFJ 206 Antenna current probe. $30

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5758. Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwbuckle@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6ff32c$k77@login.ee>
Source record: 149090

I've been looking at alot of the micro HT's, the alinco ones in particular, which come in both a VHF and a UHF model. My question is this: Are these things worth the money? I mean, is 200-300mW going to be practical for everyday use? Am I going to be able to hit the LOCAL repeaters with these, from 2-4 miles away?

Any input would be appreciated. I think it just may make for good discussion too..

73,

Chris Buckely
KC0DBY

5759. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Dogg <cipher@mcn.org>
Message-ID: <351B193F.DF228133@mcn.org>
Source record: 149091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You smoke too much crack.

Sandy Meltzer wrote:

> In article <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>, Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net> wrote:
> >NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
> >http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm
>
> Come on guys, stop posting this BS. Sure, you can buy a new AR8000
> (unblocked) from Multicomm in England for $404, but it's NOT legal to import
> it into the U.S. because they're banned here...only the AR8000B is legal
> because it can't be modified to receive cellular phone frequencies.
>
> Yes, Multicomm will ship it here, but that still doesn't make it legal and you
> take a real chance it will be confiscated by the Feds before you get
> it...maybe even after you get it if the Feds start to investigate this illegal
> activity and get a hold of Multicomm's shipping lists. Knock knock...who's
> there? ;)
>
> However, it is legal to buy units that were imported BEFORE the ban. That's
> why used models command higher prices...they're worth it because you can
> legally own them.
>
> Lets compare apples to apples....okay?
>
> Thanks.
>
> --sandy
> sandy@sandy.com

5760. Re: VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <351B1B37.22F4F0D3@hevanet.com>
Source record: 149092

Greg Ottria wrote:

> Did you try an external power source to eleminate the battery from being the
> problem
>
> Greg Ottria KE6PTP
> Castro Valley California
> Gottria@inreach.com
> http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
> Thomas May wrote in message
> <01bd58bd$b3cc0f00$0fc68e97@tmay.wiltec.twc.com>...
> >The VX-1 is never really off. The CPU is always scanning for a key press.
> >When the "power key" is pressed, the CPU wakes up the rest of the radio.
> >If the CPU is not functioning correctly, it may not be scanning the power
> >key. You could try removing the battery, and then WHILE HOLDING IN THE
> >POWER KEY, re-insert the battery. When power is first applied, the CPU
> >should make at least one pass over the input keys. (You could also try
> >holding the M/V AR keys and replacing the battery, just in case your power
> >switch is bad!)
> >
> >Good Luck.
> >KA3GYI
> >
> >Ieong Weng Kei <tico@macau.ctm.net> wrote in article
> ><351A5708.54E0@macau.ctm.net>...
> >> Hello All,
> >>
> >> Please let me know how to fix the problem of VX1R,
> >>
> >> can't power on after fully charge, I try to hardware
> >> reset, but still can't power on.
> >>
> >> thanks in advance if you can tell me how to fix this problem.
> >>

At the risk of stating the obvious...on some of the VX-1Rs, the power
switch is VERY hard to push. First time I played with one at HRO,
it took me several minutes of fiddling before I got up the courage
to push the button REALLY HARD to turn it on.
Also, you have to hold it in longer than I thought I should to make
it work.
miker

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Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.

Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

5761. Re: D-104 Silver Eagle microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <351B19D2.593A@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 149093

drgrant@ziplink.net wrote:
>
> On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 22:13:12 -0800, dick@libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
> wrote:
>
> >In article <6f7gfn$1fm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
> >hermperez@worldnet.att.net (Herm Perez) wrote:
> >
> >>$110.00 or best offer, in new condition, never used.
> >
> >AES will sell you a real new one for only $100.
> >
> >73, Dick
>
> I can also go to the local cb shop and get the TUG-9 for $70 or
> so, new. This also has the "older" crystal head, which tends
> to be better anyways... in some applications.
>
> -Mike
The straight d-104 is approx. $70.00 but if this is the "TRUE SILVER
EAGLE" WITH THE EAGLE IN BACK THOSE ARE HIGHER IN PRICE. There also
was the "GOLDEN EAGLE" which also has the eagle in back was very high
priced. The golden eagle is no longer made and I don,t think the silver
is either. The d-104 is the same amplified or not just the eagles are
higher and also collector mics more so the golden eagle. There a
exellent microphone. MIKE S.........
This is my two cents worth.

5762. Re: Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len <umina@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <6ff5qvscn1@strato.ultra.net>
Source record: 149094

Chris,

I have a VX1 and it works pretty well at 500 mw into the local repeaters, but by far the best way to use it is to cross band through a mobile rig. For this use, these small HT's are fabulous. You receive on 2M but transmit on 450 and have your mobile or shack rig repeat from 450 back to 2M on the input of the repeater. (BEFORE you do this I suggest making sure that the frequency on 450 is coordinated for this kind of use. Also, use CTCSS decode on 450 and for most radios in crossband mode you will need CTCSS decode on 2M as well so the crossbanding rig will not think there is a signal on the 2M side and prevent you from crossbanding over it. (that signal is the tail of the 2M repeater) or you will need to have the repeaters input frequency programmed as a single memory channel, simplex. Problem with setting up simplex channels for cross banding is you can only use them for that, but if you use CTSS decode on 2M you can use the same memory channel for normal repeater operation by turning CTCSS off. I know this is confusing. Repeater ID is necessary as well, but this can be voice.

The 2M only versions are much less useful unless you know you are in a solid coverage area most of the time. One thing they are great for is communicating between cars to other hams. My xyl is a ham and we do this a lot. They are not so good inside stores or malls because 2M seems to be a common area for rf junk. Also, inside malls you tend to need a lot more power because of the construction.

The 450 only versions can be used for cross banding to repeaters with very short squelch tails where the mobile/shack repeater is repeating in both directions to a 450 simplex frequency. Problem is most repeaters have long squelch tails.

A friend of mine who lives in a location to die for uses his VX1 routinely on low power and is always full quieting, but most of us live closer to the ground.

As for the general purpose do anything HT, my choice is the FT-50. It's got high power and most of the features except cross band repeat that you will ever use. We have several and they are rugged. Also 5W gives you great punch when you need it, and the battery life is excellent.

./Len

5763. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 fan and software problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A. Simonin" <asimonin@acca.nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6ff5sm$211@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 149095

I also have a new FT8500, and love it! The price was right and I've gotten used to the control head! I am using it as a base station and the control is handy since I don't have to reach for the radio! Does anyone know where to obtain an extra DC power plug?

73's

KD5AEY

drgrant@ziplink.net wrote in message <351e9e3d.53901416@news.newsguy.com>...
>On Sat, 21 Mar 1998 17:04:45 -0500, Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu> wrote:
>
>>Just got this new rig yesterday. So far, I'm fairly impressed with it.
>>It's my first dual-receive unit. That comes in very handy for my work.
>>
>>First problem is most likely trivial, but I'm curious what others though
>>in regard to my fan for the heatsink. I've noticed that when the power
>>comes on at first, the fan budges a little, but remains motionless. If I
>>transmit, the fan kicks in at the higher speed. After about a minute afer
>>I transmit, the fan falls to a very low idle speed. At one point I turned
>>on the unit, and manually spun the fan blade and it started spinning at
>>it's slow rate. Just wondering if this is a problem to worry about and
>>whot do other units do?
>>
>>Second, I'm having numerous problems with software configuration. I
>>cannot under any circumstances download data from my radio to the PC.
>>However, I can download/upload with my FT-50R HT just fine. So, I know
>>the serial link is good. Anyone else had problems with the software setup
>>for the FT-8500? Programming memories is a royal pain the butt otherwise.
>>
>>_____
>>Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris
>
>I have the FT-8000, does similar things. Turn it on, the fan doesnt
>come on. Transmit, goes into high speed while transmitting. Unkey,
>fan returns to a slow idle speed.
>
>-Mike
>

5764. WTB Speaker Mic For Radius P100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <wb4cmr@abts.net>
Message-ID: <6ff818$e21$1@usenet56.supernews.com>
Source record: 149096

Need speaker mic for Radius P100. EMAIL info to wb4cmr@abts.net.

5765. Re: KW TS820 finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <351B263A.1AB@onramp.net>
Source record: 149097

Bob Sull wrote:
>
> A friend just upgraded and bought a KW TS-820.
>
> What does this rig use for finals? The book says S2001. A couple
> of us thought it used 6146Bs.....
>
> Tnx in advance
> 73, Bob
>
> --
>
> ////////
> (o o)
> ---73,
> Bob---oooO---O---Oooo---w8imo@kellnet.com--------------------
> What is the speed of dark?

The S2001A is a Japanese version of the 6146B(and a better tube). It has
not been available for abt 10 yrs now. You may use 6146B's in the radio
with no ill effects. Try to get a set of the ECG/GE 6146B's, they seem
to work best.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5766. WTB:YAESU YD-148 MIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Emigdio Gonzalez <k6eg@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <351B02AD.697C2F4@earthlink.net>
Source record: 149098

LOOKING FOR YAESU YD-148 MIC IN EXCELLENT CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE
PRICE IF YOU HAVE ONE FOR SALE PLEASE REPLY
TNX ED K6EG(310)672-8428

5767. making an antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: JoAnn & Mark Hooser <jmhoos@northernnet.com>
Message-ID: <351B3A60.B0D7D8CA@northernnet.com>
Source record: 149099

I am making my own vertical for 2 meters and am wondering what are
good materials and antennas for doing this.

Thankyou

KCï¿½CYN

5768. Re: No serial # in ADMS-2D software!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk6pd@XNoSpamX.ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f847439f9e1ed61989680@NNTP.IX.NETCOM.COM>
Source record: 149100

Hello All, I too went thru this Problem.
I don't know, maybe its me, but if your going to all the trouble
of sticking a sticker on a pamphlet, why not just stick it
ON THE DISK itself !

(that way if you misplace the number your really screwed cause
the disk is missing too !!!)

In practice I ALWAYS take a fine point sharpie and print the
reg #'s etc on all cd's and disks. I never lose them that way.
Also the fine point sharpie has never damaged the media, and
I've been doing this for years.
--
73 es GL de Pat KK6PD

Be sure to remove XNoSpamX in address to reply!

5769. Re: ft 50 button

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6fflf9$75c@redgreen.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 149101

"Thomas J. McCuen" <tmccuen@csi.com> writes:
>Yaesu just sent me a replacement button for the FT50 (new version is
>shorter to prevent acc turn-on of radio)
>
>Ok, so what are the steps to disassemble the radio to swap the power
>button??

To get at the power switch:

Remove the battery.

Carefully remove the black NiCd label from the back of the radio
chassis. This label is part of the radio's water-resistant shell,
believe it or not, so don't damage the adhesive on it.

Under the label are two screws. Back the screws out several turns,
but not all the way. Then gently press on the screws. This will
push the keypad out the front of the radio. Carefully hold the keypad
and its gasket, then remove the screws the rest of the way and remove
the keypad.

Remove the antenna and knobs from the top of the radio. At this point,
there are no more screws holding the radio chassis inside its plastic
case, but there are a couple of little metal tabs on the chassis that
engage cutouts in the plastic case. These tabs are at about the level
of the (now removed) black NiCd label. Spread the sides of the plastic
case slightly to help these tabs pop out, while using another finger
inserted through the keypad hole to push the lower part of the metal
chassis readwards. The lower part of the chassis should push back
out of the plastic outer case fairly easily.

Once the chassis has been pushed out at the bottom, you can slide it
downwards so the knob shafts and SMA connector clears the plastic case.
Also make sure that the PTT/mon/light rubber buttons don't get caught
on the exiting chassis.

At this point, the radio is apart. The power button is probably still
sitting in the front of the plastic housing. Just replace it with the
shorter one.

Now you need to put things back together. To make it easier, the
rubber "light pipe" that carries light from the red/green LED up to
the top of the case can be removed. Then put everything back together
in reverse order of taking it apart, making sure that none of the sealing
gaskets gets pinched somewhere it isn't supposed to be, and all of the
gasket sealing surfaces are clean.

Once everything else is back together, the rubber light pipe can be pushed into place from outside the case. This is easier than trying to align it with the right hole in the chassis while re-installing it.

When it's all back together (remember the NiCd sticker!) it should work exactly as before - with the exception that the power button is now about 1 mm shorter.

Dave

5770. FS: Watt, SWR, FS Meter for HAM or CB - L@@K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avalanche <avalanche299@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6ffma8$5r8$1@usenet76.supernews.com>
Source record: 149102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have several new meters, all the same model, listed on eBay Auction with picture and features. Bidding starts at $9.99. Here are the links to get the best price. Thanks.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9406495

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9407221

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9407346

5771. FT-847'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: troy walker <tdwalker@se-iowa.net>
Message-ID: <351B2171.DD53729D@se-iowa.net>
Source record: 149103

HELLO,
I received my 847 on the 25th, and it is really a nice unit.
there are as with any radio some things I don't like such
as the fan that runs as soon as it is turned on. It doesn't
appear to receive on both the main and sub sides at the
same time.(bummer). then there is the question of the rig
doing cross band repeat? it will only do so one-way repeat! (not a lot
of use)
I find the receiver to be as good or better than the 900/cat.
some may not think so, but I am pleased as it was designed for
satellite operation, and for that it is probably the best thing out
there.
well I cant get into a lot of detail as I just received it yesterday
and have not really played it enough to knock it to hard!
as I say overall it is a great radio.......

5772. FS: 1 5/8" Andrew Hardline coax LDF7 50 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3ok@spamsat.org
Message-ID: <351cb47c.95782518@news.netins.net>
Source record: 149154

Hi Gang,

I have for sale 4 runs of Andrew LDF7 50 ohm 1 5/8" coaxial hardline.

3 runs of approximately 300' each. These were removed by a professional tower crew from a cellular tower. The coax was removed because the antennas were lowered from 400' to 100'. These runs have some red and white tower paint on them. They are all in good shape and are undamaged. The ends were sealed at the time of removal from the tower $2.00 per foot obo.

1 run of approximately 200' that is still on the reel and has never been used $3.00 per foot obo.

The boss said get rid of all that coax so it has to go. None of these runs have connectors. I'm located in Des Moines, Iowa and I would prefer pickup on all of these or I can arrange for shipping at the buyer's expense. I will accept Postal money order or cash.

Please email for more details if you like. Thanks and 73,

Al

ke3ok@spamsat.org
(remove the "sp" to reply)

5773. FS: Yaesu 2 meter equipment {mint}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nemo0@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3519c050.7355283@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149155

for sale:
new FT-2500M 2M mobile 50watt mobile rig; in box (plastic still on
display) with warranty, only one month old... $250

mint FT-11R 2M handheld, excellent shape, *never* dropped - always
in it's case... stored in it's box for over a year... all papers,
plastic, Yaesu case, with a new Larsen 1/4 wave kulduckie...like
new $200

if purchased together $429 and will include a Larsen 1/2 wave glass
mount antenna...

serious inquires only, please e-mail directly to:
"nemo0@mindspring.com"

73

Paul Cooper

5774. No serial # in ADMS-2D software!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032603150800.WAA17290@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149156

Ok, ok.... Cant find the serial number for the adms 2D software, unlike the software for the FT50 that has a little white sticker in the info packet with the serial number on it, the number is missing in the packet for the adms2d.

This is needed to install the program to the computer, and I tried the number for the ft50 and that wont do it.

I plan on calling RT systems for a little guidance, unless there is something Im missing all together.

Thanks,

5775. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <3519c6f2.40403318@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 149157

The TR22 Drake WAS made by trio.
So were the rest of the Drake 2 meter rigs. Even the one with the tube
final.
...Dave

On 25 Mar 98 19:57:03 GMT, houle.jean-marie@ireq.CA (Jean-Marie houle)
wrote:

>
>
>>Yeah, I have TR-2200a sitting in my close. Crystal 2m radio. Bought
>>it in the early 80's.
>>
>>DavidC wrote:
>>>
>>> Trio is the old name of Kenwood, in fact you will find some Kenwood-Trio
>>> labels on older gear. Never heard of a Drake link.
>>> 73, DavidC AA1FA
>>>
>>> > Ken <landau@ymail.yu.edu> wrote in article
>>> <EqAy0w.D23@news2.new-york.net>...
>>> > Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
>
>Drake had a similar radio called TR-22
>
>--
>Jean-Marie Houle houlejm@ireq.ca
>Institut de recherche d'Hydro-Quebec Tel (514) 652-8083
>1800 Boul Lionel Boulet Fax (514) 652-8435
>Varennes, Quebec
>Canada, J3X 1S1
>
>
>

5776. YEASU SP-767 SPEAKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032604571601.XAA06094@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149158

hi, I have a **MINT** Yeasu SP-767 speaker in original box. I will ship to you for $100.00. This speaker is a nice addition to the 736 or 767 radios! If interested, please e-mail me direct. 73 LOU

5777. DJ-S41 and DJ-S11 help needed..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: gumb@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3519de09.86692522@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149159

I am looking for a way to adjust the VCO on these radios....Any help would be appreciated....Please reply via Email gumb@hotmail.com

5778. WTB..... Alpha 89

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty B <MJB11@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5e8d$84de6ba0$6cf21fcc@#MJB11>
Source record: 149160

Alpha 89 must be clean and in good working condition.

Selling price:
Free of smoke:
Serial number:
Name and phone number:
Call sign:

Thank you, Marty WA2MC.

5779. F.S.:DRAKE TR4+RV3!!! sorry lost repplies,rep again.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6fcpde$h35$2@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 149161

Hi! I do have for sale a DRAKR TR-4 and the RV-3 remote vfo,and
the power supply,they are all in excellent working and looking condition
no tune-up required,just has been done, give about 200 watts out.
comes with manual.(finals have been not to long ago)
ASKING: $400.00 U.S. Thanks 73
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

5780. FS- New Bearcat 2500XLT $250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fcq3l$d57@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

$250 shipped to lower 48!

>
>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>been unmodified.
>>
>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>
>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>following:
>>
>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>* Original manual
>>* Original rubber antenna
>>
>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>has not been modified at all, and is the earlier version capable of
>>unrestricted coverage. I would like to ask $300 for it. Thanks!
>

5781. FS:Hallicrafters Schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Cropper <tcropper@ringer.cs.utsa.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd15eb$037f1580$4c5febcf@tcserver>
Source record: 149163
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Need a schematic for that old Hallicrafters Shortwave?
I have the following available for $13 per schematic:
HALLICRAFTERS
S-38B
S-40B
S-53A
S-53AU
S-72
S-76
S-76U
S-77
SX-62
SX-71
SPECIAL PURPOSE RECEIVERS ***

HALLICRAFTERS
S-81
S-82

Also National/Motorola and others....

Toby Cropper
(210) 674-9395
tcropper@ringer.cs.utsa.edu
www.cs.utsa.edu/~tcropper/t-s.htm

5782. USED POLICE RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartmans@inlink.com
Message-ID: <6fcvqfibi4@news1.inlink.com>
Source record: 149164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but will consider all. I buy non working units also, including parts. Please reply by E Mail for a prompt reply.

5783. FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fdddk$8fk$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149165

Brand new AOR3000A with box, xmas gift, never been used.
$650.00.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5784. BC-35 FS/trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: spamsonite@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fddei$8fl$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149166

I have for sale an Icom BC-35 fast charger for the BP-7 battery pack. charger works fine, but it missing 2 of the four screws for cover(no big deal). Asking $35, plus shipping costs, or would trade for a Kenwood TU-35 toneboard for a Kenwood TR-2600A, or an HF antenna tuner w/a meter on it(must do at least 300 watts). E-mail spamsonite@hotmail.com for details.

`73 and good DXing,
Sam, KB8ZZS.

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5785. Re: VC-H1 Kenwood Visual Communicator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dadanish@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fdgga$as1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149167

[original message snipped]
I found nothing on the Kenwood site. So, I tried the get product literature
thing.
<some snipped>
>SPECIFIC REQUESTS FOR AMATEUR RADIO LITERATURE:
> VC-H1 SSTV Visual Communicator
>TH-G71A 2m/70cm Dual Band HT
<some snipped>
>Dear Kenwood Customer:
>
>Thank you for your e-mail and your interest in Kenwood Products. The
>Information for this product is not available yet. We will keep your
>name
>on file and as soon as we receive the literature, we will mail it to
>you.
>If you need further assistance, please e-mail us again.
>
>Sincerely,
>Kenwood Customer Care
Well...
they posted an ad without a brocure to send to me!!!
Hmm... doesn't sound that disouranized or stupid at all.. *sarcasm*
;-)

-Chris

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5786. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingvar Persson <ingvar.persson@elmat.lth.se>
Message-ID: <351A52A0.2402@elmat.lth.se>
Source record: 149168

Ken wrote:
>
> Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
> **********
>
> I recently picked up 2 broken Trios at a hamfest and am Trying to find
> out more about them. One has a Case that says Drake and it fits like a
> glove.
>
> I'm wondering if it is a Drake indeed or a foreign knock off.
> If you've heard of it or have a manual or schematic please email me.
>
> 73,
> Ken
> landau@ymail.yu.edu

Hello!
TRIO is TRIO and DRAKE is DRAKE. The only common is TR
73!
Ingvar/SM7CZR

5787. Re: No serial # in ADMS-2D software!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980326080423.22508s-100000@titan.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 149169

On 26 Mar 1998, CableTek73 wrote:

| Ok, ok.... Cant find the serial number for the adms 2D software, unlike the
| software for the FT50 that has a little white sticker in the info packet with
| the serial number on it, the number is missing in the packet for the adms2d.

Check the small pamphlet. There is a sticker in there. I freaked out too
for about 5 minutes trying to figure out what the heck it was asking for.

Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris

5788. FS: Kenwood 711 Allmode 399.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fdoig$jld@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149170

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Kenwood 711 2 MTR AllMode
No PL.
Price: 399.00
Reply E-Mail.
Rich
```

5789. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fdopd$90c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

That's funny, by your own admission on my posting to try and sell this same radio, you commented it was only WORTH $500, even in MINT condition.

Gee, I wonder why you are now asking $150 more than what you yourself said the radio is worth. I believe this is an excellent example of your lack of integrity. Accordingly, all potential buyers of anything that you have to sell now, and in the future, should be more cautious. Have a good day!

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 05:16:46 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:

>Brand new AOR3000A with box, xmas gift, never been used.
>$650.00.
>
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5790. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fdp6n$90c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Additionally information to all potential buyers and/or sellers
dealing with Mr. owodunni:

I've received an e-mail message from a gentleman who has also had the
displeasure of dealing with this guy. Apparently Mr. Owodunni offered
an extremely low offer on somethig this gentleman was selling. When
he declined the offer, Mr. owodunni replied with one of his
inappropriate and graphic displays of the english language, which I
may add is somewhat lacking. Have a good day folks!

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 14:33:04 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
(Kin Ho) wrote:

>That's funny, by your own admission on my posting to try and sell this
>same radio, you commented it was only WORTH $500, even in MINT
>condition.
>
>Gee, I wonder why you are now asking $150 more than what you yourself
>said the radio is worth. I believe this is an excellent example of
>your lack of integrity. Accordingly, all potential buyers of
>anything that you have to sell now, and in the future, should be more
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>

5791. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351a6c02.279523583@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149173
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 02:41:59 GMT, leeh@interaccess.com (Neuralmancer) wrote:
[big snip]
>While costing slightly more than the $500 target, an existing radio
>that meets these specs is the ICOM-707. I obtained mind for $730.
>
>Lee
>KB9RYF/AA

Yeah, but it is a classic analog radio design. Cost can be reduced
by using a more modern digital approach.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5792. Kenwood TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <davhayes@nospamnetcomuk.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bd58c7$0b3068a0$0ae92ac2@ukpppdavhayes>
Source record: 149174

Hi all

Could anyone tell me how to get into the 570d adjust mode menus.

Thanx in advance

Dave

5793. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351a6d62.279875708@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149175
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 25 Mar 1998 05:04:18 GMT, park@cascade.kriss.re.kr (Yongsup Park) wrote:
[snip]
>While not offered in the US market, there is another one.
>Take a look at
>http://www.chollian.net/~hl1aqs/rig.htm
>It says it costs 880,000 Korean Won.
>Recent Dollar/Korean Won exchange rate has been fluctuating
>between 1400 - 1600 Won/Dollar.
>
>I have seen the rig at one of the Hamfests here in Korea.
>I didn't like it too much mainly due to the poorly done cosmetics.
>Being tuned the radio just for 3 minutes, I have no idea about its performance.

Looks like a reduced cost standard analog radio. The selectivity specs
don't look good at all, and 10 Hz tuning steps are a bit crude for today's
digital modes. Still, it almost makes the target price, and it is 100 watts.

Gary
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Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5794. SB-200 / FT-757GX Connection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <351a6931.232893082@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 149176

Trying to connect my newly acquired SB-200 to my Yaesu FT-757GX. This is my first linear amp, so I'm pretty much shooting in the dark here... ;-)

First problem:

The docs on the SB-200 say the ALC voltage peaks at 10V - but the manual for the Yaesu says 5V is the max it can handle. Is this a problem, or should I just not worry about connecting the ALC? Seems like I've read somewhere that a transceiver that only puts out 100W isn't really capable of overdriving a linear, so there's no need for the ALC. What say you?

Second problem:

I've installed Harbach's "Soft Key" which presents about 1V and 1.5ma at the antenna relay jack - if I understand things correctly, this should allow me to directly connect the PTT jack on the 757GX to the antenna relay jack on the SB-200.

Problem is, when I connect it like that, even with the amplifier turned off, the 757GX keys up. In fact, I've found that I can use my finger to short between the center and shield of an RCA plug connected to the PTT jack and cause the rig to key up - do I have a malfunction in the rig that needs to be taken care of?

Thanks for any help

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

5795. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351a6e11.280050720@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 14:42:34 -0600, K0HB@usa.net wrote:

>Gary Coffman wrote a lot of good stuff, which I clipped.
>
>Then he said a dumb thing:
>
>>
>> (The base radio need be no better than an old
>> Galaxy V or SBE-34.)
>>
>
>If a radio "no better than" a Galaxy V or SBE-34 were available
>today, even at a retail price of $300, they would not be worth
>taking home.
>
>Even in their day, they were low-end, drifty, barely acceptable
>equipment, and outclassed by most every other rig available at
>the time.

A lot of hams cut their teeth on the old Galaxy. I did. It was a lot
more stable than a lot of the tube equipment out there in the same
price class (much better than my NC190 drift-o-matic), it packed
an astonishing 400 watt PEP (input) rating into a small (for its day)
box, and it was *cheap*. Selectivity wasn't great, third order intercept
was wretched, etc, but it sufficed as a cheap way to go SSB mobile
in the tube days. Its only real competition was the KWM-2 and the
TR-3, both of which were much more expensive.

Today, even the cheapest rig will be synthesized, so drift is no
longer an issue. If they follow my suggestion to go to DSP early
in the radio, selectivity as sharp as you desire will be just a
firmware upgrade away. Dynamic range may be less than a
top of the line radio, but hey, what do you expect for 500 of
today's dollarettes?

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5796. SYSTEMS SABER FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ira H. Sachs" <irasachs@wwa.com>
Message-ID: <351A7178.13736C2F@wwa.com>
Source record: 149178

2 Motorola Systems Saber radios in perfect working condition.
Already operating on the Ham Radio Bands (UHF).
$750 each or $1400 for the pair.

Please e_mail reply to irasachs@wwa.com.

WB9HNV

5797. WTB IC-EX106

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob McKay <r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fdsjg$mor@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149179

If anyone has an IC-EX106 FM unit for the IC-551D to sell, please let me know either here, or email.

Bob
--
KB4GNX
r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net
rmckay@juno.com
The world of fact is often stranger than fiction....

5798. receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mlamphier@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fe0p6$pd3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149180
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I would like to be able to listen to communications from a local general aviation tower. These broadcasts are in the 120 MHz frequency range, but my shortwave radio (Lowe HF-150) receives only in the 30 kHz to 30 MHz range. Rather than buy another receiver I want to know if there is a way I can use my current receiver to pick up frequencies higher than it normally tunes. I seem to recall radio products that you attach to your antenna that convert from higher to lower frequencies or vise versa. Or is there some other simple way in which I can modify my receiver?

Thanks,

M. Lamphier
(grizzled veteran of 3 hours in C150/152s&#65533;j

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5799. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351a7133.280852789@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149181

On Tue, 24 Mar 1998 15:30:20 -0600, "STEVEN L UMBACH" <N9ROU@prodigy.net> wrote:

>Joe - It depends what your interests are in the hobby. The FT-847 has 430mhz
>all mode capability while the IC-746 does not. The IC-746 has a built in
>antenna tuner and quad conversion receiver and therefore is probably a more
>serious hf radio.

Quad conversion probably means that Icom didn't do their design homework
properly (more conversions than necessary is not a good thing). And the on-board
antenna tuner has a very limited matching range. But the IC-746 is certainly
aimed at those who want a step up from an IC-706 for a small HF/2m radio.

>The big advantage about having 430mhz all mode is that you
>will be able to work high orbiting satellites. One might say so what right
>now, but when AMSAT finally gets Phase 3D in orbit (hopefully this year) it
>will be a huge event for amateur radio and there will be a lot of interest
>in working that bird because of its world wide coverage. The FT-847 is ready
>to work that satellite now with the proper antennas of course. 430mhz ssb
>will be the MAIN uplink frequency for Phase 3D. Of course you could always
>get a IC-746 and then a separate 430mhz all mode rig for satellite work,
>but then you are talking probably several hundred extra dollars even for
>good used gear that can put out 35 watts or more on 430mhz all mode, and it
>will not be near as convenient as having it all in one rig for tracking
>your duplex uplink/downlink frequencies. My two cents.
> ---- Steve N9ROU

I expect the main mode on P3D will be L band up and S band down (that's
what AMSAT has been telling us for the last couple of years). The FT-847
can't do either 1.2 GHz or 2.3 GHz. It can do the old mode B, but that isn't
likely to be activated very often on P3D according to AMSAT statements.
The FT847 should be fine for the microsats, for Oscar 10 for however much
longer it works, and for the Russian mode A sats. But for P3D, it looks like
you'll still need transverters. I haven't seen anything that says it has
provision for working with transverters.

Note, the FT-847 looks interesting, but I don't think it is the ultimate one
box solution.

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5800. Re: Icom 706 MII & Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032616005301.LAA27768@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149182

>Subject: Re: Icom 706 MII & Antenna Tuner

I understand your situation, but the last place i would skimp on a mobile installation is the antenna, would you buy a thousand dollarr stereo and then put a small set of inefficient and inaccurate speakers on it? I hope not. And never ever would i run a tuner in a mobile installation. Might as well hook it up to a dummy load, unless all you want to do is listen. Do yourself a favor and don't skimp on the antenna, speaking from experience.

5801. WTB Standard 508A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jopp@erols.com
Message-ID: <jopp-2603981122230001@207-172-196-162.s35.as1.hck.erols.com>
Source record: 149183

Seeking one of those small Standard 508A's, hopefully modified, in mint shape for a reasonable price. thanks in advance.

5802. Re: Reflections... (not the RF kind :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351A806E.5843A910@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Thanks Tom. Maybe you could post a few more of those strays now and then.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

5803. Re: Very low frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerald Nipp <bk014@smail.fh-koeln.de>
Message-ID: <351A8294.1E9E68E1@smail.fh-koeln.de>
Source record: 149185

Marcel Richter schrieb:

> I search VLF (3-30 kHz) transreciver.
> Where can I buy this?
> Where can I find infos about very low
> frequencies in the WWW?
>
> Sincerely,
> Marcel Richter
>
> f´up

In der CQDL zum Beispiel

vy 73 es hpe cuagn

Gerald DL1KN ;)

5804. Re: Kenwood TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <351A7BBB.1C6D@onramp.net>
Source record: 149186

Dave wrote:
>
> Hi all
>
> Could anyone tell me how to get into the 570d adjust mode menus.
>
> Thanx in advance
>
> Dave

A word to the wise,"DON"T". Many of the setting require specific pieces
of test equipment to set. Also some of the setting are overwritten when
you start a specific adjustment and cannot be recovered. So without the
equipment you are lost and so is the radio.

If you just have to get into it at least buy the service manual so you
know what you are screwing up.
--
Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5805. Re: Office97 for equip.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Hursh <jhursh2544@vax2.winona.msus.edu>
Message-ID: <6fe08v$72a$1@Urvile.MSUS.EDU>
Source record: 149187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gone!!!
Jeremy Hursh wrote in message <6f93cp$15p$1@Urvile.MSUS.EDU>...
>I have the full install, Professional Edition MS Office97, never opened
>(still in shrinkwrap!). I would like to trade this for some radio
>equipment. I'm looking for 2m and HF equip. mainly, but will consider all
>propositions.
>
>please e-mail inquiries: jhursh2544@vax2.winona.msus.edu
>
>

5806. Icom IC-W32A new with accessories.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <TKvS.268$PR4.3604723@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149188

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with a
CP-12L cigarette lighter power adapter, HM-46 microphone, BP-180 battery and
instruction manual. Here are some specs:
true dual band receive V/V, V/U or U/U
crossband repeater mode
receives from 118 to 174 and 400 to 470 normally
receive range can be expanded by a simple keypad sequence
I get cellular images perfectly from 600 to 999.995 mhz
200 alphanumeric 8 character memories
backlighted keypad
full CTCSS transmit and receive and scan to identify while receiving
can be programmed by computer, software included
transmit frequency range expandable by a simple hardware mod
5 watts output with 12 volts D.C. or BP-173 battery
3.5 watts output with included BP-180 battery
power saver mode and auto power off function
tone scan, tone squelch and pocket beep operation
dtmf memory
auto repeater function
A check of HRO puts the price at over $400. with the included accessories.
I will let it go for the best offer over $300. U.S. shipping included by
airmail. I cannot ship c.o.d. from Canada to the U.S., other arrangements
can be made.
Still on warranty for one year, this is new equipment.
If interested, contact me by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5807. Re: Very low frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerald Nipp <bk014@smail.fh-koeln.de>
Message-ID: <351A8311.52B8FD0D@smail.fh-koeln.de>
Source record: 149189

Marcel Richter schrieb:

> I search VLF (3-30 kHz) transreciver.
> Where can I buy this?
> Where can I find infos about very low
> frequencies in the WWW?
>
> Sincerely,
> Marcel Richter
>
> f´up

In der CQDL zum Beispiel

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Gerald DL1KN ;)

5808. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sarangan@unm.edu
Message-ID: <6fe1se$86ac@musca.unm.edu>
Source record: 149190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6fe0p6$pd3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, <mlamphier@hotmail.com> wrote:
>I would like to be able to listen to communications from a local general
>aviation tower. These broadcasts are in the 120 MHz frequency range, but my
>shortwave radio (Lowe HF-150) receives only in the 30 kHz to 30 MHz
>range. Rather than buy another receiver I want to know if there is a way I
>can use my current receiver to pick up frequencies higher than it normally
>tunes. I seem to recall radio products that you attach to your antenna that
>convert from higher to lower frequencies or vise versa. Or is there some
>other simple way in which I can modify my receiver?
>
>Thanks,

It is theoretically possible to receive a signal, mix it with a local
oscillator and downshift in frequency. But it is not something you can
assemble in your kitchen for a couple of bucks. Furthermore, you need an
accurate oscillator, preferably with a digital readout. I don't think it is
worth your time to mess around with it. You can buy a good scanner with an
aviation band for about $150. It has all kinds of features you will find
useful.

--
Andrew Sarangan
PP-ASEL-IA

5809. FS: Yaesu FT-470 handie w/lots of extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa6tn.tmneal@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <351b8c81.1798506@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149191

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Yaesu FT-470 dual band 2mtr, 450mhz handie talkie
NC-37 Cradle Quick Charger
PA-6 Car Adapter/Charger
New 1400mah ni-cad battery
All perfect shape $225.00 firm
I pay UPS
---
To reply via e-mail, remove (aa6tn.) from e-mail address
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5810. Re: IC-706 MKII DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlugatch@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fe2qb$3p@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149192

In article <6fe1b8$fh03@odie.mcleod.net>, kb0haespam.stinks@usa.net wrote:

>Hi Everyone. I would like to hear from anyone who has the UT-106 DSP unit
>installed in a 706 MKII. How well does the unit work? How hard is
>installation? Thinking about getting one for my 706 MKII, but want to
>hear some opinions first.
>Thanks
>
Icom USA told me the first units are not expected until the 3rd week of April.

Norm

--
* Norman Dlugatch | W6KHZ ex WA6NSF *
* Paramount Pictures Scoring |dlugatch@worldnet.att.net *
* 5555 Melrose Ave Hollywood, CA 90038 *

5811. FS: Old Radio Magazines, click to see picture

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Kapera <jmek@tsrcom.com>
Message-ID: <351A7B44.489A79CD@tsrcom.com>
Source record: 149193

Institute of Radio Engineers, Sept. 1936 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:38:20 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8923919

Institute of Radio Engineers, Oct. 1936 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:40:17 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8924127

Institute of Radio Engineers, Nov. 1937 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:41:34 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8924243

QST Amateurs Radio magazine, Oct. 1932 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:43:40 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8924365

Radio Engineering .Magazine, Oct. 1936 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:46:01 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8924608

Scarce Radio News magazine, May 1930 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:48:16 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8924867

Radio magazine, Great tube cover Jan.1945 Pic
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:50:31 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8925074

Radio mag., Wild tube cover Oct. 1944 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:52:15 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8925266

Radio magazine, July 1944 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:53:40 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8925413

Radio World, magazine Jan.14 1933 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:55:28 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8925601

Radio World, magazine Feb.11 1933 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:57:26 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8925766

Radio World, magazine March 4 1933 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 15:59:00 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8925925

Radio World, magazine April 1 1933 PIC
Current bid: $3.00
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 16:00:40 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8926099

Radio World, magazine April 15 1933 PIC
Current bid: $3.00
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 16:02:28 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8926295

Rare Citizens Radio Call Book March 1928 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:40:02 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8943880

Radio & Television Today, Nov. 1940 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:43:53 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8944337

Rare Radio Broadcast,May 1927 Great Cover PIC
Bidding starts at: $25.00
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:45:51 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8944588

Radio & Television News, Oct. 1952 PIC
Bidding starts at: $5.00
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:47:26 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8944795

Radio & Television News, July 1952 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:49:41 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8945101

Radio & Television News, Sept. 1952 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:51:32 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8945338

Radio Service Dealer, June 1944 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:54:00 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8945645

Radio Craft, July 1947 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:55:35 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8945851

Radio Craft, Feb. 1946 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:58:12 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8946216

Radio Craft, Military Cover Dec. 1945 PIC
Auction ends on: 03/28/98 18:59:34 PST
http://komodo.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8946366

5812. FS: BEARCAT BC-100XLT HANDHELD SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFoy <wfoy@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351A8D59.4AF4@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Uniden Bearcat BC 100xlt Handheld Scanner

Features: -New NiCd Battery Pack
-(1) VHF Rubberduck Antenna
-(1) UHF Rubberduck Antenna
-Earphone (extra length)
-Wall Charger
-Original Case

Radio Features -100 Channels
-10 Ch./bank, 10 banks
-Weather Search
-29-54, 118-174, 406-512 Mhz
-Band Search

The radio has had some use and I'm proud to say, I've taken good care of it over the years. Everything works perfectly.

I'm asking $100.00 for this beauty. It is a very useful radio and will give you more years of quality scanning.

Please EMAIL me or CALL me at (305)895-4355 between the hours of 10:00am & 9:00pm.

73,
Bill

5813. F.S. Yaesu FT-2500M $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: steven.e.huss@tek.com
Message-ID: <steven.e.huss.175.001EBE9B@tek.com>
Source record: 149195

I�ve got a FT-2500M in nice condition that I need to sell to raise money for another toy. It�s a nice two meter rig that includes the box and manual.

$200 plus shipping

Steve

5814. Re: Reflections... (not the RF kind :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351A89D7.7534DC2@idt.net>
Source record: 149196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

M Johnson wrote:

> Thanks Tom. Maybe you could post a few more of those strays now and then.
>
> 73
> Mark
> AB0HJ

Add my thanks, Tom! I didn't remember that Radio Shack used to sellCollins
gear!

CJH

5815. Re: ! QUESTION...Kenwood Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6fe3j5$4jc$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 149197

In article <3516FFAC.5F55@america.net>,
"John Galgano, KF4WCL" <jgalgano@america.net> wrote:
>Hi Group....
>Does anyone out there have any info on a Kenwood PS-30 Power Supply.
>I purchased one of these along with a Kenwood Rog at a local hamfest
>this weekend, and it had no manual.
>What I need to know is what is the Amp rating of this power supply?
>Also, If anyone has a manual for the PS 30, I would appreciate a copy
>made if you have access to a copier.
>Thanks in advance for your help.
>John
>KF4WCL

---------- I have a PS50 which is 20 A continuous. I have literature that shows a PS-430 but not a PS 30.

The PS-430 is considered a standard supply with 20 A INTERMITTENT.

I quote:

"The PS-430 is a regulated DC power supply with high current capability. The output is 13.8 VDC/20 A (intermittent). Since terminals for 13.8 VDC/10 A are also provided, in addition to an output power cable for use with the TS-440S, the PS-430 can be used as the power source for another low power mobile transceiver such as a 2-meter rig"

Hope this helps you,

73,

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

5816. WTB QRP CW Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Ricketts <rrickets@ix.netcom.com.NOSPAM>
Message-ID: <01bd58df$449c7ee0$0d0101c6@spider>
Source record: 149198

I'm looking for a QRP CW transmitter for 80, 40, and possibly 20M. It can be homebrew, if clean and fully functional, or some form of kit or commercial product.

It needs to be pre-built and fully working, since I don't do much construction anymore, and VFO tunable, so I won't have to rely on rocks. Power level between 2-10W is desirable.

Please respond with a complete description of the rig, condition, features, power requirements, and price shipped to 75010.

I73,

Ron Ricketts
Throwback, Lover of Dogs, Tormenter of Bytes, ex-WA5VFA

5817. [Fwd: R-7 Antenna]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351A9574.B0F4AFD9@idt.net>
Source record: 149199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I received this email and all attempts to reply failed!
Perhaps you will see this, Doug!

CJH

Have you sold the R-7 ? Is it a R-7 or the newer R-7000 ? How can you ship, is it assembled? Also what condition and has it been tuned? Please respond I'm very interested. Thanks Doug W8DMC 73

5818. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: urolab@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6fe5is$l3u@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149200

In <351A52A0.2402@elmat.lth.se> Ingvar Persson
<ingvar.persson@elmat.lth.se> writes:
>
> Trio is Kenwood. The parent company is actually Trio Electronics,
>The Kenwood brand is theirs. These are old radios...before the Kenwd'
>label was used exclusively in the US for ham gear.
>
> WB4DTC

>Ken wrote:
>>
>> Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???
>>
****
****
>>
>> I recently picked up 2 broken Trios at a hamfest and am Trying to
find
>> out more about them. One has a Case that says Drake and it fits like
a
>> glove.
>>
>> I'm wondering if it is a Drake indeed or a foreign knock off.
>> If you've heard of it or have a manual or schematic please email me.
>>
>> 73,
>> Ken
>> landau@ymail.yu.edu
>
>Hello!
>TRIO is TRIO and DRAKE is DRAKE. The only common is TR
>73!
>Ingvar/SM7CZR

5819. VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ieong Weng Kei <tico@macau.ctm.net>
Message-ID: <351A5708.54E0@macau.ctm.net>
Source record: 149201

Hello All,

Please let me know how to fix the problem of VX1R,

can't power on after fully charge, I try to hardware
reset, but still can't power on.

thanks in advance if you can tell me how to fix this problem.

5820. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.91.980326115949.6651A-100000@yoda.sh-gpl.ti.com>
Source record: 149202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 mlamphier@hotmail.com wrote:

> I would like to be able to listen to communications from a local general
> aviation tower. These broadcasts are in the 120 MHz frequency range, but my
> shortwave radio (Lowe HF-150) receives only in the 30 kHz to 30 MHz
> range. Rather than buy another receiver I want to know if there is a way I
> can use my current receiver to pick up frequencies higher than it normally
> tunes. I seem to recall radio products that you attach to your antenna that
> convert from higher to lower frequencies or vise versa. Or is there some
> other simple way in which I can modify my receiver?
>
> Thanks,
>
> M. Lamphier
> (grizzled veteran of 3 hours in C150/152s□j
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
>
>

The Kenwood R2000, and R5000 along with the Yaesu FRG8800 had optional
VHF converters. I don't know if it would be possible to make use of one
of these converters for your Lowe HF-150. Might be something to look into.

Don Levstik WD5JBC
e-mail: d-levstik@ti.com

5821. Re: TM261

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <8XgS.249$PR4.3082364@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149248

Hi there
Open the top cover, cut the green jumper marked W1, turn the radio on
doing a complete reset. It will transmit everywhere it receives on FM but
not in the aircraft band. You will lose your memory data doing the reset so
take a note of what you have programmed in it. Good luck.

73 Michel
David Rust a crit dans le message
<199803250308.VAA07398@smtp2.mailsrvcs.net>...
>Is there any mod out there to extend the transmit range of the TM261A past
>the 152.meg where it stops? I bought it thinking it would go up to 174.
>but not so?? Anyone with any ideas. wa0lkf@gte.net
>

5822. WTB--ITT Mackay Marine 3010C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlogin@gville.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6fc8es$pe0@camel20.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149249

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Vy interested in this radio--if u hve one let me knw price/condx--73's
Bob, AA8A
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5823. Looking for R D Campbell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: agiroux@cvn.NET
Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19980325194812.007a9100@mail.cvn.net>
Source record: 149250

I'm looking for R D Campbell N5IXE or W5IXE -- I think he has used 'calvary' as a net id. We had a good deal on a radio & I need to send him some additional stuff.

I think he is located in Bristol, VA, but they have no phone listing for him there.

5824. Yaesu FT-5200 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdonohue@renc.igs.net
Message-ID: <351da152.16606409@news.igs.net>
Source record: 149251

Hi:
My FT-5200 in the last few days has started to develope
a problem. The rig will suddenly shut itself off with no apparent
warning. I usually only will happen once per evening but it has
happened that it turned itself off twice in one evening. Does
anybody that has this rig or similiar unit ie 5100 experienced
this problem and what was the cause. Also it hasn't overheated.

73 De Mike
VE3DMJ

5825. Mars/Cap mod for FT800r?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032601330700.UAA24679@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149252

Anyone know the Mars/Cap mod for the Yaesu FT800r dualband mobile?

email or reply
Thanks

5826. Re: Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <woodson1@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fhv4q$a32$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 148954

I have the Alinco DJ-S41, and live three miles from a repeater. The repeater's antenna is on an eighty foot tower. I use the talkie to access the repeater, and the other end is hard pressed to know if I am using the 340 mw, or the 10 mw power output.

440 MHz will surprise some. It is amazing (to me), what can be done with very little power. I can consistently activate this repeater, nine miles out atop a hill. I have to get much closer to carry on a QSO, so don't take this the wrong way.

I don't know if this would be a consideration, but I like the fact that the Alinco operates from three AA batteries. My first set lasted six days. The radio was used to QSO, rather than only monitor, and the 340 mw power was mostly used. I'm sure they will last much longer, if the 10 mw power is used.

Christopher W. Buckley wrote:

> I've been looking at alot of the micro HT's, the alinco ones in
> particular, which come in both a VHF and a UHF model. My question is
> this: Are these things worth the money? I mean, is 200-300mW going to be
> practical for everyday use? Am I going to be able to hit the LOCAL
> repeaters with these, from 2-4 miles away?
>
> Any input would be appreciated. I think it just may make for good
> discussion too..
>
> 73,
>
> Chris Buckely
> KC0DBY

5827. Re: IC-706 Remote Programming Commands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Bernstein <dhb@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <351C8212.A2EE9939@mediaone.net>
Source record: 148955

Command 03 directs the radio to report its frequency, and command 04
directs it to report its mode and filter settings. Neither of these
commands are mentioned in the 706 manual, but both are documented in
Icon's CI-V reference manual. You'll need commands 03 and 04 to poll for
status, unless you've only got one radio on your CI-V bus and can thus
configure it to broadcast frequency and mode changes automatically. See
http://www.ambersoft.com/Amateur_Radio/Icom_Control.htm for details.

73,

Dave, AA6YQ

Joe Dubner wrote:
>
> Has anyone else experimented with homebrew software to control the Icom
> IC-706 transceiver via RS-232? I'm curious if you've discovered any
> commands other than the 10 in the manual's skimpy information.
>
> The table on page 39 lists commands 05 through 10 (hex). I found out
> that "commands" 00 and 01 (and possibly others in the range of 02 - 04)
> are sent by the radio to return "status", e.g. 00 and 01 for frequency
> and mode respectively, corresponding to 05 and 06, which set frequency
> and mode.
>
> What I'd really like to know is how to control some of the radio's more
> esoteric features: setting alphanumeric names for the memories, changing
> CW speed, changing power, etc. Has anyone found any "hidden gold" in
> the command table?
>
> 73,
> Joe
>
> --
> Joe Dubner K7JD | 5755 E. Dodd Road | dubner@iea.COM
> | Hayden Lake, ID 83835 | +1 208 772-5367
> --

5828. FS:Kwd DSP-100 $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: WARREN MAYS <k7sa@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <351C8D01.1FD09DAD@uswest.net>
Source record: 148956

Kenwood DSP-100 unit for TS450/850 cables and manual, $150 plus
shipping.
73's
Warren K7SA

5829. Re: Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <351C91BC.51719FC6@hevanet.com>
Source record: 148957

Bob wrote:

> I have the Alinco DJ-S41, and live three miles from a repeater.
> I'm sure they will last much longer, if the 10 mw power is used.

On mine, low power mode only saved about 20% of the current drain.

--
Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

5830. WTB: Yaesu FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Delta Dan <dan@nitpik.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.93.980327122946.8559I-100000@tdl.com>
Source record: 148958

Looking for a good used FT-840.

Dan Mendez
DVM Productions \\\|///
nitpik.com ((o o))
`~``~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`o00o~(_)~o00o`~`~`~`~`~`~`~`

5831. WTB: Cimarron CEU-1 ANI encoders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesse Leonor <jester@tricom.net>
Message-ID: <6fhelb$6h0$1@jupiter.tricom.net>
Source record: 148959

Hi everybody,

Anybody have any of these? I can buy single units, but prefer in
dozens.

Jesse Leonor
jester@tricom.net

5832. FS: Yupiteru MVT7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: RH Oemar <roemar@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Message-ID: <351A8B0F.7D06@bdg.centrin.net.id>
Source record: 148960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Yupiteru MVT7100 ser#60901942, continuous coverage 0.1-1650 MHz, all modes USB/LSB/NFM/WFM/AM/CW, 1000 memories, VG condition 1.5 yrs old purchased new from Javiation, w/ manual and box.

Detailed info at http://www.javiation.co.uk/mvt7100.htm
http://www.lowe.co.uk/7100.html

US$275 shipped by FedEx COD. Please email if interested.

Regards,
Richard

5833. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6fequdmcp1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 149007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>, Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net> wrote:
>NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
>http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm

Come on guys, stop posting this BS. Sure, you can buy a new AR8000 (unblocked) from Multicomm in England for $404, but it's NOT legal to import it into the U.S. because they're banned here...only the AR8000B is legal because it can't be modified to receive cellular phone frequencies.

Yes, Multicomm will ship it here, but that still doesn't make it legal and you take a real chance it will be confiscated by the Feds before you get it...maybe even after you get it if the Feds start to investigate this illegal activity and get a hold of Multicomm's shipping lists. Knock knock...who's there? ;)

However, it is legal to buy units that were imported BEFORE the ban. That's why used models command higher prices...they're worth it because you can legally own them.

Lets compare apples to apples....okay?

Thanks.

--sandy
sandy@sandy.com

5834. FOR SALE: ADI AT-600HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: heysman@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032700295801.TAA07905@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149008

FOR SALE: AT-600HP, 5-Watt dualband HT. Includes battery, charger, antenna, and manual. Asking $200 plus shipping.

5835. Test Message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeanxy@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EqGBrw.6wz@world.std.com>
Source record: 149009

Pardon me, I work for an ISP, and a customer mentioned difficulty posting
to this group. I figured I'd give it a test, hence this test.
Thanks.

5836. General Radio 1606A SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6KKT@nospam.com
Message-ID: <351cf925.42930927@news.frazmtn.com>
Source record: 149010

GR1606A sold.
73, Jesse, W6KKT

Jesse,W6KKT
Replace "nospam.com with frazmtn.com

5837. Re: VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <g3DS.22$Nf1.80949@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 149011

Did you try an external power source to eleminate the battery from being the problem

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
Thomas May wrote in message
<01bd58bd$b3cc0f00$0fc68e97@tmay.wiltec.twc.com>...
>The VX-1 is never really off. The CPU is always scanning for a key press.
>When the "power key" is pressed, the CPU wakes up the rest of the radio.
>If the CPU is not functioning correctly, it may not be scanning the power
>key. You could try removing the battery, and then WHILE HOLDING IN THE
>POWER KEY, re-insert the battery. When power is first applied, the CPU
>should make at least one pass over the input keys. (You could also try
>holding the M/V AR keys and replacing the battery, just in case your power
>switch is bad!)
>
>Good Luck.
>KA3GYI
>
>Ieong Weng Kei <tico@macau.ctm.net> wrote in article
><351A5708.54E0@macau.ctm.net>...
>> Hello All,
>>
>> Please let me know how to fix the problem of VX1R,
>>
>> can't power on after fully charge, I try to hardware
>> reset, but still can't power on.
>>
>> thanks in advance if you can tell me how to fix this problem.
>>

5838. Heath SB 100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032701222700.UAA20114@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149012

Complete SB 100. Transceiver, power supply, Desk Michrophone. Have all manuals, and extra finals new in box. Rig is clean, metal good. Please make offer-this ain't junk nor is it gold. Want to acquire a AOR 3000/A or similar. If the buying party is within a reasonable distance from Pittsburgh, I'll deliver.
73's
Ed N3KEX

5839. Re: Reflections... (not the RF kind :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ <cjr@wavefront.com>
Message-ID: <351B0409.11ABFE0D@wavefront.com>
Source record: 149013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

C. J. Hickman, Jr. wrote:
>
> M Johnson wrote:
>
> > Thanks Tom. Maybe you could post a few more of those strays now and then.
> >
> > 73
> > Mark
> > AB0HJ
>
> Add my thanks, Tom! I didn't remember that Radio Shack used to sellCollins
> gear!
>
> CJH

I think that was the original Radio Shack, a radio/electronics store in Boston which was bought out by Tandy just to acquire the name. (Or so I understand.)

73, CJ K0CJ

5840. Re: No serial # in ADMS-2D software!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032701504400.UAA25012@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149014

NOPE.

No sticker in there either, my ft50 software had the little white sticker, but not the adms 2d! I called RT and they gave me a number over the phone, lets see if it works!

5841. Re: Test Message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jean Connelly <jeanxy@world.std.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SGI.3.95.980326202203.2828J-100000@world.std.com>
Source record: 149015

Last one was with tin.. this is a test with pine.
please excuse me.
thanks

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998, Jean Connelly wrote:

> Pardon me, I work for an ISP, and a customer mentioned difficulty posting
> to this group. I figured I'd give it a test, hence this test.
> Thanks.
>
>
>

5842. FS Tek 485 Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ff1ni$fr9@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149016

Hi All.
I have a for sale.
Tek 485 Osilloscpe 350MHz
Good working condition $500.00 Plus Shipping
Tel : 714-778-5151
Thanks

5843. Re: FT-847 performance on HF ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tculin@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6ff19j$3pm$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 149017

That's one reason I went with the Ic-746 and its a great radio.

Bill Clarke <billclarke@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Compare the specs with the now out of production 990 and you will be
>disappointed. Neither the new 847 or the 920 compare to the 990. This is
>progress?

>Bill W2BLC

5844. Re: Comments on IC-746??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tculin@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6ff212$4mt$1@news1.teleport.com>
Source record: 149018

Well I parted with mine (Money that is) and I have had the rig about a week now. Made a couple of contacts on 10, 2ssb, 6 and listened around on SW. One thing I can say is I won't part with the radio.

I have found a few wierd things. A typo in the manual on page 52 which referrs to another page (See page ??). I guess they rushed the editing.

The other is if your using the RIT and have a tsql tone set and press the clear button to clear the RIT, it does and the TSQL setting to. But then when do you use RIT and tone squelch together.

The RF Gain/Squelch is neat, but I reset mine to squelch only and rf gain to max.

I have gotten nothing but good reports on the transmit audio, which on SSB you can set the tone quality.

It has switchable ssb filters at the IF stage unlike the Yaesu 847. It come standard with a 2.8 or 2.5 or something.

I don't like the voice compression control as a reset pot on the back panel, but how often to you change that control.

The internal Memo keyer is a nice feature especially for you cw contest folks. The display is big and very easy to read from across the shack.

Has a great receiver from what I can tell so far. Preamp works well to.

The tuner is helpful and is able to match my Comet GP-15 with a 3.6 SWR to 1.1 at 50.140 so I can use it on SSB. The tuner doesn't work with 2m.

In my opinion you don't need to worry about being as crazy as me, the radio is great.

<GHANSON@Maine.edu> wrote:

>Anyone out there have an Icom IC-746 yet? I understand the west coast
>HRO's have sold some. Any comments? Was I a fool to order a new radio
>that hasn't been out for a year and debugged?
>You know what they say about a fool and his money!! Thanks for reading
>and 73....Greg/W1XZ.

5845. Re: Anyone heard of a Trio TR-2200 2 meter Radio? Is this a Drake???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <351b0d1f.51255994@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 149019

Also the Drake TR72, and TR33, as well as the Marker Luxury ...were
all made by Kenwood (Trio)
...Dave

5846. Radios for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff@xyzzy.fdu.edu
Message-ID: <EqGH0J.G61@xyzzy.fdu.edu>
Source record: 149020

I am posting this for a friend, please call him directly!

Call Joe at 607-334-4291 before 10pm Eastern

Icom IC-736 HF/6 100watts tuner PS $1200
Icom IC-2SA 2 Meter HT 3battery packs $150
Radio Shack HTX 242 2 Meter Mobile $250
RCI 2950 10 meter all mode 25 Watt $150
RFC 70 cm 100watt power amp. $250

All prices plus shipping (norwich, NY)

Call Joe directly at 607-334-4291 before 10pm Easterm!

thanks...
--
.Sig??? you want a stinkin' Sig too???? sheesh
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(home) 973-299-1819 jeff@wisdom.bubble.org
(work) 973-597-3278 jross@fame.com

5847. FS: Kenwood TR-2200 2 Meter Mobile/Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Bissell <swb1@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd592d$78ac4c80$d06c1ed1@swb1.flash.net>
Source record: 149021

Kenwood TR-2200, Mic, Battery, Charger, Box. Good 2 Meter throwdown radio.
Works Good, has ctcss encoder. Make Offer
Steve
swb1@flash.net

5848. FS-Radio shack 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmayer7309@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032703160000.WAA10723@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149022

I have a 2006 for sale very good condition. will sell for $300.00 buyer pays shipping.

pm7309@AOL

5849. Need a service manual for your scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032703265200.WAA12720@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149023

We have them.

CTP Descramblers
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

5850. DXCC Headings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.COM
Message-ID: <3.0.3.32.19980326201726.006b7104@mail.dancris.com>
Source record: 149024

I have an Excel spreadsheet listing one line for each DXCC country, This sheet provides Heading, distance and reciprocal heading for each country from any given location. Just plug in your long/lat and you will have a neat DXCC list and beam heading chart. Updated to include Temotu Is and ST0 is, alas, gone.

No charge. Just e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com and I will send it back as an attachment (60K bytes).

Dean, K7NO

C. Dean Norris, K7NO
e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com
Proud charter member of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy!

5851. KW TS820 finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <w8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <351B1E7A.C590B474@kellnet.com>
Source record: 149025

A friend just upgraded and bought a KW TS-820.

What does this rig use for finals? The book says S2001. A couple
of us thought it used 6146Bs.....

Tnx in advance
73, Bob

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(o o)
---73,
Bob---oooO---O---Oooo---w8imo@kellnet.com--------------------
What is the speed of dark?

5852. FS - Headset/PTT for ICOM Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: swoodwar@fix.net
Message-ID: <6ff8u0$1fq$1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 149026

Have an Encomm headset/boom microphone that fits ICOM handhelds,
2-AT, O2AT, 32AT and etc. Has PTT with belt clip, momentary one way,
locks on the other. Probably can be used on any radio by rewiring the
Rx & Tx plugs. Like new condition, $45 shipped UPS to you.

Steve W7AZF
swoodwar@fix.net

5853. Re: KW TS820 finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032704324401.XAA24435@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149027

Yer rite, 6146B or W. The tube referenced in the opr book is the Japanese equiv.

K&#65533;MB

5854. Re: No serial # in ADMS-2D software!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <TQFS.37$Nf1.180523@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 149028

Well did it ???

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
CableTek73 wrote in message
<1998032701504400.UAA25012@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>NOPE.
>
>No sticker in there either, my ft50 software had the little white sticker,
but
>not the adms 2d! I called RT and they gave me a number over the phone,
lets
>see if it works!
>

5855. Re: Icom T8A / HP MOD available?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Kvochick <kvo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ffccu$f0f@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149029

I got this word of mouth....and I tried it on my brand new IC-T8A....less than a week old!
This information does not come with any warranty implied or expressed, and will obviously violate your warranty on the radio....I am not responsible, in any way, shape manner or form for you actions....period...

1. Remove battery (If this step is challenging, stop...do not proceed...I mean it!)

2. Remove antenna, and speaker/microphone rubber "boot" (The silly little thing that keeps the holes on the top of the radio from filling with water.

3. Remove the tuning know on the top of the radio by gently pulling it up.

4. The SMA connector for the antenna is held in with a little nut....I'm not sure what the correct tool is for it, but I used the points of a needle nose pliers to remove it...it turns counter-clockwise.

5. Holding the radio in your left (or right) hand, with the back of the radio facing you,
notice the two little black screws at the bottom of the battery compartment. Remove
them, making sure not to lose them....

6. Nervous yet? I was....I don't normally have trouble with this type of thing...

7. Hold the radio in one hand "face down"...gently pull up on the bottom edge of the back of the radio...(a great handle is the little aluminum rectangle painted black on the bottom of the radio, and still silver inside the battery compartment)

8. The radio should slip out of the case, bottom edge first, with the tuning knob shaft and the SMA connector still attached to the radio....you should also notice a little "rubber band" type of O ring around the frame of the radio....if it becomes misaligned, it will be very difficult to assemble the radio.

9. stop for a moment and marvel at the engineering....inside the case is the speaker, still firmly attached...it makes contact through two circuit board pads when the radio is installed....all of the "buttons" on the case short out conductive traces on the radio circuit board....pretty cool, eh? (probably designed by a guy/gal who did cellular phone stuff....)

10. View the circuit board from the "top" side...that is the side that was inside the case...not the "back" side, the heatsink and battery terminals.....

11. You should easily notice the LCD display....if you cannot identify an LCD display, STOP NOW.....PLEASE.....Try and reverse the steps and put your radio back together......

12. To the left of the LCD display, you should find three surface mount, three legged components...another good landmark is the Transmit/Receive LED that is mounted on the board.....it's located down and to the left of the LCD...(assuming you are holding the radio in your hand with the antenna connector facing up)....

13. Note: there may NOT be THREE little three legged guys installed if you radio is NOT a U.S. version...at any rate, there is only one device we care about....

14. The diode (I know they have THREE legs, but they really are diodes) we need to remove is located as far LEFT of the LCD as possible, just ABOVE the white looking surface mount component that is the Transmit/Receive LED...if you study the other positions carefully, you'll notice that the diode we wish to remove is even oriented differently than the others...

15. Remove the diode....good luck, without the right tools....although, a friend of mine who did this simply destroyed the device with a pair of side cutters......
I wish you well, but I'm NOT RESPONSIBLE!!!!!

16. Put the radio back together...have a nice day....

regards

5856. Midland radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Primmer <dprimmer@eoni.com>
Message-ID: <351B398E.E47999A7@eoni.com>
Source record: 149030

Help!
Our search and rescue group has a number of Midland Model 70-441B
radios.
We would like to be able to program the ourselves but we lack the
necessary hardware\software.
Any help would be appreciated.

dprimmer@eoni.com

Doug Primmer

5857. Mods for Kenwood TM 261A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: miracleaud@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032706210101.BAA07191@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149031

I looked in all the usual places. Looking for wide RX capability. Anyone know where to find the mod to do this?

John
WB6JKQ
Where are we going and why am I in this handbasket?

5858. FS: Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032707010800.CAA14016@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149032

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Very clean. Speed and cell mods done.

$300 I pay shiping
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is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S."
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5859. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: psam@giraffe.ru.ac.za
Message-ID: <psam.201.00093C2F@giraffe.ru.ac.za>
Source record: 149033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <351a6c02.279523583@news.atl.bellsouth.net> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:
>From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>Subject: Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs
>Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 14:55:21 GMT

>On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 02:41:59 GMT, leeh@interaccess.com (Neuralmancer) wrote:
>[big snip]
>>While costing slightly more than the $500 target, an existing radio
>>that meets these specs is the ICOM-707. I obtained mind for $730.
>>
>>Lee
>>KB9RYF/AA

>Yeah, but it is a classic analog radio design. Cost can be reduced
>by using a more modern digital approach.

>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

The Icon IC-707 has a digital readout....what made you think that it was a analog set....It is a very good and sturdy rig....better than some of the rigs with lots of bells and things...sinple and trustworthy.

5860. BC 300 Manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: K6ME <k6me@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <6ffnnlesd2@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 149034

I need a manual or good a copy for the BC 300. I will pay reasonable copy price and SASE U.S Postal Service both ways.
Thanks: K6ME >Sk6me@thegrid.net< Remember Spam ?

5861. Re: Reflections... (not the RF kind :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351B8758.1B179FEA@idt.net>
Source record: 149035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

CJ wrote:

> > Add my thanks, Tom! I didn't remember that Radio Shack used to sellCollins
> > gear!
> >
> > CJH
>
> I think that was the original Radio Shack, a radio/electronics store in
> Boston which was bought out by Tandy just to acquire the name. (Or so I
> understand.)
>
> 73, CJ K0CJ

Aha! that DOES make a difference in the "pictures of my mind." :-) I feel a
little better now!

CJH

5862. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fg1bn$ik0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149036
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Who is this gentleman, and what was he selling?

Do you want to just end up dead or what?

Motherfucker.

In article <6fdp6n$90c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> Additionally information to all potential buyers and/or sellers
> dealing with Mr. owodunni:
>
> I've received an e-mail message from a gentleman who has also had the
> displeasure of dealing with this guy. Apparently Mr. Owodunni offered
> an extremely low offer on somethig this gentleman was selling. When
> he declined the offer, Mr. owodunni replied with one of his
> inappropriate and graphic displays of the english language, which I
> may add is somewhat lacking. Have a good day folks!
>
> On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 14:33:04 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
> (Kin Ho) wrote:
>
> >That's funny, by your own admission on my posting to try and sell this
> >same radio, you commented it was only WORTH $500, even in MINT
> >condition.
> >
> >Gee, I wonder why you are now asking $150 more than what you yourself
> >said the radio is worth. I believe this is an excellent example of
> >your lack of integrity. Accordingly, all potential buyers of
> >anything that you have to sell now, and in the future, should be more
> >cautious. Have a good day!
> >
> >
> >On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 05:16:46 -0600, segun_owodunni@yahoo.com wrote:
> >
> >>Brand new AOR3000A with box, xmas gift, never been used.
> >>$650.00.
> >>
> >>
> >>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading
> >
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>

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5863. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: segun_owodunni@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6fg1ig$iv1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Why insult the gentleman, he was only voicing his opinion.

In article <351B193F.DF228133@mcn.org>,
cipher@mcn.org wrote:
>
> You smoke too much crack.
>
> Sandy Meltzer wrote:
>
> > In article <351AC653.D7023493@ncia.net>, Arthur Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
wrote:
> > >NEW AR8000,shipped $404>>>see the URL
> > >http://www.multicomm2000.com/page3.htm
> >
> > Come on guys, stop posting this BS. Sure, you can buy a new AR8000
> > (unblocked) from Multicomm in England for $404, but it's NOT legal to
import
> > it into the U.S. because they're banned here...only the AR8000B is legal
> > because it can't be modified to receive cellular phone frequencies.
> >
> > Yes, Multicomm will ship it here, but that still doesn't make it legal and
you
> > take a real chance it will be confiscated by the Feds before you get
> > it...maybe even after you get it if the Feds start to investigate this
illegal
> > activity and get a hold of Multicomm's shipping lists. Knock
knock...who's
> > there? ;)
> >
> > However, it is legal to buy units that were imported BEFORE the ban.
That's
> > why used models command higher prices...they're worth it because you can
> > legally own them.
> >
> > Lets compare apples to apples....okay?
> >
> > Thanks.
> >
> > --sandy
> > sandy@sandy.com
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5864. Standard C510A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-2703980626150001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 149038

Has anyone out there the freq. expansion mod for thin walkie?

tnx in advance, Barry K1SWR

5865. Icom IC-T8 receive mod under 50 MHz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dan begin <holygost@netrover.com>
Message-ID: <6fg473$5m4$1@nntp2.uunet.ca>
Source record: 149039

Hi all... I'm looking for the IC-T8 mod allow
you to receive frequencies under 50 MHz?!
If you know this mod, please help me!!!

Thanks...

Dan, VE2BHN

5866. Alinco ELH-265D info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter VK4VW <vk4vw@st.net.au>
Message-ID: <351B9739.DA0D1BD3@st.net.au>
Source record: 149040

Please help. One of our club members is looking for a Schematic diagram or any info at all on an ALINCO ELH-265D VHF all mode 2m linear amplifier. Any info would be most appreciated.

Peter Dawson VK4VW
Redcliffe Radio Club
vk4rc@qsl.net
http://www.st.net.au/~vk4vw/rdrc/

5867. FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tje@usol.com
Message-ID: <351b9622.1607479@news.usol.com>
Source record: 149041
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
to play the auction bidding game.
--
Tim, K8TJ

5868. FS Brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <KqNS.393$PR4.4222513@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 149042

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with a
CP-12L cigarette lighter power adapter, HM-46 microphone, BP-180 battery and
instruction manual. Here are some specs:
true dual band receive V/V, V/U or U/U
crossband repeater mode
receives from 118 to 174 and 400 to 470 normally
receive range can be expanded by a simple keypad sequence
I get cellular images perfectly from 600 to 999.995 mhz
200 alphanumeric 8 character memories
backlighted keypad
full CTCSS transmit and receive and scan to identify while receiving
can be programmed by computer, software included
transmit frequency range expandable by a simple hardware mod
5 watts output with 12 volts D.C. or BP-173 battery
3.5 watts output with included BP-180 battery
power saver mode and auto power off function
tone scan, tone squelch and pocket beep operation
dtmf memory
auto repeater function
A check of HRO puts the price at over $400. with the included accessories.

I will let it go for the best offer over $300. U.S. shipping included by
airmail. I cannot ship c.o.d. from Canada to the U.S., other arrangements
can be made.
Still on warranty for one year, this is new equipment.
If interested, contact me by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5869. FS: YAESU FT-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <351bab00.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 149043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

YAESU FT-102 160-10m (including WRC) Transceiver, reconditioned by
NC4L, new relays & tubes, 200w output, 1.8KHz. filter, VG condition.

$550 + shipping from St. Pete, Fl. area.

Dennis w4dg@ibm.net

5870. FS:Heathkit HW100 and power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2jy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032713482301.IAA04411@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149044

have heathkit hw100 and hp23a power supply for sale.both in good condition
145.oo which includes shipping.thanks

K2JY@aol.com

5871. Cool radio equip. for sale, TTbc235 etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Thorpe <no@spamjerk.com>
Message-ID: <01bd598a$daf59b50$0db584cc@jack>
Source record: 149045
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have a Uniden trunktracker scanner for sale. $175.00. Perfect condition including the box and manuals. BC-235 handheld.

I also have a Alinco DR-130 2M mobile rig for sale. Asking $200.00 for this unit. In good shape. Comes with mounting bracket and appropriate plugs. Also comes with radio shack magnet mount mobile antenna

GE-PCS radio for sale. Will work with EDACS systems. Have this programmed for Denver Co and Westminster CO, receive only. This is a hobby radio for me. Will sell for $400.00 firm.

Will sell all radios at once or one at a time. If you're interested, please email me at

N0VLD@yahoo.com

for those of you who don't know. the 0 in N0VLD is a zero, just incase you're not familiar with ham callsigns.

Jack

5872. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351bb7b5.319020710@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 09:14:08, psam@giraffe.ru.ac.za (MR A MULDER) wrote:

>In article <351a6c02.279523583@news.atl.bellsouth.net> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
writes:
>>On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 02:41:59 GMT, leeh@interaccess.com (Neuralmancer) wrote:
>>[big snip]
>>>While costing slightly more than the $500 target, an existing radio
>>>that meets these specs is the ICOM-707. I obtained mind for $730.
>
>>Yeah, but it is a classic analog radio design. Cost can be reduced
>>by using a more modern digital approach.
>
>>Gary
>
>The Icon IC-707 has a digital readout....what made you think that it was a
>analog set....

It is an analog set because it processes the signal with all analog circuitry.
A modern design digitizes the signal as close to the front end as possible
and does all signal filtering and demodulation in software.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5873. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: C Riecke <criecke@charleston.net>
Message-ID: <351BB661.6F4B@charleston.net>
Source record: 149047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Butch Magee wrote:
>
> A converter will do the trick, but you would be much better off to just
> buy a scanner with aviation freqs (most all have this). You will spring
> for 100-150 bucks, AND you can listen to the police, hams at 2meters,
> weather, and on and on......
>
> Butch KF5DE

Make sure the one you pick has 108-136 Mhz AM many do not.......

5874. Re: AES Shipping FT847's Today (3/26)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6fgekd$3g8u$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 149048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Don Rasmussen <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM> wrote in message
<#NQ8YKRW9GA.128@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>...
>Hi Guys,
>
>I just got off the phone with AES Las Vegas. They have one FT847
>left today that is not spoken for. Yours for only $1899 and the
>first phone call. They sent out 4 that were on backorder today.
>Looks like all the questions about the new rigs will finally be
>answered!
>
>73,
>Don WB8YQJ/6
>Carlsbad, Ca.
HRO in Phoenix has 1 or 2 left as of Thursday, priced at $1819.95 plus
shipping.

5875. Re: Comments on IC-746??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fgfft$m7q$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 149049

How does it compair to the IC-756 and other Icom HF products?

Ted Culin wrote:
> Well I parted with mine (Money that is) and I have had the rig about a
> week now. Made a couple of contacts on 10, 2ssb, 6 and listened
> around on SW. One thing I can say is I won't part with the radio.
>
> I have found a few wierd things. A typo in the manual on page 52
> which referrs to another page (See page ??). I guess they rushed the
> editing.
>
> The other is if your using the RIT and have a tsql tone set and press
> the clear button to clear the RIT, it does and the TSQL setting to.
> But then when do you use RIT and tone squelch together.
>
> The RF Gain/Squelch is neat, but I reset mine to squelch only and rf
> gain to max.
>
> I have gotten nothing but good reports on the transmit audio, which on
> SSB you can set the tone quality.
>
> It has switchable ssb filters at the IF stage unlike the Yaesu 847.
> It come standard with a 2.8 or 2.5 or something.
>
> I don't like the voice compression control as a reset pot on the back
> panel, but how often to you change that control.
>
> The internal Memo keyer is a nice feature especially for you cw
> contest folks. The display is big and very easy to read from across
> the shack.
>
> Has a great receiver from what I can tell so far. Preamp works well
> to.
>
> The tuner is helpful and is able to match my Comet GP-15 with a 3.6
> SWR to 1.1 at 50.140 so I can use it on SSB. The tuner doesn't work
> with 2m.
>
> In my opinion you don't need to worry about being as crazy as me, the
> radio is great.
>
> <GHANSON@Maine.edu> wrote:
>

> >Anyone out there have an Icom IC-746 yet? I understand the west coast
> >HRO's have sold some. Any comments? Was I a fool to order a new radio
> >that hasn't been out for a year and debugged?
> >You know what they say about a fool and his money!! Thanks for reading
> >and 73....Greg/W1XZ.

5876. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351bbca5.320284763@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 10:49:14 -0600, mlamphier@hotmail.com wrote:
>I would like to be able to listen to communications from a local general
>aviation tower. These broadcasts are in the 120 MHz frequency range, but my
>shortwave radio (Lowe HF-150) receives only in the 30 kHz to 30 MHz
>range. Rather than buy another receiver I want to know if there is a way I
>can use my current receiver to pick up frequencies higher than it normally
>tunes. I seem to recall radio products that you attach to your antenna that
>convert from higher to lower frequencies or vise versa. Or is there some
>other simple way in which I can modify my receiver?

Sure. What you need is called a converter. This is just a fixed frequency
oscillator and mixer which translates one frequency range to another.
In your case, you want to translate the 118 MHz to 130 MHz range to
18 MHz to 30 MHz. To do that, you need a 100 MHz crystal oscillator
and a broadband VHF mixer (a MiniCircuits SBL-1 will do nicely).

You can totally homebrew this converter if you like, or you can buy a
kit from Hamtronics, or you can buy an assembled and tested converter
from a number of vendors. They get about $70 to $100 for one, though,
and you can build one for about $25.

Alternatively, nearly any scanner will cover this range directly, and isn't
much more expensive than an assembled converter. It'll do a lot more
than just receive aircraft too.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5877. WTB: 2M Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <351BCBAB.7FD7EBDC@together.net>
Source record: 149051

I'm in need of a 2M Mobile unit... I'm leasing my car so I can't really screw a bunch of holes in it to mount a 2M rig. The car is a 98 Blazer... and there is no good place to mount a rig other than on top of the dash or under the seat... can't put it on top of the dash so.. need a 2M righ with detatachable front panel...

Ideally I'd like a Standard C1208A, where all the works are in the Spkr/Mic... if anybody has a 1208A they want to sell for a reasonable price please let me know...

I'd also be willing to go with any other rig that has a detatachable front panel.

Tom
KB1CGA

5878. FS: Kenwood Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <6fgi4h$9sk$1@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 149052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS-940SAT (s/n in 10 mil) with AM & CW filters, chip upgrade, VS-1 Voice Synthesizer, SM-220 Station Monitor & BS8 Pan display adapter, MC-60A mic, IF-232C Interface w/IF-10B, all manuals and original boxes. In excellent condition, $1800.00 (US) plus shipping.

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Walter - VE3EN
Manotick, Ontario
wfairclo@netcom.ca

5879. Re: Icom T8A / HP MOD available?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. Covey" <scott@scottcovey.com>
Message-ID: <6fgiu2pjk1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 149053

So... what does this mod do? Did you hear it from a "reliable" source. Did the mod work on your radio?

James Kvochick wrote in message <6ffccu$f0f@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>I got this word of mouth....and I tried it on my brand new IC-T8A....less
>than a week old!
>This information does not come with any warranty implied or expressed, and
>will obviously violate your warranty on the radio....I am not responsible,
>in any way, shape manner or form for you actions....period...
>
>
>1. Remove battery (If this step is challenging, stop...do not proceed...I
>mean it!)
>
>2. Remove antenna, and speaker/microphone rubber "boot" (The silly little
>thing that keeps the holes on the top of the radio from filling with water.
>
>3. Remove the tuning know on the top of the radio by gently pulling it up.
>
>4. The SMA connector for the antenna is held in with a little nut....I'm
>not sure what the correct tool is for it, but I used the points of a needle
>nose pliers to remove it...it turns counter-clockwise.
>
>5. Holding the radio in your left (or right) hand, with the back of the
>radio facing you,
>notice the two little black screws at the bottom of the battery
>compartment. Remove
>them, making sure not to lose them....
>
>6. Nervous yet? I was....I don't normally have trouble with this type of
>thing...
>
>7. Hold the radio in one hand "face down"...gently pull up on the bottom
>edge of the back of the radio...(a great handle is the little aluminum
>rectangle painted black on the bottom of the radio, and still silver inside
>the battery compartment)
>
>8. The radio should slip out of the case, bottom edge first, with the
>tuning knob shaft and the SMA connector still attached to the radio....you
>should also notice a little "rubber band" type of O ring around the frame
>of the radio....if it becomes misaligned, it will be very difficult to
>assemble the radio.
>
>9. stop for a moment and marvel at the engineering....inside the case is

>the speaker, still firmly attached...it makes contact through two circuit
>board pads when the radio is installed....all of the "buttons" on the case
>short out conductive traces on the radio circuit board....pretty cool, eh?
>(probably designed by a guy/gal who did cellular phone stuff....)
>
>10. View the circuit board from the "top" side...that is the side that was
>inside the case...not the "back" side, the heatsink and battery
>terminals.....
>
>11. You should easily notice the LCD display....if you cannot identify an
>LCD display, STOP NOW.....PLEASE.....Try and reverse the steps and put your
>radio back together......
>
>12. To the left of the LCD display, you should find three surface mount,
>three legged components...another good landmark is the Transmit/Receive LED
>that is mounted on the board.....it's located down and to the left of the
>LCD...(assuming you are holding the radio in your hand with the antenna
>connector facing up)....
>
>13. Note: there may NOT be THREE little three legged guys installed if you
>radio is NOT a U.S. version...at any rate, there is only one device we care
>about....
>
>14. The diode (I know they have THREE legs, but they really are diodes) we
>need to remove is located as far LEFT of the LCD as possible, just ABOVE
>the white looking surface mount component that is the Transmit/Receive
>LED...if you study the other positions carefully, you'll notice that the
>diode we wish to remove is even oriented differently than the others...
>
>15. Remove the diode....good luck, without the right tools....although, a
>friend of mine who did this simply destroyed the device with a pair of side
>cutters......
>I wish you well, but I'm NOT RESPONSIBLE!!!!!
>
>16. Put the radio back together...have a nice day....
>
>regards
>

5880. Re: FS: Brand New AOR3000A - $650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: onines@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032716451101.LAA24350@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149104

The problem Jack, is that you thought you were writing to an educated human. It has made itself known better by it's postings. Sorry, they litter the newsgroups from time to time. Perhaps it is unable to grasp how simple it is to find the name and address of the creature hiding under supposed annominity. Sad isn't it.

5881. 50.400 AM net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <351BD809.2904A1C@pactitle.com>
Source record: 149105

Hello all,

I have started a 50.400 AM net on Friday nights at 19:00 PDT.
It is run from Saugus Ca DM04rk by KC6WFS Dave Booth.

I'll be using a Gonset G-50 to a ARX-6.

If you are not sure if there is a net in your area check my net page.

http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/nets.html
I have a up to date list of 6m AM nets.

If you live in the local area please join in on the net.

Thanks,

Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

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Dave Booth KC6WFS DM04rk
SMIRK # 6194
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860
"It's fun to watch 'em glow!"

5882. KENWOOD 2Meter Multi-mode on E-BAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <351BE594.1B8C@nucleus.com>
Source record: 149106

Hi I have my KENWOOD TR-9130 2 meter Multi-mode on ebat at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9380819

great ssb/cw rig... Jordan...

5883. Need info on Ten-Tec 560 Corsair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6fgltv$7nh@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 149107

I just bought a super-clean Ten-Tec 560 Corsair. I'm looking for an original Ten-Tec sale brochure for this rig. I'm also wondering what options and accessories were offered for the Corsair (I'm sure the brochure would answer that question!). Does anyone have one of the original brochures that they could spare me, or at least make a clean copy of for me?

My Corsair has 1.8 KHz, 500 Hz, and 250 Hz 2nd i-f filters, and some kind of 8-pole filter in the 1st i-f. What else was available as an option for this rig? I know there was a matching power supply and a matching external VFO, and probably the usual assortment of keyers, microphones, and such.

Are there any worthwhile mods and upgrades for this rig? I operate 99.99 percent CW, and mostly QRP at that.

Dean, K5DH

5884. Re: Mods for Kenwood TM 261A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOradarguy@gdi.net
Message-ID: <351bd611.2171840@news.gdi.net>
Source record: 149108

miracleaud@aol.com (MiracleAud) wrote:

>I looked in all the usual places. Looking for wide RX capability. Anyone know
>where to find the mod to do this?
>
>John
>WB6JKQ
>Where are we going and why am I in this handbasket?

What kind of wide capability are you looking for. I have one of these
and am curious.

Russ
To Reply, remove the NO in my address, Thanks Russ

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son,
that whoever believes in Him should not perish,
but have eternal life. John 3:16

5885. SOLD>FT8000R dual band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: humv@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <6fgn2m$5pd$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

radio is sold

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5886. Re: 144, 440, 900 dome ants

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Michallick <ram9@NOT.msg.ti.com>
Message-ID: <351BEC61.DCA5C804@NOT.msg.ti.com>
Source record: 149110
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.scanner

PAW wrote:

> I have 3 ants for car top in plastic wedges/domes for @ 144, 440
> and 900 mhz. $20 ea or $50 set.
>
> --
> PAW
> (W9JMN@Compuserve.com)
>
>

Just one question; what happened to the other 144 Million, 440 Thousand,
897 Ants? ;-D
Sorry, I just couldn't resist.

5887. Apology ! Re: s-53 schematic source

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: koehl <koehl@et.anl.gov>
Message-ID: <351BED08.5A01@et.anl.gov>
Source record: 149111

Sorry folks. Bad day at the saw mill. These nimble fingers should
sometimes not to the walking....

5888. Re: Reflections... (not the RF kind :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: koehl <koehl@et.anl.gov>
Message-ID: <351BED7A.308C@et.anl.gov>
Source record: 149112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Why do my "...pictures of the mind..." look like something Picasso
rejected. Oh well....

5889. Manual wanted: Heathkit HD10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Molus <marcus@fdldotnet.com>
Message-ID: <351bf29a.0@tornado.tcccom.net>
Source record: 149113

Looking for a manual for the HD10 keyer.
Anyone out there willing to sell or copy
their's? Or email a scan?

Thanks for the read.

Mark Molus
N9KQP

5890. FS: Heathkit HW-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: webpromote@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <351bedaf.17613418@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 149114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Heathkit HW-101

My son never got interesed in this.
Radio w/ manual & "Now You're Talking" guide to HAM Radio License.

$150

Thank you,

David
Buy Our Home
A "For Sale By Owner" Internet Resource
Please visit us at http://members.aol.com/buyourhome/

5891. FS: Kenwood R2000 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Traylor <timtraylor@mvtel.net>
Message-ID: <351BE77B.D67EA958@mvtel.net>
Source record: 149115
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale: Kenwood R-2000 communications receiver:
Digital technology - no tubes!
Frequency range: 150kHz - 30MHz;
Modes: AM, FM, SSB (both USB & LSB), CW;
IF Rejection & Image Ratio: Better than 70 dB;
Antenna Impedance: 50 ohm or 500 ohm;
Power requirements: 100/120/220/240V AC, 50/60 Hz;
Dimemsions: 14.8" x 4.5" x 8.3";
Weight: 12.1 lbs

Features: 38 knobs & switches on front panel:
Power, Timer, Fuction (Clock 1, Freq, Clock 2), Time Set,
10 Memories (Mem in, Mem Scan, PG Scan, Hold, Auto M)
(Can be used as a scanner between 2 preset frequencies)
Mode switchs (AM, FM, USB, LSB, CW), Tuner speed controls (3),
Freq. lock, AF Gain, Tone, Squelch, RF Att, AGC, NB, Dimmer,
Band Up - Band Down switches, speaker, with
S-meter and digital frequency readout.
Flywheel type tuning control.

Instruction manual; original box.
Great radio, but I've got a new transciever!!

Price: $375 plus shipping.

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Tim Traylor -- Mountain View, AR
WBCCI#3095 KD5CXO

5892. WTB Kantronics Kam+ TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Harris <kjh@shoreline-studios.com>
Message-ID: <351BF09C.41C6@shoreline-studios.com>
Source record: 149116

I'm interested in buying a KAM+ TNC.

Ken J. Harris voice: 650/969-7896 x 15 fax: 650/969-7864
mailto:kjh@shoreline-studios.com http://www.shoreline-studios.com
snail mail: 1804 N. Shoreline Blvd, Ste 240, Mountain View, CA 94043
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5893. HELP:Yaesu FT890

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant <grant@globetrotter.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <351C1DE5.5D339650@globetrotter.qc.ca>
Source record: 149117

I bought a second hand Yaesu Ft890, but I didn't get the manual. The display is now flashing and I don't know how to program it. I would appreciate any help or diagrams.

Please e-mail me

5894. @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: joker@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <351bfd25.2091178@news.total.net>
Source record: 149118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

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Hello.

I would like to know how long usually takes for ICOM Repair.
(IC-706 ?)

Thanks
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Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
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http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)

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Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

5895. wanted kenwood t-599 transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <351BFF2C.1D04C788@mc.net>
Source record: 149119

looking for a kenwood t-599 transmitter with connecting cables.
thanks 73 jack n9iif

5896. Re: FS/FT: KENWOOD TS520 HF $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Huff <dhuff@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Message-ID: <351C085B.78E4@popmail1.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 149120
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

The Crew wrote:
>
> I have a TS520 hf rig I would like to sell or trade for a good HT... would
> like an older dual-band, but will take newer 2m. An MT1000 would be perfect
> as well (VHF, complete).
> the 520 works great, face in good cond., case fair (cosmetic, no dents)
> Will sell outright for $200.
> email for details or phone number!
> thanks,
> Randy

Randy OM,

That is an EXCELLENT price on your TS520. Those rigs are well built
and can last a lifetime. Perfect rig for anyone to get started on HF.

73,
Don, W6JL

5897. Re: ft 50 button

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. McCuen" <tmccuen@csi.com>
Message-ID: <351C0231.546B@csi.com>
Source record: 149121

Dave,

Tnx agn, the new power button went in just fine (once I realized that
the ear phone rubber plug had to be pulled out).

73
Tom aa2vk

5898. 50R mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jforrest@csc.umd.edu
Message-ID: <6fh4gh$5ag$1@hecate.umd.edu>
Source record: 149122

Help!

I have a Yaesu 50R and want to modify it. I know that I need to desolder a jumper (#1?---the one on the left?) inside the back. But what are the keystrokes for reinitializing the set when finished?

Thanks,
John

5899. Looking for Schematic/complete manual for ICOM IC730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Burgess <burgess@spk.hp.com>
Message-ID: <351C1784.9D3@spk.hp.com>
Source record: 149123

I have a receintly aquired ICOM IC730 HF tranceiver. It came with a partial manual and I need the rest. In particular the parts missing are the Block Diagram, Options Appendix and the Schematic. I would like to obtain the rest of the manual. If you have one and would be willing to part with it or copy the needed parts I would appreciate it. Please contact me via e-mail before copying to avoid multiple copies being received. Yes I will cover the costs associated with copying and mailling.

Thanks!
Dave
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David E. Burgess | Hewlett-Packard | Another photographic
burgess@hp.com | 24001 E. Mission Ave | thought from the mind
Telnet: 921-3618 | Liberty Lake, WA | of N7IQQ - 73's
Bell: (509) 921-3618 | 99019-9599|

5900. Motorola MOCOM 70 Control Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fh6ae$jfd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149124

MOCOM 70 (L54BCB3100) control station, 50 watt, UHF, PL with T1370
Remote Desk Set. $125 plus freight.

5901. Motorola MCX100 mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fh6mf$jfd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149125

Motorola VHF MCX100 mobile with fast lock synthesizer and user programmable dual priority scan. Remote mount model with mic, speaker, all cables & mounting hardware, manual. $125 plus freight.

5902. Re: Advertisment Icom IC746 ₤1399 New

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jelly <Jellybean@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <6fh6p4$c3p$1@uranium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 149126
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Geoff wrote in message <351B10B1.18A846B9@htl.net>...
>Martyn wrote:
>
>Hmmmmm!
>I had a message passed to me today to say that Multicomm 2000 are no
>longer Icom authorised UK dealers!

As far as I know, they are grey imports, but if they work OK what the hell
!!!

--
Steve Jelly
(G0WSJ/G6URJ)
Author "Your First Packet Station"

5903. Motorola MARTI Phone Patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6fh619$jfd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149127

Like new MRTI 1000 repeater phone patch (L1340) for sale. Internally very clean (a 10), minor scratches on top cover; otherwise blemish free. Want $275 which includes COD freight to continental US.

5904. Re: VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Kerlin <kerlin@ligtel.com>
Message-ID: <351c1ff4.0@newsread.cioe.com>
Source record: 149128

Same thing happened to mine....discovered that the ac adapter has developed
an open circuit in the primary winding, and was dead. Before attacking the
radio, check for dc output from the charger!!
73 de Ron/kb9lsh

>>>> >Ieong Weng Kei <tico@macau.ctm.net> wrote in article
>> ><351A5708.54E0@macau.ctm.net>...
>> >> Hello All,
>> >>
>> >> Please let me know how to fix the problem of VX1R,
>> >>
>> >> can't power on after fully charge, I try to hardware
>> >> reset, but still can't power on.
>> >>
>> >> thanks in advance if you can tell me how to fix this problem.
>> >>
>
>At the risk of stating the obvious...on some of the VX-1Rs, the power
>switch is VERY hard to push. First time I played with one at HRO,
>it took me several minutes of fiddling before I got up the courage
>to push the button REALLY HARD to turn it on.
>Also, you have to hold it in longer than I thought I should to make
>it work.
>miker
>
>
>--
>Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
>Return Address is Bogus.
>TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
>Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.
>
>

5905. Re: Tandy TRS-80 Model 100 Help.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erick Jasiunas <jasiunas@juno.com>
Message-ID: <351C2344.3884@juno.com>
Source record: 149129

Theo Alpert wrote:
>
> Hello. I recently was given a Tandy TRS-80 Model 100.
> It doesn't appear to work- I put fresh batteries in it and
> powered it on. I've adjusted the contrast and pressed the reset
> button but I still have a blank LCD.
>
> I know it takes a 6volt DC power supply - is the shield positive
> or negative?
>
> Thanks!
>
> -theo

The model number on the power supply is 26-3804.
The tip is negative and shield positive.

Erick

5906. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tculin@killspam.teleport.com
Message-ID: <351c288d.8706799@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 149130

FYI, most inboard tuners if not all will not accept swr's greater
than 3.0. Something to chew on my 746 matched a 3.8 swr on 6m to 1.1
without any problem so I'd say the tuner works.

On Thu, 26 Mar 1998 15:40:28 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>Quad conversion probably means that Icom didn't do their design homework
>properly (more conversions than necessary is not a good thing). And the on-board
>antenna tuner has a very limited matching range. But the IC-746 is certainly
>aimed at those who want a step up from an IC-706 for a small HF/2m radio.

5907. Re: AES Shipping FT847's Today (3/26)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Flud <szwmflud@mailbox.ucdavis.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980327140138.2959C-100000@catbert.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 149131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I got mine yesterday, and it is really nice...

5908. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tculin@killspam.teleport.com
Message-ID: <351c2998.8973893@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 149132

You might want to make sure that 430mhz covers the frequencies you
want to use. I could be wrong, but most uhf repeaters are 440-450mhz.
The 847 as is isn't supposed to go there, rather 430-440. But then I
don't have one of those.

On 25 Mar 1998 12:46:32 GMT, Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>Because the 847 has 440 but I think most people would want 440 for other
>reasons.
>
>I envision when I go on vacation I can bring one radio and set it up and
>have 440, 2m, 6 and hf. I will bring a small switching power supply and
>not have to transport extra radios etc.
>
>Where I live there is lots of 440 activity. The popularity of dual band
>mobil rigs indicates we are not alone in wanting more bands in a single
>package.
>

5909. WTB: HS-18 headphones (ANDRE read)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: duckman_osu@ionet.net
Message-ID: <351c2da2.35333971@news.ionet.net>
Source record: 149133
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,alt.military.collecting

Wanting to buy a set of HS-18 headphones in good shape.
E-mail me condition and price. Thanks!

Dewayne Moore, WB5BNQ
duckman_osu@ionet.net
Check out my AN/ARC-5 site at:
http://www.ionet.net/~duckman_osu/

(Andre, if you read this, please resend your e-mail message to
me...I'm sorry, I accidently deleted it while trying to send a reply.
<stupid grin> I am very interested in your phones!)

5910. WTB Sigma 4 style verticle antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tculin@killspam.teleport.com
Message-ID: <351c3092.10759601@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 149134

Looking for a sigma 4 style 3/4 wave verticle for 10m use. thx

5911. Radio Repair!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck from Chuck's 2 Way Radio Service <chuck@chucks2way.com>
Message-ID: <351C3398.F1BAD463@chucks2way.com>
Source record: 149135

In need of radio repairs? Go here! Http://www.chucks2way.com/SERVICE.HTM

73's de N8QXP

--
-Chuck

Chuck's 2 Way Radio Service and CB Radio Sales

Http://www.chucks2way.com
MailTo:cbradio25@netlane.com

5912. Mystery tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Kerrin <skerrin@home.com>
Message-ID: <351C3208.FF30519F@home.com>
Source record: 149136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have been cleaning out the estate of ham friend and ran across a new pair of Eimac Y-427 tubes with Hewlett-Packard part number stickers on the boxes (1921-0046). They are a "lighthgouse" type device, looking like a small 2C39. I suspect they were used in UHF or microwave test equipment.

Does anyone know what piece of HP gear this went into? Can anyone use them? If so, make an offer. I know how hard it is to get exotic tubes for some of the old test equipment so would like to see them used.

73
Steve WA6CDU

5913. Re: VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <351d542d.1437276@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 149137

>
>At the risk of stating the obvious...on some of the VX-1Rs, the power
>switch is VERY hard to push. First time I played with one at HRO,
>it took me several minutes of fiddling before I got up the courage
>to push the button REALLY HARD to turn it on.
>Also, you have to hold it in longer than I thought I should to make
>it work.

Hmm, maybe this is Yaesu's retaliation to their own mistake in the
FT-50 about the power being turned on too easily.

-Mike

5914. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <351b5326.1174328@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 149138

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 09:14:08, psam@giraffe.ru.ac.za (MR A MULDER)
wrote:

>In article <351a6c02.279523583@news.atl.bellsouth.net> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
writes:
>>From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>>Subject: Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs
>>Date: Thu, 26 Mar 1998 14:55:21 GMT
>
>>On Wed, 25 Mar 1998 02:41:59 GMT, leeh@interaccess.com (Neuralmancer) wrote:
>>[big snip]
>>>While costing slightly more than the $500 target, an existing radio
>>>that meets these specs is the ICOM-707. I obtained mind for $730.
>>>
>>>Lee
>>>KB9RYF/AA
>
>>Yeah, but it is a classic analog radio design. Cost can be reduced
>>by using a more modern digital approach.
>
>>Gary
>>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>
>The Icon IC-707 has a digital readout....what made you think that it was a
>analog set....It is a very good and sturdy rig....better than some of the
>rigs with lots of bells and things...sinple and trustworthy.

You didnt understand him apparently- the reciever/transmitter
sections are not digital in any way, they dont have DSP and such. The
-interface- might be digital, but this has nothing to do with
transmitting and recieving.

-Mike

5915. FS TS-520S station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <351C43B9.779E@hauns.com>
Source record: 149139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a mint TS-520S with DG-5 display and mic, box, book, etc. Works and looks like new. Fine radio. $375.

5916. Wanted: Icom RC-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <351C3FFB.FFF@amsat.org>
Source record: 149140

I'm looking for an Icom RC-10 remote control head for the Icom 751(a)
HF transceiver. If you have one your willing to part with, please
send me eMAIL with condition of unit and priceing.

Thanks, Tom NE7X...

eMAIL: NE7X@amsat.org

5917. Heathkit Audio Filter - eBay Auction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351C385D.E392CA65@idt.net>
Source record: 149141

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9451684

CJH
KI7EW

5918. Tempo 2020 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEqI4JK.2wI@netcom.com>
Source record: 149142

I was in e-mail contact with someone about a tempo 2020 service manual,
but I have lost your address.

Please drop me an e-mail if you can!

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

5919. ADI AR-146 Comments..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net>
Message-ID: <351C006B.FB3BDA9A@prefer.net>
Source record: 149143

I want to purchase a new 2M mobile unit for my new (old) automobile. HRO is currently selling the AR-146 for 200 bucks. Always believing that "you get what you pay for" I thought I should ask for any comments (good or bad) from any current owners of this rig.

Thank you...
--
BILL BRANNICK | Costa Mesa, CA
Amateur Radio Station: KN6FJ
A NFL Rams and Dodgers Fan For Over 50 years!

5920. Re: Yaesu FT530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: meandew@erols.com
Message-ID: <6fhkglje1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149144

How much?

In article <6eq2ll$eq3$2@victoria.pe.net>,
rusty@pe.net (Rusty Santos) wrote:
>
>
> I'm selling my Yaesu FT 530 handheld radio, in very good condition,
> like brand new, used 5 times, with case, high cap 7.2 volts battery, 12
volts
> external battery, charger's, car adapter and 1/4 wave and 5/8 wave ch72s
> antenae and two original antenae. I can ship C.O.D.
>

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5921. WTB: Old 40CH SSB CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan <doblera@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <351C583A.1ACD@cadvision.com>
Source record: 149145

Hi, I am looking for an old SSB CB for a Ham radio conversion
project.

I am looking for:
Apollo AP704
AWA/Thorn 1503
Bowman CB950
Cardon Iroquois 40
Colt 480,485DX,890,1000,1200
Gemtronics GTX77
GE 3-5825A
HyGain 2705,2785,3108
J.C. Penney 981-6247
JIL Citizen MPL-5,SSB-M6
Lafayette SSB80,SSB120,SSB140
Midland 78-976,79-892
Palomar 2900
Pearce-Simpson Super Bengal Mk I, Super Panther
RCA 14T302
Sears 60006
Teledex TE6000
Truetone CYJ4837A-87
Universe 5600

or any other CB having the Chassis # PTBM048AOX or PTBM058COX

Thanks and 73
Allan VE6XK

5922. FS Heathkit Reflected Powr Meter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <351C513E.7EF4@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149146

Heathkit HM 11 reflected power meter. Good meter and front panel. Case has some scratches. $15.00 plus postage.

5923. Watt, SWR, FS Meter for HAM or CB - L@@K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avalanche <avalanche299@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6fhlve$n1v$1@usenet54.supernews.com>
Source record: 149147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Avalanche wrote in message ...

I have several new meters, all the same model, listed on eBay Auction with picture and features. Bidding starts at $9.99. Here are the links to get the best price. Thanks.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9406495

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9407221

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9407346

5924. KAAR TR222A Info Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Busky <TJB94002@uconnvm.uconn.edu>
Message-ID: <351C589C.4B31@uconnvm.uconn.edu>
Source record: 149148

I have a KAAR TR222A Sealion Radio Telephone I would like to convert to ham service. The unit is a ship to shore xceiver running just over 2mhz. Does anyone have schematics and manuals or can suggest where to look for them? I have contacted a few local marine radio shops who recall the unit went out of production about 25 years ago but none have the manuals. My biggest question is what B+ voltage is it running on? It has 2 807's modulating 3 807's with a common B+ modulation transformer. This might be enough to get me started. Please email @ tjb94002@uconnvm.uconn.edu. Thanks. Ted. N1XLW.

5925. Need op Imanual com IC251A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Payne" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fhmpr$qn3$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 149149

A ham fiend needs a operators manual for a Icom IC251A all mode
144Mhz.radio If you can help please e-mail at ke4tw@juno.com Thanks

5926. Re: FT-847'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: steven hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351C8B04.5CD65EBB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149150

Please give a detailed report as you get more familiar with the Radio. All
the readers of
this group appreciate your candor.
73's Steve NS1R

troy walker wrote:

> HELLO,
> I received my 847 on the 25th, and it is really a nice unit.
> there are as with any radio some things I don't like such
> as the fan that runs as soon as it is turned on. It doesn't
> appear to receive on both the main and sub sides at the
> same time.(bummer). then there is the question of the rig
> doing cross band repeat? it will only do so one-way repeat! (not a lot
> of use)
> I find the receiver to be as good or better than the 900/cat.
> some may not think so, but I am pleased as it was designed for
> satellite operation, and for that it is probably the best thing out
> there.
> well I cant get into a lot of detail as I just received it yesterday
> and have not really played it enough to knock it to hard!
> as I say overall it is a great radio.......

5927. Re: Icom IC-T8 receive mod under 50 MHz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fhnvo$peq@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149151

IC-T8A absolutely cannot receive anything below 50 MHz, so don't break your new radio trying to modify it. CPU won't accept freqs below 50 MHz, and I doubt that the PLL circuit would lock very far below 6m.

Adnan, Icom America Service

dan begin wrote in message <6fg473$5m4$1@nntp2.uunet.ca>...
>
>
>Hi all... I'm looking for the IC-T8 mod allow
>you to receive frequencies under 50 MHz?!
>If you know this mod, please help me!!!
>
>Thanks...
>
>Dan, VE2BHN
>
>
>

5928. Re: @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fhoa6$q88@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

It varies throughout the year, currently 5 working days.

Adnan, Icom America Service

Cutie Joker wrote in message <351bfd25.2091178@news.total.net>...
>Hello.
>
>I would like to know how long usually takes for ICOM Repair.
>(IC-706 ?)
>
>
>Thanks
>
>
>
>
>_____
>Joli Gar�on (�galement connu comme M@S@)
>Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
>�tudient @ Informatique et Math�matiques d'Universit� McGill
>Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
>C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.ham
>URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
> http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
> http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit� McGill)
>
>Visit this excellent site
>why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
>http://www.nocode.org
>License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/
>_____
>***Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r�pondre.***
>***Please remove "ham" to reply.***
>
>ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!

5929. MIDLAND HT INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Bindle <bindle@duke.usask.ca>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980327214538.17121B-100000@duke.usask.ca>
Source record: 149153

I'm looking for a manual, circuit diagram & programing info for a Midland LMR VHF hand held unit, model 70-145A. I believe this unit has a E-PROM for setting frequncies. Any help would be appreciated. Contact me on this news group or my E-mail <af126@sfn.saskatoon.sk.ca>
TNX 73's
Ken/VE5KRB

5930. Re: KW TS820 finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <351D87F5.4998@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148854

Bob Sull wrote:
>
> A friend just upgraded and bought a KW TS-820.
>
> What does this rig use for finals? The book says S2001. A couple
> of us thought it used 6146Bs.....
>
> Tnx in advance
> 73, Bob
>
> --
>
> ////////
> (o o)
> ---73,
> Bob---oooO---O---Oooo---w8imo@kellnet.com--------------------
> What is the speed of dark?

Both answers are correct..Kenwoods' # is S-2001, but same as 6146.

Steve-WA6GSD

5931. Re: Icom Ic 220 10w xtl mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#1l8yCqW9GA.364@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148855

nB: THIS IS A 2METER RADIO. Its the marine version of the famous
IC22a.

--
PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5932. Re: Icom Ic230 146-7 10w mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OD1QODqW9GA.354@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148856

NB This is a 2 meter radio:

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5933. FS: Ameritron AL-811H Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lichtenhan <david-lichtenhan@home.com>
Message-ID: <6fk1rdakh1@ha2.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 148857

FS: Ameritron AL-811 H Amplifier (4 - 811a Tubes)
800 Watts PEP Output on 160 thur 10 meters

I am original owner, purchased Jan 1993. Has about 20 hours in
standby and about 2 hours talk time.

Asking $450.00

Prefer pickup (Fremont, CA) but will ship at buyer's expense.

Home Phone 510-490-5330

Thanks and 73

Dave

K6DAV

5934. FS: Amateur Radio Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351D8E81.C239B15F@idt.net>
Source record: 148858

ARRL PUBLICATIONS
Antenna Book (1956), $2.50
Radio Amateur's Handbook (1958), $5.00
Radio Amateur's Handbook (1977), $5.00
Radio Amateur's Handbook (1978), $5.00
Radio Amateur's Handbook (1991), $7.50
Radio Amateur's Handbook (1993), $10.00
Radio Frequency Interference: How to Find It and Fix It
(1991), $5.00
Radio Buyer's Sourcebook - Product Reviews Collected From
QST (1991), $7.50
Hints & Kinks For the Radio Amateur (1992), $5.00
Low-Band DXing - John Devoldere (1987), $5.00
Antenna Compendium - Vol 2 (1989), $5.00
Antenna Compendium - Vol 3 (1992), $5.00
Antenna Anthology (1978), $2.50

Buyers pay postage/shipping!

CJH
KI7EW

5935. Best 2 meter mobile rig for intermod rejection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vincent Charron <charv@total.net>
Message-ID: <351D73FC.7E49@total.net>
Source record: 148859

Any suggestions for a good intermod rejection 2 meter mobile rig? I've heard that the FT2500 is pretty good?

Thanks...
63 de VE2IFR
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****
Vincent Charron
DeHavilland Dash 8-100 Captain
Air Alliance Inc (Air Canada)
Quebec - CANADA
****
ALPA http://208.217.189.50 - ALN MEC Chairman
AmateurRadio : VE2IFR
ALPA-CANADA: 1-800-561-9576
E-mail: charv@total.net / CompuServe: 73713,507
ICQ: 5002887
Homepage: http://www.total.net/~charv
****

5936. FS: Op Manuals for Ic-02AT, C628A, FT-709R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rskeeter <rskeeter@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <351d96fa.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 148860

I have the following manuals for sale. Asking $1 each.

1 Yaesu FT-709R UHF
2 IC-02AT VHF
3 Standard C628A UHF

email rskeeter@qnet.com if interested!!!

5937. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fk5aavf2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 148861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sat, 28 Mar 1998 12:52:09 -0800,
> Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> >Prof Ed Delp, N9YTE, of the Purdue EE department has presented
> >DSP to our club, Tippecanoe Amateur Radio Association (TARA, W9REG).
> >Plus his lab (he has walked the club thru it) is researching advanced
> >digital signaling processing procedures. Ed has laid out a vision
> >where we could have reconfigurable receivers in any mode. No need
> >for seperate demoduators (ie packet modems) nor filters. All done
> >inside the DSP chipset with software.
>
> Yep, that's practical to do now. I can reconfigure my receiver by just
> downloading different software into it.
>

It makes all this banning of scanners sort of moot. We just engineer
around the legal bumps.

> >A receiver would be an RF amp chip, mixer/IF chip, DSP, AF chip and
> >a micropressor to run things. It could be built as small as the ICOM
> >R-10. Want CelTel coverage, program it in. The cops go to digital
> >mode, program it! A receiver that could cover DC to daylite (the RF
> >and IF stages are not really needed by do help).
>
> You've forgotten the LO. You need a wide range LO for an upconverting
> design. Today, the best candidate for that is a DDS with a clean up
> PLL. That'll likely all be in one chip in a year, but for now you
> need two or three. You can do aliasing downconversion instead, but
> the variable sampling clock makes the programming more complex. And
> you need *good* preselector filtering. The latter is "iron", and
> that's expensive. It is better to upconvert and use a fixed roofing
> filter instead. (My receiver isn't that polished. It uses a VXO. But
> that wouldn't do for general purpose amateur and SWL use.)
>

I would like to see a schematic.

> >TVs now use only three chips for everything. DSP is a part of HDTV
> >(DTV). DSP is the main part of a CD player (plus a filter and audio
> >chips). They are used in broadcasting audio, telephone switching
> >systems.
> >
> >Thanks Gary for the idea of using the manufacturer's data book. I

> >did not think of sample programming to be included.
>
> Not the *data* book. The applications examples are in the applications
> book(s), in the case of Analog Devices there are two volumes. That's
> one of two reasons I chose the AD parts. The other is that I like the
> assembly language. It is more intuitive than that for the TI or Motorola
> parts, so the learning curve is not so steep. But good cheap optimizing
> C++ compilers are becoming available for the latter, so that advantage
> may be mooted.
>

I like the Motorola chip set. But then I have the C++ cross compiler.
That is a good point, I will have to get a development board to test.

I ment application books. My mind went off on another direction.

> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5938. HR 2510 help...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles carolan <ccarolan@pipcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D9FAB.13C8@pipcom.com>
Source record: 148862

Hello I have the above model of radio and Im trying to fine info to reduce the rf output pwr,There is nothing available on the outside of the case for this function,so I would apprecieate any info available on pods to adjust etc..73 de Charlie...VA3IRL

5939. FS PRO 26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <351DCA12.7133@1st.net>
Source record: 148863

FS Radio Shack PRO 26 (2 of them) bought new on 1-29-98

checked them at time of purchase to made sure that they were
NOT repackaged. bought 2 of them at $212 each.

shipped to you at $210 each. will include copy of receipt for
warranty, or if any problems occur, just get in touch with
me and i will have it checked out here locally.

radios are in like new condition.

duane wm8n
740 676 5784 (ohio)

5940. Re: Uniden FMU-250K Programming???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Bento <jwbento@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <351DA131.EFFA53FB@mindspring.com>
Source record: 148864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Michael wrote:
>
> Hello all,
> I bought a Uniden "Force" Uhf 2way and it didn't come with any
> info (real cheap price for a real cheap radio).
> Can anyone tell me if a normal eprom programmer will work with
> the 2716 prom? Is there any special "program" that needs to be
> run to actually program the thing?
> I noticed a jumper wire on the eprom board what's it for?
> I'm interested in taking the radio to 440 can I??
> The two freqs in it now are 463.xx and 461.xx.
>

What is the model number? Some of the Unidens are PC programmable through the mic jack, while older ones require a propriatory prom burner from Uniden. (The PC programmable variety needs a propriatory interface box from the seriel port to mic jack)

From what I can recall, the PC software will not allow freqs below 450, and the prom burner is band selectable to START at 450 (Never tried programming a lower frequency.)

We see these Unidens from time to time in the shop I work in. Let me know the model number of the radio and I'll provide you with more info.

-Joe N6DGY

5941. Re: ICOM America Service Center

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fk9b1$3c3@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 148865

Icom America
attn: Service
2380 116th Ave. NE.
Bellevue, WA 98004

(425) 454-7619

agiroux wrote in message <3.0.5.32.19980328195148.007a0500@mail.cvn.net>...
>Does anyone have the address or Phone of ICOM America's Service Center?
>

5942. Re: Best 2 meter mobile rig for intermod rejection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <351DB9AD.5E0D@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 148866

Vincent Charron wrote:
>
> Any suggestions for a good intermod rejection 2 meter mobile rig? I've
> heard that the FT2500 is pretty good?
>
> Thanks...
> 63 de VE2IFR
> --
> **********
> Vincent Charron
> DeHavilland Dash 8-100 Captain
> Air Alliance Inc (Air Canada)
> Quebec - CANADA
> **********
> ALPA http://208.217.189.50 - ALN MEC Chairman
> AmateurRadio : VE2IFR
> ALPA-CANADA: 1-800-561-9576
> E-mail: charv@total.net / CompuServe: 73713,507
> ICQ: 5002887
> Homepage: http://www.total.net/~charv
> **********
Best one is ICOM-900A with UX-29A, or ICOM 3200A.

Try to get one that DON'T go out of band.

Andy

5943. Re: ADI AR-146 Comments..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. McCuen" <tmccuen@csi.com>
Message-ID: <351DA9C9.37D8@csi.com>
Source record: 148867

I have one , had it for abt 8 months, no problem.

It has the same mike pin outs as the Kenwoods... I even tried my Heil-headset unit on it... standard mike is ok, not to much diff with the Heil or the stock Kenwd hand mike.

Worth the money. IMHO

Tom

5944. Re: 50R mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. McCuen" <tmccuen@csi.com>
Message-ID: <351DAA63.1230@csi.com>
Source record: 148868

John,

Unless your good at surface mount chips...don't try it. Its REAL small.
Took a look and I fiq it wasnt worth the chance.

Tom aa2vk

5945. FS:MOTOROLA SYSTEMS SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ira H. Sachs" <irasachs@wwa.com>
Message-ID: <351DC175.AA31D3C9@wwa.com>
Source record: 148869

2 Motorola Systems Saber radios in perfect working condition.
Already operating on the Ham Radio Bands (UHF).
$750 each or $1400 for the pair.

Please e_mail reply to irasachs@wwa.com.

WB9HNV

5946. F/S Johnson KW matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <351D35F3.2492@swbell.net>
Source record: 148870

I have a nice KW matchbox with meter but w/o coupler, face looks new.
$250...Bob

5947. FS: Heathkit AM-2 S.W.R. Bridge @ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: apex2@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <6fkg1a$9pm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148871

ends 4/4/98
Heathkit AM-2 S.W.R. Bridge
The AM-2 is in very good cond...
standing wave ratio scale goes
from 1-6 - percent reflected power 0-100.
One small scratch on the
meter face. Color - dark gray over silver. Buyer
pays shipping.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5948. Soliciting you advice re TVI filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6fkg27$o3v@sjx-ixn11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148872

Gentlemen:

I have never received a TVI complaint, however, I do believe in insurance. Please favor me with your comments regarding truly effective units (1kw level) that you have experience with.

Best regards,
Roy

5949. FS KENWOOD TSU-6 DECODER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <351DC5A5.E4593050@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 148873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have forsale a tsu-6 decoder which fits a Kenwood tm-632 dual bander.
The unit was
used very little.
Asking $60.00 which includes shipping anywhere (USA)
73's
Mike

5950. FS COMP SPEC PL DECK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <n2ozo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <351DC903.AC6CB518@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 148874

I have forsale a Communication Specialists Model TE-64.
This pl deck was used very little and is in excellent condition.
Asking $50.00 shipped anywhere in the USA
73's
Mike

5951. AMPS For SALE::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6fkj1ecdn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Heathkit SB 200 very clean full out $395.oo
Heathkit SB 220 clean full out few white paint dots, but great otherwise $525.oo

Alpha 76PA one owner reasonably clean some wear works perfectly $1295.oo

Alpha 374 A+ (third tube added) looks and works new, no tune, $1395.oo

Swan Mk II amp above average, full out $550.oo

Collins 30L1 4 new svetlanas, refurbed, looks nice works right $550.oo

Ameritron AL 811 works right looks good, some minor scratches $495.oo

You pay shipping, all guaranteed operable and right or your money humbly refunded. Thanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

5952. Icom 726---HF + 6mtr ---great mobile or base rig For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6fkj9u$co2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148876
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This rig works very well, it is a 725 with 6 meters added, very simple and easily as good in the field as a 706 or the like. $595.oo shipped with mic and manual, BIG Screen readouts and simple control, Working perfectly and looks pretty good too. some scratches but nothing deep or big. An 8.5 at least!! Thanks Murray Neece "Its as I say, or your money back"

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5953. FS: Kenwood TS 530S with hand mic, manual $395 shipped!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6fkjgncsk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148877
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

No tricks, its a re paint done WELL, has no extras, hand mic and manual, full output works perfectly and will work for you!!! $395 is cheap, so dont argue, just tell me where to send it. Guaranteed as I say!! THanks Murray

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5954. 2510,thank you for help....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles carolan <ccarolan@pipcom.com>
Message-ID: <351DD23F.2EAE@pipcom.com>
Source record: 148878

Hello,I had a recent posting looking for tech info for the 2510,I would like to thank all people who took the time to reply,73 de Charlie...VA3IRL....

5955. Yaesu speakers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <morris@unc.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980328230519.6215G-100000@titan.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 148879

Probably a trivial topic, but trying to get some feedback here. I'm getting ready to install a new Yaesu FT-8500 in my car. One of my concerns is what kind of speaker to use. I noted that the SP-7 was recommended and noticed other small speakers out there.

I plan on mounting the speaker on the backside of my center console, with the speaker facing up. That way the speaker will be close ot my ear and make it easier to listen to without turning it way up. I want something compact, but also decent looking in my car.

I was looking at the SP-3 which seems to be somewhat compact. I know there are other similar models, but I have no specs on any of their speakers. Does anyone have any information on these Yaesu speakers? Am I totally nuts for trying to stick with Yaesu which was recommended?

Thanks for your comments. I will provide a summary back to this group if I get enough responses. Take care...

Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris

5956. Help please FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty Squillaci <msquillaci@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <351DD9E1.FB3B97F0@lucent.com>
Source record: 148880

All,

Can someone recommend a place to purchase/order a service
manual/schematic for the FT-50R. Any help would be appreciated.

Marty

5957. F.S.: Icom R100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <351DF954.1F0B@nidlink.com>
Source record: 148881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Icom R100 scanner

100kHz to 1856mHz, no blocks

AM, FM W/N

an easy 9 cosmetic, perfect operating condition

three antenna inputs, auto selected with relay switching

includes manual and mobile bracket

Never been mobile

$450.00 shipped ConUS

David, WA7ZYQ

dr7zyq@nidlink.com

208-245-2070

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_____
While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

5958. FS:Knwd TS-680 hf-6mtr, 6mtr brick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Radabaugh <brianrada@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <351D8CB9.230B119B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 148882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have for sale Kenwood TS-680 HF+6mtr. all mode transceiver. 100watts output 160-10 meters, 10 watts output 6 meters. General coverage receiver .5-30 mhz, 50-54 mhz. Service manual, Johnson desk mike and cw filter included. In excellent condition.
$650 + shipping.

N4LTA 6 meter brick amplifier 10 watts in = 100 watts out
Homebrew amp built from QST 1990 article uses single MRF 492. Nicely constructed and works great but is surplus to my need presently. Includes documentation. FM or ssb. $100 + shipping

Contact Brian at 435-745-8607 or via e-mail. Seattle area

5959. Re: FS- Icom W2A dual band, $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Painter <stevepaint@clearwater.net>
Message-ID: <351d6780.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 148883

Correction.....Radio is W2A, not The W3A,

Steve Painter wrote in message <351d1d5e.0@news.rmci.net>...
>For sale, Icom IC-W3A, in original box, comes with BP-83,
>antenna, BC-77A charger, and Instruction manual. This unit
>is fully functional, and will recieve cellular. Money back
>guarantee. $375. Call 208 476 5022, or email back.
>Steve
>
>

5960. WTB MTS2000s/800Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wholesale-Communications <wholcomm@apex.net>
Message-ID: <351D89F3.A5C@apex.net>
Source record: 148884

WTB MTS2000/800Mzh Flashports. Email prices please.

5961. F/S Johnson KW Matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <351DB3C7.5CF8@swbell.net>
Source record: 148885

The matchbox has been sold...Thanks

5962. ICOM 706 copycat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: klimasewski@mail.dec.com
Message-ID: <351D1220.B8D@mail.dec.com>
Source record: 148886

Has anyone heard anything new about a rig that will compete with the IC-706?

Ken

5963. Re: Vandenberg Launch Alert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Daddy <karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6fndhq$6ra@ecuador.earthlink.net>
Source record: 148887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.astro.amateur,sci.space.tech

thanks for the update....i think i saw an orange ball speeding downrange
from Vandenberg....

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/burbank.htm
Burbank, CA

5964. Re: 50R mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tor Houghton <torh@foxfur.bogus.net>
Message-ID: <891101183.537490@redlance.bogus.net>
Source record: 148904

Forrest - John B. <jforrest@csc.umd.edu> wrote:
> Help!

> I have a Yaesu 50R and want to modify it. I know that I need to desolder
> a jumper (#1?---the one on the left?) inside the back. But what are the
> keystrokes for reinitializing the set when finished?

Do a search for "FT-50 and mod" on altavista; it will show the correct way
to modify the FT50.

Tor

5965. Re: 50r as a base station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tor Houghton <torh@foxfur.bogus.net>
Message-ID: <891101104.97834@redlance.bogus.net>
Source record: 148905

John Morris <jmorris@nemonet.com> wrote:

> How would I hold the 50r in an UPRIGHT position if I used an ext power
> supply? I will still be using the stock duckie antenna if I do this.

You could get the optional mike/earphone.

Or the optional mike/speaker.

Tor.

5966. Re: ICOM T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <Sw9T.109$Nf1.1104512@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 148906

The T8 has alpha characters??? I did not know that. Why can't you set them using the keypad???

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony

S. Covey wrote in message <6fipkiqve1@nntp2.ba.best.com>...
>Anyone with one of these radios have any idea when the software / cable will
>be available from ICOM? I'm looking forward to using it to set Alpha
>characters in the display. I did just see the HP battery, which was not much
>larger, if at all, than the low power (2W) version.
>
>Thanks
>
>Scott
>
>

5967. Re: Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Galgano, KF4WCL" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <351D2534.3CC4@america.net>
Source record: 148907

Chris,
I purchased the DJ-S11 (2M version) about a month ago for $88 bucks from Tech America and love it. I am fortunate to live less than a mile a way from from one machine, and have no problems full quieting it. I also can get into 2 other repeaters, one has a sattellite receiver link about 8 miles away and the other is up high on a mountain about 25 miles away. I must admit that I have a pretty good QTH, not on top of a mountain or anything like that, but fairly high in comparison to the local terrain. Also, the HT can be easily modified to expand the receive capability form 137-173 MHz. This allows you use the radio as a scanner as well. I use mine mostly for listening in the house, and also take it with me when I do my daily walking. I wouldn't recommend this radio as your main 2M rig, but for 88 bucks I think it is well worth the money.
Just my 2 cents. Hope this helps.
73,
John
KF4WCL
Christopher W. Buckley wrote:
>
> I've been looking at alot of the micro HT's, the alinco ones in
> particular, which come in both a VHF and a UHF model. My question is
> this: Are these things worth the money? I mean, is 200-300mW going to be
> practical for everyday use? Am I going to be able to hit the LOCAL
> repeaters with these, from 2-4 miles away?
>
> Any input would be appreciated. I think it just may make for good
> discussion too..
>
> 73,
>
> Chris Buckely
> KC0DBY

5968. Re: Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Galgano, KF4WCL" <jgalgano@america.net>
Message-ID: <351D25A3.2892@america.net>
Source record: 148908

PS. I know several other Hams that own the DJS11 and they all love it.
JG

Christopher W. Buckley wrote:
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> particular, which come in both a VHF and a UHF model. My question is
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> practical for everyday use? Am I going to be able to hit the LOCAL
> repeaters with these, from 2-4 miles away?
>
> Any input would be appreciated. I think it just may make for good
> discussion too..
>
> 73,
>
> Chris Buckely
> KC0DBY

5969. Re: FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D25C6.79F8358A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148909

FYI,

I had to also remove the message [Remove...] top reply. YOu may want to fix that!

You said:

> I believe that an Antenna Tuner is an option at around $250ish dollars
> for the FT-847. The radio is supposed to be approximately the same
> size as the Kenwood TS570, which wouldn't make a bad mobile.
>

The real issue is that the 847 seems to be meant as a base radio, primarily .. as is the TS-570 (vs. the TS-50 & IC706MkII which are intended as mobile radios).

So ...my original message (long ago!) was, if it is to be used as a base radio, why no antenna tuner option for use with base station antennas (few of which are in resonance across an entire band)?

Phil

5970. Re: IC-706 MKII DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D265C.5689EAB5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148910

Martin,

My impression is that they are not available until sometime in April.

Hoping someone will tell me I'm wrong, since I will buy one as soon as I can!

Phil

5971. Re: IC-706 MKII DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D2686.7E323B30@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148911

Thanks for the info, Norman.

Phil

5972. FS: Copys Collins Catalogs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <1G9T.894$p2.690418@katana>
Source record: 148912

Hi,
I have had a lot of Amateurs replying to
me wanting the Collins Catalog's that I had.
Which are sold.
What I will do is I have had copy made of
these Books to keep for myself and if anyone
wants copys I would take my copys down to the
copy shop and have copys made for you. They put
them into binders and they look good. Almost
as good as original (almost). They charge me
$13.00 a book and if you want any of them let
me know and I will get them coped and send
them to you. $13.00 plus shipping, "each". The
shipping runs $2.00 each or all 5 for $5.00
If you want any make sure to let me know which
ones you want.

These are the copys that I have.

1. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment catalog.
Feb. 1961, 13 pages.

2. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment Catalog.
June 1963, 29 pages.

3. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment Catalog.
Nov. 1964, 23 pages.

4. Collins Amateur Radio Equipment pricing
schedule. Aug. 1966, 13 pages.

5. Collins Mechanical Filters, general
catalog. march 1964, 21 pages

Boyd Fulbright
1819 D Avenue
McKinleyville, Ca.
95519-4011

Phone: 707-839-5228

Thank You,
Boyd N6DMF boyd@humboldt1.com

5973. Re: Icom IC-Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Timmers <john_timmers@mindlink.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <351D287A.F9A7FD08@mindlink.bc.ca>
Source record: 148913

kd1my@revnetx.net wrote:
>
> Does anyone have comments good or bad on the Icom IC-Z1A. Does the removable
> front work OK. Seems strange it didn't stay on the market very long so I
> thought it might have problems. Any help appreciated.

This was the first handheld I purchased, soon after receiving my basic qualification, mostly because it was recommended to me by someone whose advice I respected, more than any technical qualities the radio might have had.

I've been happy with the radio, and use it very regularily for over 2 years now. I have done the transmit mod to it, so I can chat with truckers on one of the frequencies they generally use here in the province (153.100) -- I travel a bit myself for my work, and its always nice to know what the road conditions are like furthur ahead, etc.

Intermod rejection is quite poor, but I don't go to the big cities too much, so it doesn't become a problem. People who talk to me, mention that the radio sounds good, so it must have a fairly reasonable mic. I have an external speaker connected to it, for when I'm driving, so I can at least hear, etc.

The removable front panel is a great feature, and like you, I wonder why more handhelds don't provide that feature. On mine, its mostly removed, and I use the panel as a remote mic, which comes in really handy when I'm driving.

Paired with an outstanding Larsen magmount antenna, this has been a great combination for me, and I don't hesitate to recommend this radio.
--
Regards

mailto:john_timmers@mindlink.bc.ca Amateur Radio: VE7JBT
Selfish Website http://mindlink.bc.ca/john_timmers

5974. Re: AES Shipping FT847's Today (3/26)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D270C.FA2E75A2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Mike,

What are you using for an antenna and an antenna tuner?

Phil

5975. Re: Icom IC-Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2gt@qsl.net
Message-ID: <351d276e.449731@news2.2xtreme.net>
Source record: 148915

kd1my@revnetx.net wrote:

>Does anyone have comments good or bad on the Icom IC-Z1A.
I,ve had mine for about 2 years., with little problem. The
removeable faceplate works as advertised, and I found the receiver
hotter than most. The Z1a had a few annoying design flaws that caused
it's early demise. Perhaps the most annoying is the volume control,
which requires which requires pushing an extra button to activate it.
I may not sound like much, but it's rather annoying . The other common
complaint is the the PTT switch is narrow (due to faceplate design)
and this bothers some.
The only problem I had with mine was a constantly loose antenna
jack, causing the rubber duck to wobble and occasionally cut out.
(Another annoying design flaw). While in Seattle a few months ago I
stopped by ICOM repair and they fixed it, at no charge, on the spot.
Thank you ICOM repair for understanding the meaning of customer
service.
I think for the most part the later ICOM HT's are redesigned Z1A's
with all the minor glitches removed. Bottom line is it works great

5976. FS-Bearcat 2500XLT/$250 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fj94j$398@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>$250 shipped within the lower 48 States!
>>>
>>>>I have a beautiful 400 channel handheld scanner. Its the 2500XLT in
>>>>its original box. It even has the original manual and warranty
>>>>paperwork. The radio is the early model with full coverage but has
>>>>been unmodified.
>>>>
>>>>There are no scratches or blemishes on this radio. I am a non-smoker
>>>>and this scanner is very seldom used because I have many others that I
>>>>play with, such as Icom R-10, AOR-8000...
>>>>
>>>>This radio has been sitting in the box in my closet. It comes with the
>>>>following:
>>>>
>>>>* Original leather carrying case (unused)
>>>>* Two Uniden battery packs, extra one purchased new with the radio.
>>>>* Original manual
>>>>* Original rubber antenna
>>>>
>>>>This is probably one of the nicest used 2500XLTs you will find. It
>>>>has not been modified at all.
>

5977. FS- Yaesu FRG-9600/60-905MHZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fj97b$398@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,sbay.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>>I have a MINTand very seldom used FRG-9600 which covers from 60-905
>>MHZ continously in all modes. The radio does not have any nicks,
>>dents, or scratches whatsoever.
>>
>>Its been sitting in the original box and packaging for about a year.
>>I'm a non-smoker and the radio's never been outdoors. It includes
>>the following:
>>
>>* Original manual
>>* Photocopy of service manual
>>* Mobile mounting bracket and bolts (unused)
>>* TV video board installed
>>* Yaesu AC adaptor
>>* Original Telescopic whip antenna
>>
>>This is probably the nicest 9600 you will find. Accordingly, I would
>>like to ask for $450 shipped to lower 48 States. Thanks!
>

5978. Re: ADI AR-146 Comments..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcs@cmcorp.com
Message-ID: <2a7m916i1o03$1c8@bigrig.devens.net>
Source record: 148918

Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net> wrote:

>I want to purchase a new 2M mobile unit for my new (old) automobile. HRO
>is currently selling the AR-146 for 200 bucks. Always believing that
>"you get what you pay for" I thought I should ask for any comments (good
>or bad) from any current owners of this rig.

I put 3 of them in each of my daughters/wife's car.

Good radios, lousey mic audio!

>Thank you...
>--
>BILL BRANNICK | Costa Mesa, CA
>Amateur Radio Station: KN6FJ
>A NFL Rams and Dodgers Fan For Over 50 years!

5979. Re: Advertisment Icom IC746 ₹1399 New

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: equinox@nospam.itl.net
Message-ID: <351D8A22.7090F684@nospam.itl.net>
Source record: 148919
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Steve Jelly wrote:

>
>
> As far as I know, they are grey imports, but if they work OK what the
> hell
> !!!

If they are grey imports then they may not be CE approved and may not conform to UK standards!
Maybe they are all the ones from the first run that have that cross-mod problem, that's why they are going cheap? or is it the -10db 3rd order IP's on 50MHz?????????
Also, the fax I had does actually state that Icom UK have removed the dealership from them!
so something bad must have happened!
It maybe best to stay away from that offer.

5980. Re: 50r as a base station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6fjd3b$erd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148920

You could buy the AA battery case. It is designed to hold 4 AA batteries. You could drill into it and wire your power supply to it's contacts. So to use the power supply, you slap that battery case on the back (instead of plugging onto the jack on the side). Should hold it upright as well.

Bill
n2asa

Tor Houghton wrote in message <891101104.97834@redlance.bogus.net>...
>John Morris <jmorris@nemonet.com> wrote:
>
>> How would I hold the 50r in an UPRIGHT position if I used an ext power
>> supply? I will still be using the stock duckie antenna if I do this.
>
>You could get the optional mike/earphone.
>
>Or the optional mike/speaker.
>
>Tor.

5981. Aftermarket Duckies with SMA conn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rotnappl@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <rotnappl-2803981000010001@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148921

Hello to all-

Anyone have an experience with aftermarket antennas for hand helds with
SMA connectors?

TIA,

Greg

5982. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fje3l$i6a$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 148922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On 26 Mar 1998 21:51:07 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> >Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> >>Gary Coffman wrote:
> >>>K0HB@usa.net wrote:
> >>>>Gary Coffman wrote
> >>>
> >Why don't you guys consider getting yourselves some hand tools and
> >components, and build your own radios. You'd gain some valuable
> >experience, save money, and wouldn't look like such appliance operators.
> >
> >Jeff
>
> Well, of course, I am already operating a DSP receiver of my own design.
> I've talked about it here at length several times. It is basically the same
> concept as the one in the current April QST except that I use the Analog
> Devices chipset rather than the Motorola chipset. Total cost was under
> $120. And performance rivals any of the commercial rigs in everything
> except dynamic range. That's due to codec limitations. The Motorola
> chipset looks better in that regard, but wasn't available when I started
> my project. My receiver does sport a robust QPSK demodulator which
> isn't available in any of the commercial amateur radios at any price.
>
> (And the companion transmitter is directly driven off the sound card
> of the PC which generates the QPSK vectors in software. That's for
> convenience, since the Viterbi coding is done on the PC anyway and
> there was no need to invoke the power of the DSP chipset to do that.)
>
> What have you built that exceeds the performance of available commercial
> amateur equipment? I'll wager that it is nothing, just rehashes of the simpler
> designs of the 30s. You really should try to move into the latter half of the
> 20th century, Jeff. There's little enough of it left. We have learned how to
> do better than hand keyed MOPA designs in the last 60 years. Why haven't
> you? As a mathematics instructor, I'd expect that the generator equations
> should be child's play for you. Why haven't you implemented them? The
> chipsets are available, and they are cheap. Old discrete component TV
> sets are becoming rare. What'll you do when you're *forced* to use ICs?
>
> Gary

Prof Ed Delp, N9YTE, of the Purdue EE department has presented
DSP to our club, Tippecanoe Amateur Radio Association (TARA, W9REG).

Plus his lab (he has walked the club thru it) is researching advanced digital signaling processing procedures. Ed has laid out a vision where we could have reconfigurable receivers in any mode. No need for seperate demoduators (ie packet modems) nor filters. All done inside the DSP chipset with software.

A receiver would be an RF amp chip, mixer/IF chip, DSP, AF chip and a micropressor to run things. It could be built as small as the ICOM R-10. Want CelTel coverage, program it in. The cops go to digital mode, program it! A receiver that could cover DC to daylite (the RF and IF stages are not really needed by do help).

TVs now use only three chips for everything. DSP is a part of HDTV (DTV). DSP is the main part of a CD player (plus a filter and audio chips). They are used in broadcasting audio, telephone switching systems.

Thanks Gary for the idea of using the manufacturer's data book. I did not think of sample programming to be included.

5983. Re: Aftermarket Duckies with SMA conn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D467A.7E547A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148923

Greg,

Yes...there are a bunch. Very hard to generalize the results, except that longer is generally better!

All other things being equal (like length) some are better in the ham bands, and some have better wide freq performance (like if you scan or modify your radio).

Best long one I have is a Comet SMA3. I suspect there are newer, better ones .. and I understand Diamond has some, too.

Phil

5984. F/S AMP PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <351CBC28.5C1D@swbell.net>
Source record: 148924

I have for sale..2..4-1000 $125. for the pair, 2 sk-510 sockets,one new,one used..$100 for the pair...10-350pf 7kv vac vari..$75. also 2 32mf 4500volts caps $80....Bob

5985. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D48B4.14FA7412@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The downside of "smaller-is-better" is the user interface. Examples: Most TV's are large due to screen, not electronics; small computers (palmtops) are limited in use due to keyboard, not electronics (My Libretto is a pentium PC and performs fine, but I wouln't write a book with its keyboard).

My 706MkII is small enough for my uses. The front panel could not get much smaller and really be usable; and then there is the power dissipation issue (unless you just want to receive).

Phil

5986. Re: Rubber Duckie is WAY TOO BIG.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Amirault <amirault@shell2.tiac.net>
Message-ID: <6fjhtp$hoq@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 148926

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&NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com> wrote:
: I read a lot of posts requesting better antennas for the new smaller
: handehld transceivers.
: What I wanted was a SMALLER antenna.

Sounds like you want the COMET MIRACLE BABY antenna!

--
Richard Amirault N1JDU Boston, Massachusetts USA
amirault@tiac.net "Go Fly A Kite"
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5987. ICOM Ic2SRA HT w/25-950 rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#1vjErnW9GA.62@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner

2m Ht with 25-950mhz receiver buit in. Dual antennas. Wall
charger and good bat.$275.

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5988. Icom 225a 2m 30w synth mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OV3ymsnW9GA.285@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Icom Ic225a 30 watt mobile synthesized. $100

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5989. Icom Ic 220 10w xtl mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OneQ9rnW9GA.62@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Same as Ic22a. 23 chan. 10 watt mobile. $75

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

5990. Icom Ic230 146-7 10w mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uAVuVtnW9GA.62@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

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Icom Ic230 146-147 10watt mobile. $100

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)
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5991. FS- Icom W2A dual band, $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Painter <stevepaint@clearwater.net>
Message-ID: <351d1d5e.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 148931

For sale, Icom IC-W3A, in original box, comes with BP-83,
antenna, BC-77A charger, and Instruction manual. This unit
is fully functional, and will recieve cellular. Money back
guarantee. $375. Call 208 476 5022, or email back.
Steve

5992. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@htl.net>
Message-ID: <351DCCB1.3040271E@htl.net>
Source record: 148932

Ed Culin wrote:
>
> FYI, most inboard tuners if not all will not accept swr's greater
> than 3.0. Something to chew on my 746 matched a 3.8 swr on 6m to 1.1
> without any problem so I'd say the tuner works.

If you have a VSWR of 3.8 then you really need to fix your 50MHz
antenna!
:-)

160 Countries on 50MHz:
Try: http://user.itl.net/~equinox
The latest news on the 50MHz front

5993. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351d56bf.413148660@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 28 Mar 1998 11:00:04 -0800, Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>The downside of "smaller-is-better" is the user interface. Examples:
>Most TV's are large due to screen, not electronics; small computers
>(palmtops) are limited in use due to keyboard, not electronics (My
>Libretto is a pentium PC and performs fine, but I wouln't write a book
>with its keyboard).

Yes, that's where divorcing the controls from the radio makes some
sense. Take the Icom PCR1000 for example. It doesn't matter that it
is small since the "controls" are on the PC. Or consider the Kachina
505, it is big, but again you don't care. You can tuck it in a closet
somewhere while controlling it from your PC (even dial up by modem
from a remote location).

>My 706MkII is small enough for my uses. The front panel could not get
>much smaller and really be usable; and then there is the power
>dissipation issue (unless you just want to receive).

Agreed. The control head is about as small as would be usable. The
body could be larger without any harm since it can be tucked in the
trunk or under a seat, and would allow use of a larger heatsink.

It would be neat if Kachina offered a control head for their radio
the size of the one for the IC-706. That would let it operate without
an associated PC for those who prefer that style of operating.
They have a mobile mounting kit for their radio, but you need to
operate it from a laptop. That doesn't bother me since I need
the laptop anyway for digital operating. But for those who want
to operate SSB or CW, an optional traditional control head would
be a selling point.

But back on the $500 HF radio topic, size shouldn't be the
determining factor. If it is cheaper to package the radio in
a larger box, then do it. I see it as aimed at the entry level
desktop rather than the mobile market anyway. So small
size isn't an essential component of its design. (High
density packaging is more expensive because of thermal
issues and intricate assembly labor costs.) If it were as big
as a TR-4C, that would be Ok. Though with modern
electronics there's no reason I can think of to make it
that large.

I'm picturing something in the IC-735 form factor, but
perhaps made in the tinny TenTec fashion, say like
the Argonaut 509. Sheetmetal box costs are primarily

fabrication cost, so size is irrelevant within a fairly wide range as long as the number of bends needed is the same. Now if it is diecast, or heaven forbid, injection molded plastic, then costs are driven by size. I hope it is in a good metal box for shielding, however.

(Diecasting or injection molding is cheapest, if done in high enough volumes to recover the high initial tooling costs, but few amateur radios are sold in large enough volume to reach that point. So tin box construction is the lowest cost packaging for amateur equipment. MFJ and TenTec have been the prime examples of that. The Japanese seem to be willing to eat the higher tooling costs to deliver a product with a more polished appearance. That's marketing driven and not production cost driven.)

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5994. FS: Rohn 25G (90' plus top section and base plate) $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Tenison <btenison@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <6fjo8r$e53$0@198.79.30.124>
Source record: 148934

I have for sale 9 sections of Rohn 26G plus a top section and a base
plate for
pick up in South-West Alabama. Asking $300.

5995. Re: Icom IC-746 versus Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351D64B8.535EFE22@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148935

Geoff wrote:
>
> If you have a VSWR of 3.8 then you really need to fix your 50MHz
> antenna!
> :-)
>

Not sure I agree re his antenna. Could be he is using a horizonal beam
to get into local repeaters (my beam is 1:1 at 50.1 MHz, but
substantantially worse at FM rptr freqs .. where I used it with a tuner
until I put up a vertical). Or maybe he has one of those AEA loops,
which are pretty narrow in Bandwidth.

Phil

5996. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351d61ab.415944614@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 28 Mar 1998 12:52:09 -0800, Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
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>DSP to our club, Tippecanoe Amateur Radio Association (TARA, W9REG).
>Plus his lab (he has walked the club thru it) is researching advanced
>digital signaling processing procedures. Ed has laid out a vision
>where we could have reconfigurable receivers in any mode. No need
>for seperate demoduators (ie packet modems) nor filters. All done
>inside the DSP chipset with software.

Yep, that's practical to do now. I can reconfigure my receiver by just
downloading different software into it.

>A receiver would be an RF amp chip, mixer/IF chip, DSP, AF chip and
>a micropressor to run things. It could be built as small as the ICOM
>R-10. Want CelTel coverage, program it in. The cops go to digital
>mode, program it! A receiver that could cover DC to daylite (the RF
>and IF stages are not really needed by do help).

You've forgotten the LO. You need a wide range LO for an upconverting
design. Today, the best candidate for that is a DDS with a clean up PLL.
That'll likely all be in one chip in a year, but for now you need two or three.
You can do aliasing downconversion instead, but the variable sampling
clock makes the programming more complex. And you need *good*
preselector filtering. The latter is "iron", and that's expensive. It is better
to upconvert and use a fixed roofing filter instead. (My receiver isn't that
polished. It uses a VXO. But that wouldn't do for general purpose amateur
and SWL use.)

>TVs now use only three chips for everything. DSP is a part of HDTV
>(DTV). DSP is the main part of a CD player (plus a filter and audio
>chips). They are used in broadcasting audio, telephone switching
>systems.
>
>Thanks Gary for the idea of using the manufacturer's data book. I
>did not think of sample programming to be included.

Not the *data* book. The applications examples are in the applications
book(s), in the case of Analog Devices there are two volumes. That's
one of two reasons I chose the AD parts. The other is that I like the
assembly language. It is more intuitive than that for the TI or Motorola
parts, so the learning curve is not so steep. But good cheap optimizing
C++ compilers are becoming available for the latter, so that advantage
may be mooted.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

5997. Re: @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca
Message-ID: <351d6ae9$1$efzvgf$mr2ice@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 148937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

In <351ce275.1819609@news.total.net>, on 03/28/98
at 11:45 AM, joker@radiotelephone.net.ham (Cutie Joker) said:

>hi. my radio is still not here. it's been a month now. i will check
>the repair status (i hope my radio is not lost somewhere !!) (I hope
>ICOM Canada's repair service is as good as ICOM America's).

While I haven't had to use ICOM America's , I have used ICOM Canada to repair an old IC-211 all mode rig. The price was, I felt, reasonable, and it seemed to come back in a reasonable time, though I wasn't counting the days.

Hope you get yours back soon!

73, Bob, VE7HS

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rsmits@curmudgeon.bc.ca

5998. FS Brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <SgeT.492$PR4.5117185@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 148938

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with a
CP-12L cigarette lighter power adapter, HM-46 microphone, BP-180 battery and
instruction manual. Here are some specs:
true dual band receive V/V, V/U or U/U
crossband repeater mode
receives from 118 to 174 and 400 to 470 normally
receive range can be expanded by a simple keypad sequence
I get cellular images perfectly from 600 to 999.995 mhz
200 alphanumeric 8 character memories
backlighted keypad
full CTCSS transmit and receive and scan to identify while receiving
can be programmed by computer, software included
transmit frequency range expandable by a simple hardware mod
5 watts output with 12 volts D.C. or BP-173 battery
3.5 watts output with included BP-180 battery
power saver mode and auto power off function
tone scan, tone squelch and pocket beep operation
dtmf memory
auto repeater function
A check of HRO puts the price at over $400. with the included accessories.
I will let it go for the best offer over $300. U.S. shipping included by
airmail. I cannot ship c.o.d. from Canada to the U.S., other arrangements
can be made.
Still on warranty for one year, this is new equipment.
If interested, contact me by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5999. FS- PLL board for Ken430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980328215444401.QAA06130@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148939

I have for sale a PLL board for a Kenwood TS-430. No longer available from Kenwood, last sold for $317. Will sell this one for $100 plus shipping.
73, George, K1RBS

6000. Uniden FMU-250K Programming???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <me_hamman@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <351d766e.0@news.snip.net>
Source record: 148940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello all,
I bought a Uniden "Force" Uhf 2way and it didn't come with any
info (real cheap price for a real cheap radio).
Can anyone tell me if a normal eprom programmer will work with
the 2716 prom? Is there any special "program" that needs to be
run to actually program the thing?
I noticed a jumper wire on the eprom board what's it for?
I'm interested in taking the radio to 440 can I??
The two freqs in it now are 463.xx and 461.xx.

Thanks
Michael
KB2UMJ

6001. Re: IC-706 MKII DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6fjs02$du9$1@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 148941

In article <351D265C.5689EAB5@ix.netcom.com>, w7ox@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>Martin,
>
>My impression is that they are not available until sometime in April.
>
>Hoping someone will tell me I'm wrong, since I will buy one as soon as I
>can!
>
>Phil

They are shipping now. My local ham store just got one in.

Awaiting my free one...

73!
Tom

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
tprandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
APRS on 145.790 - Moving to 144.390 early April...
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

REMOVE the P in the address above for my correct E-mail address.

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

6002. Re: Aftermarket Duckies with SMA conn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Merrell <kd6jxy@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <351D76CD.6456D740@pacbell.net>
Source record: 148942

I have experience with 2 hand-helds and a couple of the after-market HT antennas with the SMA connector the commit and Diamond spaghetti antennas are great for general use and work better than the stock antenna. Receive is improved and transmit is also made easier requiring less power to get to different repeaters. with the C510A that is important. there is also a stiff rubber duck made by commit whitch I plan on buying for both HTS and I think that will really mae it easy for me personally. I think you will also notice that the sma connector is a little more forgiving than the BNC connector. when it comes down to it its all a matter of personal choice. for current price lists and so on see the AES web site
http://www.aesham.com

good luck

Greg Reid wrote:

> Hello to all-
>
> Anyone have an experience with aftermarket antennas for hand helds with
> SMA connectors?
>
> TIA,
>
> Greg

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Paul Merrell
kd6jxy@pacbell.net
http://home.pacbell.net/kd6jxy
AOL: paulkd6jxy
JUNO: kd6jxy@juno.com
SUPERNEWNS: kd6jxy@supernews.com
http://www.supernews.com

6003. KW TUNER HF/VHF METERS HF RIG etc on E-BAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <351D87BB.275C@nucleus.com>
Source record: 148943

Hi there is only a few hours left to bid on these items...
1KW Tuner with Watt/SWR meter HF 2KW meter VHF 25/250 watt meter
ARRL BOOKS HF RIG and other goodies...take a look...

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8927732

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8928162

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8928308

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8929336

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8929336

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=8930926

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9201738

Thank you ...Jordan...

6004. Re: IC-706 MKII DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032822335100.RAA12002@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148944

I have a new in the box Icom 706 MK II for sale unless
I can get a DSP FREE, ha ha,....
anyone interested in selling their free DSP or buying my 706MKII
let me know.

kilo5joe@aol.com

6005. Vandenberg Launch Alert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <102670.1206@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <08ae63919221c38NIH2WAAF@csi.com>
Source record: 148945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.astro.amateur,sci.space.tech

ASTRONOMY/SPACE ALERT FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
Brian Webb, KD6NRP
Thousand Oaks, California
E-mail: 102670.1206@compuserve.com
Web Page: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/rawhide_home_page

1998 March 28 (Saturday) 14:00 PST

Vandenberg Launch Rescheduled...Again

Thursday night's launch of a Delta II missile from Vandenberg AFB was cancelled due to upper level winds. The launch is now scheduled for Sunday night (March 29th). The main events of the launch will be as follows:

Time Elapsed
Event (PST) Time

Launch 22:02:46 00:00
Jettison Six Solid Rocket Motors 22:04:14 01:28
Jettison Three Solid Rocket Motors 22:04:57 02:11
First Stage Engine Cutoff 22:07:11 04:25

Something of interest to look for during a Delta II night launch is a brief orange flash in the direction of Vandenberg at first stage ignition while the vehicle is still on the pad. The sky lights up for about 2/10ths of a second and then grows dark again. This was first reported by Ron Rennie who was watching December's dawn launch from high up on the Palos Verdes Peninsula, a distance of about 150 miles from the pad! Other events to look for (and to atttempt to photograph) are the jettison of solid rocket motors from the first stage.

Detailed information on this mission can be found at the Boeing web site at www.boeing.com. Look in the commercial space area for the MS-8 Press Kit.

For the current status of this launch, call the Vandenberg Launch Update Line at 805-734-8232 ext. 61857 and the Delta II 24 Hour Launch Information Hot Line at 714-896-4770.

Wednesday Dusk Launch

A Pegasus XL missile is scheduled to be launched off of California's central coast at about 18:40 PST [1] this Wednesday (April 1st). The Pegasus will be carrying NASA's TRACE satellite.

The missile will be air launched from an L-1011 aircraft flying at 39,000 about 70 miles southwest of Monterey. The coordinates of the drop point are

36.000 degrees north and 123.000 degrees west.

Since the launch will take place about 25 minutes after sunset, the vehicle's exhaust plume should be brightly backlit by the sun when the Pegasus reaches high altitude. The impressive sight should be visible from as far away as Santa Rosa, Ridgecrest, and Los Angeles.

If you're interested in photographing this launch, I would suggest using Fujicolor 800 print film, a 50, 105, or 135mm lens, and a steady tripod. When the exhaust plume appears, take exposure readings of the plume and shoot at the indicated exposure [2].

For the current status of this launch, call the Vandenberg Launch Update Line at 805-734-8232 ext. 61857.

Notes

1. This time is approxiate. Launch can occur a few minutes either way of the planned time (note that launch can take place before the planned time).

2. You can't determine if your exposure was correct by looking at the prints; look at the negatives. Even if you under- or overexpose shot, a good photo lab technician can often compensate for it and produce a good print.

Launch Viewing Locations

I'm planning on traveling to Santa Barbara County to photograph Sunday's and Wednesday's launches. Where I'll be will be determined by the weather and my schedule. The candidate sites are as follows:

Cement Water Cistern This site is a water tank in the mountains north of Santa Barbara on East Camino Cielo. The altitude is about 2,800 feet above sea level. This site is either immersed in clouds or clear.

The directions to this location are: Take highway 154 to East Camino Cielo.

Go east (uphill) on East Camino Cielo past the Forest Service station and market. Continue going uphill for several miles. The water tank is on the left.

Refugio State Beach Experience has shown that when low clouds are present along the coast, the area between Goleta and Gaviota tends to be clear. This is apparently caused by the mountains to the north and Point Conception serving as a barrier to the low clouds which tend to flow off of the ocean from northwest to southeast.

This site is on the west shoulder of highway 101 about 1 mile south of the entrance to Refugio State Beach. To get there, do the following:

Proceed south on the 101 past the Refugio State Beach parking lot. Look for a sign that says "End Freeway". At the first call box, pull over on to the shoulder of the road.

Parking on the shoulder of the highway may be illegal. However, the shoulder of a highway is a hazardous place, so be careful.

Santa Ynez Peak This location is either shrouded in clouds or very clear. When it's clear, this 4,200 foot high site is well above the marine layer and offers a superb view.

To get there, take highway 101 to Refugio Road.

Take Refugio Road east (uphill) for several miles until you reach a T-intersection the top of the mountain ridgeline. You should see a stop sign, a sign for the La Scherpa retreat, and a road with a white sign that says "This road not maintained by Santa Barbara County..."

Take the road with the "This road not maintained..." sign and travel uphill for several miles until you reach the gated road that leads to the observatory. Park in the clearing near the gate.

Be advised that the road leading up to this site can be dangerous. Loose gravel, ice, or not paying attention to your driving could send you over the side to your death.

If you're interested in joining me to view either launch, you'll need to know where I'll be. Listen for me on the 147.000 MHz Santa Barbara repeater during my drive into the Santa Barbara area. If you don't have a VHF receiver, then refer to the table below.

Day Event Sites

Sunday Delta II Night Launch Cement Water Cistern (first choice)
Refugio State Beach (second choice)

Wednesday Pegasus XL Dusk Launch Santa Ynez Peak (first choice)
Refugio State Beach (second choice)

As I drive north on the 101 on Sunday and Wednesday, I'll look up at the mountains and see if my primary site is clear. If it is, I'll go there. If not, I'll probably go to Refugio.

Vandenberg Launch Nets

Local ham radio operators plan to hold Vandenberg Launch Nets for both Sunday night's Delta II and Wednesday evening's Pegasus XL launch. The purpose of these nets is to pass along countdown status and to discuss the launch. The nets will begin at the following times:

Net
Start
Day Event (PST)

Sunday Delta II Night Launch 21:30
Wednesday Pegasus XL Dusk Launch 18:00

The repeaters to be used are:

Freq. Offset Tone
Repeater (MHz) (KHz) (Hz)

Santa Barbara (Primary) 147.000 +600 131.8
Thousand Oaks (Secondary) 147.785 -600 127.3

For those of you who participate in these nets, please be aware that I'm very busy from about T-10 minutes to T+8 minutes and I can't respond to your calls on the radio.

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6006. Re: TM-V7 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tselesky@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <351d7b95.16856922@news5.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 148946

On Mon, 23 Mar 1998 17:38:25 GMT, drgrant@ziplink.net wrote:

>On 22 Mar 1998 11:48:04 GMT, Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton)
>wrote:
>
>>I am looking for the EZ Clone Software for the TM-V7,
>>as I understood it can not be purchaised any more.
>>
...
>
>Or for that matter, just copy it. If the company is out of business I
>don't really think anyone is going to care. I don't even think the
>software ever came out, actually, and if it did, its going to be a
>pain finding someone that has it. I'm in the same position.
>
>-Mike
>
The response I got from Kenwood help. was that the company decided to
discontinue it. They say they will be coming out with thier own Soon.
I would be willing to bet more people would be willing to endorse
thier radios if they had the software available
Tom KB2SFF

6007. WTB Altair 680 computer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: RWood54741@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fjv5k$8i6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Please forgive me for asking for early computer stuff on an amateur radio board but many of you are the real microcomputer Pioneers and I humbly ask your help in locating something.

I am a collector of early personal computer items and am looking for an Altair 680 to add to my collection. I am willing to pay a very respectable price for one.

Additionally, I have an Altair 8800 that has been upgraded. I would surely like to find the original MITS circuit cards for it. Especially the MITS CPU card. If you have any MITS cards you would consider selling, please email me directly.

Thanks very much for your help and forgive me for intruding.

Bob

6008. IC-746 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <351D8094.1E37@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 148948

I had a chance to actually see/youch/hear the 746 today at the
Timonium, Marymland Hamfest..... Overall impression... very nice radio.
All seems as advertised... EXCEPT:

The "band scope" is NOT real time, hell, its no time at all. You have to
toggle it on, so it works as follows:
1-Normal receive mode... no scope, nothing, scope is inactive/in
frozen mode.
2-put scope on, scope scans across the band area, BUT... NO
RECEIVE AUDIO... nothing, it shunts the receive signal to the scope,
totally, you hear NOTHING! Then you can switch back to receive mode,
which freezes the scope at ita last position.... Soooo... it looks nice
in the brochure... but it is not really a feature.

Otherwise, its a gorgeous radio. Very slick, nice size/heft to it.
Looks better than the 756, imho, but that bans scope setup is a big
disappointment... ruins an otherwise great rig.....

There's my 2 cents --

Pete -- KA2YDY

ps- isn't that the way the bandscope works in the 706? I dont own one, so
I am not sure.

6009. Icom 706MKII, Yaesu 990DC, TM-733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032823104601.SAA17281@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148949

I have for sale:
Icom 706 MKII new in the box, warrenty ect... $ 1,050.00
Yaesu 990 with auto tuner, dc modle, digital hi-low cut filters. $ 1,125.00
Kenwood dualband mobile, 2meter 440 excellent condition. $ 325.00

Thanks for reading my posting.
K5JOE
kilo5joe@aol.com

6010. FS HQ170 &DX100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: imok1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032823285501.SAA20067@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148950

I have for sale a DX-100 and HQ-170. These items were purchased and I have not had time to get to them, so I hope someone can use them.

DX-100 - Good shape, original cabinet repainted, but no extra holes. It looks like there are two non original knobs and one no original togle switch, no extra holes in the panel. Electrically untested
$125 - prefer chicago area deal as 100# +
HQ-170
It plays.... A couple on non original knobs, no extra holes in cabinet or panel. no clock. The chassis has a little bite so would need some minor TLC.
$160 - plus shipping from 60067.
Thanks
Mark
KB9LIO

6011. FS: J-COM Magic Notch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <351d8733.9073980@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 148951

One of the first and still for the money, one of the best DSP
units. Looks like new. $30 shipped CONUS.
73 dick, W1KSZ

6012. Re: Icom IC-Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6fk0ou$9et@cascade.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 148952

john_timmers@mindlink.bc.ca writes:
>The removable front panel is a great feature, and like you, I wonder why
>more handhelds don't provide that feature. On mine, its mostly removed,
>and I use the panel as a remote mic, which comes in really handy when
>I'm driving.

An interesting variant on this is the radio/battery separation cable
for the FT-50. This puts the battery on your belt, and the radio clips
wherever you want it just like a speaker mike. Most of the weight is
still on your belt, but you have mike, keypad, and display all up in
your hand. And the antenna is mounted there too, giving better range
than if the antenna was down by your belt right against your body.
Seems like a good alternative to a speaker mike for hanheld use - too
bad the cable is so expensive.

This wouldn't work so well mobile, though, where you'd want an external
antenna.

Dave

6013. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.]/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fk1fo$i95@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148953

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,,: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great.
Price: 145.00
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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6014. Signal Meters/Speech Inversion Descramblers/Scamblers for CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032800385600.TAA28757@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148961

We manufacture a Frequency Inversion Descrambler in wired/tested and
kit form as well as Signal meter's for Scanners. Our Descrambler is
tunable from 2400 to 4700 Hz.We also have a Full Duplex Scrambler
for CB and Two Way Radios that insures scrambled private communications
on CB and Two Way Radios. We also have Scanner Service Manuals.

CTP Descramblers

http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

6015. FS:Kenwood UT-50 6 meter module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8htv@flash.net
Message-ID: <6fhhd2$1rq$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 148962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

6 meter module for TM 741 or TM 742, 50 watts, with box and hardware (no paperwork)

$200.00 shipped con US via UPS ground

Call (810)445-8175 or emial : n8htv@flash.net

6016. FS: Heathkit HW-101 W/HP-23C Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: webpromote@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <351c54f9.553224@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Heathkit HW-101 W/HP-23C Power Supply

My son never got interesed in this.
Radio w/ manual.

$150

Thank you,

David
Buy Our Home
A "For Sale By Owner" Internet Resource
Please visit us at http://members.aol.com/buyourhome/

6017. Kenwood or Icom Dual Band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Baselice <jab1964@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <351C6034.B9EF3C21@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148964

Hi everybody.
Kenwood TM-V7A vs. Icom IC-2710H
I was looking for a direction to go with a new mobil rig. I've been a ham for about 5 years now but inactive. All I have is an HT.
My delima is I like them both, but I want to make sure I am spending the $500 in the right place. So any info I can get will be greatly appreciated
Thanks in advance!

Joe Baselice
jab1964@bellsouth.net
KD4UDI

6018. Recharging NiMh for TH55/TH78 type batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEqICE4.L6A@netcom.com>
Source record: 148965

I have some new NiMh batteries for the kenwood PNB5 and PNB13 sized HT batteries.

I've been trying to use the MAHA charger (advertised in recent QST) but it's "universal contact" arrangement is just too much bother (the little spring-loaded pins are much too short to deal with the variations I find among the batteries I've tried, and the charger seems to get hopelessly confused with NiMh batteries so that it aborts the charge process much too soon, leaving me with only maybe 10% charge). After the first unit being DOA, and the second unit being this frustrating, I'm afraid the MAHA won't be a long-term situation here.

Anyway, I'm game to find a drop-in charger of some sort that can handle these (different) types of packs. Looking for recommendations so I don't just buy another disappointment.

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

6019. Re: Need mods for Yaesu 8500 and VX-1R, and Kenwood th79a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: VR2XST <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd59f3$94b11480$480148ca@default>
Source record: 148966

Please go to QRZ Wed site.

Ab5ew <ab5ew@aol.com> wrote in article
<1998032321514500.QAA15977@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> I need the mods for the Yaesu 8500 and the VX-1R and also the Kenwood
TH79a
> asap. Please E-mail them if possible
>
> Thanks
>
> 73's
>
> Robert
> ab5ew
>

6020. FS: Icom 2400A, 2m/440 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David S. Walsh" <n1uwhNOSPAM@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fhogc$o28@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148967

I'm selling this mobile rig for $325.00 & I'll pay for shipping, insurance and throw in a duplexer.

I've had the radio 2-1/2 years with no problems. The only blemish is that the metal prong on the back of the microphone broke off. But I never hung the radio up so I never had a problem.

The radio has 21 channels per band (42 total), it puts out 45w on 2m & 35w on 440, it does CROSS BAND REPEAT and has the optional tone squelch unit (UT-40) installed.

I've got the original box, manual and mounting bracket.

I've bought a new radio already, so I want to sell this quick.

Please RSVP to n1uwhNOSPAM@worldnett.att.net (remove NOSPAM) or DSW612@AOL.COM.

PLEASE DON'T POST REPLY'S!!!!

Thanks

6021. HE115&C577

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjpa456@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032802522501.VAA22097@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148968

I am looking for the following schematics or manuals.#1 Lafayette HE115 and a Knight C577 by Allied. Any help would be appreciated, Thanx in advance.

(Rjpa456)

BOB

6022. Midland XTR Bracket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: danny n woodruff <danwood@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd59f7$131e7800$bf761ed1@demc1>
Source record: 148969

Someone was looking for a Midland XTR Bracket. I lost your message. If
still interested, call 972-775-2331.
tnx
dan

6023. Re: No serial # in ADMS-2D software!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032803283000.WAA01491@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148970

Thanks Pat, good idea...

Yes, RT gave me a number over the phone and it works fine, and made no comment on this happening to others..... Hmmmmm

Another problem solved.

6024. INDUCTOR CALCULATOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: toroids@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032803483200.WAA04959@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148971

We have written a Toroid software package for use DC to 300 MHz. Many Years of research has gone into error corrections for the low perm cores , 200 & 360 degree coverage as well as SRF for series and shunt coils. Much of this has come about as a request from Micrometals. The pin point accuracy allows us to add a custom core feature for custom shaped cores, stacking cores side by side and machining custom phenolic cores from plastic, teflon, wood, ect...
Down load a demo or just view the software main screen at our web
http://members.aol.com/Toroids/johnindx.htm
or click below
Best Regards John Bellora @ B&E Engineering Software
B and E Engineering

6025. F.S. TUBES 50% of reg. price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: epirtyak@bcinternet.com
Message-ID: <6fhqf8$126$3@newsfeed.smartt.com>
Source record: 148972

Hi!, I do have on special thih month only,a large variety of
vacuum tubes.(receiving.all purpose,transmitting,audio...ect)
for sale.If interested,please contact me with the number(s)
you need,and we'll do the best to help you out...THANKS
Eric Pirtyak
Kelowna BC, Canada

Net-Tamer V 1.10 Beta - Test Drive

6026. 'C54x DSKPlus Expansion Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bilwoodson@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032804363900.XAA10134@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148973

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Software Development Tool Enhances DSKPlus Capabilities

Rochester, NY - Z-Domain Systems Development has officially announced the release of its DSP Expansion Board Plus (DSP-EBPlus). The board is intended to be used in conjunction with the Texas Instruments 'C54x DSKPlus. The DSP-EBPlus is designed to attach directly to the TI DSKPlus; with it, a software developer can enhance the capabilities of the DSKPlus to allow development and debug of sophisticated DSP code previously outside the scope of the DSKPlus's capabilities. Features include 128K of zero wait-state RAM, a bidirectional ASCII serial interface with software selectable baud rate, an LED and test point output latch, and software in C and assembly that demonstrates the ease of use of the board's features. This product is of special interest to companies and individuals developing communications, voice processing, and signal processing applications, because it allows companies to develop complex DSP software on a low-cost platform.

The DSP-EBPlus's ASCII serial interface is compatible with any RS-232 serial port. Its baud rate is software selectable from 2400 up to 115K baud. Software drivers are included to program and control the on-board UART. Embedded versions of familiar standard I/O routines such as printf, scanf, putchar, and getche are also included.

The 8-signal test point and LED output latch allow the output of important state information from the user's application that is running on the DSKPlus. The outputs to the LED latch are available via test points, to allow resolution of critical signal timing. Example code is provided that demonstrates these features as well.

The DSP Expansion Board Plus is available now starting at $99.00. Also available is the DSP Debug Board, which provides similar capabilities for the 'C5x DSK. Information requests and orders can be directed to Z-Domain's information and order line (1-800-743-1374), or via e-mail to info@z-domain.com, or by visiting the Z-Domain Systems Development, Inc. website at www.z-domain.com

Company Background

Z-Domain Systems Development was founded in May, 1996 to design, develop, and manufacture DSP-based wireless data communication, voice transmission,

and remote monitoring equipment. The 'C54x DSK Expansion Board
Plus is the second product in the DSP Debug Board line. Z-Domain Systems
Development is headquartered in Fairport, NY. For further information,
please contact:

Bill Woodson
Z-Domain Systems Development, Inc.
P.O. Box 902
Fairport, NY 14450
1-800-743-1374
www.z-domain.com

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6027. fs alpha 78 amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tandy Way <tandyway@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fhuqu$i4d$4@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 148974

good condition alpha 78 am 3 tube no tune 8874 tubes makes legal power with
75 watts or so more with more drive. $1800 split shipping. email me at
tandyway@gte.net or call weekends any time evenings after 6pm 813-962-4105
tandy k4ysn
btw amp 160 meters through 10 meters.

6028. Question on Alpha 76 tube substitute

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4WFK <n4wfk@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5a07$fdc6ff70$0700a8c0@SPOT>
Source record: 148975

I would like to here from anyone who has successfully changed over an Alpha 76 from the 8874's to another tube compliment. I have a 3 hole 76, and am considering making a change to it. I seem to recall a person who had a web page covering the procedure.
Thanks in advance.

John, N4WFK

6029. FOR SALE TEMPO ONE , PS\SPKR AND EXTERNAL VFO CHEAP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5ixe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032805291900.AAA21449@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148976

I HAVE A BLACK FACE TEMPO ONE WITH MATCHING POWER SUPPLY AND SPEAKER AND
EXTERNAL VFO. RIG IS IN GREAT SHAPE COSMETICALLY, ITS BEEN SETTING UP FOR A FEW
YEARS , WE CHECK DRIVERS AND FINALS AND THE OUTPUT WAS APPROX 80 WATTS.
RECEIVE SEEMS OK TOO.
125.00 +SHIPPING "AS IS" CONTACT RD AT N5IXE@AOL.COM
ROCO D CAMPBELL

6030. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fi1hs$g1n$3@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 148977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> >Gary Coffman wrote:
> >>K0HB@usa.net wrote:
> >>>Gary Coffman wrote
>
> Why don't you guys consider getting yourselves some hand tools and
> components, and build your own radios. You'd gain some valuable
> experience, save money, and wouldn't look like such appliance operators.
>
> Jeff

I have been thinking about building a DSP radio. It could be built with five chips. The hard part would be the programming. I still am not as good as like at DSP programming. But that is the way the world is going. It software that is the future. Even in the EE programs, hardware is almost a thing of the past (except for chip design).

6031. Amateur Radio Repair Servoce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sts@ac.net
Message-ID: <351c3dc8.1965216@news.ac.net>
Source record: 148978

Hello,

We offer radio repair on most makes of Amateur Equipment. To learn
more go to links below and check us out! We will also be at Flea
Market spaces 3657 at DAyton.
73 from Larry Tucker, N4KVP
Amateur and Communications equipment repair and service

Sandhills Technical Service, Inc.
PO Box 651
Candor, NC 27229
910-974-7867
http://www.qsl.net/n4kvp/ or http://www.janrix.com/sts

6032. FT-50R mod fault

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty Squillaci <msquillaci@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <351CA0D8.14D24B35@lucent.com>
Source record: 148979

Anyone have a problem with the chip jumper removal mod? I got 3 new radios and only one would fully be enabled after the mod after removing the chip and solder pod and programming thru the buttons. Once I got to "band A1", I could not toggle it to any other options. Anyone know of newly revised firmware that may prevent this?

6033. Sv: DXCC Headings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ozling@web4you.DK
Message-ID: <01bd5a22$f6ea9ac0$LocalHost@henrik>
Source record: 148980

While on the subject of new DXCC additions,

I have a registered copy of the log " DX4WIN " and I cant seem to find the right way of how to add new DXCC entries.

Any help ?

OZ1ING Henrik
-----Oprindelig meddelelse-----
Fra: Dean Norris <dnorris@k7no.com>
Til: dx@ve7tcp.ampr.org <dx@ve7tcp.ampr.org>; CADXA@LISTSERV.TEMPE.GOV <CADXA@LISTSERV.TEMPE.GOV>; PCLUSTER-L@POSTOFFICE.CSO.UIUC.EDU <PCLUSTER-L@POSTOFFICE.CSO.UIUC.EDU>; dx4win@qth.net <dx4win@qth.net>; Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>; kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org <kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org>
Dato: 27. marts 1998 18:59
Emne: DXCC Headings

>I have an Excel spreadsheet listing one line for each DXCC country, This
>sheet provides Heading, distance and reciprocal heading for each country
>from any given location. Just plug in your long/lat and you will have a
>neat DXCC list and beam heading chart. Updated to include Temotu Is and
>ST0 is, alas, gone.
>
>No charge. Just e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com and I will send it back as an
>attachment (60K bytes).
>
>[Also available online at ftp://ve7tcp.ampr.org/software/misc/BEARINGS1.ZIP
> --lyndon]
>
>Dean, K7NO
>
>
> C. Dean Norris, K7NO
> e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com
>Proud charter member of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy!
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>

6034. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gordon Dewis <gordon@pinetree.org>
Message-ID: <351C90A5.3D097B76@pinetree.org>
Source record: 148981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Go to your nearest Radio Shack that is also the district clearance center.
> You can buy NIB discontinued scanners for a fraction of their original
> price.

Just make sure that the scanner can receive the aviation bands because not all can. I have a scanner that has the aviation bands "missing" from the range of frequencies it can receive.

Personally, I use my Kenwood TM-742 as a scanner when I'm airplane watching. Also comes in handy on my way in for a couple of hours flying because I can check out the ATIS.

Cheers!

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Gordon Dewis | WWW Virtual Library Geography Section is now at:
BA Hons Geography | http://www.icomos.org/WWW_VL_Geography.html

6035. FS:Kenwood TS-450S/AT, W7BOB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpalm@winfinity.com
Message-ID: <6fib26ifl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Kenwood TS-450S/AT Transceiver for sale. Original owner.
Perfect Mint Condition. Lightly used as base station. Truly like new.
100 W. All Solid State. All HF Bands. Built-in Automatic Antenna Tuner.
General Coverage Receiver. 12 Volt for either base or mobile operation.
8.83 and 455 MHz SSB Filters. 100 Memories. IF Shift. RIT/XIT Split Freq.
Notch Filter. Noise Blanker. Many other advanced features.
Hand Mike with Up/Down control. Manuals. Power and Linear Cables.
Non-Smoker. Serial # 30701441.
$785 or offer. Will ship.
Contact W7BOB, Robert Palmer, 541-997-1222, E-mail: rpalm@winfinity.com

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

6036. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sta.REMOVETHIS@a-info.dk
Message-ID: <351cac3e.2042921@news.uni2.dk>
Source record: 148983

cj <cj@boi.hp.com> wrote:

>
>I too have been looking at either the TH-79A(D)H or the TH-G71A. I'm
>almost always somewhere near the fringe of repeater reception (lots of
>mountains to get in the way), so having higher power available is handy.
>What I would like to know is, on either one of these, is the max power
>available with a battery, or only if you use a car adapter? They seem
>to come with batteries which only allow lower output power.

I have TH-79(E) and the TM-V7. The TH-79 comes with 5W power when
using a high-voltage battery. It's listed in the parts list and the
manual.

>
>Also, I think I like the idea of dual receive (TH-79), but I like the
>idea of more memories on the TH-G71 too. In reality, the 82 memories
>(or whatever) on the TH-79 are probably more than enough though. Any
>thoughts on this? How many memories do most people use (I'm still used
>to my old Icom 02-AT, which only has 10, which is WAY too few...).
>

Works fine for me. I like the option of entering a name of the
channel. Can the TH-G71 do this.

>Also, as for dual receive, what's the main advantage of this feature?
>You can, obviously monitor both bands at once, which could be nice. I
>assume it's possible to transmit on one band and receive on the other
>(full duplex), can the TH-G71 do this?
>
>Kenwood also mentions something about being able to control a TM-V7A
>remotely via DTMF with the TH-G71. Why can't you do that with the TH-79?

According to the manuals, my TH-79 can remotely control the TM-V7.
Have never tried, but I can try it out for you.

6037. Ten-Ten Omni-D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Fielden <fielden@utkux.utcc.utk.edu>
Message-ID: <6fibeo$s1o$1@gaia.ns.utk.edu>
Source record: 148984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello All,

I seen somewhere that someone (sight on net) had the Kit to put the TT OmniD on 17 meter? Anyone know where this sight is or any place to get the kit to put this nice old rig on 17?

Any more know mods for it?

Thanks & 73

Jim -- KC4SMH
fielden@utkux.utcc.utk.edu

6038. YAESU FT-736R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032809023201.EAA09168@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148985

Hi, I have an excellent Yasu FT-736R for sale, very little use, non-contester, non smoker, I will ship CONUSA. Satisfaction guarenteed! Save if picked up, I am in Southeast CT. $1400.00 shipped! If interested please e-mail me direct. Thanks 73 LOU

6039. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351cbe8d.374180294@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148986

On 26 Mar 1998 21:51:07 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>>Gary Coffman wrote:
>>>K0HB@usa.net wrote:
>>>>Gary Coffman wrote
>
>Why don't you guys consider getting yourselves some hand tools and
>components, and build your own radios. You'd gain some valuable
>experience, save money, and wouldn't look like such appliance operators.
>
>Jeff

Well, of course, I am already operating a DSP receiver of my own design.
I've talked about it here at length several times. It is basically the same
concept as the one in the current April QST except that I use the Analog
Devices chipset rather than the Motorola chipset. Total cost was under
$120. And performance rivals any of the commercial rigs in everything
except dynamic range. That's due to codec limitations. The Motorola
chipset looks better in that regard, but wasn't available when I started
my project. My receiver does sport a robust QPSK demodulator which
isn't available in any of the commercial amateur radios at any price.

(And the companion transmitter is directly driven off the sound card
of the PC which generates the QPSK vectors in software. That's for
convenience, since the Viterbi coding is done on the PC anyway and
there was no need to invoke the power of the DSP chipset to do that.)

What have you built that exceeds the performance of available commercial
amateur equipment? I'll wager that it is nothing, just rehashes of the simpler
designs of the 30s. You really should try to move into the latter half of the
20th century, Jeff. There's little enough of it left. We have learned how to
do better than hand keyed MOPA designs in the last 60 years. Why haven't
you? As a mathematics instructor, I'd expect that the generator equations
should be child's play for you. Why haven't you implemented them? The
chipsets are available, and they are cheap. Old discrete component TV
sets are becoming rare. What'll you do when you're *forced* to use ICs?

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

6040. FS: Radio/Electronic Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032810350700.FAA12878@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148987

I have the following Radio, and electronic equipment for sale. Reasonable offers or trades for radio and Pentium computer EQ. will be considered. All working last time tested unless noted. Shipping is extra.
Thanks

• Tempo-1- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. Looks good and works well. 100W output. $200

. Siltronix 1011D excellent condition both in looks and operation. Scale of 1/10. I would rate 9.5. $225

. Swan 350 Transceiver with Power supply 80-10 meters. Looks good works well. $250.

. Swan 270B Transceiver has internal Power supply 80-10 meters. Looks good works well. $250

• Motorola VHF Remote All tube Model: PA8270J SER.NO: 8697. There is also a tone Signal and intercom control on front below speaker. This is the type that was used by police and fire dispatchers in the past. Don't know if it works. $50

• Heathkit HW 101, 80-10 meter transceiver. No Power supply. It is receiving, but don't not transmit. Not able to test. Looks are 7/10. As is $80.

• Hallicrafters Model S-108 SW Receiver with a calb. Ham band spread. Looks good works well.$75

• MFJ Rtty/CW Computer Interface Model MFJ-1224, used for copying code from the radio to your computer. $50

• Pearce Simpson, Guardian 23- All tube CB Transceiver/with mobil power cord and mounting bracket. Looks and works Good. $100

• Traynor, Group Two B- Audio Amp Head. High/ Low mic. in puts. Master volume, volume, bass, treble and tone shaper controls. $125

• Channel Master- Tube Stereo Receiver (Model 6612) and matching amp (Model 6601) Looks good and plays on FM. AM not working. $125

. AR Inc.- Stereo Amp, all solid state. $100

6041. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <351cd86d.380805583@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 28 Mar 1998 00:11:44 -0800, Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>I have been thinking about building a DSP radio. It could be built
>with five chips. The hard part would be the programming. I still
>am not as good as like at DSP programming. But that is the way the
>world is going. It software that is the future. Even in the EE
>programs, hardware is almost a thing of the past (except for chip
>design).

The chipset manufacturers offer applications books for their chipsets with example programming. My first cut at my DSP receiver simply used code lifted whole cloth from the Analog Devices application handbook. As you study the code examples, you can learn how to efficiently code your own algorithms, but you don't need to be able to do that to get started. There's also a good collection of sample code on the TAPR website, and comp.dsp is a goldmine of DSP programming tips and techniques. Don't be afraid to jump right in, you can have working code in very short order.

I'd suggest starting with one of the evaluation modules. It makes it easy to download and debug your code without worrying about hardware bugs. After you have code you like, you can commit it to eprom in your own hardware design if you want to minimize board real estate and cost, or the evaluation module can simply be built into your finished project.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

6042. Re: 144, 440, 900 dome ants

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ux1kbojW9GA.138@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148989

...bang, ya got me. ____=O

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com)

6043. Re: receiving SW freq higher than radio normally tunes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpw3@rigden.engr.sgi.com
Message-ID: <6fimhv$7f5gk@fido.asd.sgi.com>
Source record: 148990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.student,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Andrew M. Sarangan <sarangan@unm.edu> wrote:
+---------------
| >...simple way in which I can modify my receiver?
|
| It is theoretically possible to receive a signal, mix it with a local
| oscillator and downshift in frequency. But it is not something you can
| assemble in your kitchen for a couple of bucks.
+---------------

Indeed! And one of the nastiest of the problems is that the local oscillator and/or mixer section (if not constructed *very* carefully) may radiate the local oscillator frequency outside said kitchen into somebody *else's* receiver, thus interfering with *their* reception (something neither the FCC nor the FAA would take kindly to).

-Rob

p.s. Cheap pocket F.M. radios have local oscillators that, when the radio is tuned near the top of the F.M. band, can radiate smack dab in the middle of the aviation band, and in fact, perhaps right on the frequency of the ILS your plane is following! So when the flight attendant says, "We're starting our initial approach... all electronic equipment must be turned off"... please, do turn it all off.

Rob Warnock, 7L-551 rpw3@sgi.com http://reality.sgi.com/rpw3/
Silicon Graphics, Inc. Phone: 650-933-1673 [New area code!]
2011 N. Shoreline Blvd. FAX: 650-933-4392
Mountain View, CA 94043 PP-ASEL-IA

6044. Re: @@@ ICOM Canada Repair @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: joker@radiotelephone.net.ham
Message-ID: <351ce275.1819609@news.total.net>
Source record: 148991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 27 Mar 1998 18:46:09 -0800, "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
wrote:

>It varies throughout the year, currently 5 working days.

>Adnan, Icom America Service

hi. my radio is still not here. it's been a month now. i will
check the repair status (i hope my radio is not lost somewhere !!) (I
hope ICOM Canada's repair service is as good as ICOM America's).

Joli Gar&#65533;on (&#65533;galement connu comme M@S@)
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
&#65533;tudient @ Informatique et Math&#65533;matiques d'Universit&#65533; McGill
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URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/amateur/ (Radio)
http://www.geocities.com/~masataka/mcgill.htm (Universit&#65533; McGill)

Visit this excellent site
why code has no importance to the amateur radio today:
http://www.nocode.org
License Suggestion: http://www.radiotelephone.net/no-code/

Enlevez l' " .ham " pour r&#65533;pondre.
Please remove "ham" to reply.

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!

6045. Value question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob McKay <r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fipql$i9g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148992

Help please. What would be a fair price for an IC-EX106 FM board for
the IC-551d 6m rig?
Thanks,
Bob
--
KB4GNX
r.mckay-guyton@worldnet.att.net
rmckay@juno.com
The world of fact is often stranger than fiction....

6046. ICOM T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. Covey" <scott@scottcovey.com>
Message-ID: <6fipkiqve1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 148993

Anyone with one of these radios have any idea when the software / cable will be available from ICOM? I'm looking forward to using it to set Alpha characters in the display. I did just see the HP battery, which was not much larger, if at all, than the low power (2W) version.

Thanks

Scott

6047. ***WTB: DUPLEXOR IN THE UHF RANGE***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032812234901.HAA20726@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148994

I'm looking to buy several duplexors in good condition that will work in the 440-470 MHz UHF range. If you have any that you would want to sell e-mail to me the brand name, the model number, the number of cavities, the condition they are in, whether you can tune them to frequency, and price.

Wayne
KC7ILQ

6048. ****WTB: MOTOROLA MITREK UHF RADIOS***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032812250700.HAA20802@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148995

I'm looking for several Motorola Mitrek UHF radio's with the 450-470 band split.
The radios need to be in good working condition. High power units prefered although I could possiblly use a few T44's. Let me know the model number, condition, what accessories if any there would be, price, and your phone number so I can call you.

Thank You
Wayne
KC7ILQ

6049. Re: Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <news@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <jR+tkRAT2OH1Eww8@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 148996

In article <6ff32c$k77@login.ee>, Christopher W. Buckley
<cwbuckle@mtu.edu> writes
>I've been looking at alot of the micro HT's, the alinco ones in
>particular, which come in both a VHF and a UHF model. My question is
>this: Are these things worth the money? I mean, is 200-300mW going to be
>practical for everyday use? Am I going to be able to hit the LOCAL
>repeaters with these, from 2-4 miles away?

Only you can really answer this question. If you already have a HT, can
you comfortably access your local repeaters on low power in all the
areas where you are likely to operate?

Even being on the wrong side of the building in relation to the repeater
can have an adverse effect.

I have a VX1 and FT51. The local 2m and 70cms repeaters in West London
are on the same site 2.75 miles south of my house. I can get into the
repeaters using both radios on low power but access is not so good from
a north facing room.
--
Yves Remedios
To reply directly to me, replace "s" in the address with "z"

6050. Re: FT-847'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <news@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <uRuukZAT5OH1EwRr@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 148997

In article <351C8B04.5CD65EBB@ix.netcom.com>, steven hershman
<hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes
>Please give a detailed report as you get more familiar with the Radio. All
>the readers of
>this group appreciate your candor.
> 73's Steve NS1R

I thought you planned to buy one Steve!
--
Yves Remedios
To reply directly to me, replace "s" in the address with "z"

6051. Re: Kenwood TH-79A or TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: lonbill2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980328132228O1.IAA22521@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148998

Joe, I have in My ham family 8 different HTs and brands,
(Yaseu,Kenwood,ICOM,Alinco,and SANTEC.) and different models including a
Kenwood 79A.
When I get a radio to use, I get the ICOM.
I'm going to get rid of the 79.
KC4VBZ@AOL.com John

sky

6052. Re: Question on Alpha 76 tube substitute

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD EM84ak" <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <351CFDA7.6FDE@stc.net>
Source record: 148999

3cx400a7 is the same thing by Svetlana. Still a litle pricy. I think
about $300.00 each.
Contact
Dick Byrd <n4uq@mindspring.com> he does mods on Alpha's and if
anyone would know Dick would know.

73's
Bob
WB5APD

N4WFK wrote:
>
> I would like to here from anyone who has successfully changed over an Alpha
> 76 from the 8874's to another tube compliment. I have a 3 hole 76, and am
> considering making a change to it. I seem to recall a person who had a web
> page covering the procedure.
> Thanks in advance.
>
> John, N4WFK

--
73's
Robert E. Dodson
wb5apd@stc.net
WB5APD/EM84

6053. F.S. Alinco DJ 580T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: msgsports@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032814565001.JAA03237@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149000

Hi

I have for sale a mint condition HT Dual Band HT. Also operates out of band.
1- 12 volt batt
2- 7.2 volt batt
1- wall charger
1- 12 volt car adapter

Asking $350.00 for all or will trade for Kenwood Receiver. (General Coverage Receiver).
Thank You All

6054. Re: Under $500 HF XCVRs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana@source.net
Message-ID: <6fj4gi$6pn$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149001

In article <6feikb$ki3@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
> Greg Dean <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
> >Gary Coffman wrote:
> >>K0HB@usa.net wrote:
> >>>Gary Coffman wrote
>
> Why don't you guys consider getting yourselves some hand tools and
> components, and build your own radios. You'd gain some valuable
> experience, save money, and wouldn't look like such appliance operators.

Heavens, Jeff, I can't believe you wrote that. Perhaps you've missed
where Gary has described his experiments with DSP receivers.

Dana K6JQ
Dana@Source.Net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

6055. Icom IC-Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@revnetx.net
Message-ID: <6fj7d2$94k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149002

Does anyone have comments good or bad on the Icom IC-Z1A. Does the removable front work OK. Seems strange it didn't stay on the market very long so I thought it might have problems. Any help appreciated.

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6056. ZL-Special for 70 cm measurements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Henk Otten <H.A.A.Otten@pth.nl>
Message-ID: <6fj5hb$lou@tuegate.tue.nl>
Source record: 149003

Does anyone know if there is a design for Judd's antenna ZL-Special for 70 cm's?
Please send me an answer by e-mail or use this packet of a friend:
PA0MUN@pi8zaa #.nbo.nld.eu

Thanks ahead 73{s.

6057. Kenwood TS-670 Quadbander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Webmaster Daniel <lotsacache@usinternet.com>
Message-ID: <351ecc00.0@199.103.243.32>
Source record: 148757

Wanted. Kenwood TS-670 Quad Band Radio.

Will pay top dollar.

Please Email.

lotsacache@usinternet.com

6058. Re: Radio Shack DAUL BAND MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <me_hamman@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <351edab3.0@news.snip.net>
Source record: 148758
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Michael wrote in message <351ec92d.0@news.snip.net>...
>Yes that's right the forbidden radio. I have a friend that has a few
>of these BRAND NEW IN THE BOX for $150.
>I'M LOOKING FOR THE MODIFICATION that caused Tandy to pull them from the
shelves

>I'm sorry for the confusion the HTX 204 is a HANDHELD.

6059. FS: YAESU FT-900CAT HF TRANSCEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claude Le Duc <ve7zzx@rogers.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <6fmm5ocjn1@news.bc>
Source record: 148759

FT-900CAT
HF TRANSCEIVER
With Collins Filters and Antenna Tuner
100 Watts/CW Keyer built-in/SWR,ALC,Power meters
Excellent for mobile operation

Mint Condition, in box with manual and MH-31 Microphone

With separation cable for mobile operation...

Shipped ground anywhere in North America when money received by vendor from purchaser...

Price: $950.00 US

6060. FS: KENWOOD TS-60 50MHZ ALL MODE TRANSCEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claude Le Duc <ve7zzx@rogers.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <6fmm89$ck3$1@news.bc>
Source record: 148760

TS-60
6 M TRANSCEIVER
90 Watts
Excellent for mobile operation or VHF contesting

Mint Condition, in box with manual and Microphone

Shipped ground anywhere in North America when money received by vendor from purchaser...

Price: $600 US

6061. Re: F.S cpi 2000/base console/desk mic. on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032923530801.SAA15642@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148761

>The item that we have up for auction is a CPI 2000 base with BC2000 base
>console and CPI desk microphone.

>Many agree that this is the best sounding unit ever
>made. The base has an 80 channel kit installed.

>Great skip radio! The base console has a frequency counter,

AWRIGHT! Mo' cool CB gear for sale posted to "re.radio.AMATEUR. equipment!"

K&#65533;MB

6062. WTB:Manual for Kenwood TS-530S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <kilroy@SPAMPROOFfuse.netSPAMPROOF>
Message-ID: <351EEAB4.B8F21D06@SPAMPROOFfuse.netSPAMPROOF>
Source record: 148762

Want to buy owner's manual for Kenwood TS-530S.
Please respond to:
k i l r o y @ f u s e . n e t

(remove the spaces to email me)

6063. Need Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wizardks <wizardks@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <351EEF61.6E3F0D9@midusa.net>
Source record: 148763

A friend came back from a Ham fest in KC. He brought with him an odd radio. Odd because I never would have suspected that Sears had ever sold ham 2 meter. Any info on this radio would be appreciated. Who manufactured it. Approx. years that sears sold them etc.

Thank you.
DE KG0PB EM18ET

6064. Re: FS: Motorola HT-220 UHF $200.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Sanders <gsanders@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fmtnc$j0n$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 148764

This is a joke, right?

I guess I should have bought all those at the Orlando Hamfest
a couple weeks ago for 5 bucks each! Look at all the money
I could have made!!!!

Gary

Steve Bissell wrote:
>
> A Motorola HT-220 UHF
> H33FFN3170E
> 5 Watt, 4 ch, Rapid Charger
> $200 or Best Offer

--

Gary Sanders

Bait for spammers (With credit to E. Needham):
root@localhost
postmaster@localhost
admin@localhost
abuse@localhost
postmaster@127.0.0.1

6065. Yaesu FT 50 double beeping?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Fongemie <fongemie@mountainguidesalliance.com>
Message-ID: <351ede57.0@news.neis.net>
Source record: 148765

I just bought a Yaesu FT 50 and I'm trying to figure it out (I'm new to Ham Radio). My question is when scanning in VFO mode, manual states it will double beep at band edges, but it double beeps at every squelch opening. Really annoying. Any ideas in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

--
Jeff Fongemie

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AMGA Certified Mountain Guide

6066. Updates: Kenwood TS-570 "G" Model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Anderson" <wa6khh@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <6fn08t$8cl@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148766

Does anyone have any details concerning the new version of the TS-570 HF transceiver (billed as the "G" model)? I understand that it is mainly a DSP upgrade, but I have no details (Kenwood isn't talking, yet). A DSP fix would be nice as I'm not very happy with this radio's DSP / filter performance.

Dave WA6KHH
wa6khh@qsl.net

6067. PickUp Truck Antenna Mount

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Curtis <info@geotool.com>
Message-ID: <351F1568.7702@geotool.com>
Source record: 148767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Need a STRONG antenna mount that will fit in the stake hole on your late model Chevy, GMC, or Ford Full Size Pickup Truck? Check out our web site at
http://www.geotool.com/antmount.htm

Thanks,
Rick

6068. Alinco DX-70 Audio Distortion Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Curtis <info@geotool.com>
Message-ID: <351F16F9.711F@geotool.com>
Source record: 148768

Howdy,

Just wondered if anyone else has problems with receive audio distortion on the DX-70 small size HF portable xcvr. I get it most on 80 meters ssb, when I turn the audio gain past about 10 o'clock. Alinco said it is coming from the output amplifier circuit, but I pick it up a couple of stages ahead of that from the low level amplifier that sends audio to the microphone terminal. Just as distorted, so it must be coming from ahead of that.

The rig is a complete b&*%$#@ to work on since the main board is double sided. So, I just wondered if anyone has the same problem, and if anyone has heard of a fix.

rick@geotool.com

Cheers,
Rick Curtis
WA6JKH

6069. Kenwood TH G71 HT MODS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.Fraley" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <351F2E88.68B8460@planetc.com>
Source record: 148769

ANYONE got any MODS for the Kenwood TH G71 H.T.?If so PLEASE let me know!

THANKS! ROD KE4NWI

6070. RE: JRC radio modification???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@mvp.net
Message-ID: <351ea3b7.142507239@news.mvp.net>
Source record: 148770

>A fellow ham friend of mine has a JRC Model JST-245 Transceiver. He would like to extend the transmitter output frequencies to be able to drive transverters.
>Since he doesn't have online capabilities I thought I would see what I could find for him. Checking the "ftp mod" sites resulted nothing.

>Does anybody have this info or know where to get it? Please e-mail or post.

>Mny Tnx es 73's
>Ken
>KK4BH

Someone posted this info a while back and it seems to work:

To enable the tx for total frequency coverage push the 50MHz button during power on and wait until you hear 3 beeps, then 3 beeps again. This will take several seconds. Then turn off the rig and power back on normally. Repeat these steps to reverse the process.

I leave my rig in the "standard" mode since I don't want to have any "accidents."

73
Fred, WA0US

6071. Search modific about Kenwood UBZ-LF68

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Damiano <damianog@trivenet.it>
Message-ID: <6flbn7$nf3$1@server-b.cs.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 148771

Someone can help me?

6072. FS: Motorola HT-220 UHF $200.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Bissell <swb1@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5b16$803afec0$51431ed1@swb1.flash.net>
Source record: 148805

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A Motorola HT-220 UHF
H33FFN3170E
5 Watt, 4 ch, Rapid Charger
$200 or Best Offer
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6073. radio flea market listings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19@nospam.idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19-2903980841360001@dap-132-66.pgh.sgi.net>
Source record: 148806

It's warm all over the country. So you know that means it's hamfest time.

For a user-friendly and easy to read hamfest listing, check out
http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/fest/what.html

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Get into the radio hobbies!
http://www.n-lemma.com/FBOM
n9vjg@n-lemma.com

6074. FS: RCA WR-50B Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Bissell <swb1@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5b17$35cacae0$51431ed1@swb1.flash.net>
Source record: 148807

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85KC to 45MC with 10.7 & 455 Sweep
Lots of Output
Make Offer
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6075. FS: rs htx 212

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5b18$84ba8180$34f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 148808

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i have a like new radio shack htx 212 45 watt mobile...never mobile\
with mic,manual ,power cord,box, mobile mount..
price 150.00 including shipping
might do some swapping on older hf, swl receiver etc
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net
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6076. hf rigs f/s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon <moos318@in-motion.net>
Message-ID: <351E8B74.980@in-motion.net>
Source record: 148809

I have for sale a kenwood ts-430s with yk88c 500hz cw filter installed. Good cosmetic and electrical condition. Also have hand mic, power cord, box and manual. $550.00 Shipped. Second rig is an Icom ic-725, comes with hm-12 hand mic, power cord, and manual. $525.00 Shipped. This rig is also in good cosmetic and electrical condition. If interesed, please reply via e-mail at moos318@in-motion.net, or phone at 765-482-5644.
Thanks
Leon KG9KH

6077. Icom IC-W32A dual band HT new with accessories.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <HmtT.4$7S5.91895@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 148810

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with a
CP-12L cigarette lighter power adapter, HM-46 microphone, BP-180 battery and
instruction manual. Here are some specs:
true dual band receive V/V, V/U or U/U
crossband repeater mode
receives from 118 to 174 and 400 to 470 normally
receive range can be expanded by a simple keypad sequence
I get cellular images perfectly from 600 to 999.995 mhz
200 alphanumeric 8 character memories
backlighted keypad
full CTCSS transmit and receive and scan to identify while receiving
can be programmed by computer, software included
transmit frequency range expandable by a simple hardware mod
5 watts output with 12 volts D.C. or BP-173 battery
3.5 watts output with included BP-180 battery
power saver mode and auto power off function
tone scan, tone squelch and pocket beep operation
dtmf memory
auto repeater function

A check of HRO puts the price at over $400. with the included accessories.
I will let it go for the best offer over $300. U.S. shipping included by
airmail. I cannot ship c.o.d. from Canada to the U.S., other arrangements
can be made.

Still on warranty for one year, this is new equipment.
If interested, contact me by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

6078. connector for TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sz@prairienet.org
Message-ID: <6flpdlauo1@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>
Source record: 148811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Does anyone have an idea where I might obtain a connector to fit the mic jack on a Kenwood TR-7950 2-meter FM transceiver? I'd like to use it on packet.

It's an unusual 6-pin connector.

73, Zack W9SZ

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6079. IC-756 X CT-17

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrayol@netium.com.br
Message-ID: <6flpjh$9dj$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148812

Dear Friend.

I am try to put the Icom 756 work with computer, but I dont have response from radio.
I have a valid comport (work well with tnc,modem etc) and CT-17 Icom controller.
All configurations are correct, but the radio still no responding.
Any help, comment is welcome.

pp8kwa@qsl.net
pp8kwa@usa.net

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6080. Re: FS:Kenwood UT-50 6 meter module has been sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8htv@flash.net
Message-ID: <6flqctpb1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 148813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

In article , n8htv@flash.net wrote:
>6 meter module for TM 741 or TM 742, 50 watts, with box and hardware (no
>paperwork)
>
> $200.00 shipped con US via UPS ground
>
> Call (810)445-8175 or emial : n8htv@flash.net

6081. Kenwood Visual Communicator question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Timmers <john_timmers@mindlink.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <351E6FB9.8796176F@mindlink.bc.ca>
Source record: 148814

On the back cover of CQ VHF magazine I just rec'd in mail, advert for the VC-H1, which appears to be a image scan converter, which in the picture, is connected to a Kenwood TH-G71A handheld. This caught my eye (like all good advertising should ;-) and I was wondering if anyone has had to opportunity to play with this combination, and would care to share their thoughts about it.

Also, any recommendations from the Kenwood handheld featured in the ad?
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Regards

mailto:john_timmers@mindlink.bc.ca Amateur Radio: VE7JBT
Selfish Website http://mindlink.bc.ca/john_timmers

6082. FS "parts" KWS-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6flodh$grj@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 148815

4 sale parts KWS-1 , the things its has: escutheon, winged emblem, pto, The front panel is complete less (one) knob. Great for restoration if you need a front panel. RF deck gone, case gone,there are alot of parts still available, but not sure on the missing parts. $175.00 plus shipping Leo PH/FAX (310) 670-6969.....

6083. Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8rajerry@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032916143100.LAA06632@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148816

Yaesu VX-1 miniature handheld. Dual Band and as new. About 6 months old. It runs 500 milliwatts. With box and manual.

Note...this thing is mint.

Shipped for $240.

Jerry K8RA 614-764-5872
Powell, Ohio

6084. FS/L.L. Grace DSP-12 "Sat" TNC! Work the Sats!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Yost <dyost@marketing-support.com>
Message-ID: <351E716E.6272@marketing-support.com>
Source record: 148817

Hi,

FOR SALE: For ham radio enthusiasts, this is the "ultimate" TNC. Hook this up to your rig (even a handie-talkie!) and your IBM-compatible computer and you can easily connect to your favorite local land-based packet radio stations. But this TNC can also let you do a whole lot more--including experiencing the thrill of communicating with any of the many amateur radio satellites, certain (ham operator on-board) Space Shuttle Missions, even Russia's MIR
space station!

The DSP-12 replaces the traditional analog modems of cheap TNCs with a Digital Signal Processor (DSP) CPU! It's fully programmable.
Handles the specialized packet protocols of WEFAX, RTTY, ACARS, plus the OSCAR (Orbiting Satellites Carrying Amateur Radio) satellites. Works
with
HF Packet, RTTY, and ASCII; VHF/UHF packet; plus the capabilities you need to work the satellites: 400-bps PSK, 1200-bps PSK, 9600-bps direct FSK--plus six PSK speeds from 75-1200-bps. And since it has a computer CPU, it can be programmed with software upgrades to handle new technologies/protocols as they're introduced.

This immaculate unit cost me over $700 new. Comes with a very thorough manual--plus Satellite Tracking software (Looks better than NASA's on-screen), plus cable to connect to your computer's serial port, and TNC software. For best offer over $350, I'll include a power supply unit and books on satellite communications to get you going.

To view, visit:
http://www.marketing-support.com/tnc4sats.jpg
http://www.marketing-support.com/t-front.jpg
http://www.marketing-support.com/rearview.jpg
http://www.marketing-support.com/upprview.jpg
http://www.marketing-support.com/topview.jpg

Thanks for looking!

Dale Yost
dyost@marketing-support.com

6085. Drake B-line $395

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Ostroy <dao@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <6flsum$cr@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Complete Drake B-Line

T-4XB, R-4B, AC-4 Power Supply, and MS-4 speaker.

In excellent condition. Both rx and tx cover 80/40/20/15/10 meters.
RX also has crystals for 160, 30, 18, 12, and 10CW, for transceive operation.

Tubes are not new but tx puts out full power on 80 to 15,
slightly less on 10. Will throw in a spare set of finals.
Recently (1996) replaced the high voltage capacitors in the AC-4 supply.

I am the second owner (since 1978) and the rig has only been lightly used.
No contesting. Cosmetically it is very clean (non-smoker) and includes
original manuals.

Best offer over $395.

Dan Ostroy K2UL
packet k2ul @ k2ul.#snj.nj.usa (good)
email k2ul @ juno.com (better)
phone 609 890-9266 7-10pm EST (best)

Do Not auto-reply to the anti-spam address in the message header.

6086. Anyone know how to interface a HAL ST-5000 (ST-5?) with a PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f88465d53bdfa5c9896bd@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 148819

I have one of these terminal units stored away in my shed- will dig it out if I get an answer. The RTTY performance of my MFJ-1278 is dismal at best. Perhaps it's not even feasible, but I'd like to dig out my old HAL and hook it back up to see if it's really the MFJ-1278 or if it's me that is now having trouble decodeing RTTY these days. I remember it being much easier to locate and watch press feeds that it was 15-20 years ago. Or are they all pretty much encrypted now? Thanks for any replies that may put me on the right track- 73, -Web

6087. ****WTB: UHF DUPLEXOR 440-470 MHz RANGE***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032917192601.MAA19128@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148820

I'm looking to buy several duplexors in good condition that will work in the 440-470 MHz UHF range. If you have any that you would want to sell e-mail to me the brand name, the model number, the number of cavities, the condition they are in, whether you can tune them to frequency, and price.

Wayne
KC7ILQ

6088. Antique Radios & Test Equipment 4 Sale Real CHEAP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean <deanntx@e-tex.com>
Message-ID: <351E9318.DDAF8FC1@e-tex.com>
Source record: 148821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello everyone!

I have just got through adding a lot more antique radios to the site. All of them have pictures now, so there is no mestique as to what they look like. I have also added a few Test Equipment items as well. Remember, these radios are offered as is with no warranty or guarantee if they work or not. Some are missing knobs, cases, power cords, microphones or whatever. I have priced these radios and such very VERY CHEAP!
These radios are for the collectors out there that want to rebuild, restore or just to tinker with some of the older equipment, and as you will see, they are priced to sell.
We have already sold quite a lot of these old radios to a lot of you out there, so make sure you check the list out again, for it has some interesting stuff on it as well.
I want to also add that there is a new REGISTERED room on the IRC that you can chat with other people with the same interests as you, RADIOS! I know a lot of the hams out there do not like to associate with CB'ers and vice versa, but hey, we all started with that junky old CB that is long gone now.
The name of the room is #CB_Radio, and it is located on the Undernet group of servers.
It is up 7 days a week, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year now. If you are just lurking, or want to buy, sell, trade, swap, wish for or whatever your need be, this Chat Room will be a good place to start. Don't let the name of the room fool you, for it is for everyone that has an interest in some kind of radio communication.
Again, the name of the room is "#CB_Radio", and is located on the Undernet group of servers. If you need software to access the IRC, you can get the latest copy of "mIRC" on our website.
If you would like to take a look at some of the Antique Radios that we have, click or go to the URL below.

http://www.e-tex.com/cbcity

Thanks for taking the time to read this entire message. I hope that I did not offend many of you. I am not out to try and make a killing with all this, in fact I am probably taking a loss, for I am sure these radios cost us a lot more than what we are selling them for.

73's

Dean
http://www.e-tex.com/cbcity

6089. *****WTB: UHF MOTOROLA MITREK RADIOS****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032917202400.MAA16355@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148822

I'm looking for several Motorola Mitrek UHF radio's with the 450-470 band split.
The radios need to be in good working condition. High power units prefered although I could possiblly use a few T44's. Let me know the model number, condition, what accessories if any there would be, price, and your phone number so I can call you.

Thank You
Wayne
KC7ILQ

6090. WTB CPI WM 1000 Watt Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.B. Hansford" <dbh@sb.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5b3b$bb89a4c0$1ff333cf@default>
Source record: 148823

If you have one for sale, please quote condition & price.
73's, DBH

6091. Re: Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. Covey" <scott@scottcovey.com>
Message-ID: <6fm32d$ag1$1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 148824

HRO sells for $259 + tax
K8raJerry wrote in message
<19980329161431100.LAA06632@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Yaesu VX-1 miniature handheld. Dual Band and as new. About 6 months old.
It
>runs 500 milliwatts. With box and manual.
>
>Note...this thing is mint.
>
>Shipped for $240.
>
>Jerry K8RA 614-764-5872
>Powell, Ohio

6092. Johnson Thunderbolt.....Excellent

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: usborax@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032918161500.NAA27454@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148825

Johnson Thunderbolt linear..... in excellent condition.....$600

Email me here at USBORAX@AOL.COM

6093. FS: Speaker mics.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Iacono <miacono@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351E8F51.D23F31C7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148826
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iCOM HM-75A speaker mic. new in box $69.
ADI SPM-300 speaker mic. new in box $29.

Or best offer

Mike

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6094. For Sale: Yaesu FT-11R/HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: weather@xnet.com
Message-ID: <351e8cd3.140750952@flood.xnet.com>
Source record: 148827

Thank you for reading,

I have a literally new FT-11R/HP deluxe 5 watt 2m handheld, 150 Memories, Backlit keypad, CTCSS Encode, 10 autodial memories, plastic still on the display, MINT condition, all documents and manuals, charger stand and cord. It is PC programmable with optional ADMS software, I have charged the battery twice, I would like to get the dual band version instead. Asking $229 (shipped in the USA)

money order preferred for fastest shipment. Please contact me via Email or contact me at 630-356-2232 (voice mail, since I work most days and evening hours, I can return your call.

Ron N9QGS
Streamwood, IL USA

6095. Estate sale TR-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicwhite@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032918463500.NAA01848@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148828

Estate sale of Silent Key: Complete TR-7 Station including TR-7 Transceiver serial #4815, PS-7 Power Supply, RV-7 Ext. VFO Serial #963, MN2700 Tuner serial #589, D-104 Mike, Tec Tec Ultramatic Keyer, 1 KW (Dry) Dummy Load, and Drake L-7 Linear, serial #2678 with power supply. Both power supplies VERY heavy. Station not used for over a year but was working at that time. TR-7 tested 3/28 and was working fine.

All for $1,750.00 plus shipping from Denton, Texas.

Willing to sale the L-7 Linear separately for $1,000.00 plus shipping.

Also complete HAL 3100 RTTY system w/kb, monitor, etc. $150.00 plus shipping.

Contact Vic via email if you are interested at

VicWhite@aol.com

VicWhite@aol.com

6096. WTB: HS-18 headphones (ANDRE read)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: duckman_osu@ionet.net
Message-ID: <351e9b9e.18187561@news.ionet.net>
Source record: 148829
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,alt.military.collecting

Wanting to buy a set of HS-18 headphones in good shape.
E-mail me condition and price. Thanks!

Dewayne Moore, WB5BNQ
duckman_osu@ionet.net
Check out my AN/ARC-5 site at:
http://www.ionet.net/~duckman_osu/

(Andre, if you read this, please resend your e-mail message to
me...I'm sorry, I accidently deleted it while trying to send a reply.
<stupid grin> I am very interested in your phones!)

6097. FS Kenwood Spkr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <351E96AE.1BE7@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 148830

Kenwood SP520 speaker, good shape, $30.00 plus postage.

6098. FS MFJ CW Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <351E9770.29FA@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 148831

MFJ CW Filter, Model CWF2 - $25.00 plus postage. Good shape.

6099. Re: Ameritron AL-811H Amplifier SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lichtenhan <david-lichtenhan@home.com>
Message-ID: <6fm81e$rt7$1@ha2.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 148832

Thanks everyone...this item is SOLD

Dave ... K6DAV

David Lichtenhan wrote in message <6fk1rdakh1@ha2.rdc1.sfba.home.com>...
>FS: Ameritron AL-811 H Amplifier (4 - 811a Tubes)
> 800 Watts PEP Output on 160 thur 10 meters
>
> I am original owner, purchased Jan 1993. Has about 20 hours in
>standby and about 2 hours talk time.
>
> Asking $450.00
>
> Prefer pickup (Fremont, CA) but will ship at buyer's expense.
>
> Home Phone 510-490-5330
>
>Thanks and 73
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>
>Dave
>
>K6DAV
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>

6100. Re: connector for TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <351EA3D3.4B04@onramp.net>
Source record: 148833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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Zack Widup wrote:
>
> Does anyone have an idea where I might obtain a connector to fit the mic
> jack on a Kenwood TR-7950 2-meter FM transceiver? I'd like to use it on
> packet.
>
> It's an unusual 6-pin connector.
>
> 73, Zack W9SZ
>
> --

Radio Shack did sell them.
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid
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6101. *****WTB: Power Supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032920040100.PAA10164@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148834

I'm looking for a couple of power supplies. I need one in the 50 amp(continus output) range and two in the 20 to 30 amp range. They need to be in good working condition with the necessary filtering to be used with ham radios. Let me know the brand, model, continous output levels, condition, and price

6102. FS FT-920 HF +6M All-Mode Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankf1056@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032920250001.PAA16233@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148835

Excellent condition.
asking $1500 + shipping
frank farwell KB0ZFN

FT-920 HF All-Mode Transceiver. The
FT-920 is a competition grade HF / 6-Meter transceiver for cutting edge technology that separates Yaesu, the world leader in amateur radio from the rest of the pack.

The FT-920 includes High Performance 33 MIPS* Digital Signal Processing (DSP), for razor-sharp selectivity, increased average power output, and voice pattern contour choices; automatic seeking DSP Notch filter and Noise Reduction.

Additional features include a high-speed antenna tuner for RX and TX; user-friendly DSP Bandwidth controls for enhanced interference reduction and exclusive Shuttle Jog tuning controls for fine or rapid tuning.
The new FT-920

Features

HF + 50 MHz with 100 Watts Output on all Bands
High Performance 33 MIPS* Digital Signal Processing (DSP) in all Modes with one touch control
New Design MOSFET PA Finals
Built-in High Speed Auto Antenna Tuner including 50 MHz (Antenna Tuner works on both RX & TX)
Auto Notch/Noise Reduction Control
Omni-Glow Dual Display with Twin VFO Knobs
Simplified Tuning with Shuttle Jog Control
Digital Voice Memory System
Separate FET RF Amplifier for High & Low Bands
Quick Memory Bank (QMB) Instant Frequency Memory System
High Resolution DDS Tuning
Built-in Electronic Keyer (Message Memory Keyer)
Built-in RS-232C Level Converter
And more !
* Million Instructions Per Second

6103. Wanted TR-7950/7030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Kelly <kkelly@radix.net>
Message-ID: <351EB206.34868BE2@radix.net>
Source record: 148836

Greetings:

Looking for either a TR-7950 or TR-7930. Does not have to be functional.
Please contact me at my email address below. Thanks

73,
Kevin Kelly/N6QAB
kkelly@radix.net

6104. FS 2M Repeater System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Kelly <kkelly@radix.net>
Message-ID: <351EB2DD.C028A5A7@radix.net>
Source record: 148837

Greetings:
I have a complete 2 meter repeater system for sale. The system consists of Midland LMR commercial Exciter (5 W adjustable), RX, and matching 150 W (continuous)Power Amp. System also includes a CAT 300DX Controller, Digital Voice Recorder, Computer Interface, TS-32P tone board. The duplexer consists of 6 Phelps Dodge band/pass band/reject cavities. Complete technical manuals for the radio system, controller, and duplexer. The system is in use on 145.130 in Lusby, MD. It works great, I'm just getting out of the repeater facet of Ham Radio. The price is $1,500.00 firm. I wish to sell the system as a package and do not wish to piece it out. Drop me a line at my email address and I will send you detailed info complete with pics. No trades please. Shipping cost in excess of sale price.

73,
Kevin Kelly/N6QAB
kkelly@radix.net

6105. FS: Op Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rskeeter <rskeeter@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <351e7c30.0@news.qnet.com>
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6106. Motorola MaxTrac Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <Midwestaudio@trader.com>
Message-ID: <351edcd9.0@tcnntp.tcon.net>
Source record: 148839

I Have a Motorola MaxTrac radio and a Motorola radio interface box and cables but i don't know how to program this radio

1. Do I need software

2. How can I find it

Please help

6107. F.S cpi 2000/base console/desk mic. on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: robbie <robnjuli@netins.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5b5a$aa054be0$970b8ea7@robnjuli.netins.net>
Source record: 148840

The item that we have up for auction is a CPI 2000 base with BC2000 base console and CPI desk microphone. These items were made in the U.S.A. sometime around 1978. Many agree that this is the best sounding unit ever made. The base has an 80 channel kit installed. Standard white cabinet. Completely checked for bugs in February of '98. Works great on AM and SSB! Great skip radio! The base console has a frequency counter, six digit 12/24 hr. clock, antenna switch and receiver pre-amp. Included with this radio console is the original CPI desk mike. Very nice condition! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email me.please check out on ebay.

6108. Kenwood UT-50 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8htv@flash.net
Message-ID: <6fmf0p$c4i$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 148841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

Thanks to all who replied

6109. Fix to broken Icom IC725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sven, Maria, Anton och/eller Johan Wijk" <wijk@ebox.tninet.se>
Message-ID: <351EC196.76BAA2E4@ebox.tninet.se>
Source record: 148842

My Icom IC725 broke last weekend. The receiver got totaly silent. I think the transmitter is OK, but I haven't verified it. I talked with the service firm, but thier pricing got me in to trying to fix it myself

After many measurements and tests I finaly found out that I could get the reciever going by short circuiting the the collector and emitor of the Q5 transistor. This disables the transmitter though. I will have to find a replacement for the broken Q5 in order to get everything OK.

I hope this can make the testing faster for anyone with similar problems.

Use at your own risk :-)

Sven, SM5PXK

6110. Did I learn my math right ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE2JPT@RAC.CA
Message-ID: <19980329165248166036@trois72.netrover.com>
Source record: 148843

I currently use a 9.6 volts/600mA battery on my FT-50. With this battery, I can get 5, 2.5, 1 and 0,1 watts. With a 7.2 volts battery, I can get 2.5, 1 and 0.1 watts.

If I learned math right, my 9.6 volts/600mA battery will produce 5.76 watts of power. If I get a 7.2 volts/800 mA battery it should provide me with the same amount of energy. Am I still on the right track here ?

If so, buying a 9.6 volts/1200 mA batteru should give me just about the same "range" as a 7,2 volts/ 1600 mA battery.

Do I need to go back to junior high ?

I'm asking this as I want to get a second battery. Large 9.6 volts batteries are hard to come by while large 7.2 volts one are fairly easy to get. Since only the 9.6 will give me 5 watts out of the HT, I would really prefer to get a 9.6 volts battery. And if I get the same milage than a larger 7.2 volts battery I figure it'll even easier to justify the cost to my finance minister ;-))

Stay safe !

73 de VE2JPT

Jean-Pierre

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Jean-Pierre Magnan
Firefighter
VE2 JPT
Notre-Dame-du-Mont-Carmel FD, Quï¿½bec, Canada G0X 3J0
email: VE2JPT@RAC.CA

The opinions expressed above are mine, all mine.
But I love to share them 8-)

6111. Kenwood TM-V7 mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032921504701.QAA29189@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148844

Does antone have a way to get the radio to beyond 470 mhz ?

Rob

6112. TEN TEC 6 meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Perry <w7av@wolfenet.com>
Message-ID: <351EC8B2.33F3@wolfenet.com>
Source record: 148845

I posted a request several weeks ago regarding the TEN-TEC 1260 6 meter kit. I had difficulty with it and wanted comments. I got a number of responses. The bottom line was that it is a good radio and most likely I had constructed it improperly. So, I'll need to pay more attention to detail in the future and it is a good product. Thanks to all who gave me their comments.

Rick, W7AV

6113. FS: Radio Shack DAUL BAND MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <me_hamman@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <351ec92d.0@news.snip.net>
Source record: 148846
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Yes that's right the forbidden radio. I have a friend that has a few
of these BRAND NEW IN THE BOX for $150.
I'M LOOKING FOR THE MODIFICATION that caused Tandy to pull them from the
shelves before the radio even made it into the catalog.
I can put anyone interested in purchasing one in touch with my friend.

Thanks
Michael

6114. Re: FS: Kenwood TS 530S SOLD SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <351EC44E.4DD9@iglobal.net>
Source record: 148847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

kc5mdm@iglobal.net wrote:
>
> Unit is sold Thanks

6115. Re: Did I learn my math right ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <351EC90C.48A47FBA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148848

Jean-Pierre,

The battery ratings are in volts and capacity in mAh (milliampere-hours). The power is determined by the current drain in mA, not the capacity in mAh. Typically a lower battery voltage will also result in lower current drain, too.

So a 1200 mAh, 9.6 volt battery will basically provide the same power as a 600 mAh, 9.6 volt battery -- but roughly for twice as long (Twice the energy capacity, but not twice the power)

The fat FT-50 battery is MORE than a handful; so I have two of the smaller 9.6 volt batteries.

According to my manual the available batteries are as follows:

FNB-40: 6.0 V, 650 mAh (2.5 W max)
FNB-41: 9.6 V, 600 mAh (5.0 W max)
FNB-42: 9.6 V, 1100 mAh (5.0 W max) <--- Fat Boy
FNB-49: 6.0 V, 600 mAh (2.5 W max)

I've never seen any 7.2 volt battery for the FT-50; so maybe the one you mentioned is 3rd party.

Phil

Jean-Pierre Magnan wrote:
>
> I currently use a 9.6 volts/600mA battery on my FT-50. With this
> battery, I can get 5, 2.5, 1 and 0,1 watts. With a 7.2 volts battery, I
> can get 2.5, 1 and 0.1 watts.
>
> If I learned math right, my 9.6 volts/600mA battery will produce 5.76
> watts of power. If I get a 7.2 volts/800 mA battery it should provide me
> with the same amount of energy. Am I still on the right track here ?
>
> If so, buying a 9.6 volts/1200 mA batteru should give me just about the
> same "range" as a 7,2 volts/ 1600 mA battery.
>

6116. FS: FT-3000M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: niels <niels@blast.net>
Message-ID: <EqLpIo.MoD@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 148849

FOR SALE:

YAESU FT-3000M IN MINT CONDITION WITH THE OPTIONAL DECODE UNIT. I HAVE ALL
THE BOXES AND THE
MANUALS.

ASKING $ 335.00 PLUS SHIPPING

EMAIL RHOYVALD@CHUBB.COM
73'S KB2UWJ

6117. Anyone with Midland CT 79 VHF/UHF Dual Band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Amorim <jma@soldigit.net>
Message-ID: <6fmhqq$63h$1@duke.telepac.pt>
Source record: 148850

I've made a reset on my CT 79, and now I've lost the frequencies besides 144.000-147.000 and 430.000-439.000.

Anyone knows the keypad mod to allow the all freqs again?

Best regards,
Jorge Amorim

6118. FS: KENWOOD TS830S STATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3nrz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032922473001.RAA08027@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148851

for sale kenwood ts830s transceiver with 500hz cw filter, atsatic 10-c desktop microphone,brand new, never been used, palstar at1500 roller inductor tuner and mfj swr/wattmeter model mfj-815b. asking $750. you pay shipping.

e mail me at n3nsl@aol.com if interested 73s

6119. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: will Herzog <herzog@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <351EFA5A.73FA@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148852
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

An easy answer is to put a dropping resistor in series next time you
replace the bulb. 100 ohm or so.
This helps the life by limiting the inrush.

Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>
> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
> to play the auction bidding game.
> --
> Tim, K8TJ
>

--
Will; K2LB <herzog@frontiernet.net>

6120. FS: Miscellaneous Amateur Publications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. J. Hickman, Jr." <ifmtrx@idt.net>
Message-ID: <351ED28B.3EC6D2A1@idt.net>
Source record: 148853

FOR SALE:

General Electric - Essential Characteristics, Tubes &
Transistors (1973).....$2.50
Antique Electronic Supply - Tube Substitution
Guidebook.....$5.00
W6SAI - All About Cubical Quads, 2nd Edition
(1970,1980).....$5.00
W6SAI - Simple, Low-Cost Wire Antennas (1972,
1977).....$5.00
World Radio TV Handbook
(1992).....$5.00
ARRL Repeater Directory
(1990-1991).....$2.00
ARRL Repeater Directory
(1995-1996).....$2.00

Buyer pays shipping.

CJH
KI7EW

6121. I Need Software - Please Read -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris <expo88@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <891096028.703312@sun.brisnet.org.au>
Source record: 148888

I need Software for the Phillips PRM 80 series two-way transcievers ... can
any one help ????
QLD CREST'S WEBMASTER
Chris
(chris_pinky@yahoo.com)

6122. ICOM America Service Center

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: agiroux@cvn.NET
Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19980328195148.007a0500@mail.cvn.net>
Source record: 148889

Does anyone have the address or Phone of ICOM America's Service Center?

6123. FS- Unblocked AOR 3000A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fk4s5$s4a@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sbay.forsale

>>
>>>I have an absolutely MINT AOR 3000A. It does not have any
>>>imperfections, blemishes, or even dust on it. I am a non-smoke and
>>>the radio has never been used outdoors.
>>>
>>>There is nothing wrong with this radio. I have way too many and need
>>>to sell some to make room for new toys. The 3000A comes with the
>>>following:
>>>
>>>* Software and computer cable
>>>* AC adaptor
>>>* Original owners manual (hardly touched)
>>>* Telescopic whip antenna
>>>
>>>I threw the box out long ago. I would like to ask $800 + actual
>>>shipping cost for this radio. Thanks!
>>
>

6124. FS Chassis mount "N" Connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fk7iq$l38@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148891

I am posting this for a friend.

120 pieces of 50 ohm bulkhead female flange connectors, stripline launch,
custom pattern flange, four hole on 0.5 inch centers
120 pieces $2.95 ea 10 percent discount on all 120 pieces plus postage

JPEG photos via email if anyone wants to see the connectors

6125. FS Vintage Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fk7mq$l38@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148892

10 pieces type 43
4 pieces type 84
1 type 80

$10.00 each, new old stock most in the boxes, some of the boxes got wet in a roof leak.

Mike WB2GLW

6126. WTB: Drake C-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998032902175900.VAA13168@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148893

Please let me know what you have and the condition and price. Thanks.

K-K
KB9SI

6127. Re: ADI AR-146 Comments..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: john <byteme@zip.per>
Message-ID: <01bd5abc$7aa001e0$051871ce@kimo9>
Source record: 148894

i use them for both ham and my business. love all the features, and highly recomend it

Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net> wrote in article
<351C006B.FB3BDA9A@prefer.net>...
> I want to purchase a new 2M mobile unit for my new (old) automobile. HRO
> is currently selling the AR-146 for 200 bucks. Always believing that
> "you get what you pay for" I thought I should ask for any comments (good
> or bad) from any current owners of this rig.
>
> Thank you...
> --
> BILL BRANNICK | Costa Mesa, CA
> Amateur Radio Station: KN6FJ
> A NFL Rams and Dodgers Fan For Over 50 years!
>

6128. Collins 32V-2 Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmsmith@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <351ebe2a.20779653@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148895

I just came across a Collins transmitter model 32V-2 at a flea market.
It is complete, all original knobs, cabinet in good shape, all tubes
light, but have not tried keying it yet. I am curious what this unit
might really be worth, and would be interested in purchasing
manual/schematics for it.
Thanks,
Mark Smith

6129. Looking for FM amplifier for broadcast

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioHead <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <351D82A1.8521613B@nospam.com>
Source record: 148896

Looking for FM amplifier for broadcast, please reply to nals@istar.ca

6130. Uniden 10Meter HR-2600's For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Allen <FAllen-IDC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fkihm$2cr@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148897

I have some Uniden HR-2600's for sale. Brand new, $175.00 plus shipping.

Fred
fallen-idc@worldnet.att.net

6131. ANyone used Force 12 Antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Minchin <tedm@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <351DCEE9.F33@xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 148898

Hi,
Anyone out there using the Force 12 HF antennas? I am interested due to
the pending purchase of a new antenna system and wondered how well their
stuff worked and was put together.
thanks
73 de Ted ZL1MT

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Ted Minchin, Zl1MT email: tedm@xtra.co.nz
RD 1 packet: ZL1MT@ZL1UX.ham.nzl.oc
PUTARURU. phome: +64 7 883 5716
New Zealand. fax: +64 7 883 5716
Talk around the World - Amateur Radio - http://www.nzart.org.nz

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6132. F.S. Johnson Viking Adventurer CW transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Rogers <dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Message-ID: <351E0087.1702@nidlink.com>
Source record: 148899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Johnson Viking Adventurer CW transmitter

vintage crystal control cw rig

about a 7.5/10 -- very restorable/collectable OR it makes a darn nice cw transmitter

includes copy of construction/operating manual and copy of modulator construction/operation manual

$100 plus ups

David, WA7ZYQ

208-245-2070

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While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these guys:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost, $USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST,-h1024@localhost,root@mailloop.com
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov

6133. Watt, SWR, FS Meter for HAM or CB --- L@@K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avalanche <avalanche299@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6fl0voij1@usenet49.supernews.com>
Source record: 148900
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have several new meters, all the same model, listed on eBay Auction with picture and features. Bidding ends today. Here are the links to get the best price. Thanks.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9406495

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9407221

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9407346

6134. Midland Alan CT 79 - VHF/UHF Dual Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Amorim <jma@soldigit.net>
Message-ID: <6fl4f0$ps9$1@duke.telepac.pt>
Source record: 148901

I need the freq. mod for the Midland Alan CT 79 - VHF/UHF dual band handheld transciever.

Thanks in advance,
Jorge

email me at: jma@soldigit.net

6135. WTB: Johnson Navigator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2903980628590001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 148902

Good to excellent condition with manual.

73,

John D. Seney, WD1V
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
Oscilloscope.FAQ

6136. Re: 144, 440, 900 dome ants

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jedent@c-com.net>
Message-ID: <351E3CD5.1C1B@c-com.net>
Source record: 148903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.scanner

Ron Michallick wrote:
>
> PAW wrote:
>
> > I have 3 ants for car top in plastic wedges/domes for @ 144, 440
> > and 900 mhz. $20 ea or $50 set.
> >
> > --
> > PAW
> > (W9JMN@Compuserve.com)
> >
> >
>
> Just one question; what happened to the other 144 Million, 440 Thousand,
> 897 Ants? ;-D
> Sorry, I just couldn't resist.
down here in Texas we got ton o fire ants. FREE you pick um up.

6137. WTB: Mobile spring/base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Traylor <timtraylor@mvtel.net>
Message-ID: <352050DF.77A717A5@mvtel.net>
Source record: 148657
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a good rust proof spring/base for a mobile rig antenna.
Equivilent to OUTbacker OB-SB:
Heavy duty,
Nickel or stainless steel,
3/8 x 24 threads for OUTback OB-8 antenna,
SO-239 connector.
Base for horizontal or vertical mounting

Will be mounted on the rear bumper of a pickup, so base could be mounted flat
on top of the bumper or could be bolted to the bumper vertical.

Don't take it to a hamfest - drop me an e-mail!

Tim
--
Tim Traylor -- Mountain View, AR
WBCCI#3095 KD5CXO

6138. Re: ADI AR-146 Comments..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: steven hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <352087AD.136DE369@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148658

Same here. I had to return the radio as the mic sounded Muffled. Another guy (who I didn't know) was at HRO and returning his for the same reasons.
73's NS1R

Tom Sefranek wrote:

> Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net> wrote:
>
> >I want to purchase a new 2M mobile unit for my new (old) automobile. HRO
> >is currently selling the AR-146 for 200 bucks. Always believing that
> >"you get what you pay for" I thought I should ask for any comments (good
> >or bad) from any current owners of this rig.
>
> I put 3 of them in each of my daughters/wife's car.
>
> Good radios, lousey mic audio!
>
> >Thank you...
> >--
> >BILL BRANNICK | Costa Mesa, CA
> >Amateur Radio Station: KN6FJ
> >A NFL Rams and Dodgers Fan For Over 50 years!

6139. Re: Question on Alinco DJS41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Warren Tang <warrent@slip.net>
Message-ID: <6fpnliajk1@owl.slip.net>
Source record: 148659

Steve Lane - N3RNY wrote in message ...
>Yes.
>
>While 'I haven't done this myself' it can be done and it works well.
>Remember to change the tuning step accordingly, and set the FRS freqs into
>memory.
>
>The DJ-S41 doesn't qualify for FCC acceptance for the FRS mainly because it
>has a VFO. This is why Yaesu, Alinco & others market units strikingly
>similar to the ham versions of their flea-power HTs for the FRS band.
>
>Happy tweaking, and please don't transmit where you aren't licensed!
>
>

Hi Steve,

Thanks for the reply. I was thinking of those situations, such as natural disasters or emergencies where you have to make do with what you have on hand. I have a number of friends who are not licensed hams who have purchased the FRS radios, hence my question. Of course, I would never transmit where I'm not licensed.

Regards,

Warren
KD6LMY

6140. Re: USED POLICE RADAR GUNS WANTED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <35205DB1.DC691B54@datacomm.com>
Source record: 148660
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.swap,memphis.wanted,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

What are you using them for?

Louis

Mark Hartman wrote:

> I would like to buy used police radar guns. I prefer hand held models but
> will consider all. I buy non working units also, including parts. Please
> reply by E Mail for a prompt reply.

6141. Trade Kenwood HT-28A for HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Ulmer <eulmer@isd.net>
Message-ID: <3520743C.559C00C1@isd.net>
Source record: 148661

VHF doesn't do it for me. After "upgrading" from my Heathkit HT-16,
I find ham radio boring.
Looking to get back into HF again, but want to explore voice also. So,
I've got this
Dual band (Xcvr in 2m, Rcvr on 440), that I'd like to trade/upgrade to
an HF rig of some sort.
If interested, please email me at eulmer@isd.net. Thanks. Please
include a description of the
rig also, as I'm not "Up" on all the model numbers. Oh, and when the
last time it was tuned too.

-Eric
KA0YFS

6142. Re: fs: 8877/3CX1500A7 Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: e.schumacher@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fpptl$ne4@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148662
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

The following components are mounted on a 9 1/2 rack panel.
117 VAC pri/ 3100 v CT at 400 ma secondary, 12 hy 1/2 amp swinging
choke, two 4 uf @ 3000 VDC oil filled caps. Both magnetics hermetically
sealed. Mercury plunger contactor. Suitable for 3CX1500 or some such
tube. The weight of the transformer is 41 lbs and the weight of
everything else is 30 lbs. All for $60. Located in Los Angeles.

6143. Re: Alinco DJ-S41 Squelch Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <frank001@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fpqqn$1g5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148663

Steve Wyatt wrote:
>
> Is it just me, or is there no squelch adjustment on the DJ-S41. I rather
> like the little rig otherwise, but find the absence of a squelch
> adjustment a bit annoying.

Your right - there is no squelch adjustment on either the DJ-S41 or the
DJ-S11.

73 Frank W6EV

6144. Yaesu SP-5 vs. SP-6 vs. SP-8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <35206F96.6838@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 148664

Question:

What is the difference between the SP-5 and the SP-6 speakers? Basically, what "filters" etc does each have... and, just as important, Aesthetically, what does each look like (chrome knobs, "feet" etc???)

Thanks -- Pete

6145. Need TM-221A Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Criss <rcriss@cds1.net>
Message-ID: <352051CA.2E9BD987@cds1.net>
Source record: 148665

I have a Kenwood TM-221A and need to adjust the PL gain. If anyone has a shop manual for this rig and could let know where to make the adjustment I would greatly appreciate it.....Robert wa6wxx rcriss@cds1.net

6146. Need Batteries for FT727R Dual Band Hani

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Zabriskie <gary@sginet.com>
Message-ID: <35208FF8.9A7D0CA8@sginet.com>
Source record: 148666

Does anyone have any batteries for this rig they could part with?

Need FNB4 or FNB4A or FNB3 or FNB3A

Please contact me at gary@sginet.com

Gary Zabriskie, N7ARE

6147. Re: IC-3210A HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fq2ro$p7s@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 148667

You're welcome!

Carl Smith wrote in message <6fp0cm$m8k$1@gte1.gte.net>...
>Hello Adnan, thanks for your message and suggestions. You hit the nail
>on the head! Two of the rigs have been repaired successfully by
>replacing C97. We have not tried the other 3 yet. Will let you know of
>results.
>
>Thanks again, 73 Carl/K5SO
>

6148. Need Batteries for FT727R Dual Band Hani

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Zabriskie <gary@sginet.com>
Message-ID: <35209031.F84D76E8@sginet.com>
Source record: 148668

Does anyone have any batteries for this rig they could part with?

Need FNB4 or FNB4A or FNB3 or FNB3A

Please contact me at gary@sginet.com

Gary Zabriskie, N7ARE

6149. Need Batteries for FT727R Dual Band Hani

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Zabriskie <gary@sginet.com>
Message-ID: <3520908D.8CE1E03F@sginet.com>
Source record: 148669

Does anyone have any batteries for this rig they could part with?

Need FNB4 or FNB4A or FNB3 or FNB3A

Please contact me at gary@sginet.com

Gary Zabriskie, N7ARE

6150. Need Batteries for FT727R Dual Band Hani

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Zabriskie <gary@sginet.com>
Message-ID: <352090CA.97CF3B2F@sginet.com>
Source record: 148670

Does anyone have any batteries for this rig they could part with?

Need FNB4 or FNB4A or FNB3 or FNB3A

Please contact me at gary@sginet.com

Gary Zabriskie, N7ARE

6151. Re: Keypad mods for Yaesu VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <efOT.380$Nf1.2210767@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 148707

Hi Rob, Check out http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/ for all the info you will ever need on the VX-1R.

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Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
Rob B. wrote in message <351fa049.7463523@news.demon.nl>...
>Hi!
>
>As the proud owner of the very tiny VX-1R I'd like to know if there
>are any keypad mods for this HT. I've already ordered the software
>package ADMS-1D, but I'm still waiting for it, and I'd really like to
>have the crossband-scan enabled.
>
>I'm also looking for other keypad mods...
>
>Anyone?
>
>Tnx in advance,
>
>Rob B.
>
>--
>Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.
>
>
>

6152. Re: Aftermarket Duckies with SMA conn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <351fb087.953346214@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148708

I have a Diamond SRH519 I bought for my C510. IT IS GREAT!
Much better recieve in-band (144&440) and is designed for wide band
recieve also. I use it alot to recieve 800 smr and 900 paging. It
outperforms the original hands down. At about $35.00 is pricey, but
with the little radios, you need all you can get.

Paul Merrell <kd6jxy@pacbell.net> wrote:

>I have experience with 2 hand-helds and a couple of the after-market HT
>antennas with the SMA connector the commit and Diamond spaghetti antennas
>are great for general use and work better than the stock antenna. Receive
>is improved and transmit is also made easier requiring less power to get to
>different repeaters. with the C510A that is important. there is also a
>stiff rubber duck made by commit whitch I plan on buying for both HTS and I
>think that will really mae it easy for me personally. I think you will
>also notice that the sma connector is a little more forgiving than the BNC
>connector. when it comes down to it its all a matter of personal choice.
>for current price lists and so on see the AES web site
>http://www.aesham.com
>
>good luck
>
>Greg Reid wrote:
>
>> Hello to all-
>>
>> Anyone have an experience with aftermarket antennas for hand helds with
>> SMA connectors?
>>
>> TIA,
>>
>> Greg
>
>
>
>--
>Paul Merrell
>kd6jxy@pacbell.net
>http://home.pacbell.net/kd6jxy
>AOL: paulkd6jxy
>JUNO: kd6jxy@juno.com
>SUPERNEWNS: kd6jxy@supernews.com
>http://www.supernews.com
>
>

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6153. Wanted: 6@ 8950 tubes, good pulls or what u got?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mdm@iglobal.net
Message-ID: <6foiekknb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tell me price and condition. Thanks Murray

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6154. FS: Heathkit HW-101 W/HP-23C Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: webpromote@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <351fc121.6741724@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Heathkit HW-101 W/HP-23C Power Supply

My son never got interesed in this.
Radio w/ manual.

$150

Thank you,

David

6155. wtb:800mhz Spectras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: qualcomm@netzone.com
Message-ID: <351fd4d0.114738@news.netzone.com>
Source record: 148711

I'm looking for 25 or more Spectras in the 800mhz trunking area.

Please email for quote I've been paying around $150.00 for them.
Thanks,
Gary
Quality Communications
125 W.Main St.
Mesa,Az 85201
602-649-1540
Fax 602-649-1719

6156. HR2600 manual needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Heffner <clint@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <351FC896.E75489C6@erinet.com>
Source record: 148712

Hello.
I am in need of the operators manual for the Uniden / President HR2600.
I'll pay for copying and postage.

Clint -- kf8mz
clint@erinet.com

6157. Re: Radio Shack DAUL BAND MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirtmeat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033017354701.MAA10444@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148713

The "mod" was a keypad trick that allowed the "lower" mobile only portion of cellular to be displayed & programmed. The radio is a very slightly cosmeticlly altered ADI AT-600. The keypad mod is the same & avail on the net.

6158. Re: KW TS820 finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony <tony.dercole@lmco.com>
Message-ID: <351FD6B1.D980AFDF@lmco.com>
Source record: 148714

If your referring to a TS-820 youe are correct.

wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com wrote:

> Bob Sull wrote:
> >
> > A friend just upgraded and bought a KW TS-820.
> >
> > What does this rig use for finals? The book says S2001. A couple
> > of us thought it used 6146Bs.....
> >
> > Tnx in advance
> > 73, Bob
> >
> > --
> >
> > ////////
> > (o o)
> > ---73,
> > Bob---oooO---O---Oooo---w8imo@kellnet.com--------------------
> > What is the speed of dark?
>
> Both answers are correct..Kenwoods' # is S-2001, but same as 6146.
>
> Steve-WA6GSD

6159. Re: Kenwood or Icom Dual Band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6fomf6$634$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 148715

In article <351C6034.B9EF3C21@bellsouth.net>,
Joseph Baselice <jab1964@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>Hi everybody.
>Kenwood TM-V7A vs. Icom IC-2710H
>I was looking for a direction to go with a new mobil rig. I've been a
>ham for about 5 years now but inactive. All I have is an HT.
>My delima is I like them both, but I want to make sure I am spending the
>$500 in the right place. So any info I can get will be greatly
>appreciated
>Thanks in advance!
>
>Joe Baselice
>jab1964@bellsouth.net
>KD4UDI
>

-------------I was at the same point recently. I discussed this with someone at one of the major chain stores. I wound up buying the ICOM 207. It has various features not advertised. Unless you are going to do something exceptional, there is no need for the extra expense of the radios you mentioned.

I have been very happy with the 207 and know someone who has had one since Nov./Dec. and also loves it.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

6160. Re: Aftermarket Duckies with SMA conn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6folpg$8pb$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 148716

Doug (doug469@mindspring.com) wrote:
: I have a Diamond SRH519 I bought for my C510. IT IS GREAT!
: Much better recieve in-band (144&440) and is designed for wide band
: recieve also. I use it alot to recieve 800 smr and 900 paging. It
: outperforms the original hands down. At about $35.00 is pricey, but
: with the little radios, you need all you can get.
: Paul Merrell <kd6jxy@pacbell.net> wrote:

How does the SRH519 compare to the Comet SMA-3?
I picked up the SMA-3 receiently, and I've had good luck with it, even
though I added 2 pieces of heat-shrink tubing to it:
1-at the point where the base-load meets the whip-the antenna tends to
bend at that point, but the tubing stiffens it just enough to avoid it.
2-at the sma connector-to make a "skirt" at the bottom....the radio that I
use the SMA-3 with(a Yaesu FT-50), has a O-ring to seal the connector from
water & dust-and without the skirt, the seal won't work.
The stock FT-50 antenna, of course has the skirt.

6161. FS 6 METER MICOR REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocom@net-link.net
Message-ID: <6fo45a$6bu$1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 148717

Motorola Micor, 100 Watt Continus Duty PA. All solid State.
Includes Decibel Duplexers, tuned to your frequency.
$1190 on your frequency with out controller.
I will install new CAT300 for $425 extra.
All plus shipping, or can deliver to Dayton Ham Fest.
Ken

6162. Re: WTB: 2M Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6fomrp$634$2@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 148718

In article <351BCBAB.7FD7EBDC@together.net>,
Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net> wrote:
>I'm in need of a 2M Mobile unit... I'm leasing my car so I can't really
>screw a bunch of holes in it to mount a 2M rig. The car is a 98
>Blazer... and there is no good place to mount a rig other than on top of
>the dash or under the seat... can't put it on top of the dash so.. need
>a 2M righ with detatachable front panel...
>
>Ideally I'd like a Standard C1208A, where all the works are in the
>Spkr/Mic... if anybody has a 1208A they want to sell for a reasonable
>price please let me know...
>
>I'd also be willing to go with any other rig that has a detatachable
>front panel.
>
>Tom
>KB1CGA
>

--------------The ICOM 207 has detachable head and has all functions
accessable from the mike.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

6163. Re: Beginner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <6fon6p$634$3@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 148719

In article <smigaj-2903981805420001@ppp031.yvn.com>,
smigaj@yvn.net (Diana Smigaj) wrote:
>Hello,
>
> I want to get into amateur radio, Know a very very little about it at all.
>Im looking for a cheap, and easy to use full setup which will enable me do
>get into amateur radio. Im not looking to buy any used equipment from you
>people, just asking advice on what to get.
>
>Thank you. Please mail me.

------------You have to get licensed first. Without a license there will
probably be a problem in your ability to purchase transmitting equipment.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

6164. FS/T: Icom IC-25H 2-meter rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Buckley <cwbuckle@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <351FDC68.18F225E5@mtu.edu>
Source record: 148720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have one Icom IC-25H 2 meter mobile radio. It has the original box
and manual, and the following accessories:

Mounting Bracket (quick release type)
Rechargeable Battery Backup Unit (Patches into 12VDC power cable)
DTMF Microphone
AC Adapter for Battery Backup unit.
CTCSS/PL Tone Encoder board attached.

This is a good looking, solid rig. It has memory channels, dual VFO's,
and is extremely easy to operate. I'd like to upgrade to a dual bander
pretty soon here, and this will make a good fund-raiser. I will
consider trades also, however. I'd like $150 for the rig, manual, box,
and all accessories.

Chris Buckley
cwbuckle@mtu.edu

6165. FT-50R and LCC-10S leather-case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wilco <pd0kjv@vrza.org>
Message-ID: <351FE214.BD924FA0@vrza.org>
Source record: 148721

Does anyone know if the leather-case LCC 10 S can be used with the
FT-50R with FNB-41 accu pack?
Is the connector still free for using the remote mike/speaker? And what
about the PTT-button/lamp?

6166. FS:Yaesu FT990-AT-ACDC or Trade?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6KKT@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3523e723.1919358@news.frazmtn.com>
Source record: 148722

For Sale: Yaesu FT990AT,110v-12v model. Complete with external spkr (SP6), desk mike (MD-1) and hand mic, manuals etc. $1395. Equipment is in excellent condition. Non smoker. May take HF mobile rig in trade.

Jesse,W6KKT, email: w6kkt@frazmtn.com
Replace "nospam.com with frazmtn.com

6167. FS: KLM 160W VHF RF Power Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbtech@geocities.com
Message-ID: <6forl1$t4i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Price: $150.00, email: cbtech@geocities.com

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6168. Help with SM-220 IF interface to Icom 781

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Howard M. Sherer" <howardsh@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <351FF0EA.F6AEB0C9@ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 148724

Has anyone ever modified an Icom 781 to add an IF 1 and IF 2 output for full use with a scope like the SM-220?

Howard AE3T

6169. Alinco DJ-S41 Squelch Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko4yx@ibm.NET
Message-ID: <351FF549.68AA@ibm.net>
Source record: 148725

Is it just me, or is there no squelch adjustment on the DJ-S41. I rather like the little rig otherwise, but find the absence of a squelch adjustment a bit annoying.

6170. Connecting TS-940S to L-4B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Burton <bburton@world.std.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SGI.3.95.980330143342.5220A-100000@world.std.com>
Source record: 148726

Can anyone e-mail me the correct pin connections from the remote plug on the back of a Kenwood TS-940S to a Drake L-4B?

Thanks, Bob - W8WO
Caledonia, MI
bburton@world.std.com

6171. FT50 Duplex mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: EricG <ERIC.GAUDENZI@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <6fotd6res1@peuplier.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 148727

I want to know if there is a way to put in a memory 2 frequencies in duplex
mode
1 frequency on 144 MHz band, the other in 430 MHz band
It is for AO27
Many thanks.

F1ISJ Eric

6172. Question on Alinco DJS41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Warren Tang <warrent@slip.net>
Message-ID: <6fotcj$c3$1@owl.slip.net>
Source record: 148728

Hi, has anyone out there who has done the mods for the DJS41 been actually able to transmit in the FRS bands? It would be nice to be able to communicate with non-licensed FRS users if the situation calls for it.

Thanks,

Warren
KD6LMY

6173. Questions on Motorola Sabre Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <edcummins@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3520016D.77CC0FCD@erols.com>
Source record: 148729

Questions to the group:

I am just learning about the Motorola System Sabre radios. Are these worth considering for amateur radio use or am I wasting my money ? Would a "lesser" quality radio such as an Icom perform just as well, cost less and have more features ?
If I get a Motorola will I be able to program, reprogram it myself or have to take it somewhere to have this done ? Can the units do 440 Amateur band and receive 800 Public service trunked stuff all in one radio or is this asking too much ?

Thanks any info appreciated

Ed
N3DKP

6174. FS: Kam Plus $200.00 two months old!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3520025F.93383C55@erols.com>
Source record: 148730

For Sale... Kam Plus only two months old with all manuals and software
including com port cable.

Still under
warranty
$200.00 Firm
Brian Berkes
KA2OWM
609-482-6976
Home
609-758-3446
Work
or email me here

Thanks.....

6175. IC-3210A HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Smith <cwsk5so@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fp0cm$m8k$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 148731

Hello Adnan, thanks for your message and suggestions. You hit the nail on the head! Two of the rigs have been repaired successfully by replacing C97. We have not tried the other 3 yet. Will let you know of results.

Thanks again, 73 Carl/K5SO

6176. F/S soy color video printer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcam <dcam@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <35200657.5FB5446E@ricochet.net>
Source record: 148732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,REC.RADIO.SHORTWAVE,REC.RADIO.AMATEUR.EQUIPMENT,

HI EVERYONE
I'VE A SONY VIDEO COLOR PRINTER
MODEL CVP G700,MANUAL,LIKE NEW HARDY USE ,$475.
YOU CAN CONNECT THE VCR TO PRINT OUT YOUR PICTURE,
OR PRINT WEDDING,BIRTH-DAY,FROM CAMCORDER YOU LIKE,

2nd ITEM IS TECHNIC 1200,DJ TURN TABLE,NEW ABOUT $500.
SELL FOR $325.BOX, MANUAL,
INTERESTING EMAIL TO BELOW
THANK YOU
VAN LEE
VAN_L@HOTMAIL.COM

6177. Re: Fix to broken Icom IC725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sven, Maria, Anton och/eller Johan Wijk" <wijk@ebox.tninet.se>
Message-ID: <35200AC4.A1081268@ebox.tninet.se>
Source record: 148733

>
> My Icom IC725 broke last weekend. The receiver got totaly silent. I
> think the transmitter is OK, but I haven't verified it. I talked with
> the service firm, but thier pricing got me in to trying to fix it myself
>
> After many measurements and tests I finaly found out that I could get
> the reciever going by short circuiting the the collector and emitor of
> the Q5 transistor. This disables the transmitter though. I will have to
> find a replacement for the broken Q5 in order to get everything OK.

Just to make thnings clear. It is Q5 on the main board no of the other
Q5:s

>
> I hope this can make the testing faster for anyone with similar
> problems.
>
> Use at your own risk :-)
>

I have now replaced Q5 on the main board with only partial success.
I now have permanent recieve, but no transmit. So I guess there are
something more broken. I will try the other transistor in the switch
circuit.

I will be back and report my progres.

Sven, SM5PXK

6178. Icom 706MKII, Yaesu 990, Yaesu FT-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980330212021O1.QAA06695@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148734

Icom 706MKII, like new, no remote kit, no dsp. $1,050.00
Yaesu 990 DC, Auto Tuner, Super condition $ 1,125.00
Yaesu FT-1000 , 2.4, 2.0, 500, 250 filters $ 2,200.00

All Radios in Super condition in looks and operation, I pay shipping to you.
K5JOE
kilo5joe@aol.com

6179. Re: Vandenberg Launch Alert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Neuschaefer <neuschaefer_rich@tandem.com>
Message-ID: <351FF2DF.5D00@tandem.com>
Source record: 148735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.astro.amateur,sci.space.tech

Hi Brian,

Several of us were star partying at Fremont Pead and saw the launch.

I was watching the rocket through my binoculars and was noticed as
the first stage rockets fell away every few seconds they would burn
briefly almost at the same time. This while the second stage was
well away.

Why this periodic burning of the first stage rockets well after
they had separated from the second stage?

Thanks,
Rich

6180. Need Info SYS90 DTMF encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Stadtherr <bstadtherr@tcsn.net>
Message-ID: <3520145C.25B3@tcsn.net>
Source record: 148736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Help!
I have several DTMF encoders (TLN58367A2??). I need a manual,
schematic, connector pinouts or whatever I can get. I really really
don't want to reverse engineer it, I just want to hook one up....

Thanks,

Bob KI6WO

6181. Watson Multimode Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel P. Gallagher" <dano@iol.ie>
Message-ID: <01bd5c2b$904a9d00$592b7dc2@dan>
Source record: 148737

Hi,

I recently purchased a Watson Multimode Modem (as seen in Radcom/Practical Wireless) to get started on packet. However, the wiring instructions given with the modem are not very good. I want to use it with my handheld, which is a Yaesu FT530. I have managed to obtain a four strand cable (similar to a telephone cable) and some 9 pin plugs as well as some3.5" jacks, but I am at a loss as to what to do next. Even basic wiring codes would be a good start.

Any help of any sort would be appreciated.

Regards,

Dan EI4DCB

6182. Re: F.S cpi 2000/base console/desk mic. on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: robbie <robnjuli@netins.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5c2d$2cef35c0$900a8ea7@robnjuli.netins.net>
Source record: 148738

THAT IS THE REASON I AM SELLING IT SO CAN GET THE BIG TICKET IN APRIL

Bill Decker <kb2rmi@frontiernet.net> wrote in article
<6fmvgchte1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>...
> Well, regardless of the fact that it is A CB, the CPI is more of interest
to
> collectors than it is as a "skip radio.
> Lots of ticket holders started out on 11M, and many collect the old iron.
>
>
> MailfrmPA wrote in message
> <1998032923530801.SAA15642@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> >>The item that we have up for auction is a CPI 2000 base with BC2000
base
> >>console and CPI desk microphone.
> >
> >>Many agree that this is the best sounding unit ever
> >>made. The base has an 80 channel kit installed.
> >
> >>Great skip radio! The base console has a frequency counter,
> >
> >AWRIGHT! Mo' cool CB gear for sale posted to "re.radio.AMATEUR.
> equipment!"
> >
> >K MB
>
>
>

6183. Re: Aftermarket Duckies with SMA conn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@revnetx.net
Message-ID: <6fpbvvcen1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148739

I bought a Comet Sma-501 Antenna for my FT-50 It is compact 1 3/4 inches
but I would not recommend it if you are looking for any distance. It is pretty
numb on both recieve and transmit.

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6184. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robin Birch <robin@falstaf.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <HiNGYBALtBI1Eweb@falstaf.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 148740
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <351EFA5A.73FA@frontiernet.net>, will Herzog
<herzog@frontiernet.net> writes
>An easy answer is to put a dropping resistor in series next time you
>replace the bulb. 100 ohm or so.
>This helps the life by limiting the inrush.
>
Another answer is to get in touch with your local classic car spares
company. MGs (60s and 70s vintage) Used 14v bulbs in their dashboard
switches. These are small screw in ones about 3/8ths long and 1/8th
diam and are still available.

>Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>>
>> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
>> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
>> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
>> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
>> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
>> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
>> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
>> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
>> to play the auction bidding game.
>> --
>> Tim, K8TJ
>>
>
Cheers

Robin
Robin Birch robin@falstaf.demon.co.uk

M1ASU/2E0ARJ Old computers and radios always welcome

6185. HAMFEST at Oak Ridge APR 11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: CessnaPilot@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fp5b2$a4i$1@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148741

April 11 there will be a hamfest at Oak Ridge, TN. Oak Ridge is near Knoxville, check the ARRL homepage..... Johnny

6186. FS: Motorola SyntorX LowBand Mobile,.]/..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezlu@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6fp9ge$5u5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148742

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,,: SyntorX Motorola Mobiles
29-54MHz DPL/PL 100WATTS!!
Draw Units only Nice Shape!!
They work great. And they all comewith EPROM.
Price: 145.00 All were checked and work 100 Percent!!
These are programmable Mobiles.
Reply E-Mail
Rich
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6187. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6fp8lf$5j6@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 148743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760
email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant

max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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6188. Re: FS: Motorola HT-220 UHF $200.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Bissell <swb1@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5c33$ec54a660$96461ed1@swb1.flash.net>
Source record: 148744

Sorry Gary it's already been sold, but thanks for all the good information.

Steve

Gary Sanders <gsanders@gte.net> wrote in article
<6fmtnc$j0n$1@gte1.gte.net>...
> This is a joke, right?
>
> I guess I should have bought all those at the Orlando Hamfest
> a couple weeks ago for 5 bucks each! Look at all the money
> I could have made!!!!
>
> Gary
>
>
> Steve Bissell wrote:
> >
> > A Motorola HT-220 UHF
> > H33FFN3170E
> > 5 Watt, 4 ch, Rapid Charger
> > $200 or Best Offer
>
> --
>
> Gary Sanders
>
> Bait for spammers (With credit to E. Needham):
> root@localhost
> postmaster@localhost
> admin@localhost
> abuse@localhost
> postmaster@127.0.0.1
>

6189. Re: Estate sale TR-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctwla@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6fpano$qg8@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148745

In <1998032918463500.NAA01848@ladder03.news.aol.com> vicwhite@aol.com (Vic White) writes:
>
>Estate sale of Silent Key: Complete TR-7 Station including TR-7 Transceiver
>serial #4815, PS-7 Power Supply, RV-7 Ext. VFO Serial #963, MN2700 Tuner serial
>#589, D-104 Mike, Tec Tec Ultramatic Keyer, 1 KW (Dry) Dummy Load, and Drake
>L-7 Linear, serial #2678 with power supply. Both power supplies VERY heavy.
>Station not used for over a year but was working at that time. TR-7 tested
>3/28 and was working fine.
>
>All for $1,750.00 plus shipping from Denton, Texas.
>
>Willing to sale the L-7 Linear separately for $1,000.00 plus shipping.

Vic, Get real, this is an estate sale where the survivor takes your word that this amplifier is worth that kind of money

>
>Also complete HAL 3100 RTTY system w/kb, monitor, etc. $150.00 plus shipping.
This does not even have an RS232 and only worth a fraction of the above $$$$ (now)
C Thomas

6190. FS IC-28A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ruge <bruge@hauns.com>
Message-ID: <35202FF6.357@hauns.com>
Source record: 148746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Icom IC-28A 2M rig with bracket and encoding mic. Works great, looks good too, no book. $150.

6191. Re: FS: Motorola HT-220 UHF $200.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <351FC658.4159918E@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 148747

If this is not a joke then I sure hope you did not pay more than $15 bucks for the whole lot, especially when you can buy a good condition GE MPD 48 channel or Moto. similar Synthesized HT that covers the ham bands for about $75 to $150 already programmed to your favorite ham frequencies.

Oh yeah Pekkar Electronics usually sells these dinosaurs for about $20, still way over priced.

6192. Trade or Sell DJ-580T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gaylakate@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033023572201.SAA02726@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148748

Have a Alinco DJ-580 in excellent shape will trade or sell. The radio has been modified so that it will transmit out of band, and receive cell. Excellent audio. Comes with drop in charger and orig. box, all instructions. Will trade for similar, let me know what you have

6193. FS Pro-2006 $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033023591400.SAA03053@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148749

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Great condition.
$275 to you're door.
COD U.S. Postal money order only
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"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
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6194. WANT: SAMS CB photofact: JC PENNEY 981-6241

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe N0IAT <joentam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35203041.7F2C7F26@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hello,
I have a 40 channel, AM/SSB, AC/DC JC PENNEY CB radio, model
is 981-6241. Looking for the SAMS Photofact to do a CB to 10M
conversion.

Will pay copying fee and/or cost for the manual.

Can you help me please?
thank you,
Joe

6195. YAESU 757 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <35203591.3A0E@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 148751

it is a 757gx general coverage tranceiver. price 550
mikes@newulmtel.net

6196. WTB: YASEU FT-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kram3 <kram3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6fpglg$6oc@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148752

Hello,
I'm looking to buy one or two Yaseu FT-50's. Please give me all options and
a price delivered.
Thanks,
Mark M.

6197. Re: Beginner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6fpiei$3ph@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148753

marc schneider wrote in message <6fon6p$634$3@hirame.wwa.com>...
>
>------------You have to get licensed first. Without a license there will
>probably be a problem in your ability to purchase transmitting equipment.

Not true.

In fact, getting one before you have your ticket and listening may help you
learn.

Just don't transmit till you get the ticket.

Bill
n2asa

6198. Re: Question on Alinco DJS41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <35204BEA.9B07EA3@hevanet.com>
Source record: 148754

Warren Tang wrote:

> Hi, has anyone out there who has done the mods for the DJS41 been actually
> able to transmit in the FRS bands? It would be nice to be able to
> communicate with non-licensed FRS users if the situation calls for it.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Warren
> KD6LMY

I did some experimenting with it. Doesn't want to let you use it
illegally...:-)
Suggest spreading the coil visible thru the hole in the vco can. VCO voltage
test point
is just to the left of the can. Be careful you don't bust something while
you're twisting on the
glue. I HAVE NOT TRIED THIS. YOU'RE ON YOUR OWN.
miker

--
Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

6199. Re: Updates: Kenwood TS-570 "G" Model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit <hermit@vermontel.com>
Message-ID: <352055A6.5AAE@vermontel.com>
Source record: 148755

David M. Anderson wrote:
>
> Does anyone have any details concerning the new version of the TS-570 HF
> transceiver (billed as the "G" model)? I understand that it is mainly a DSP
> upgrade, but I have no details (Kenwood isn't talking, yet). A DSP fix
> would be nice as I'm not very happy with this radio's DSP / filter
> performance.
>
> Dave WA6KHH
> wa6khh@qsl.net

HRO has a price of $1569.95 for the 570D/G, and $1895.95 for the 570S/G with no rebates. The April issue of QST on page 121 has an add on the G model that lists the new features. The old D & S models can be upgraded to the G.

6200. LAST DAY IC-745 on E-BAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <35206985.22AC@nucleus.com>
Source record: 148756

It's the last day for my LOADED!!! Mint!!! IC-745 on E-Bay and the price
is great!!! take a look...:::

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9201738

thank you...

6201. Info on Kenwood TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Baker <gbakernospam@oregoncoast.com>
Message-ID: <351FB5AC.6A29@oregoncoast.com>
Source record: 148772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Would like to find owners with comments on this
HT.
Any comments would be appreciated
Please reply to my e-mail:
gbaker@oregoncoast.com

6202. WTB:Swan 500 vfo and crystal filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033000085901.TAA18121@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148773

Looking for the 508 vfo and the 16 pole filter. Please let me know if you have one you no longer need.

Thanks and 73,
K-K
KB9SI

6203. Ameritron AL-811 amp 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033001033301.UAA26925@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148774

I have a mint in the box barely used AL-811 for sale. In original double box
from ameritron.
Its perfect and has the 10 meter mod done. $500. Rob kb2vx qin2@aol.com

6204. pacterm98 manual online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: angelo diaz <kb2mym98@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5b7d$d8022220$6343adc7@rdia.suffolk.li.ny.us>
Source record: 148775

get your pacterm98 manual online, also get demo version of pacterm98 at
http://www.cssincorp.com/pacterm
--
please remove 98 from email address or reply wont work.
home made antispam protection

6205. Beginner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: smigaj@yvn.net
Message-ID: <smigaj-2903981805420001@ppp031.yvn.com>
Source record: 148776

Hello,

I want to get into amateur radio, Know a very very little about it at all. Im looking for a cheap, and easy to use full setup which will enable me do get into amateur radio. Im not looking to buy any used equipment from you people, just asking advice on what to get.

Thank you. Please mail me.

6206. Re: F.S cpi 2000/base console/desk mic. on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Decker <kb2rmi@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <6fmvgchte1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148777

Well, regardless of the fact that it is A CB, the CPI is more of interest to collectors than it is as a "skip radio.
Lots of ticket holders started out on 11M, and many collect the old iron.

MailfrmPA wrote in message
<1998032923530801.SAA15642@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>The item that we have up for auction is a CPI 2000 base with BC2000 base
>>console and CPI desk microphone.
>
>>Many agree that this is the best sounding unit ever
>>made. The base has an 80 channel kit installed.
>
>>Great skip radio! The base console has a frequency counter,
>
>AWRIGHT! Mo' cool CB gear for sale posted to "re.radio.AMATEUR.
equipment!"
>
>K�MB

6207. WTT:TS-830s station for Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <351F0244.752B@iglou.com>
Source record: 148778

WANT TO TRADE: MINT CONDITION KENWOOD TS-830S HF TRANSCEIVER, AT-230

ANTENNA TUNER, AND SP-230 SPEAKER W/ AUDIO FILTERS AND MANUALS FOR A

LEGAL LIMIT AMPLIFIER SUCH AS:

DRAKE L7 OR L75, HEATH SB1000, OR POSSIBLY TOWARDS AN ALPHA AMP.

CALL WITH DETAILS

DAN BEACH WR4F 502-868-0851

OR E-MAIL MARK, KB4AEP KB4AEP@JUNO.COM

THANKS & 73'S

6208. FT-3000M Programming Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033002575001.VAA19792@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148779

I have a Yaesu FT-3000M and would like to display the nametag in big letters on top and have the frequency displayed on the bottom. Does anyone out there know if this is possible to do and if so how do I do it? Any info on this will be greatly appreciated.

73
Zack Schindler
N8FNR

6209. Icom IC-W32A dual band ht brand new for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <65ET.27$7S5.431231@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 148780

Hi there
I have for sale a brand new Icom IC-W32A dual band ht with a
CP-12L cigarette lighter power adapter, HM-46 microphone, BP-180 battery and
instruction manual. Here are some specs:
true dual band receive V/V, V/U or U/U
crossband repeater mode
receives from 118 to 174 and 400 to 470 normally
receive range can be expanded by a simple keypad sequence
I get cellular images perfectly from 600 to 999.995 mhz
200 alphanumeric 8 character memories
backlighted keypad
full CTCSS transmit and receive
can be programmed by computer, software included
transmit frequency range expandable by a simple hardware mod
5 watts output with 12 volts D.C. or BP-173 battery
3.5 watts output with included BP-180 battery
power saver mode and auto power off function
tone scan, tone squelch and pocket beep operation
dtmf memory
auto repeater function

A check of HRO puts the price at over $400. with the included accessories.
I will let it go for the best offer over $300. U.S. shipping included by
airmail. I cannot ship c.o.d. from Canada to the U.S., other arrangements
can be made. Will include unfilled warranty card and original bill of sale.
Comes with original box and packaging material.

Still on warranty for one year, this is new equipment.
If interested, contact me by email.
73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

6210. WTB: MTS2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: klo1937@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033003215200.WAA23977@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148781

Want to buy MTS2000 w/Full Keypad unti with display on top
E-Mail replys to KLO1937@aol.com

6211. WTB: Small metal cabinet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033003415300.WAA27583@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148782

Looking for a small metal enclosure for a power supply I'm building. Size around 24" wide x 20-24" deep x 12" high. Needs to be strong as the power supply will be quite heavy. Please let me know if you have something like this.

73,
K-K
KB9SI

6212. Re: Info on Kenwood TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean <XXXsbaxter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fn17o$9it$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 148783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Sean
K3XT

Gary Baker <gbakernospam@oregoncoast.com> wrote in article <351FB5AC.6A29@oregoncoast.com>...
> Would like to find owners with comments on this
> HT.
> Any comments would be appreciated
> Please reply to my e-mail:
> gbaker@oregoncoast.com
>

6213. fs: 8877/3CX1500A7 Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5b90$e03c2c20$628a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 148784
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Need To Sell!
Matched set of 8877/3CX1500A7's full power pulls. Asking $450. for the
pair.
One Used 8877/3CX1500A7 good full power. Asking $225.
One NOS 8877/3CX1500A7 (older stock tube, out of the box only to test, then
right back in the box), asking $450.
-- 73, DavidC AA1FA E-mail or call: 603-894-1174

6214. FS: Collins 30L-1 WE Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6fn7id$q3e$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 148785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm posting this for my friend Bob (KX6K)...please contact Bob, NOT me!

FOR SALE: Collins Model 30L-1 Winged Emblem Linear Amplifier.

Original manual; CCA Very Good+ condition. Wired for 220 VAC.
Full output power . Superb looks and performance;
the best of its class. $600 plus S & H conus.

Call Bob (KX6K) at (408) 991-3747...you can leave a message or
send email to Bob at:

bob.struk@sv.sc.philips.com

Thank you.

6215. FS: Drake R-4C receiver with Sherwood mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6fn7j9$q3e$2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 148786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm posting this for my friend Bob (KX6K)...please contact Bob, NOT me!

For Sale:

Drake R-4C receiver with original manual and additional papers.
Condition is very good plus. Electrically and mechanically perfect.
The Rx comes all three additional CW filters and has extra xtals for
short wave and other bands.

This receiver features the full suite of Sherwood upgrades, including
PS-4 power supply, amp-4 audio bd, Mix-4 FET third IF FET mixer/amp
bd, CW and SSB filter sets, 6-position custom dual concentric selector
switch, etc.

The set is tuned, and together with the the Sherwood upgrades, is
simply a phenomenal performer. $550 + S&H conus.

Call Bob (KX6K) at (408) 991-3747...you can leave a message or
send email to Bob at:

bob.struk@sv.sc.philips.com

Thank you.

6216. FS: National HRO-500 new-in-box $1300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <6fn7l2$q3e$3@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 148787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm posting this for my friend Bob (KX6K)...please contact Bob, NOT me!

For Sale:

National HRO-500 new-in-box S/N 102--228
$1300 shipped conus.

Call Bob (KX6K) at (408) 991-3747...you can leave a message or
send email to Bob at:

bob.struk@sv.sc.philips.com

Thank you.

6217. FS: Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Khaltex International - Al Khalfan <khaltexav@khaltex.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5ba8$13d06620$c85429d1@kkhalfan.unicomp.net>
Source record: 148788

Free Posting, lastest gear info, glossary, all in one site
Visit
http://www.khaltex.net

http://www.khaltex.net
khaltexav@khaltex.net

6218. Re: Info on Kenwood TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <pHFT.343$Nf1.1993681@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 148789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well I think you need to look at the Icom T8. Has all the features of the G71A with 6 meters and FM broadcast band (76-108). Will also cover 800Mhz with cell block and a couple of other frequency rangers as well. And the audio is just as good if not better than the G71A. Same mil spec rating and smaller. Comes with a nickel metal hydride rather than a ni-cad pack and is $30.00 bucks cheaper!!!

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/gottria/sony
Sean wrote in message <6fn17o$9it$1@gte1.gte.net>...

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>> Please reply to my e-mail:
>> gbaker@oregoncoast.com
>>

6219. Digital Sport Systems HF Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Matda <smatda@compunet.net>
Message-ID: <351F3321.F75204BA@compunet.net>
Source record: 148790

Just acquired a Digital Sport Systems HF Amp model 2020SB from my uncle. All I got with it was a sales brochure, and I need some more info. I do know that it is 1.5-40 MHz, 4 watts in, 200 out on AM and FM and 7 to 25 in, 410 out on SSB. Solid state, 13.8 Vdc operation. Any help greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Steve, KE4MOB

6220. Standard's Service Center in Hong Kong

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: VR2XST <vr2xst@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5ba3$dbb4d4a0$6a0148ca@nelson>
Source record: 148791

Does anyone have the address or Phone of Standard's Service Center in Hong Kong ?

73

6221. Re: Info on Kenwood TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-3003980247400001@207-172-114-66.s3.as10.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 148792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6fn17o$9it$1@gte1.gte.net>, "Sean" <XXXsbaxter@gte.net> wrote:

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ack, jeeze, it has good quality audio, but its too quiet...the FT-50R has
better audio...

-dan
KC2BGZ

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

6222. FS: OLD Radio Schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Cropper <tcropper@ringer.cs.utsa.edu>
Message-ID: <01bd1616$ad50fee0$4b5febcf@tcserver>
Source record: 148793
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Looking for that schematic for an old radio? I have National/Hallicrafters/
Motorola, and other schematics available for sale. Some of what I have in
the Hallicrafters is listed below!
Email me to see what I have available:

Toby Cropper
(210) 674-9395
tcropper@ringer.cs.utsa.edu

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HALLICRAFTERS SCHEMATICS:
S-38B
S-40B
S-53A
S-53AU
S-55
S-56
S-27
S-40A
S-72
S-76
S-76U
S-77
SX-62
SX-71

6223. Re: Kenwood or Icom Dual Band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Musselman <chris96@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <351F9248.67EFE22F@concentric.net>
Source record: 148794

Since the TM-V7 looks like a new Dodge pickup truck, it must be the
ideal rig for that truck! :-)
Seriously, though, I have been very happy with all the Icom radios that
I've owned.

Chris W6ATV

Joseph Baselice wrote:
>
> Hi everybody.
> Kenwood TM-V7A vs. Icom IC-2710H
> I was looking for a direction to go with a new mobil rig. I've been a
> ham for about 5 years now but inactive. All I have is an HT.

6224. fs Suoer Tuner by Dentron

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Francer <francer@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5bdb$74a0c2a0$4ed371d1@francer>
Source record: 148795
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: Dentron Super Tuner (real nice condition!) Full Power, HF.
*Asking $125.Plus Shipping. REASONABLE
OFFERS WELCOMED! Contact: Charles Francer -- E-mail: w1cmf@amsat.org or
w1cmf@hotmail.com

6225. Re: KenwoodTH-79E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <351f9037.3348183@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 148796

"Denis O'Flynn" <denisf@indigo.ie> wrote:

>Any owners of a Kenwood TH79E (only E Version), who have done the RX mod tlo
>67MHZ might drop me an email as to their experience.
> I have seen several mods on the 'Net but would like to check with any
>other users.

Don't e-mail, but please post in this group as I'm very interested
too!

>de Denis
>email: denisf@indigo.ie

Rob B.

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Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.

6226. Keypad mods for Yaesu VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <351fa049.7463523@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 148797

Hi!

As the proud owner of the very tiny VX-1R I'd like to know if there are any keypad mods for this HT. I've already ordered the software package ADMS-1D, but I'm still waiting for it, and I'd really like to have the crossband-scan enabled.

I'm also looking for other keypad mods...

Anyone?

Tnx in advance,

Rob B.

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Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.

6227. FS: Yaesu FT-709R 70cm HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwbuckle@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6fo7nr$7c5@login.ee>
Source record: 148798

Subject: FS: Yaesu FT-709R 70cm HT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap
Summary:
Keywords:

This Handheld has all the features with a very low price. I'm just thinking of upgrading to a dual bander. If you would like to trade for this radio, that is definately an option. I am in the market for 2m/70cm single or dual band equipment. If you happen to have an AT-600, then even better!

The radio comes with the antenna, the 12V (High Power) battery, a car adapter for battery charging, soft case, and a speaker mic. It is a very rugged radio, looks like it could be run over with a car (this feature, fortunately, has never been tested) and keep going.

Features:

Handles 6-15VDC
Has low power (400mW) or high power (4W) selection
2 sensitivity settings for VOX operation
Power Saver Mode
Priority Monitor / Call Freq / makes for 11 memories.
Lamp for night use
Modifyable freq step
Full DTMF and CTCSS/PL capability.
Heavy Duty Belt Clip

I have no trouble whatsoever bouncing this thing off of repeaters in low power from a couple of miles away. 70cm isn't as active as I'd like it to be around here, so I haven't been able to get much use out of this.

I'll take reasonable offers on this one.

cwbuckle@mtu.edu
KC0DBY

6228. WANTED: Ten-Tec 263 VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6fo72b$fkd@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 148799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a Ten-Tec 263 VFO for my Corsair. If you have one
for sale, please email me. State condition and price.

Dean, K5DH

6229. FS/T: Yaesu FT-709R 70cm HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwbuckle@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <6fo7v0$7fd@login.ee>
Source record: 148800

Subject: FS: Yaesu FT-709R 70cm HT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap
Summary:
Keywords:

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I'm looking to get $140 for this, or a similar value trade.
"Everything is for sale, if you don't like the price, make an offer"

cwbuckle@mtu.edu
KC0DBY

6230. Re: Info on Kenwood TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mb@nac.net
Message-ID: <mb-3003980719290001@nac-wsh4-s0.nac.net>
Source record: 148801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article
<abrankodxxx-3003980247400001@207-172-114-66.s3.as10.nyd.erols.com>,
abrankodxxx@usa.net (Daniel Abranko) wrote:

> ack, jeeze, it has good quality audio, but its too quiet...the FT-50R has
> better audio...

I disagree, I've owned them both and found the G71A's audio to be
superior. I found the G71A audio to seem lounder and at maximum volume
setting the audio quality suffered on the FT50. I also found the FT50
unusable in a high RF environment, the G71A was usable. I've owned both
and recommend the G71A over the FT50R.

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_____________M_a_r_k___S___B_o_n_d____W_2_M_B__

6231. Vibroplex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: nkjeh@kj.uib.no
Message-ID: <351fa87b.26345861@nntp.uib.no>
Source record: 148802

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I will trade a hand key for a Vibroplex, jpg available,
e-mail if interested, thanks
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6232. Re: ICOM 706 copycat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <351FB820.71C7@nucleus.com>
Source record: 148803

klimasewski@mail.dec.com wrote:
>
> Has anyone heard anything new about a rig that will compete with the
> IC-706?
>
> Ken
COMPETE with a 706 that would be a step backwards!!! the 706 is a joke
rig... I know I made the mistake of buying one... 73 de Jordan ...

6233. Re: FS:Kenwood UT-50 6 meter module has been sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Robert <who@who.com>
Message-ID: <who-3003980926560001@209.122.32.16>
Source record: 148804

In article <6flqctpb1@excalibur.flash.net>, n8htv@flash.net (John Skalski) wrote:

> In article , n8htv@flash.net wrote:
> >6 meter module for TM 741 or TM 742, 50 watts, with box and hardware (no
> >paperwork)
> >
> > $200.00 shipped con US via UPS ground
> >
> > Call (810)445-8175 or emial : n8htv@flash.net

If anyone else has one of these (6 meter units for the Kenwood 741) for sale, please send me an email (but at the
address that follows, not the spam-foiling one in the header:

John Turner
NG4B
jturner@mapwizards.com

6234. WTBuy/rent/borrow: Drake TR-7 extender cards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: MK <m.k0@NOSPAMusa.net>
Message-ID: <35219F5A.83CDDD22@NOSPAMusa.net>
Source record: 148557

I'd like to buy, rent or borrow a set
of extender cards to repair a TR7.

To reply, remove all the capital letters
from the email address. Thanks.

m.k0@NOSPAMusa.net

6235. Email reflector for collectors of OLD tube type ham gear.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <3521A027.78BF@foothill.net>
Source record: 148558

For those interested in older ham gear, tube type items and accessories,
including homebrewers, there is an Email Reflector called baswaplist.
It is FREE. It has over 600 subscribers

IT IS FOR buying, selling and swapping of :
Tube Type and Older ham equipment, parts, accessories, and
manuals and catalogs.
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ham gear.
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offered.

IT IS NOT FOR:
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items of the nature described above, and with prices
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is regardless of whether your ISP at your end is case sensitive. Mail
that comes from a sender whose address does not PERFECTLY match
the address on the list of subscribers is bounced. This is installed as
some prevention to the list being used for spamming.

Messages sent directly to me requesting subscribe or unsubscribe may
be ignored, or at best sent some kind of prepared boiler-plate
notice.

I run the list. I am Eugene Rippen. Flack may be directed to me
at soundval@foothill.net

6236. RS PRO-2004 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Mcintosh <dmcintos@onlink.net>
Message-ID: <6fruoi$s3k$1@onlink3.onlink.net>
Source record: 148559

RS PRO-2004 for sale:

* CE-232 PC Interface
* 4000(6400) channels
* good condition
* SN 651703

Asking $275.00 USD

6237. FT-847 COMMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: GEORGE NELSON <WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fs83k$amv@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148560

THINGS THAT I DON'T LIKE ABOUT THE YEASU FT-847

1. VERY NOISY FANS, ALWAYS ON, (SOUNDS LIKE A PERSONAL COMPUTER)
2. CAN'T MEMORY SCAN BY MODE
3. ONLY 78 GENERAL MEMORIES FOR WHOLE RADIO NOT LIKE ADVERTISED (78
PER BAND)
4. NOT ABLE TO PROGRAM DIFFERENT CTCSS TONE ON XMIT AND RECEIVE
5. THE 12 SATELLITE MEMORIES NOT USABLE FOR SAME BAND REPT.
6. ONLY ONE WAY CROSSBAND REPEAT CAPABLE, IN SAT MODE ONLY
7. CTCSS DECODE CKT. OPENS ON SIGNALS WITHOUT PROPER TONE
8. REPEATER OFFSETS ADJUSTABLE, BUT IF USING DIFFERENT ONES IN THE
SAME BAND THE MEMORIES DO NOT STORE THEM SEPARATELY
MORE TO FOLLOW
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George Nelson WB7VWK E-Mail: WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net

6238. Nye Viking phone patch: how to set up?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfine@earthling.net
Message-ID: <6fse0vki1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148561

I have an old Nye Viking, Viking phone patch, no direcections. It has a large (key size) plug going out, and one going in. 6 connection screws on the back: ground, L2, L1, spkr, rcvr, and one unlabled. L1 and L2 are jumped by a green wire, Spkr and Rcr are also jumped by a green wire. I would like to set this up to work on HF. Anyone know how to do it?
thanks KB2YWP Steve.

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6239. Nye Viking phone patch: how to set up?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfine@earthling.net
Message-ID: <6fse2okt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148562

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thanks KB2YWP Steve.
sfine@earthling.net

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6240. Re: Glass-mount Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: autotint@aol.com
Message-ID: <6fsfdp$1q9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148563

In article <6fr4pijrf2@gte1.gte.net>,
"Dean, Greg; SSgt" <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net> wrote:
>
> Robert Mauritz wrote:
> >
> > I am considering buying a Glass-mount (through-glass) Antenna to run my
> > mobile 2-meter rig on. It has to be able to handle up to at most 50W of
> > power.
> >
> > Anyone had experiences they could share, good-or-bad, about this kind of
> > antenna?
> >
> > If you could suggest a good brand, all the better!

This is a bit "off-topic" but I thought it should be clarified before it confuses someone.

Ok, the factory tint in "newer cars" WILL NOT interfere with electronic transmissions through the glass. This type of coloring is chemically dyed into/onto the glass. Don't worry about it.

What the rep was trying to refer to was aftermarket tint that is applied. The higher end grades contain aluminum or carbon bases to obtain their coloring and to not fade (turn purple) in the future. The films containing aluminum have been known to cause some minor static in radios/cb's/phones. What you would need to do is to cut away the tint where the glass mount antennae will attach so there is nothing but glass between the two units. Cut the film just a tad smaller than the bases so you can't tell it was ever trimmed.

The only thing you wont be able to remedy is if you have a alarm with a radar sensing system (like VIPER "Attention! Stand back! This vehicle is armed... etc. remember that one??). This type of alarm sends out a continous signal and if you have a metallized film, the windows will reflect the signal back to the unit before they even get outside the car.

Hope this clarified a few things.

AUTOtint

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6241. Re: Kenwood 850 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuartl73@aol.com
Message-ID: <6fskf2$64b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148564

Stan, I used to work for Kenwood, and now work on their equipment as time permits. It probable that the DC/DC converter is faulty, as they said. Unless you have the service manual and can work on small surface mount parts, I wouldn't dig into it. I have a new service manual for sale for $40 post-paid. Kenwood gets $48 plus shipping and handling. The part number for the board is X59-1100-00 and it retails for $10.3l Parts are available from Pacific Coast Parts, online at https://www.pacparts.com/whlsl.html. If I can be of some help please ask. Stuart K6YAZ stuartl73@aol.com

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6242. Re: IC-706 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuartl73@aol.com
Message-ID: <6fskks$684$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148565

James, I have had a 706 for a couple of years, love the radio, but having about 45 memories in use, that is how I have to do it. Don't like it, but it's how it's done. Stuart K6YAZ stuartl73@aol.com

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6243. WTB NOS TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: BlueStrat <bluestat@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3521A893.4DC1@erols.com>
Source record: 148566

Looking for the following NOS (preferably in
original boxes) tubes.

6V6GT, 6L6GC, 5AR4, 5U4GB, 6CA7/EL34, 6BQ5/EL84, 7591A, 7581A,
12AX7, 12AT7, 7199, 5881.

Please list brand, price, qty available, and whether in
orignal box.

Thanks,
Mike
bluestat@erols.com

6244. HIGH SPEED PACKET (10 megabit?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Norman <Daniel@commhost.com>
Message-ID: <6fs961$a6b$1@ha2.rdc1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 148567

Hello... My name is Daniel

I am interested in finding out the feasibility of networking 2 computers via packet radio (TCP-IP)

I was wondering if there were hardware/kits available that would allow me to connect the BNC cable on an Network card and possibly use a frequency in the 800 meg - 2 gig range. Is this possible... and if so, how would I go about doing this?

Thank You!!!

Daniel
Daniel@commhost.com
webmaster@commhost.com
Please respond via Email

6245. WTB: Kenwood cigarette plug and Larsen whip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Harris <jharris@fgi.net>
Message-ID: <6fs8q4tnv1@news.fgi.net>
Source record: 148568

Hi.

I have a Kenwood TH-77A. I would like to find a PG-3E or the original filtered cigarette plug.

Also, I am looking for a 2m/440 whip that is compatable with a Larsen MM-MLA antennae.

Please e-mail adhawk@hotmail.com

Thanks!

6246. Re: Help needed fixing HP8660B synthesizer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <35219900.79CA@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 148569

David Feldman wrote:
>
> I have a HP8660B synthesizer that started malfunctioning when I put it back
> in service after about a year of being out of use.
>
> The output, rather than being a single carrier, appears to be exactly 40 MHz
> wide, consisting of a carrier that's sweeping through the range. The spread-
> out signal centers around the desired frequency and is tunable by input
> to the synthesizer keyboard or controls.
>
> I have the maintenance manual and decent test equipment (for this application)
> so I think I could make lots of progress if I could get some e-mail advice
> from someone that's worked on these before.
>
> Thanks very much,
>
> 73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

That model has a sweep feature, doesn't it? Perhaps it's getting
inadvertently enabled somehow.

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

6247. Re: F.S. NON-INDUCTIVE RESISTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Max Powell <codtrap@keys.4ez.com>
Message-ID: <3521B67D.7AF38A94@keys.4ez.com>
Source record: 148570

Max Powell wrote:

> Salvaged a quantity of Glo-Bar carbon resistors from a large commercial
> rhombic installation. Don't know power rating, but physical size is 18"
> long x 1" diameter. Various resistance, 1.4K, 1K, 945 ohm, 850 ohm, 810
> ohm. Price $10 each plus shipping.
>

These are now all sold, Thanks

> Max, zip 33040

6248. Re: Need info: 915-928MHz Tx with 3mW output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John F. Samuels" <k2cib@acd-pc.com>
Message-ID: <6fsejc$3gj$1@news2.digex.net>
Source record: 148571

There is a device called a "Rabbit" in the USA which does just that. It is a 900 MHz transmitter and receiver used to "extend" channel 3 or 4 from a cable translator box. I can't give you more info.
Ng Hung Ping wrote in message <6fplll$n7k$9@janus.cqu.edu.au>...
>Hello everyone,
>
>I would like to transmit a video signal from my remote robot's CCD colour video camera to my PC. Therefore, I need a video transmitter and receiver operating at the frequency range of 915 to 928MHz....
>Ping
>Ngh1@topaz.cqu.edu.au

6249. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John F. Samuels" <k2cib@acd-pc.com>
Message-ID: <6fsejd$3gj$2@news2.digex.net>
Source record: 148572

Try Pasternack Enterprises, PO Box 16759, Irvine, CA 92623. (714) 261-1920

Scott Schmautz wrote in message <01bd5c39$a7599880$2a0df7cd@default>...
>Does anyone know of a source for adapters for the SMA connector on the
>antenna of my new kenwood THG71A HT? (ie SMA/BNC or SMA/PL259?)
>tnx Scott/WB2UZR
>schmautz@i-2000.com
>

6250. Re: Estate sale TR-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <3521C35D.ECD40A29@together.net>
Source record: 148573

Hey guys... I think your assumptions are a bit "rude"... granted.. Vic might not know the value of what he's offering for sale.. but to assume that he's trying to "rip" someone off is unfair... rather than posting a negative comment... why not just be informative and tell Vic what the station is worth at todays fair market prices..

For all we know.. Vic's not a ham and the estate was his fathers...

When in doubt.. how about erring on the side of human kindness...

Tom
KB1CGA

KB4AEP wrote:

> Constantine Thomas wrote:
> >
> > In <1998032918463500.NAA01848@ladder03.news.aol.com> vicwhite@aol.com
> > (Vic White) writes:
> > >
> > >Estate sale of Silent Key: Complete TR-7 Station including TR-7
> > Transceiver
> > >serial #4815, PS-7 Power Supply, RV-7 Ext. VFO Serial #963, MN2700
> > Tuner serial
> > >#589, D-104 Mike, Tec Tec Ultramatic Keyer, 1 KW (Dry) Dummy Load, and
> > Drake
> > >L-7 Linear, serial #2678 with power supply. Both power supplies VERY
> > heavy.
> > >Station not used for over a year but was working at that time. TR-7
> > tested
> > >3/28 and was working fine.
> > >
> > >All for $1,750.00 plus shipping from Denton, Texas.
> > >
> > >Willing to sale the L-7 Linear separately for $1,000.00 plus shipping.
> >
> > Vic, Get real, this is an estate sale where the survivor takes your
> > word that this amplifier is worth that kind of money
> >
> > >
> > >Also complete HAL 3100 RTTY system w/kb, monitor, etc. $150.00 plus
> > shipping.
> > This does not even have an RS232 and only worth a fraction of the above
> > $$$$ (now)
> > C Thomas
>

> Vic probably bought this at an estate sale himself for pennies on the
> dollar (non-hams haven't a clue as to what it's worth) and could be
> trying to make a nice chunk-o-change.

6251. Re: IC-706 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adnan S." <adnansx@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6fsggl$1qg@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 148574

Is it first 706, or 706 MKII?

jpoulin@honk.org wrote in message <6fsa63$t7u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I have purchased an IC-706 radio about 2 months ago. However
>there is something I don't like.
>
>When I set my channels, and I want to go from say, channel
>4 to channel 56, I have to sit and hold the up or down button
>to get there. This is very slow and annoying.
>
>Is there something I'm missing here, or is this just the way the
>radio was built ?
>
>There must be a faster way to get from one channel to another.
>
>Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
>73's
>
>James Poulin
>VA3JPX
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Now offering spam-free web-based newsreading

6252. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: clarkm@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <clarkm-3103982205340001@129.0.0.222>
Source record: 148575
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>
> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
> to play the auction bidding game.

Check out your local hobby or model railroad shop. 14 and or 16 volt
grain of wheat and grain of rice (smaller) bulbs are standard.

--
Clark Martin
Redwood City, CA, USA
Macintosh / Internet Consulting
clarkm@pacbell.net

"I'm a designated driver on the Information Super Highway"

6253. WANTED: TEK 492/01/02/03

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <6frdpr$7rc$1@news.jumpnet.com>
Source record: 148576
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

We have an immediate need to purchase a Tektronix Model 492
Spectrum Analyzer with options 1,2,3.

Please state the condition of your unit and price. Trades possible.
What do you need?

--
Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com
http://www.widind.com/
http://www.widind.com/auctions/

6254. Re: Questions on Motorola Sabre Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R3103981804070001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 148577

In article <3520016D.77CC0FCD@erols.com>, edcummins@erols.com wrote:

> Questions to the group:
>
> I am just learning about the Motorola System Sabre radios. Are these
> worth considering for amateur radio use or am I wasting my money ?
> Would a "lesser" quality radio such as an Icom perform just as well,
> cost less and have more features ?

It all depends on what your "needs" are. These radios were designed for the public safety market. They were designed for police and government users who need a high-spec, rugged, reliable radio with a certain set of features.

While the feds or a large police department need over-the-air-rekeying, encryption and MDC1200 digital signaling, you may not. These public safety users require a radio to work well in a high-RF environment such as found in big cities --you may or may not have similar requirements. These radios are not capable of dual band operation or multiple band receive operation. They are not capable of front panel direct frequency entry. They generally will fair much better when dropped and take much more punishment than an "amateur radio" ever would. They are available in submersible styles that would allow you to dunk the radio in water, leave it for some time, pull it out and never miss a beat.

You can purchase the radio service software (RSS) and programming hardware and program the radio yourself. These items are farily costly, so if you are not doing this frequently, you may want to have someone else program the radio for you.

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

6255. Icom t22a aircraft rx?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbmundal@southern.edu
Message-ID: <6fr5fp$3v3$1@newsread1-mx.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 148607

I have an icom t22a 2-meter handheld and have seen now several references to its ability to rx aircraft band. Is this possible really or did icom come out with a newer version of the model that now has this capability? Also would appreciate any mods for the radio, as I haven't seen any on the net. Thanx.
Steve
KB7PSD

6256. Re: Morse Trainer Wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg; SSgt" <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fr6ue$al2$1@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 148608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

franky B wrote:
>
> Peter Kerklaan wrote:
> >
> > Hi,
> >
> > I'm practicing morsecode to become a radio amature. After 2 months of
> > practische it's time to start keying the code, this is where my problem
> > starts.
> >
> > So far I did not find a (shareware) morse trainer on which I can just
> > connect my key (serialport1).
> > Can anybody give me some suggestions.
> >
> > Thanks,
> >
> > Peter Kerklaan
> > Hollandhello Peter,
>
> try the program, SM4.10, it has a morse trainer inside, I used with
> succes....HI
>
> ON4CEL, ex 5A21PA

I like the MFJ-418 ($79.95, there are cheaper models). It does
everything that the computer morse trainers do but is portable.
This particular model has LCD for reviewing.

6257. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6fr7ji$r1d$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 148609

Patrick Hallihan (phalliha@mail.vt.edu) wrote:
: Gary Coffman wrote:

: > On 31 Mar 1998 00:11:14 GMT, "Scott Schmautz" <schmautz@i-2000.com> wrote:
: > >Does anyone know of a source for adapters for the SMA connector on the
: > >antenna of my new kenwood THG71A HT? (ie SMA/BNC or SMA/PL259?)
: > >tnx Scott/WB2UZR
: > >schmautz@i-2000.com
: >
: > Radio Shack. Yeah, no fooling, Radio Shack carries adaptors from SMA to
: > TNC, BNC, and N. I doubt you'll find an adaptor from SMA to PL259 anywhere
: > though.

: You won't find a SMA=>PL259, but you can do the SMA->BNC, and then BNC=>PL259
: combo. Considering the weight of stacking adapters, you may want to put a
: length of good quality, flexible BNC (RG-58) in between the SMA/BNC adapter
: and the BNC/PL259.

: As for where to find the adapter, I checked 3 different radio shacks and none
: carried the adapter. Your best bet is to call Ham Radio Outlet, or any of
: the companies advertising in the back of QST. I got mine for $3.00 including
: shipping, and it only took 4 days to get here. Unfortunately I can't
: remember where I got it from at the moment.

: Once you get the antenna connection going, I think you'll be pleased. I've
: carried on a QSO 50 miles from a repeater with my G71 hooked to a MFJ-1729
: magmount.
: 73 - KF4UTT

They not be the cheapest, but Yaesu sells a SMA-BNC adaptor for their
models that have a SMA connector(for example, the FT-50R).

6258. HELP: TM733E Lost power on 144/145Mhz! PA gone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <35211ad6.3171103@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 148610

Hi and thanks for reading this,

I have lost power output on my Kenwood TM733E. Regardless of power selection I can only manage a few milliwatts out. I believe this could be the drive RF to the main PA transistors which have probably gone up the shoot!!

70cms works fine with full power output.

DO you have any experience of this rig and how easy/ how much the 2 metre PA transistors are to fit and buy.

Regards

John

6259. WTB: Drake marine VHF transceivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sindre Torp <sindtorp@online.no>
Message-ID: <01bd5cca$dbef8aa0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 148611

Hello,

Thanks for reading this!

I want to buy marine VHF transceivers made by R.L. Drake Company. The
models I'm looking for are:
MRT-55
MRT-55C
TR-V
TR-22M

I'm interested in these units in any condition, working or not. If you have
any ideas of where I may find any of them, such info will be most welcome
too.

Please e-mail to: sindtorp@online.no

Thanks,

Sindre Torp, LA6OP
Norway

6260. Standard C510A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-3103981255430001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 148612

Has anyone out there the freq. expansion mod for thin walkie?

tnx in advance, Barry K1SWR

6261. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <6frcvr$7e2$1@quasar.dimensional.com>
Source record: 148613

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> Radio Shack. Yeah, no fooling, Radio Shack carries adaptors from SMA to
> TNC, BNC, and N. I doubt you'll find an adaptor from SMA to PL259 anywhere
> though.

Ham Radio Outlet sells SMA->BNC packaged by Yaesu that are well built.
A local electronics supplier has SMA->UHFs, all combinations of gender.
I tried to get a bulk order in to sell 'em at hamfests, but they'd only
give me a few cents off for qty 100 orders.

--
Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

6262. FORSALE - MUST SELL (or trade) Tinsley Labs classical cass telescope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6fr84b$5v4@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 148614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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------------------------------------------------------------
FORSALE -- TINSLEY LABS CLASSICAL CASSEGRAIN TELESCOPE !!!
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I have for sale a Tinsley Labs 8-inch Classical Cassegrain
telescope, complete with the original German equitorial
mount and clock drive. Tinsley produced these fine scopes
in the mid 1960s and are known for their fine optical and
mechanical properties. They were (are) research quality
instruments which are quite rare and retain their value.

In mint shape, they go for around $3000. The one that
I have is in very good condition, but needs a few minor
items to bring it to "mint", as follows:

- mirrors are excellent, no scratches or chips, and
bright. Although very good and workable, a
recoating would make them mint.

- clock drive needs an external 12V battery pack and
rheostat to make it operational (this is as it was
intended). A nicad pack or motorcycle battery would
be appropriate.

- A low tripod or pedestal base (about 20" high) and
"rocker box" is needed for the equitorial mount to
sit on.

- the optical tube has some scratches in the paint and
a small dent, which absolutely does NOT interfere with
the optical path. Paint scheme is the original Tinsley
gray.

Thats about it. I just don't have the time to use this
scope and it's too valuable to just let it lay idle.

I was asking $2150 but am open to offers.

The equipment is located in Monmouth County, NJ. For
further information, please contact me.

Thanks,

Joe Levantino
Lucent Technologies - Bell Laboratories
732-949-0664 (days)
jlevantino@lucent.com
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PS -- I will consider a trade for equally valued Amateur Radio Equipment, in particular a high quality, heavy duty, HF linear amplifier (Ten-tec, etc).

6263. JST 245DXG ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ingo.Braun" <inb@pironet.netsurf.de>
Message-ID: <35213aec.0@news.piro.net>
Source record: 148615

hallo outhere,

is there anybody which expierenced with this transceiver in comparision with
others ??

is this transceiver well build and rough for
dx-peditions??

what about the technical datas in comparison with
other transceivers ??

any infos wellcome ... thanks

...ingo

6264. Re: ICOM 706 copycat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Igor <ua3qjc@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <3521726F.4DC8@amsat.org>
Source record: 148616

Kk4bh wrote:
>
> >> Has anyone heard anything new about a rig that will compete with the
> >> IC-706?
> >>
> >> Ken
> >COMPETE with a 706 that would be a step backwards!!! the 706 is a joke
> >rig... I know I made the mistake of buying one... 73 de Jordan ...
>
> JOKE RIG! Hmmm? I guess that's the reason it's one of the hottest selling rigs
> on the market. I read these newsgroups everyday. Why then, do you hardly ever
> see one posted for sale? Now mind you, I am refering to the 706MKII. I cannot
> relate to the 706, since I never owned one. Over the past 20 years I've had the
> priveledge of owning a FT-101, TS-520, TS-530 and TS-440. Quite frankly, this
> "little baby" does a pretty good job of performing, once you learn how to use
> it. True, it's not a high-end radio, but for the money where are you going to
> find anything with its features?
>
> 73's
> Ken
> KK4BH

Sorry to say, but 706 is just a CB radio with some additional bands.
It has the dinamic range which is compartible with home made UW3DI...
I have sold a few dozens of them and when people looked on what they
bought - they are really disapointed. But ship has already left...

The great demand on this model just prove that HAM radio and general IQ
level go from bad to worse...

73, Igor
UA3QJC / VR2ZQZ.
Export specialist
Hong Kong

6265. Re: Updates: Kenwood TS-570 "G" Model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35213A56.D5ABD6DB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148617

David M. Anderson wrote:

> Does anyone have any details concerning the new version of the TS-570 HF
> transceiver (billed as the "G" model)? I understand that it is mainly a DSP
>
> upgrade, but I have no details (Kenwood isn't talking, yet). A DSP fix
> would be nice as I'm not very happy with this radio's DSP / filter
> performance.
>
> Dave WA6KHH
> wa6khh@qsl.net

Hi Dave,
I was in HRO last weekend and they said that most of the changes were software and that Kenwood would have an upgrade kit out for the earlier models. They said it should be available in a couple of weeks but did not have a price.

Changes include adjustable steps when using NR1, NR2 dsp modes and 2 beat cancel modes. There are also new filter ranges for the cw/data modes.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

6266. ICOM IC-T8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: eric_fre@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6frs23gtt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148618

Hi all!
I am thinking of buying one of these little buties and was wondering what the mods possible to them are.
I would prefere being able to transmit on 55 MHz for work reasons is this possible?
If people could e-mail me directly it would be appreciated.
Cheers
ERIC

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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6267. FT-847 CAT and tuning glitches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rayd-nospam@en.com
Message-ID: <6frh78$36u$1@antares.en.com>
Source record: 148619

UPS dropped off a Yaesu FT-847 on my doorstep yesterday. So far, I've discovered two irritating items:

1) There is no opcode in the CAT system to retrieve the VFO frequencies! Also no provision to query the mode, memory contents, etc. This is a serious drawback. How could this rig be used for logging or contesting (as the manual boasts) if there is no provision for getting info from the radio? I sincerely hope it is only an oversight in the documentation.

2) In SSB and FM modes, the MEM/VFO "channelized" tuning control will tune double the frequency step set in menus #3 and #5. In other words, if you set the FM channel step to 5kHz, you get 10... 10kHz you get 20. Grrrr.

I'm planning on creating an FT-847 Web Home page in the near future. I hope it will become a clearinghouse for all issues with this rig.

73 de W8RD - Ray
(to reply via email, remove 'nospam' from my address)

6268. Re: ICOM 706 copycat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Edward Cregger" <ecregger@jnlk.com>
Message-ID: <35214847.3A65C838@jnlk.com>
Source record: 148620

Shhhhhh! Not too loud! Everyone will accuse you of heresy. I know from experience. No one likes to acknowledge that they have been royaly reamed by our friends at Icom. Don't feel bad, I bought an IC-737 too! Some people never learn.

Ed, NM2K
ecregger@jnlk.com

Jordan Arndt wrote:

> (snip) COMPETE with a 706 that would be a step backwards!!! the 706 is a
> joke
> rig... I know I made the mistake of buying one...

6269. Programming My Saber (Help!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clifford Conklin <REMOVETHISconklin@rtp.ericsson.se>
Message-ID: <35215B8E.7BE8@rtp.ericsson.se>
Source record: 148621

I have a Motorola Saber HT and need some feedback as to what would be the best way to get it programmed (outside of paying a shop $35.00 each time). I wonder what most of you guys that own Motorola do to get it programmed. Does anyone know of a good place on the web to find documentation on Motorola HT's? Please respond to:

conklin@rtp.ericsson.se

Thanks and '73,

Cliff Conklin WA2LMC

6270. Re: FT-847 CAT and tuning glitches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <6frkeo$os2@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 148622

Thanks for the info. PLEASE KEEP IT COMMING!
Good luck with your purchase. I am sure Yaesu will make good any probelms.

6271. FORSALE FRG8800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8uqw@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033120523401.PAA18732@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148623

Yeasu FRG-8800

General Coverage Recever
VHF Converter 118-174
Yeasu External Ant tuner
Box and manual
Excellent Shape
$495 u ship.
Offers Accepted, n8uqw@juno.com

6272. ADI AT 600 Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8uqw@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033120540600.PAA21567@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148624

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2mt/440
200 memories
800 MHZ
1yr warranty left
used as display
w/diamond antenna.
battery pack/charger/adapter
$ 250.00 u ship
n8uqw@juno.com
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6273. Re: ADI AR-146 Comments..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8uqw@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033120592201.PAA19675@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148625

I love it, also check with Den-tronics
wb8qwl@juno.com
810-659-1776

he has excellent prices.

John N8UQW

6274. Re: Small Power HT's? Worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8uqw@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033121052101.QAA23155@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148626

I have the Alinco and the standard 508. They work great and you can even run mobile if you have a good antenna(standard 508) I run rechargeables and love it.
John N8UQW

6275. Yeasu 2500 M 2mtr Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8uqw@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033121020600.QAA20103@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148627

Forsale 2500 m 2mtr. Rig

Used as a backup rig.

50 watts, Mill spec. Excellent Rig.
$200.00 u ship or make a offer for trade on ?
n8uqw@juno.com

6276. Help needed fixing HP8660B synthesizer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEqpBpC.BD6@netcom.com>
Source record: 148628

I have a HP8660B synthesizer that started malfunctioning when I put it back in service after about a year of being out of use.

The output, rather than being a single carrier, appears to be exactly 40 MHz wide, consisting of a carrier that's sweeping through the range. The spread-out signal centers around the desired frequency and is tunable by input to the synthesizer keyboard or controls.

I have the maintenance manual and decent test equipment (for this application) so I think I could make lots of progress if I could get some e-mail advice from someone that's worked on these before.

Thanks very much,

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

6277. 850AT SOLD SOLD SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6frmqq$kf1@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 148629

Thanks for all the responds. I knew it would sell fast, it did, in 15 minutes. I couldn't believe that some people were offering me less then 700. I had people offer me as much as 850.00. I couldn't take it because I already make the deal with someone else.

GENE

6278. Re: WTB Inexpensive Thumbwheel VHF HT or Moblie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8uqw@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033121391201.QAA25541@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148630

call dentronics 810-659-1776, tell Denny that n8uqw sent you.
or e-mail wb8qwl@juno.com
73
JOhn n8uqw

6279. F.S. NON-INDUCTIVE RESISTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Max Powell <codtrap@keys.4ez.com>
Message-ID: <3521570F.577F7164@keys.4ez.com>
Source record: 148631

Salvaged a quantity of Glo-Bar carbon resistors from a large commercial rhombic installation. Don't know power rating, but physical size is 18" long x 1" diameter. Various resistance, 1.4K, 1K, 945 ohm, 850 ohm, 810 ohm. Price $10 each plus shipping.

Max, zip 33040

6280. FS: ICOM 761A - HY-Gain Explorer 14 Yagi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave <dazannospam@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <352172C4.2A30@teleport.com>
Source record: 148632
Cross-posted to: pdx.forsale,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

ICOM 761A: $1100
Optional 250hz filter in 455 IF
AM filter
SP-20 external speaker
SM-8 microphone
Owners manual

HY-GAIN EXPLORER 14 Yagi Antenna: $200
3 element on 10-15-20.
Has 40/30mtr Extender. Operate 30 or 40 as a rotatable dipole.

Located in Portland, OR. Pick-up only!

Please reply to: dazan@teleport.com

tnx, dave.n7da

6281. FS ICOM 751

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicwhite@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033121500100.QAA29822@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148633

ICOM 751 with SM6 and HM 23 mikes, PS15 Power supply, and SP3 external speaker.
You pick up for $635 located in Denton, Texas. Excellent condition.

VicWhite@aol.com
VicWhite@aol.com

6282. Yaesu FRG-9600 For sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <kDdU.1083$zT6.4162269@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 148634

aesu FRG-9600 VHF/UHF receiver. Covers 60-905MHz continuously and can be converted to cover 20-950 (instructions included). The unit is in excellent shape with only a few minor scratches and includes the following:

NSTC Video Board, Original copy of the service manual, extra memory battery, original box and all original factory accessories.

$ 500.00 includes shipping via UPS contact johnl@ptd.net Thanks.

John

N3ZQJ

6283. Simplex interconnect connection HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: lent1 <gte900f1@acme1.gatech1.edu1>
Message-ID: <35216866.E7923C15@acme1.gatech1.edu1>
Source record: 148635

I bought a CES Personal Patch (410) and am trying to connect it with a yeasu FT-5100.
I don't know where to find the discriminator audio or the carrier detect logic (COR) signal. I am not a technician but I am somewhat competent with electronics, but the inside of this radio looks daunting. I called yeasu and it took him forever to understand what I wanted and even then I don't think he really did and then it became to technical for me. I called CES and they told me to take my radio in and have a technician find the appropriate output. That seems a bit overkill and expensive.
Has anyone connected this patch or a similar (he said the 4700vp has the same hookup) one to a ft5100 (or maybe 5200) or can provide some help on where to find the output
that I need?
Thanks a lot!
Eddie, KS4TY
Please reply to: gte900f@prism1.gatech1.edu1 (remove nospam one's)

6284. FS ICOM 751

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicwhite@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033122094501.RAA00478@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148636

ICOM 751 with SM6 and HM 23 mikes, PS15 Power supply, and SP3 external speaker.
You pick up for $635 located in Denton, Texas. Excellent condition.

VicWhite@aol.com

VicWhite@aol.com

6285. AR-8000DX For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <GZdU.1092$zT6.4162269@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 148637

AOR AR-8000DX with continous coverage and DX mod by Javiation. The modification is carried out by installing a custom-built PCB into a standard AR8000. This will allow switching between the standard AM/NFM filter (approx. 12kHz bandwidth) and the narrower SSB filter (approx. 4kHz bandwidth); for more details see Javiation's Web page at www.javiation.co.uk

The unit is new in box and includes all the factory accessories as supplied by Javiation.

$ 600 includes UPS shipping. Contact johnl@ptd.net Thanks.

John

N3ZQJ

6286. Re: FT-847 CAT and tuning glitches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033122203000.RAA02304@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148638

N5TKG , was the first on the block with his new 847 and
his recomendation to me was, You dont want one of these.!!
They do not recieve both freq. that are on the display at the
same time like my Kenwood 790A and they only crossband
repeat in one direction. I was begging Memphis Amateur for
the one that John got but now I am glad they were sold out.
. and that is not to mention that they dont have an internal tuner.
BUMMER , YAESU....
K5JOE

6287. Azden AZ-61 6m HT For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@ptd.net
Message-ID: <Y2eU.1101$zT6.4162269@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 148639

Azden AZ-61 6m HT New In Box with warranty card and all factory accessories plus the LC-16 Soft Case and the AD-16 DC Power Cord $ 250 includes UPS shipping.

Contact John, N3ZQJ at johnl@ptd.net if interested. Thanks.

6288. Re: FT-847 CAT and tuning glitches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rayd-nospam@en.com
Message-ID: <6frs5darl1@antares.en.com>
Source record: 148640

In article <6frh78$36u$1@antares.en.com>, rayd-nospam@en.com (Ray, W8RD) wrote:
>2) In SSB and FM modes, the MEM/VFO "channelized" tuning control will tune
>double the frequency step set in menus #3 and #5. In other words, if you set
>the FM channel step to 5kHz, you get 10... 10kHz you get 20. Grrrr.

To follow-up, I discovered that when the 'FAST' button is enabled, it affects
not only the main, sub-band and MHz tuning, but also the "channelization" of
the VFOs. I guess this is an undocumented feature... although it doesn't
modify AM stepping. Weird. Well, wanted to clear Yaesu's name on that one.
:) However, the CAT issue remains.

6289. The IC-211 Tell me what you think!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <6frsq7$1sb4$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 148641
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.space

The subject says it all.

Just picked up an IC-211. Looking to see what others think of it.

Plus I am looking for a manual as well as a service manual.
Can anyone photocopy one?

BTW: has anyone had one of those Mutek ltd. replacement boards
installed (RPCB 251ub I think..) in their IC-211?

What diference did it make?

Jason N1RWY
baack@maine.edu

6290. F/S Henry 2KD-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <3520F015.2231@swbell.net>
Source record: 148642

I have for sale a 2kd-5 amp new 3-500zg tubes, 80-10, very nice condx, $700. Bob 405-321-9829

6291. Data On Motorola Micor T-83 Drawer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5cfc$473dfa40$548a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 148643
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have a Motorola Micor T-83 VHF drawer which contains the PA Amp and much
of the receive circuitry. I am in need of a schematic, spec sheet, and
parts layout before I can begin to figure out what to do with it! HELP!
I understand the component sections are real useful on 2m.
(From The Label -- Model: T83RTA1200AA Recv. Model: RC0055 Serial
Number: RG124A)
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Thanks & 73, DavidC AA1FA

6292. WRL Globe LA-1 80-6m Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5cfe$1f3111c0$548a92d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 148644
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WRL Globe LA-1 80-6m sweep tube amp.
I have just acquired this neat boatanchor in trade and am in need of a manual copy, schematic, and any other useful information.
It is in nice cosmetic condition, does Class C & B, and is otherwise a fascinating piece of gear, but needs some tinkering to get it operating properly. THANKS! & 73, DavidC AA1FA

6293. Kenwood 850 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2uet@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033123474501.SAA16908@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148645

My Kenwood TS850S is having some new problems. I do not want to send it back if possible. I would like to find someone that could help me find and fix the problem myself.

After it has been turned on for about 10 minutes the output pulsates when transmitting. About 1 pulse/second... The ALC indicators pulses as well. Kenwood said it sounds like the DC-DC unit. But they want the radio back for service. Can anyone help me?
Thanks, Stan

6294. TM-733A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sproctor@calweb.com
Message-ID: <MPG.f8b22b3beb7206a989680@news.calweb.com>
Source record: 148646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have a Kenwood TM-733a Dual Band Mobile For-Sale.
Complete unit with built in duplexer, removable face place,
2 mics, and docs. Also have extended mounting cable kit for remote
mounting.

Comes with 2 mics. The backlight mic with DTMF has a intermittent
problem with the PTT switch but can easily be fixed. The other mic is
standard mic (with no dtmf) and works great.

Complete unit and accessories for $375.00 including shipping.

If interested, please e-mail sproctor@microline.org or
sproctor@calweb.com

Thanks

6295. IC-706 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpoulin@honk.org
Message-ID: <6fsa63$t7u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148647

I have purchased an IC-706 radio about 2 months ago. However
there is something I don't like.

When I set my channels, and I want to go from say, channel
4 to channel 56, I have to sit and hold the up or down button
to get there. This is very slow and annoying.

Is there something I'm missing here, or is this just the way the
radio was built ?

There must be a faster way to get from one channel to another.

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

73's

James Poulin
VA3JPX

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6296. DJ580 battery replacement.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter R Francis <wally@pop.uky.edu>
Message-ID: <1108.394T160T11470496@pop.uky.edu>
Source record: 148648

Note: Please respond by email, I don't receive this newsgroup!

I have DJ580 that I hadn't used for a while, and when I attempted to charge my two batteries the original Alinco battery seemed to charge and a W&W Associates battery would not charge at *all*, instantly says the battery is low.

I've found two prices on DJ580 batteries, one was $112 for a 7.2V 1.2A battery and one was a $65 for a 12V 800mA battery.

Sounds pretty expensive, and I really just want a compact battery, 7.2v 700ish mA is fine.

Where can I find a better price on such a battery?

Thanks!

Again, please respond by EMail. Thanks!

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. Walter Francis _. KT4LH .
- HP200LX HP48GX Alinco DJ580 Icom 281 Kenwood 530S o:o -
. Wally@POP.UKY.EDU http://sac.uky.edu/~wally .
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6297. FS:New Surplus Enclosures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Hix <lhix@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6fs0n5$k7q$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 148649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

New Surplus Standard 19 inch equipment enclosures. These
enclosures have never been used !!!!!! (still have shrink
wrap on them Mounting space:19" width(horiz. mounting space)
x 70" height(vertical mounting space) x 24" depth.
Good for many types of rack/shelf mounting applications such as:
Test equipment
Cellular and paging equipment
Data com/server equipment
and many other applications
These are very well built Enclosures (cabinets) with several features,
$329 each compare our prices to other new prices. Go to
http://www.flash.net/~lhix
for features, and specifications.

6298. Email HF to Internet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.980331142524.1772K-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 148650

Hi,

Are there any commercial systems that allow locally created email messages
to be sent to the internet using an HF link (on a boat, for example)?

Anyone have contact addresses?

Thanks in advance,

Julian
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6299. ADI AR-146 Comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net>
Message-ID: <35217AC0.7FAC1213@prefer.net>
Source record: 148651

N8UQW wrote:
>
> I love it, also check with Den-tronics
> wb8qwl@juno.com
> 810-659-1776

Thanks for taking the time to respond John.
I checked with Den-tronics.. selling them for 189 + shipping
...BUT.. he does not have any.

The only bad comments I have received relate to mic-audio... one fix would seem to be replacing the existing element with one of Radio Shack's Electret elements (a $2.99 item.. can't imagine what ADI has in there that would perform less adequately then a 3 dollar RS element)

Thanks again John
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BILL BRANNICK | Costa Mesa, CA
Amateur Radio Station: KN6FJ
A NFL Rams and Dodgers Fan For Over 50 years!

6300. Re: Kenwood 850 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <35218521.1C17@onramp.net>
Source record: 148652

WA2UET wrote:
>
> My Kenwood TS850S is having some new problems. I do not want to send it back if
> possible. I would like to find someone that could help me find and fix the
> problem myself.
>
> After it has been turned on for about 10 minutes the output pulsates when
> transmitting. About 1 pulse/second... The ALC indicators pulses as well.
> Kenwood said it sounds like the DC-DC unit. But they want the radio back for
> service. Can anyone help me?
> Thanks, Stan

That's what it is. Replace it...
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Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

6301. WTB: Morse Code CD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre Constantineau <pierre@cmpe.ubc.ca>
Message-ID: <352190D9.E946E247@cmpe.ubc.ca>
Source record: 148653

Hi,

In order to get my HF license as well as listen to everyone on the air with the

my new HB rig, I need to learn code.
To do so, I need the ARRL CD set titled "Your Introduction to Morse Code".

Is anyone on the list ready to part with theirs.

Yes I know about various software but I want something I can throw in my
portable cd player so
I can work on my code without having to bring my computer home everyday...

Thanks

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6302. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.980331194049.10391B-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 148654

For Sale:

I know this isn't the right N.G, but lots' of radio people, especially hams, do buy and sell older printers. They do use ribbons. So, here is the list of what I"m selling. They are $1.00 plus shipping and quantity deals available. YOU cross type for your printer. Even though they are NEW in Factory SEALED packing, I'm selling them AS IS, NO returns.

Number/information found on boxes (qty)

NEC Black Multistrike 5500/7700 Spinwriter (16)
Kores Matrix Nylon - C.Itoh 8500 (60)
NEC 3500 Black Nylon (90)
NEC Black Nylon 8023-A-01 (12)

Lou

Tech@DP.NET

6303. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
Message-ID: <352191F6.8CF5BEB1@bills2way.com>
Source record: 148655

We sell SMA-2-BNC connectors. They are not cheap, $8.00 each.

Ken Bickel wrote:

> Gary Coffman wrote in message :
> >>Does anyone know of a source for adapters for the SMA connector
> >Radio Shack. Yeah, no fooling, Radio Shack carries adaptors from SMA
> to
> >TNC, BNC, and N.
> ---------------------------------------
> REALLY! - - - I can't seem to find them in any Shacks here, unless
> they
> order them from somewhere. I found mine at a hamfest and at HRO in
> Atlanta.

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Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com
http://www.bills2way.com
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6304. JRC NRD-525 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Mcintosh <dmcintos@onlink.net>
Message-ID: <6frva1riq1@onlink3.onlink.net>
Source record: 148656

JRC NRD-525 for sale, SN 43647, excellent condition. Asking $500 USD.

Dan <cardan@computer.org>

6305. SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Schmautz <schmautz@i-2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5c39$a7599880$2a0df7cd@default>
Source record: 148671

Does anyone know of a source for adapters for the SMA connector on the
antenna of my new kenwood THG71A HT? (ie SMA/BNC or SMA/PL259?)
tnx Scott/WB2UZR
schmautz@i-2000.com

6306. 847 does not have dual recieve, BUMMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilo5joe@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033100334101.TAA11948@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148672

No dual band recieve is a bummer... but I guess you could compensate by
having other radios or scanners in the shack... The transmit audio on 440
sounds
great... that is all the info I have now....
K5JOE

6307. Re: ICOM 706 copycat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4bh@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033100463500.TAA14256@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148673

>> Has anyone heard anything new about a rig that will compete with the
>> IC-706?
>>
>> Ken
>COMPETE with a 706 that would be a step backwards!!! the 706 is a joke
>rig... I know I made the mistake of buying one... 73 de Jordan ...

JOKE RIG! Hmmm? I guess that's the reason it's one of the hottest selling rigs on the market. I read these newsgroups everyday. Why then, do you hardly ever see one posted for sale? Now mind you, I am refering to the 706MKII. I cannot relate to the 706, since I never owned one. Over the past 20 years I've had the priveledge of owning a FT-101, TS-520, TS-530 and TS-440. Quite frankly, this "little baby" does a pretty good job of performing, once you learn how to use it. True, it's not a high-end radio, but for the money where are you going to find anything with its features?

73's
Ken
KK4BH

6308. Re: Yaesu FT 50 double beeping?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <6fpfr2$4r5$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 148674

but it double beeps at every squelch opening.
>Really annoying. Any ideas in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Turn the beep off

6309. WTB-Battery pack for HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1rbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033101425001.UAA24768@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148675

Thanks for reading this post. I need a battery pack for an ICOM micro2AT HT. Will replace batteries if need be. Does anyone out there have one they would part with? Capacity is not overly important.
Thank you, 73, George, K1RBS

6310. Re: Question on Alinco DJS41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Lane - N3RNY <slane@sgi.net>
Message-ID: <L6YT.93$a4.454973@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 148676

Yes.

While 'I haven't done this myself' it can be done and it works well.
Remember to change the tuning step accordingly, and set the FRS freqs into
memory.

The DJ-S41 doesn't qualify for FCC acceptance for the FRS mainly because it
has a VFO. This is why Yaesu, Alinco & others market units strikingly
similar to the ham versions of their flea-power HTs for the FRS band.

Happy tweaking, and please don't transmit where you aren't licensed!

Warren Tang wrote in message <6fotcj$c3$1@owl.slip.net>...
>Hi, has anyone out there who has done the mods for the DJS41 been actually
>able to transmit in the FRS bands? It would be nice to be able to
>communicate with non-licensed FRS users if the situation calls for it.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Warren
>KD6LMY
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>

6311. Need info: 915-928MHz Tx with 3mW output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ngh1@topaz.cqu.edu.au
Message-ID: <6fplll$n7k$9@janus.cqu.edu.au>
Source record: 148677

Hello everyone,

I would like to transmit a video signal from my remote robot's CCD colour video camera to my PC. Therefore, I need a video transmitter and receiver operating at the frequency range of 915 to 928MHz. The maximum EIRP has to be 3mW or less and line-of-sight transmission. I might use two video transmitters and receivers due to its low RF (3mW) output set by Radiocommunication Class License or ACA. I will install one video transmitter at the courtyard and another one at the foreyard. They will work like the cellular network.

The robot controls signal transmission will use the similar concepts explained above and I guess Wireless Radio Modem will do the job.

So, my question is whether I need to build one by myself or I can purchase any of those video transmitter and receiver that operating at 3mW? What soft of antenna I need to use?

Please let me know if you have some information regarding to this transmitter/receiver such as where can I purchase and the costs. For your info, I am staying in Australia.

Thanks.

Ping
Ngh1@topaz.cqu.edu.au

6312. WTB:Kenwood Twins, 599's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103093801.WAA08263@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148678

Looking for exceptional set of Kenwood Twins, R-599/T-599. Prefer the "D"
series, but also consider the "A". Send email if you have something to discuss.

K&#65533;MB

6313. FS Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOON KYONG <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6fpnei$7a1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148679

I have a for sale oscilloscope.
HITACHI V-1150 150 MHz $ 400.00 plus shipping
Leader LBO-516 100MHz $ 320.00 "
KIKUSUI COS 6100S 100MHz $ 270.00 "
Tek 465M 100MHz $ 245.00 "
All good working condition.
Tel :714-778-5151
Thanks

6314. Glass-mount Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: RMauritz@execpc.COM
Message-ID: <3520557B.2FD9620B@execpc.com>
Source record: 148680

I am considering buying a Glass-mount (through-glass) Antenna to run my mobile 2-meter rig on. It has to be able to handle up to at most 50W of power.

Anyone had experiences they could share, good-or-bad, about this kind of antenna?

If you could suggest a good brand, all the better!

BoB
KB9RMQ
Menomonee Falls, WI

6315. Re: Glass-mount Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryant McAllister <mb_mcalllister@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bd5c56$fe093100$855d56d1@nimitz>
Source record: 148681

If you use in on the window of one of the newer cars which has factory tinted windows, you will find a degradation of signal. GM uses something in the glass which does not play well with the antenna.

Bryant

Robert Mauritz <RMauritz@execpc.COM> wrote in article <3520557B.2FD9620B@execpc.com>...
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> mobile 2-meter rig on. It has to be able to handle up to at most 50W of
> power.
>
> Anyone had experiences they could share, good-or-bad, about this kind of
> antenna?
>
> If you could suggest a good brand, all the better!
>
> BoB
> KB9RMQ
> Menomonee Falls, WI
>
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>

6316. Any info. on the 847???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: slkdealr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103425501.WAA17239@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148682

Could someone tell me is it a good RIG?

GOOD or BAD ???

Before i buy it???

Thank you for the info.

6317. Re: FT50 Duplex mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab0nr <ab0nr@qsl.nospaaam.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5c52$f3a82a80$020110ac@jdpast.pautz.com>
Source record: 148683

Check out VDUP mode. I have used this with my mobile in one-way repeat.
Should work for you in AO27. Are you familiar with the doppler shift issue?

73 de ab0nr
Jeff

EricG <ERIC.GAUDENZI@wanadoo.fr> wrote in article
<6fotd6res1@peuplier.wanadoo.fr>...
> I want to know if there is a way to put in a memory 2 frequencies in
duplex
> mode
> 1 frequency on 144 MHz band, the other in 430 MHz band
> It is for AO27
> Many thanks.
>
> F1ISJ Eric
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6318. TOROIDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: toroids@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033103365700.WAA13459@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148684

We have written a Toroid software package for use DC to 300 MHz. Many Years of research has gone into error corrections for the low perm cores , 200 & 360 degree coverage as well as SRF for series and shunt coils. Much of this has come about as a request from Micrometals. The pin point accuracy allows us to add a custom core feature for custom shaped cores, stacking cores side by side and machining custom phenolic cores from plastic, teflon, wood, ect...
Down load a demo or just view the software main screen at our web
http://members.aol.com/Toroids/johnindx.htm
or click below
Best Regards John Bellora @ B&E Engineering Software
B and E Engineering

6319. kenwood fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gene <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6fprh0$l89@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 148685

I have a KENWOOD TS-850AT for sale. It has SSB and CW filter installed.
Unit is MINT condition and never has been off the shelf since it was put
there new. Comes with power cord, hand mic, manual, and has NOT BEEN opened
for any "mars" mods, or any other nonsense.
This is priced for quick sale. 700 + shipping.

6320. Re: ht1000 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: powerpony@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35228791.41458157@news.flash.net>
Source record: 148686

On 19 Mar 1998 09:21:29 -0500, jchapman@freenet.columbus.oh.us (John Chapman) wrote:

>spo150@vdot.net wrote:
>: Anyone know where to get some ht1000 software??
>I think what everyone is trying to say is that the SW is licensed, and
>Motorola does NOT appreciate it being given or traded away, and watches groups
>like this frequently to make sure their property is kept intact.
>
>Getting SW from anyone other than Motorola is STEALING (the same can be
>said for any SW package with a license), and thus wrong. Go to your local
>Motorola dealer, and I'm sure you can program your radio for less than
>the cost of the SW, or get the SW directly from Motorola, and be legal.
>
>73,

Charging 350.00 for something that should come with the radio, and is required to use the radio to it's fullest potential is STEALING...using a piece of software for evaluation or personal one radio use is part of everyday life....

Once I ordered a piece of software which would link a automobile diagnostic tool to a PC. Allowing you to use the PC to access the autodiagnostic routines...Price 199.00 payable up front....Stupid on my part, But I paid anyway... What I got was a 15.00 VT100 Emulator program...I was not impressed.. And my ass was burning from the royal screwing that I got.... I threw the Program away and started using PcAnywhere which actually worked properly..

6321. WTB:VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kovar <kovar@ia.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5c65$6970e2e0$6fd0a0cd@kovar.inav.net>
Source record: 148687

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I would like to purchase a Used VX1R if any of you are unhappy with yours
or just tired of it?
Please state version, condition and possible selling price.

Jack Kovar
319-378-9852
k0var
Iowa
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6322. Re: FS: RARE Hard to find 14 volt Grain of Wheat Bulbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdn1@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <35219dd7.2604022@news.usol.com>
Source record: 148688
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

On 29 Mar 1998 22:52:03 GMT, will Herzog <herzog@frontiernet.net>
wrote:

I bought some from him to use as replacements in an Alinco 2 meter
rig, you'd play hell trying to get even a 1/8 W resistor in series in
some of those spaces much less a 1/4W resistor. I liked the fact they
were 14V and my fingers and soldering copper would likely *never* have
to be in those tight quarters again.

Regards

Gary K8IQ

>An easy answer is to put a dropping resistor in series next time you
>replace the bulb. 100 ohm or so.
>This helps the life by limiting the inrush.
>
>Tim, K8TJ wrote:
>>
>> Lot of 10 NEW 14 volt grain of wheat light bulbs. Most rigs use 12
>> volters. These are 14 volters and put out just about the same amount
>> of light on 12 volts as the 12 volters do. They should last virtually
>> forever once replaced in your rig. This voltage is quite hard to find.
>> Mostly one ends up using 12 volters only to have to replace them again
>> in a short time. I found these at Dayton one year and bought up all
>> the guy had. Lot of 10 grain of wheat bulbs $15 postage paid to you.
>> Email me if interested. Also have some of these up on eBay if you want
>> to play the auction bidding game.
>> --
>> Tim, K8TJ
>>

6323. Re: Keypad mods for Yaesu VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <35208d07.2413910@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 148689

"Greg Ottria" <Gottria@inreach.com> wrote:

>Hi Rob, Check out http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/ for all the info you will
>ever need on the VX-1R.

I've seen this one, but it has no keypad mods. All the non-hardware
mods you find there require ADMS-1D, which I don't own yet (yes, it's
ordered some weeks ago).

TNX anyway...

>Greg Ottria KE6PTP

Rob B.

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Spamblock! Change the e-mail address to reply.

6324. FS: Alinco DJ-580

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <35259a0c.24295995@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148690

I have an alinco DJ-580 HT for sale. I'd rate it 8 on
a scale of 10- not like new but i'd say the rig is in very good
condition functionally, works great. cap/mars/cell mods done.
Includes 12V and 7.2V alinco batteries, wall charger, standard
duck antenna (that came with the rig) and a larsen kulduckie
dualband antenna, and owners manual.

All for $250 shipped Continental US.

Reason For Selling: I'm all HT'ed to death, I own a DJ-582 and an
FT-530....as well as a couple of monoband 440 jobbers. No real need
for a spare dualband. Hate like hell to get rid of it, but I need the
money.

-Mike

6325. FS: FT8000R 2M/440 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <35239649.23332750@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148691

I have a mint FT8000R with mars/cap mod done. Includes original box, manual, mic, power cord. bracket. Very low hours, used inside mostly.

$350, shipped Continental US.

Reason for selling: I had very poor mounting options in my car, so I went out and got a detachable face rig. (Kenwood TMV7A) If I had better mount options I'd still be using the 8000 right now, is a nice radio.

-Mike

6326. Re: Radios for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhansil <rhansil@mychoice.net>
Message-ID: <6fq9ge$o59$2@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 148692

KENWOOD TS-850SAT MC60A MIKE EXCELLENT SHAPE NO MODS. FACTORY FILTERS .
$1250.00 DELIVERED TO YOUR HOME
rhansil@mychoice.net

6327. NEW MINITOWER GREAT FOR THE SHACK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhansil <rhansil@mychoice.net>
Message-ID: <6fq9v4$o59$3@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 148693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

FOR SALE
NEW MINITOWER SYSTEM
ALL PARTS ARE NEW!
SYSTEM INCLUDES: MINITOWER 250 WATT
2.1 GIG HARDDRIVE, 32 MEG RAM , 2MB VIDEO CARD,
24X MITSUMI CDROM
1.44 MB. MITSUMI FLOPPY
PENTIUM MOTHERBOARD WITH CYREX PR200 CPU,
SSO 64 WAVE SOUNDCARD,
KEYBOARD , MOUSE .
ALL FOR $700.00
MONITOR NOT INCLUDED
618-833-7132
THIS SYSTEM IS NEW JUST BURNED IN, 48 HRS
WINDOWS 95 INSTALLED
$25.00 SHIPPING
rhansil@mychoice.net

6328. 2 Meter Handhelds: Icom IC-T2A vs. ADI AT-201

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Herrera <p-herrera@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <3520BC02.B3B87D9B@tamu.edu>
Source record: 148694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I looking to purchase my first 2 meter handheld. I've looked at the specs and the two HTs that I'm interested in my price range (~ $175) are the Icom IC-T2A and the ADI AT-201. Both have a good number of functions for the price. I am wondering if there is people out there who have these units and are willing to share their thoughts on them. Good points and bad points of these models would be greatly appreciated. If anyone knows of any other units, within my price range, that I should be contemplating, let me know.

Paul Herrera
p-herrera@tamu.edu

6329. FS: Legal Limit Amp AL-800H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9MDX <w9mdx@netohio.net>
Message-ID: <01bd5c96$985b1e00$0a01a8c0@netohio.accsandusky.com>
Source record: 148695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Like new Ameritron AL-800H. Not a scratch on it. Amp uses a pair of 3cx800A7's, same as Alpha and Commander. Factory box and manual and amp! All for $1600.

Larry W9MDX
419-433-2930 after 6:00 PM EST or email

6330. WTB: TH-28A Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dj <dave@jarrett.com>
Message-ID: <Vj4U.1180$bp2.638620@firenze.visi.net>
Source record: 148696

Need a manual for the TH-28A.

Dave
w9rcc@amsat.org

6331. FS: Icom PS-15 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033111445601.GAA29037@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148697

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FS: Icom PS-15 Power Supply for $110 shipped
- Front panel in excellent condition
- Some minor scratches on sides and top case
- Works great
- Icom owners manual included

Norm
ae4cz@aol.com
Biloxi, MS
(228) 436-3568
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6332. FS: Icom SM-5 desk mic $40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998033111482501.GAA26640@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148698

Icom SM-5 Desk mic for $40 shipped
- A couple of small nicks on the base
- First coil of gooseneck a little off track
- Overall looks pretty good
- Includes box and manual
- Works great

Norm
ae4cz@aol.com
(228) 436-3568
Biloxi, MS

6333. AG25-Icom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zlatko Miocevic <sbeop@alf.tel.hr>
Message-ID: <6fqob8$uh0@argos.tel.hr>
Source record: 148699

I have Icom preamplifier AG25 for 144Mhz.GaAs-FET transistor is broken but I don't know what one is in.Can anyone help me.The case is plastic like SOT.103 but no mark.Thanks and 73 --9A2SB

6334. FS***Ten-Tec & Icom HF radios***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6fqm70$q9k$1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148700

MINT!!! Ten-Tec Paragon with hand mic,FM board,manual and software. Make offer.

Icom 751 ex.con. owners manual & DC cord, no mic. $600.00

Icom 751A with built in P/S, desk mic,DC cord and both the owners and service manuals. This rig is MINT. $850.00

73's
Stan KF6IKC
(530)241-0843

6335. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3520fb39.573284774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148701

On 31 Mar 1998 00:11:14 GMT, "Scott Schmautz" <schmautz@i-2000.com> wrote:
>Does anyone know of a source for adapters for the SMA connector on the
>antenna of my new kenwood THG71A HT? (ie SMA/BNC or SMA/PL259?)
>tnx Scott/WB2UZR
>schmautz@i-2000.com

Radio Shack. Yeah, no fooling, Radio Shack carries adaptors from SMA to
TNC, BNC, and N. I doubt you'll find an adaptor from SMA to PL259 anywhere
though.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

6336. HF VHF ALL MODE Mic HO-10 etc on E-Bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <35210B67.74D4@nucleus.com>
Source record: 148702

Hi I have the following auction itmes on E-bay which are closing soon...
An IC-745 MINT!!! LOADED...A KENWOOD 2M Multi-Mode... AN SBE AMPLIFIED
DESK MIC Like New and other goodies..HO-10 Scope etc...
Take a look at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9201738

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9343217

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9343459

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9380819

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9533046

you'll see some great stuff... Jordan...

6337. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Hallihan <phalliha@mail.vt.edu>
Message-ID: <352106A5.86AD092F@mail.vt.edu>
Source record: 148703

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On 31 Mar 1998 00:11:14 GMT, "Scott Schmautz" <schmautz@i-2000.com> wrote:
> >Does anyone know of a source for adapters for the SMA connector on the
> >antenna of my new kenwood THG71A HT? (ie SMA/BNC or SMA/PL259?)
> >tnx Scott/WB2UZR
> >schmautz@i-2000.com
>
> Radio Shack. Yeah, no fooling, Radio Shack carries adaptors from SMA to
> TNC, BNC, and N. I doubt you'll find an adaptor from SMA to PL259 anywhere
> though.

You won't find a SMA=>PL259, but you can do the SMA->BNC, and then BNC=>PL259 combo. Considering the weight of stacking adapters, you may want to put a length of good quality, flexible BNC (RG-58) in between the SMA/BNC adapter and the BNC/PL259.

As for where to find the adapter, I checked 3 different radio shacks and none carried the adapter. Your best bet is to call Ham Radio Outlet, or any of the companies advertising in the back of QST. I got mine for $3.00 including shipping, and it only took 4 days to get here. Unfortunately I can't remember where I got it from at the moment.

Once you get the antenna connection going, I think you'll be pleased. I've carried on a QSO 50 miles from a repeater with my G71 hooked to a MFJ-1729 magmount.
73 - KF4UTT

6338. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1ist@netcom.com
Message-ID: <n1istEqoxxL.IzM@netcom.com>
Source record: 148704

In article <01bd5c39$a7599880$2a0df7cd@default> "Scott Schmautz" <schmautz@i-2000.com>
writes:
-Does anyone know of a source for adapters for the SMA connector on the
-antenna of my new kenwood THG71A HT? (ie SMA/BNC or SMA/PL259?)

Your best bet is to make a short cable with an SMA on one end and a BNC or
PL-259 on the other. I'd be *very* leery of using an adapter on the SMA
connector of one of the munchkin radios. The weight of the adapter and thick
coax is bound to cause the SMA to break free or wiggle it enough to open
the connection from the center pin to the board.

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\|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@netcom.com \|/
-*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc === -*-
/|\ or send "info barc-list" to listserv@majordomonetcom.com /|\

6339. Re: SMA Adapter Source?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Hinkle <ae4rg.nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fr47q$7sc$1@gte2.gte.net>
Source record: 148705

Gary Coffman wrote:

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> though.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

I've seen the sma>259 adapter at hamfests. I have 3 of them. I dont know who make them though. I paid $2.50 ea.

73
Barry AE4RG

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http://www.qsl.net/ae4rg
Please remove the .nospam from reply to address when responding.

6340. Re: Glass-mount Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-03-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg; SSgt" <GTE/n9nwo@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6fr4pijrf2@gte1.gte.net>
Source record: 148706

Robert Mauritz wrote:
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> I am considering buying a Glass-mount (through-glass) Antenna to run my
> mobile 2-meter rig on. It has to be able to handle up to at most 50W of
> power.
>
> Anyone had experiences they could share, good-or-bad, about this kind of
> antenna?
>
> If you could suggest a good brand, all the better!
>
> BoB
> KB9RMQ
> Menomonee Falls, WI

Valor/Proam makes a good one. I have their dual band version.
Larsen also makes a very good one (more $$). The Radio Shack
antenna is most likely made by Valor.

I called Valor about making a triband version (6/2/440). Their
engineer thought the owners did not think 6m was worth the effort
to date. He also said that the newer cars will have a window
tint that will make glass mounted antennas not work. This will
effect celtels as well.